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## DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN PROBLEMI PRISELJENCA INOZEMSTVA

Iz glavnega urada je bilo vrednemu sporočeno, da sta na dajna dva kandidata kvalificirala za častno delegatstvo na 16. redni konvenciji JSKJ. Eden od teh je brat Luka Česnik, agilni tajnik društva št. 166 JSKJ v Indianapolisu, Ind., druga pa njezina Louise Mikec, soproga načrta glavnega porotnika Franka Mikeca v Strabane, Pa.

Federacija društva JSKJ za države Illinois in Wisconsin bo zborovala v nedeljo 23. junija v De Pue, Ill. Pričetek zborovanja je določen za pol deseto uro do-

Društveno ustanovitev bo poslavilo društvo št. 130 JSKJ v De Pue, Ill., s primernim programom in piknikom v nedeljo 23. junija popoldne. Kot slavnostni govornik bo na prvi nastopil glavni tajnik Anton Zbašnik.

V Moon Runu, Pa., se bo v nedeljo 23. junija dopoldne vršilo zborovanje federacije društva JSKJ v zapadni Pennsylvaniji. Pričetek ob 10. uri dopoldne.

Tridesetletnico ustanovitev bo poslavilo društvo št. 99 JSKJ Moon Runu, Pa., z velikim piknikom, ki ga priredi v nedeljo 23. junija popoldne na Portus Grove. Kot slavnostni govornik nastopi prvi gl. nadzornik Janko N. Rogelj.

Društveni izlet v Hudson, N. J., priredi društvo št. 50 JSKJ Brooklynu, N. Y., v nedeljo 23. junija.

V Herminie, Pa., se bo v nedeljo 23. junija vršil piknik načrta št. 154 JSKJ. Prostor vasi: Keystone Grounds.

Slovenska mladinska šola S. Doma v Clevelandu, Ohio, priredi v nedeljo 23. junija svoj piknik na Močilnikarjevi ulici.

Plesno veselico priredi društvo št. 84 JSKJ, s sedežem v Trinidadu, Colo., v soboto 29. junija zvečer. Veselica se bo vrnila v Defiliippijevih prostorih v Starkvillu, Colo.

Federacija društva JSKJ v Colorado bo zborovala v nedeljo 30. junija v Slovenskem domu v Pueblo, Colo.

Minnesotska federacija društva JSKJ bo zborovala v nedeljo 30. junija v šolskem avdito-riku v Soudanu, Minn. Pričetek zborovanja je določen za 1. uro dopoldne.

Letni piknik priredi društvo št. 42 JSKJ v Pueblo, Colo., v nedeljo 30. junija. Vršil se bo v prostorih pevskega društva "Preberena" v Rye, Colo.

Zveza slovenskih društev v Zvezki, III., naznanja priredeva slovenskega piknika na nedeljo 30. junija.

V Exportu, Pa., se bo na praznik Neodvisnosti, to je 4. julija, vršil piknik tamkajšnjega društva št. 57 JSKJ.

Plesna veselica žogometnega društva št. 36 JSKJ v Conemaughu, Pa., se bo vršila včeraj 4. julija.

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# Popravki in dodatki k pravilom

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manj kot dve leti, in člani, ki so starji nad 65 let, ne morejo zahtevati odpravnino. Ko je član prejel odpravnino, tedaj preneha biti zavarovan v bolniškem oddelku, za odškodnino pa lahko ostane še nadalje zavarovan, ako plača po 20 centov mesečno v bolniški in odškodninski sklad.

**Nova točka 324-C.** Vsak član, ki prejme skupno ali v predelkih za bolezen ali bolezni, poškodbo ali poškodbo v krečniti lestvici določeno vsoto, na podlagi dobe zavarovanja, ne bude biti upravičen do nadaljnje bolniške podpore, dober na poteče nadaljno leto v članstvu v bolniškem oddelku. Je član izčrpal vso vsoto odškodninske podpore, ki je v krečniti lestvici označena kot maksimalna ali najvišja vsota, tedaj preneha biti zavarovan v tem oddelku. Ako pa član izčrpava sproti določeno vsoto podpore, tedaj se mu piše preustanek v kredit, do katerega je upravičen pri poznejših poškodbah.

**V točki 331** naj se črta "v vih tehničnih" in nadomesti s tistimi tehničnimi.

**Nova točka 339-A.** Ako se je ugotovilo, da je član, ki se nahaja na relifni podpori v smislu točk 357 in 358, opravljal kako delo, bodisi za plačo ali brezplačno, ali če se ga je video v javnih prostorih, kot navedeno v točki 339, tedaj ima glavni tajnik pravico, da mu odvzame podporo za eden mesec.

**Besedilo točke 346** naj se črta in nadomesti s sledenjem: Kar je imel umrli član nejeti v bolniških podporah ali odškodninah še pred smrtnim ali poškodbah.

**Besedilo točke 346** naj se črta in nadomesti s sledenjem: je interniran v zavodu, tedaj je upravičena do posredovanja bolniške podpore njeni ženi, ako sta ob času interniranja živila skupaj; ako je internirana žena, tedaj je njeni bolniške podpore uvedeni njen mož, ako sta ob

času interniranja živila skupaj;

ako so poslanji v zavod

upravičeni otroci, ki so ob času interniranja živili s starši;

ako so njih podpore upravičeni starši; ako sta posljana

zavod oče-vdovec ali mati-

ra, tedaj so do njune pod-

upravičeni njuni neporočni otroci, ako so ob času in-

terniranja živili z ocetom-

vejem ali z materjo-vdovo,

so otroci nedoletni, tedaj

izplača bolniška podpora

postavno imenovanemu

ime onemoglostnega sklada

spremeni na "Relifni

član."

**Sedanje besedilo točke 356**

je črta in nadomesti s sledenjem:

Vsaki član ali kandidat

v JSKJ v starosti

do 50 leta, ki je uspešno

zadruštvo zdravniško preiskavo in

prošnja je bila od

zdravnika in glavnega

odobrena, se lahko

je v relifnem skladu.

mesečni asesment znaša

sedanje besedilo točke 357

je črta in nadomesti s sledenjem:

Maksimalna vsota, do

je član upravičen, je

\$5.00, in se plačuje po \$5.00

mesec vsem onim članom, ki

izčrpali maksimalno ali naj-

višja vsota bolniške podpore ali

od bolniškega oddelka

poškodbe, Kar so čla-

prejeli iz prejšnjega one-

drusvenega sklada od 1. janu-

aria 1931 naprej, se jim od na-

maksimalne vsote od-

prejeli iz relifnega

edita, do podpore iz relifnega

zavarovalnega skladu.

Točka 383 naj se črta, ker je

stvar pokrita že v točki 386.

Sedanje besedilo točke 414

naj se črta in nadomesti s sledenjem besedilom:

Član, ki v teku

treh mesecev od dneva suspen-

dacije ni plačal dolgujočih

asesmentov in asesment za te-

dečim besedilom:

Pri letni seji

meseca decembra si mora vsa-

ko društvo izvoliti enega ali

več društvenih zdravnikov, ki

preštejejo aplikante ali poslike

skem skladu, so upravičeni do

v točki 357 na vedenje relifne

podpore še po pretetu eno leto

trajajoče nepretrgane bolezni

ali poškodbe, vsekat katere so

bili popolnoma onemogli in

ne zmožni za vsako delo.

Kar so taki člani prejeli

iz prejšnjega onemoglostnega

sklada od 1. januarja 1931 na-

prej, se jim od maksimalne ali

najvišje vsote odšteje.

Sedanje besedilo točke 359

naj se črta in nadomesti s sledenjem besedilom:

Član, ki se nahaja v kraju, kjer

je sedež društva in biti mora

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# New Era

ENGLISH SECTION OF  
Official Organ  
of the  
South Slavonic Catholic Union.

# Nova Doba

AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING MEMBERS



## Napredok News

**Euclid, O.** — The results of all games are as follows: May 31, sorry to say was won by our opponents the Collinwood Boosters, but it was a close one 3-2; June 5, I'm happy to report was won by our team 16-4; this game was played against Betsy Ross; June 10, a game played against St. John's and again sorry to report it was won by our opponents 7-6; and that is the results of all games played, besides the last game that was played Friday, June 14, against Ilirska Vila, the result of that game was grand, 9-3 in our favor. Binnie Pertekel made a home run and there was beautiful pitching by Johnny Yapel; in fact all the boys did a good job. The boys have Frank Kraljevic as manager; Joe Korenic, supervisor; Frank Seme, coach. More about baseball next time. The boys want to thank the umpires for their splendid work, at all the games.

**TO THE PICNIC LOVERS:** On July 7 the Napredok lodge is holding a picnic at Stusek's. There will be a game played between our team against Collinwood Boosters. There will be given a few dollars of refreshment tickets to the team that wins, so good luck boys. There will be given a few dollars of refreshment tickets to most members present of one family at the picnic; also to the biggest family whether they are members or not. Please don't forget that the PUBLIC IS INVITED. Mr. Tanco, Mr. Gruden and other officers are working hard to make this affair a success so please don't disappoint them. Make it a date, ON JULY 7 at STUSEK'S in Wickliffe, O. That is all I have to report this week.

Au revoir.

Agnes Godec

## High Speeds

Moderation is the first law of traffic safety and it pays dividends in more ways than one. At a speed of 25 miles an hour a car has developed enough energy to roll over once. As you are rolling along, think of rolling over. Your body could probably take this. At 50 miles per hour there is sufficient force to roll your car four times. Your chances of survival in such an accident would be slim, and your car would probably hit a tree or culvert before it came to a stop.

But even if you never had an accident you would still be paying the price. At seventy miles per hour, your car burns twice as much gas as it does at thirty miles per hour. Your car will go one thousand miles on a quart of oil at a moderate speed but if you drive at fifty-five miles per hour for the same distance your car will consume seven quarts of oil!

High speeds are not only dangerous to life and limb but they are a drain on the pocket-book as well. Moderation spells safety, remember that you will never live to be seventy by driving seventy.

— George J. Matowitz, Chief of Police.

Janey—Mother, did you buy me from the stork?

Mother—Yes, dear, why do you ask?

Janey—I've often wondered why you didn't pay a few more dollars and pick out a baby without freckles.

## Lodge 1

### 100 Per Cent SSCU Fraternalist

By Florence D. Startz

**Ely, Minn.** — At our meeting held on June 8th, Bro. Joseph Kovach, our lodge president, was unanimously elected as first delegate; Bro. Louis Zgong, one of our trustees, won over Mro. Matt Banovetz as second delegate by a close vote. Bro. Banovetz was named alternate to Bro. Kovach; and Bro. Frank L. Kotzian, alternate for Bro. Zgong. Refreshments and a light lunch was served after the meeting.

Present at this meeting were Bro. Louis Ambrozich, member of lodge 30, SSCU, of Chisholm, Minn., and Mrs. Ambrozich, member of lodge 230, of the same city. Our supreme secretary Bro. Zbasnik introduced them. Later Bro. Ambrozich made a short talk in which he commented on the present campaign, lauding Lodge 1 as performing the impossible task with enrollment of such large numbers of new members, and subsequently qualifying five honorary delegates. Bro. Ambrozich agreed to pay for the quart. Reason? He was rather doubtful of Lodge 1 really and truly enrolling all those members, and during his stay in Ely, he examined the records in the Home Office, with special permission of Bro. Zbasnik, of course. Bro. Ambrozich no longer is skeptical of the authenticity of Lodge 1 excellent record in this campaign. If our organization commanded more fraternalists like Bro. Ambrozich, the goal of 25,000 members could easily be doubled.

## Export, Pa. Delegate



MADELINE A. SKERLY

Waukegan bound shall be Madeline A. Skerly, pictured above, next September, when she shall board the train as honorary delegate to the 16th regular quadrennial convention. Madeline is a member of lodge 138, Export, Pa.; she is among the first group of honorary delegates to qualify from the keynote state.

## Lodge 155

**Blaine, O.** — All members of Lodge "Napredni Slovenci," 155, SSCU are requested to attend the next meeting on Sunday, July 14, at 2 p. m., in the usual quarters. A candidate for delegates to the 16th regular convention will be elected at this meeting.

I wish to report further to members who were not at the June meeting that it was decided to hold a picnic on Sunday, August 11, at the SNPJ Home in Blaine, O. Further details on this picnic will appear later in the Nova Doba.

Paul Ilavar, Sec'y

### 100 Per Cent SSCU Fraternalist

## BRIEFS

**Reports from our Home Office** in Ely, Minn., are to the effect that Sis. Louise Mikec, of lodge 149, Canonsburg, Pa., qualified as honorary delegate to the 16th regular convention in Waukegan, Ill., next September; as did Bro. Luka Cesnik, secretary of lodge 166, Indianapolis, Ind. Mrs. Mikec is the wife of supreme judiciary Frank Mikec.

**Cleveland Betsy Ross Lodge,** 186, SSCU invites all its members, and those of neighboring lodges, as well as their friends, to the Barn Dance next Saturday evening, June 22, at Glenridge Farm on Green Rd., located south of Euclid Ave.

**On Sunday, June 23, in De Pue, Ill.** there will take place the meeting of Illinois and Wisconsin SSCU Federation in the morning, and in the afternoon a picnic, sponsored by Lodge 130, SSCU in observance of its twentieth anniversary. A large crowd of SSCU'ers are expected for the two events.

**Moon Run, Pa. Lodge 99,** SSCU will hold a mammoth picnic on Sunday, June 23, when it will celebrate its thirtieth anniversary. In the morning, Western Pennsylvania Federation of SSCU lodges will hold its meeting in Moon Run.

**Army Lake of Milwaukee, Wis.** is the site of Lodge 225, SSCU picnic on Sunday, June 23.

**Brooklyn, N. Y. Lodge 50,** SSCU will hold an outing on Sunday, June 23, in Hudson, N. Y.

**Lodge 154, SSCU, Herminie, Pa.** will hold a picnic on Sunday, June 23, at Keystone Grounds.

**On Sunday, June 30, Lodge 42,** SSCU, Pueblo, Colo., will hold its annual picnic at the site of singing club "Preseren," Rye, Colo.

**Colorado Federation of SSCU lodges** will meet on Sunday, June 30, in the Slovene National Home in Pueblo, Colo.

**Minnesota Federation of SSCU lodges** will hold a meeting on Sunday, June 30, in Soudan, Minn.

**Lodge 132, Euclid, O.** will make it an SSCU Day on July 7th, when it shall hold a mammoth picnic at Stusek's farm in Wickliffe.

**Two Butte, Mont. lodges,** 105 and 190, SSCU will sponsor a joint picnic on Sunday, July 7th, at Thompson Park.

**Export, Pa. Lodge 57,** SSCU will hold a dance on July 4th.

**To observe its fifteenth anniversary.** On Sunday, July 7, Lodge 149, SSCU will hold a picnic at Drenik's Park in observance of its fifteenth birthday.

**Cleveland, O. Collinwood Boosters Lodge 188,** SSCU will hold a Barn Dance on July 27, at Glenridge farm, formerly Manchuta's farm.

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## Lodge 84

**Trinidad, Colo.** — Members of lodge "Sv. Andreja," 84, SSCU are invited to attend the coming regular monthly meeting on July 14, at the regular time and at the usual quarters. Election of delegate for the 16th regular convention to take place in September in Waukegan, Ill., will take place at this meeting. All members should come to this meeting and vote for the individual in whom they have confidence. The work of the delegate is important, for it is the body of delegates who pass upon the by-laws for the coming four years.

Members who are rather slow in payment of assessments are requested to make an effort to pay on time at least during the month of June, when I shall close the books and submit the figures to the trustees for audit.

Our lodge will hold a dance on Saturday, June 29, at the hall of Bro. Charles Defilipp in Starkville. Proceeds shall go into the lodge treasury. Members should attend this dance in full numbers, and also bring along their friends.

Jacob Prunk, Sec'y

## SSCU Baseball News

**Cleveland, O.** — A correction to be added first: In my first article about SSCU baseball a mistake was made concerning officers of baseball. Joe Struna is the president. His residence: 19515 Mohawk Avenue and yours truly is secretary: 19711 Arrowhead Avenue. Now of the SSCU United Lodges of Cleveland, John Urbancic is president; John Kardell, vice-president; Elsie M. Desmond, secretary and Tony Drenik, treasurer; Louis Ivancic, Joe Korenic, John Lunka, and Joe Ulyan, trustees.

All baseball games begin at 6:30 and the manager of your team should see to it that all the players know when their next game is, and where; he should also see to it that the players should be there at that time. On Wednesdays and Fridays quite a few people of the SSCU and others have been attending the games. This shows that the SSCU people are interested. So for the future we can have other sports, if baseball seems to make a hit with all SSCU'ers.

Also must mention that there has been fine sportsmanship with all the teams and players as well. At the games they've shown themselves true SSCUers. They're swell, boys.

Don't forget tomorrow's game at Napredok field at 6:30 p. m. when the Collinwood Boosters will play St. John's team, the newest team which seems to have fine prospects. See you tomorrow at the game.

Schedule for next week is:

Monday (Kirtland) June 24th—Betsy Ross vs St. John's.

Wednesday (Napredok) June 26th—Coll. Boosters vs. Ilirska Vila.

Friday (Napredok) June 28th—Betsy Ross vs. Napredok.

Elsie M. Desmond, Sec'y

Tellit—I saw that million dollar movie this afternoon.

Ackett—Gosh, wonder what they spent a million dollars for?

Tellit—Judging from the picture, I'd say they spent it for advertising.

**1,500 Membership Mark Cracked in Campaign; 34 Honorary Delegates Qualified 92 Remain in Race!**

By Little Stan

**Ely, Minn.** — Unprecedented last minute interest being manifested in this impressive 1940 convention campaign for new members was revealed at a press conference with our supreme secretary.

Saturday morning when he reported that although only two and a half weeks remained in the campaign, the number of new candidates has swelled to total 92!

Coherent with this report was the cheering news that Pennsylvania and Ohio had come to life and were making a sensational spurt which will see a large number of honorary delegates qualified!

It's like calling out additional reserves who instill new life blood into a campaign that adds to the action on the front lines. Going over the top to qualify means victory for the candidates! And with every state in the SSCU scope showing tremendous drive and power, there is no doubt that our goal — 25,000 members for the SSCU by the end of the campaign — will be surpassed. New insurance represented in this drive of 1940 has already passed the \$800,000 mark, and will definitely go over the million-dollar goal set as a mark!

Through Saturday, Bro. Zbasnik reported in glowing terms, the total number of new members enrolled passed the 1,500 mark!

Among the latest to qualify were Henry, "Hank" Adamich of Lodge No. 66, Joliet, Ill., who is the son of Lodge Secretary John Adamich, and who was a delegate to the 1939 SSCU athletic conference at Ely, and who Gopher bowlers remembered on their recent Eastern jaunt.

Then there's Antoinette Malarich of Lodge 105, Butte, Montana, adding zip to the remarkable feat of Western Sisters Lodge No. 190 in Butte WHO UNDOUBTEDLY WILL HAVE SEVEN HONORARY DELEGATES AT WAUKEGAN NEXT SEPTEMBER!

Max Fink, our good friend from Conemaugh, Pa., qualified last week. He was a delegate to the athletic conference in Ely in 1939. It goes to show you that one SSCU get-together starts you looking forward to the next one!

And this bright Saturday morning, Bro. Zbasnik revealed that Mrs. Louise Mikec, wife of our Supreme Judiciary from Strabane Lodge No. 149, has qualified along with Luka Cesnik of Lodge No. 166 of Indianapolis. With staccato-like precision, new qualified delegates are cracking over their goal and new candidates are coming right up towards the same goal!

Judging from the way the progress cards look, it appears that of the 92 candidates remaining in the race, at least 40 more will qualify for certain. Better yet, we hope that at least 75 of the 92 make the grade! Waukegan! The victorious army of delegates — honorary and regular — are on the way!

Get ready Mayor Talcott — Chamber of Commerce — police squads and convention committees! Special trains of SSCU delegates will be whirring down your way in a few short months!

A predominant factor in the Home Office of the SSCU is the work of the secretarial staff. Girls working throughout the day charting, adding, and figuring all the new data in entering members enrolled by hard-working candidates.

When a new member is enrolled, they make all the entries but too often, however, a new member is a new member for only a short period — say three or four months. Then they have to do more work to offset this.

Often, too, in campaigns, many new members stay enrolled only for a short time — to help out a prospective candidate. After he is in, they drop, creating severe hardships.

KEEP THIS IN MIND! According to supreme secretary, ANY ONE WHO HAS QUALIFIED BY GAINING THE DESIRED NUMBER OF POINTS SHOULD SEE TO IT THAT HIS NEW MEMBERS REMAIN WITH THE SSCU BEFORE AND AFTER THE CONVENTION EVEN IF IT MEANS PERSONAL CALLS!

OFFICIAL WORD IS THAT ANY QUALIFIED HONORARY DELEGATE WILL BE DISQUALIFIED AUTOMATICALLY IF ANY NEW MEMBER THEY HAVE ENROLLED DROPS FROM THE SOCIETY BEFORE SEPT. 1.

This is the only "flaw" that could prevent you from attending the Waukegan convention after you have qualified as a delegate! Make it your personal business to keep the new member you have enrolled.

When Little Stan dropped in the home office for the press conference Saturday morning, our Supreme Secretary was busily engaged in an interview with that popular "Vecni popotnik" Matija Pogorelc. And where SSCU Campaign news was concerned, Little Stan entered the conference then and there. Matija, you know, writes the column — "S pota."

Right now, SSCU lodges throughout the nation are busily engaged electing and nominating regular delegates to the 16th QUADRENNIAL CONVENTION of our SSCU which opens in Waukegan, Ill., Sept. 9. A news note in last week's issue of Nova Doba showed that convention committees are already setting plans for the affair which promises to be the most elaborate in history. For our Honorary delegates will be entertained upon their arrival a few days after the conclave opens.

Lodge No. 1 at Ely, Minn., elected Joseph Kovach by a unanimous vote and followed up by electing Louis "Doc" Zgong as the other delegate. Lodge No. 2 elected Joseph L. Champa, president, and Louis Perushek, secretary, and Lodge No. 129 nominated Mrs. Mary Zgong. Lodge No. 120 meets Sunday to elect.

Honored guests at the meeting of Lodge No. 1 which was held (Continued on page 6)

**Fighting 71****About This and That****Penna. Federation***By Elsie M. Desmond*

Cleveland, O. — Just flashing the news to the rest of you about our latest success in baseball. Being off to a bad start, losing our first two games, we came back with our lineup revised and won our last two. Defeating Ilirska Vila 22 to 7 and the Napredok with a thriller 7 to 6.

Bob Kunzel pitching the first gave the Ilirska Vila eight hits with Turcek 1B., S. Knezevic 3B., J. Radovanovic R. F. and Znieder L. F. leading our team with three hits apiece. Bob Osolin pitching the latter against Napredoks giving four hits and striking out six. Osolin pitching himself out of two tough holes in the last two innings.

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Damir Feigel:

## ČAROVNIK BREZ DOVOLJENJA

(Nadaljevanje)

"Na naročilnici sem pričavljal zneske, tu vam jo vračam, izročite jo gospodični Tilki. Hvala vam, priporočam se še v prihodnje."

"Brž ko se vrne Tilka iz mesta, jo pošljem sem, da poravnava svoj dolg. Priti mora vsak čas, saj mora tudi večerjo pripraviti. Z Bogom torej! Naj bi mi nič ne zamerili!" Prijazno priklanja se je zapuščala Smrekarsca prodajalno in blažen nasmešek, odsev notranjega zadovoljstva, se ji je hitel sramežljivo skrivat med resne gube njenega obraza.

Mojstru Repiču je bila že drugič ugasnila pipa. Ni se zavedal tega. Mirno, skoraj brezbrizno je sledil starkinom pripovedovanju in le njegovo oko je pričalo o njegovih velikih vremi. Kakor hitro je bila izginila ženica na cesto, je stopil bliže k mizi in ponovil to pot z odločnejšim glasom in krepkejšim poudarkom svoje prejšnje vprašanje:

"Ali mi morete na vse to še ugovarjati? Sedaj po vsem tem, kar sva novega čula od Smrekarsce. Tudi brez kakršnegakoli vpliva upokojenega redarja gospoda Petriča se mora človek sam prepričati, no, da, saj veste, kaj mislim. Smrekarsca je pravo pogodila s svojim čarovnikom. Ustvarjati tako rekoč iz niča — iz papirja — denarja na mernike, je pač čarovništvo, kaj ne, gospod Janez?"

"Ne ugovarjam. Rez, to je čarovništvo, ki je dovoljeno edino le državnim bankam. Tudi ne tajim, da pričujejo mnoge, če ne vse okolnosti proti neznanemu gospodu Antonu. Vkljub temu se nikakor — in naj se še takoj trudim — ne morem sprijaznit z misijo, da si je bil izbral mož s tako nevarno in škodljivo obrtjev prav našo mirno, rekel bi nedolžno Trato kot torišče svojemu nečednemu poslovanju." Lipovcu se je poznalo, kako se brezuspešno bori z vsemi onimi točkami, ki so govorile zoper tuja. Zopetno omejitev umirovljenega redarja Petriča je Lipovec velikodušno preslišal.

"Prav radi tega zahteva dobro ime našega kraja skrajne čuječnosti od naše strani. Obilo neprilik utegnemo še imeti, če ne bomo na straži. Le meni verjemete, brez namena ni dal v gozdu stari, ki ga je založila, srebrne petake in za velikodušnost glede zastonjskih obedor se skriva marsikaj. Z Bogom, gospod Janez!"

Naj se tako zatajuje svojega prijatelja Petriča, naj se še tako otepi njegovega vpliva, je modroval Lipovec po odhodu mojstra Repiča sam pri sebi, za vsem tem tiči le Petrič in njegova nezarjavljiva ljubezen do nekdanje službe. Smešno! Kakšni nameni? Tuječ je pač daroval srebrnjak betežni starci iz golega usmiljenja, ko jo je videl pobirati draže, in prehrano ji je dovolil iz svoje kuhinje gotovo le radi tega, ker je bil odtegnil babiči pomoč, ki jo je imela v svoji vnučki. Pametna razlag je takoj jasna, a vendar so ljudje, ki iščejo vozov na gladkem sukancu. Ali res osumljajo tujač okolnosti da ni povdel svojega priimka in da ne pusti ženske v svojo delavnico, v taki meri, da bi morali biti vaščani na straži? Koliko priimkov, posebno tujh, si ne moremo zapomniti, ker jih ne znamo izgovarjati in za preposed vstopa v kak prostor ni treba, da je človek čarovnik, zadostuje, da je samski. Samski imajo po stenah obežene črnolase in modroke spomine, ki jih ljubosumno skriva pred neupravičenimi pogledi. Da je tuječ neproročen, je gotovo, sicer bi bil pripeljal ženo s seboj in bi se ni dal kvartiti želodec po kuhrske umetnosti podeželskega dekleta. Vse to se da verjetno razložiti, le nastavljajte limanic ostaja uganka. Mogoče pa niso bile limanice. Mogoče je kaj drugega. Da dožene resnico nažene takoj Mlinarjevega Jakca, ki je med paglaveči najboljši plezavec, preiskovat to zadevo.

Prav nič se ni zavedal Lipovec, da se je bil s tem svojim sklepom že pridružil proti svoji volji započetju, napovedanemu po mojstru Repiču v varstvu dobrega imena domače vasi. Priprčan je bil, da je tuječ poštenjak, opravičeval, zagovarjal ga je, razlagal si njegova dejanja, njegove besede le njemu v prilog, ko so pa prišle besede do vražjih limanice, ki jim ni mogel najti pravega, upravičenega namena, se mu je pojavit dvom.

"Dober dan, gospod Lipovec!" V prodajalno je stopila brhka deklica. Na zid pred prodajalno je bila naslonila svoje kolo. "Babico sem srečala blizu doma, dala mi je račun in sedaj prihajam, da plačam svoj dolg. Dovolite mi, da sedem. Precej sem se upehala. Pot v mesto sicer ni kdo ve kako utrudljiva, a solnce noče še odnehati."

Lipovec si je popravil lase. Ustni sta se mu kar sami razlezli v prijazen smehnjaj, a se takoj zopet uresnili, kakor hitro mu je ospazilo oko, da se je zavesen na durih v kuhinjo zamajala.

"Pozdravljeni, gospodična Tilka, zelo se razveselim vašega obiska, ko se pa tako poredko vidiva!" je dejal Lipovec z velesnim obrazom in se nagnil prek mize, da je moral videti njegov rečni obraz tudi oseba, skrivajoča se za okensko zaveso.

"O veselju govorite, a se držite tako kislo, kakor bi bili pravkar popili čašico pelina," se je poredno smerjala Tilka in spravljala nehotne in nevede Lipovca v vidno zadrgo.

"Čul sem, da boste gospodiniji našemu novemu vaščanu," je spretno napeljeval Lipovec razgovor na drugo, manj nevarno pot.

"Babica vam je pravila o tem, kaj ne!"

"Pravila je, pravila in vašega gospoda hyalila na vse pretege."

"Jaz ga še malo poznam. S službenikom Celestinom lazi vse dni po gozdu, samo jest prihajata domov. No, danes je izjemoma ostal doma, ga je moralno že kakš posebno delo zadržati. Babica je videla pred dnevi, kako je Celestin na gospodarjev ukaz pritrjeval nekaj med veje visokih dreves. Ona meni, da so bile to limanice. Doslej še nisem opazila nič takega, kvečjemu če bi hranil lep in šibice v svoji delavnici. Najbrž se pa babica moti. Vid ji peša in človek bi jo zmanj odvráčal od tega, kar si je kdaj vteplja v glavo. Devet in trideset in petdeset je torej računa. Tu petdesetak!"

(Dalje prihodnjic)

## DOPISI

Nadaljevanje s 7. str.

**Chisholm, Minn.** — Najprej naj poročam, da imamo tukaj v Minnesota še vedno bolj hladno vreme. Danes, 14. junija, je še najlepše pri peči. Dežuje skoro vsak dan, tako da vrtovi prav slabo uspevajo. Pred štirinajstimi dnevi je pa še toča pobila vse, kar je bilo že zrastlo, oklestila je drevje in ljudem napravila tudi znatno škodo na šipah in strehah.

Dne 13. junija se je vršila seja društva Sloga, št. 230 JSKJ, in na tej seji smo izvolile za delegatinjo za prihodnjo konvencijo sestro Mary Žurga. Na seji bi bila sprejeta resolucija o točki 43, ki pravi, da ne more biti voljen ali voljena za delegata ali delegatinjo na konvencijo član ali članica, ki ni zavarovan ali zavarovan v vseh skladih. Nam se to ne zdi bratsko, ker mora vsak član in članica plačevati v stroškovni sklad, iz katerega se med drugim plačujejo izdatki za konvencije. V točki 293 čitamo, da v stroškovni sklad plačajo člani, ki so zavarovani za vse podpore, 25 centov mesечно, člani, ki so zavarovani samo za smrtnino, pa 20 centov. Potem je spet točka 254, ki dolblača, da če je v stroškovnem skladu primanjkljaj, ima glavni odbor pravico razpisati izredni asesment, ki ga je dolžan vsak član plačati. To brez razlike, če je zavarovan v vseh skladih ali ne. Kje je potem enakopravnost in bratstvo? Ko smo bile ustavnovile društvo Zvezda, št. 170 JSKJ, v Chicagu, Ill., smo bile že skoraj vse ustavnoviteljice zavarovane za bolniško podporo pri nekem tamkajšnjem samostojnem društvu, in tako smo se zavarovale le za smrtnino. In vse smo vedno delale za korist društva in Jendote. Jaz upam in želim, da prihodnja konvencija to točko izpremeni, tako da bo naša JSKJ v resnici bratska in sestrinska organizacija. Želela bi, da bi še drugi člani razpravljali o tej točki pred konvencijo. Poždrav vsemu članstvu J. S. K. Jendote!

Frances Lukanich.

sklenjeno na zadnji seji, da vsak odrasli član in članica našega društva plača 25 centov v društveno blagajno; izvzeti so samo bolniki. Ta naklada se mora plačati meseca julija.

Na seji 16. junija smo imeli tudi volitev delegata za 16. redno konvencijo, ter je bil izvoljen za delegata Joseph Matjas, za namestnika pa Frank Maček. Zastopniki našega društva za federacije društva JSKJ v zapadni Pennsylvaniji, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 23. junija dopoldne, so: Frank Možina, Joseph Matjaš in Frank Maček.

Proslava 30-letnice društva št. 99 JSKJ, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 23. junija, se bo pričela ob treh popoldne. Glavni odbor JSKJ nam bo za to priliko poslat kol slavnostnega govornika in uradnika zastopnika Jendote brata Janka N. Roglja, prvega glavnega nadzornika. Upamo, da nam bo marsikaj koristnega v zanimivega povedal. Kdo čita Novo Dobo, je gotovo tam že čital zanimive članke in povesti, ki jih je napisal brat Janko N. Rogelj. Posebno zanimivo so bili opisani dogodki z njegovega obiska v starem kraju. Tisti, ki ga osobno poznajo, vedo povedati, da je tudi dober govornik. Torej, bratje in sestre, pridite ter se seznanite z glavnim odbornikom, katerega nam je našo 30-letnico pošilja J. S. K. Jendote!

Seveda bodo na naši proslavi v pikniku dobrodošli vsi rojaki, člani ali nečlani. Za vse bo dovolj postrežbe in zabave. Za plesažljive bo igral orkester Paula Dolinarja iz Library; iz tega izhaja, da se tudi plesalcem ne bodo mogli pritožiti. Torej, pridite nas obiskat v nedeljo 23. junija vsi in vse, ki le morete! Čim več nas bo, tem lepša bo zabava. Na svidenje in sestrski pozdrav!

— Za društvo št. 99 JSKJ:

Frances Koritnik, tajnica.

**Iz urada gl. tajnika**

**Pozojila na članske certifikate meseca maja 1940**

**Loans On Membership Certificates for the month of May 1940**

Dr. št. Lodge, No.

Cert. St. Vsota

Cert. No. Amount

43212 \$ 30.89

34153 541.26

43217 50.00

43216 100.00

43218 200.00

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34204 259.43

35971 318.96

35282 279.84

40037 107.93

43221 178.68

33389 371.75

35039 146.28

42457 202.00

34851 94.70

41798 23.96

41799 64.72

41921 23.91

40053 100.00

35694 52.61

37624 181.42

40815 70.80

38363 325.15

36755 8.84

40406 156.54

35530 38.84

43084 10.00

Skupaj-Total \$4,068.14

ANTON ZBASNICKI, glavni tajnik—Supreme Secretary.

DEAR EDITOR:

Our school closed on June 7th. I want to do so many things this summer that I wonder if I can crowd them all in. I will go swimming a lot for I just love to swim. Playing house is another thing I like. But best of all I like the woods where I feel free like a bird. I shall pick berries and flowers. I love to go on a boat ride. It is a treat to eat a meal in the woods especially when sitting close to a fire on cooler days.

Recently the Ely Veterans of Foreign Wars were hosts to a district convention. The convention took place at the Community Center. There were 19 posts representing eight districts in attendance. A banquet followed in the evening, to which city officials, members of the board of education and representatives of the Ely Commercial Club were invited as special guests.

School is pretty good. Although I hate a few subjects like science and mechanical drawing. I don't mind English, history and mathematics; in fact I like them. We also have gym and swimming every week. I don't like the weather we're having because it's al-

Taito Ahola and Jack Gianotti were re-elected.

On May 21st, Matt Boldine Sr., age 70, pioneer resident of Ely, died. He was a member of Slovenec lodge, 114, SSCO, of which my daddy and brothers are also members. Surviving him are five sons, Matt Jr., Joseph, Frank and Louis, of Ely; and John of St. Paul; six daughters, Mrs. Lyle J. Brennan, Mrs. Albert Malhar, and Mrs. John Hurtley, of Ely; Miss Marie Boldine, St. Paul; Miss Frances Boldine, Buhl, and Mrs. Frank Kujac, Milwaukee. A brother, Marko Boldine, Chisholm, also survives. There are 16 grandchildren.

The Ely Girl Scouts held court of awards and my sister Florence was awarded a badge for scribe. My sister Florence, who worked hard all winter at writing, qualified for these two badges.

I wish to thank you very much for the check awarded my last article. It certainly came in handy.

Margaret Mary Starck

No. 1, SSCO

GOWANDA, N. Y.

DEAR EDITOR:

Oh, before I forget and go to far into the letter, I wish to thank you for the one dollar check I received for my last article.

Well at last, June the month in which there are plenty of marriages and also plenty of exams. This is a very beautiful month and also a very happy one to many because the school doors close for a couple of months rest. But to many of the older juveniles this month just about gets anybody gray-headed from the worrying and studying for exams. It surely gets me if nobody else. Then after exams comes berry-picking. Also another thing I dread.

Not a bad article "Mish." Why not write more often? You sure can make them very interesting.

Well, at last I got my chance to see Elsie Desmond. I'm sorry I couldn't see her Saturday, Elsie, as I was spending the day in Madison. Next time I'll have to take a month's vacation and then I might be able to see everything I want to see. All I can say is that I enjoyed meeting you and I think that Cleveland is a wonderful and interesting city.

Until next month I wish all members the best of luck.

Violet Widgay (Age: 16)

No. 89, SSCO

BLAINE, O.

DEAR EDITOR:

This is my first letter to the Nova Doba, and I hope it shall not be the last. I certainly do enjoy reading the articles.

I am 13 years old and in the seventh grade. I like to go to school very much, but school is going to be out pretty soon. My teacher is Mr. Meissner; he is a good teacher so