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PREPREČEVANJE POŽAROV

Predsednik Roosevelt je s posebno proklamacijo proglašil teden od 4. do 10. oktobra za "Fire Prevention Week," kar bi se reklo po naše "teden za preprečevanje požarov." Proklamacija poudarja, naj bi se široki sloji prebivalstva ta teden posebno opozarjali na škodo, ki jo povzročajo požari na življenjih, na našem narodnem premoženju in na našem obrambnem delu, da se tako prebivalstvo navaja biti na straži proti požaru vsak čas. Predsednik je istočasno določil, da podrobno agitacijsko in informacijsko delo v tem oziru prevzamejo Office of Civilian Defense v Washingtonu in druge primerne federalne agencije.

Brat Janko N. Rogelj je kot predsednik Ameriške bratske zveze dobil iz "Urada civilne obrambe" v Washingtonu pismo s pozivom, da tudi naša organizacija sodeluje v širjenju informacij, kako in zakaj je potrebno preprečevati požare ob vsakem času, posebno pa v teh vojnih časih, ko vsak požar silno škoduje našim naporom za doseg zmage v tej vojni z direktnim uničevanjem našega narodnega premoženja in z oviranjem naše narodne obrambe in vojne pripravljenosti. Pismo tudi poziva predsednika organizacije, naj vsem lokalnim društvom pripomore popolno sodelovanje z aktivnostmi, ki jih ima Fire Prevention Week na programu. Pismo priporoča, da naj se članstvo udeležuje krajevnih shodov in sestankov, na katerih se razpravlja in poučuje, kako preprečevati požare, in da naj se pouči o preprečevanju požarov raztegne tudi na mladino po načinu, ki so krajevnim razmeram primerni. Dalje priporoča pismo, da uradno glasilo organizacije z dejstvi in številkami opozori članstvo na ogromno škodo, ki jo vsako leto povzročajo požari.

Iz statistike, poslane iz Office of Civilian Defense, povzamemo sledeče številke: V letu 1941 je bilo v Združenih državah 685,000 požarov, ki so povzročili nad 300 milijonov dolarjev materialne škode. V požarih je izgubilo življenje nad 10 tisoč oseb, nadaljnji desetitoči ljudi pa so bili poškodovani, kar predstavlja izgubo mnogih delovnih dni, če ne računamo trpljenja poškodovancev in stroškov zdravljenja. Požari uničijo dalje mnogo dragocenega gumija ter drugih potrebnih surovin in predmetov, ki so v sedanjih časih nenadomestljivi. V letu 1941 je pogorelo 13,300 javnih poslopij, 393,000 stanovanjskih poslopij, 72,000 trgovinskih poslopij, 23,700 tovarniških in obrtniških poslopij, ter 183,000 mešanih predmetov, kot skedenjev, pomolov, lesnih skladis, avtomobilov itd. Nekateri požari so nepreprečljivi, na primer požari, povzročeni po strelji, večino požarov pa povzročijo, malomarnost, brezbržnost, lahkomiselno ravnanje z vžigalicami in ognjem ali pa nepravilno ravnanje z električno napeljavjo ali z vnetljivimi predmeti.

Statistika navaja 10 glavnih vzrokov, ki so v zadnjem desetletju povzročili največ požarov. Na prvem mestu so vžigalice in kajenje, ki so v zadnjih desetih letih povzročili nad 1,238,000 požarov in povzročili za povprečno 175 milijonov dolarjev škode. Nepravilno ravnanje z električno je povzročilo 416,000 požarov in 94 milijonov dolarjev škode; zunanji ognji 322,000 požarov in 156 milijonov dolarjev škode; iskre na strehah 300,000 požarov in 70 milijonov dolarjev škode; preveč razgreti ali poškodovani dimniki 291,000 požarov in 119 milijonov dolarjev škode; strela 259,000 požarov in 50 milijonov dolarjev škode; peči in centralne kurjave 253,000 požarov in 100 milijonov dolarjev škode; odprtje luči 245,000 požarov in 24 milijonov dolarjev škode; petrolej in njegovi produkti 221,000 požarov in 77 milijonov dolarjev škode; žareči pepel in oglje 189,000 požarov in 26 milijonov dolarjev škode.

Navedene številke kažejo, kakšno ogromno škodo povzročajo leto za leto požari, in sicer požari, katerih veliko večino bi bilo mogoče z večjo pazljivostjo preprečiti. Po požarih povzročena škoda je čista izguba, ki nikomur ne more koristiti. Take izgube direktno uničujejo narodno premoženje, kar je obžalovanja vredno ob vsakem času, naravnost neodprtstvo pa je v teh vojnih časih, ko moramo v bomo moralni varčevati z vsem.

V interesu naroda kot vsakega posameznika je, da smo bolj kot kdaj prej previdni v ravnanju z ognjem, z električnimi napeljavami, z vnetljivimi tvarinami in sploh z vsem in povsod, kjer obstaja nevarnost ognja. Tudi naši člani so vsled požarov vsako leto oškodovani za tisoče dolarjev, posamezni izgube v požarih celo življenje in mnogi so opečeni, kar ima za posledico trpljenje, dolgo zdravljenje in izplačevanje bolniških

podpor. Iz tega sledi, da je tudi v interesu naše organizacije, da so njeni člani previdni pri vsem, kar bi moglo povzročiti požar, in da navajajo k taki previdnosti tudi svoje otroke.

K sklepu naj bo poudarjeno, da je dolžnost nas vseh, posameznikov, društev in organizacij, upoštevati navdila in priporočila vlade povsod in vedno, posebno pa v teh kritičnih vojnih časih. Naša vlada nam ne daje navdil in priporočil zato, da bi jih prezirali ali omalovali. Ne daje nam jih zato, da bi nas šikanirala, ampak zato, ker tako zahteva blagor dežele in ker to je potrebno k naši zmagi v tej vojni. Navdila in priporočila vlade bi morali upoštevati vsi prebivalci te dežele, prav posebno pa še mi priseljenci, katerim se od strani gotovih "sto-procentnežev" takoj rado očita, da nismo dovolj lojalni. Sicer so taki očitki vsaj z ozirom na nas ameriške Slovence popolnoma brez podlage, toda naša brezpogojna dolžnost je, da se izognemo vsemu, kar bi moglo vreči le najmanjšo senco ali sumnjo nelojalnosti na nas. Nikdar se ne igrajmo z ognjem, niti s pravim ognjem, niti z ognjem, ki bi mogel na kakršen koli način osmoditi ali okaditi naš čisti rekord lojalnosti.

VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

odzvati vojaški dolžnosti za obrambo dežele. Kljub temu ni teh "prič" ničesar nadlegoval ali javno preziral. Ameriška toleranca je čudovita.

V Chicagu je baje stopila v veljavno mestna ordinanca, ki dolča, da ženske v salunih ne smejo stati pri barah, ampak se jim mora krepčilna piča servirati sedecim pri mizah. To je pametno. Na ta način je pri barah več prostora za moške.

Znanstveniki so ugotovili, da uši, ki prenašajo nevarno bolezni legar od človeka do človeka, so tudi same bolne in tripijo bolečine po svojih ušivih zmožnostih. Kljub temu se nikomur ne smilijo.

Slovenski društveni dom v Euclidu, tem prijaznem predmestju Clevelandu, ni največji in najlepši svojega rodu v državi Ohio, toda ima najlepši vrt ali park, kot bi rekli. Pa o tem več pozneje. Dom je doživel že več transformacij kot metulj in jih še bo, če bo volja Alaha. Najprej je bila cerkev, ki se je, reva zapisušena, prelevila v skromen društveni dom, potem so temu domu dodali moderen prizidek in zdaj je v načrtu, da se vsi stari deli poslopja nadomeščijo z novimi in boljšimi. Toda vojna in prioritete so to preprečile for the duration. V ostalem je pa vse dobro napeljano, finančno in v drugih ozirih. Tako mi je bilo povedano in jaz verjamem.

V tem Domu je bil nedavno prirejen konvenčni banket bratske organizacije SDZ. Banket je bil all right v vseh ozirih, toda postavljal se je z neko posebnostjo, kakršne še nisem videl pri nobenem banketu. Vršil se je tako rekoč po odsekih. Začel se je v glavni dvorani starega poslopja, nadaljeval se je pred odrom, nakar je poskočil na oder in se raztegnil preko istega v ozadje vse do zapeljive ograje, katero je predstavljala barja s svojimi dobrotniki. Kakor imenuemo naše glavno mesto Washington mesto veličastnih razdalj, tako bi se bil ta banket lahko imenoval banket veličastnih razdalj ali pa banket po odsekih. Bilo je idilično. Vaš poročevalci je bil, ne vem po kakšni zaslugi, povišan za tri čevlje na oder in pomaknjen v smeri proti bari, kar je bilo z ozirom na vročino priporočljivo, začeljivo in hvaležno na znamenje.

Kakor je iz prejšnjega opisa razvidno, je Dom zgrajen po odsekih in banket se je vršil po odsekih. Pa to še ni vse. Tudi konvencija SDZ, kakor so mi povedali, se je vršila po odsekih. In tu je spet prišla do izraza naša slovenska iznajdljivost. Odseki so zborovali, ne v zaduhlih kamnicah, ampak pod hruškami na vrtu Doma. Sicer ne bom trčal za gotovo, da so tista drevesa bile hruške; morata so bile topole, ki senčijo lep park Slovenskega društvenega

magazinu "This Week." Povest je bila dramatizirana in igrica rekurdirana za radio-igro Treasury Star Parade. Odlični filmski igralec Edward G. Robinson je nastopal v tej igriči v vlogi voznika taksija. Igrica bo zdaj oddajana na več kot 600 radio-postajah pod Adamičevim izvirnim naslovom "It Isn't Peanuts." To je že druga Adamičeva radioigra na omenjenem programu.

Blagajnik Jugoslovanskega pomožnega odbora, slovenska sekacija, Mr. Leo Jurjovec, poroča, da je zdaj v blagajni omenjene pomožne organizacije \$33,782.81. Od te vsote je \$26,455.00 investirano v vojne bonde Združenih držav.

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Tajnica društva št. 225 ABZ v Milwaukeeju, Wis., sestra Pauline Vogrich, odide dne 4. oktobra v Rochester, Minn., iskat zdravja v tamkajšnjo slovensko kliniko Mayo. Agilni društveni tajnici, sestri Vogrich, želimo, da se ji njene želje izpolnijo.

KO UDARJajo STRELE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

dovati. Avtomobil sam je priljivo varen pred strelo, ker stoji na gumijastih oboroh in tudi notranja prevleka avtomobila ne privlačuje električne. Kdor je doma, je tekom električne nevihte bolj varen v sobi kot pri kakih kovinskih napeljavah ali predmetih na prostem.

Smrtna nesreča potom strele sicer ni izključena, toda strah pred njo je mnogo pretiran. Kot že omenjeno je izmed 92,000 smrtnih nesreč, ki se letno prijetijo v Združenih državah, le 400 takih nesreč posledica strele.

VEČJA DEMOKRACIJA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

The Washington Post je nedavno v bogato ilustrirani nedeljski prilogi za "society" pričobil na prvi strani malo sliko holandske kraljice Viljemine, zraven pa mnogo večjo sliko neke Miss Helen Lindamood, ki je zaposlena v neki tovarni orožja v mestu Peach Bottom, Pa. Pri slike je bilo označeno, da kraljica Viljemina zasluži priobčitev, ker je oficijelna predstavnica prijateljske vlade in se zdaj nudi na obisku v Washingtonu, Miss Lindamood pa zasluži priobčitev njene slike zato, ker je zaposlena v vojni industriji.

Omenjeno je dalje, da kdor kolisi s svojim delom pomaga, da v tej vojni čim prej premagamo sovražnike demokracije, zasluži več pozornosti in časti, kot vsa prefinjena dolarska ali "plemenitaška" aristokracija, ki se zbirala v Washingtonu ali pri slavnostnim čajankam.

A. J. T.

DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

tudi predsednik gl. porotnega odbora. Po glavnih odbornikih so bile zastopane bratske organizacije SNPJ, SDZ in KSKJ. Dalje je bil navzoč clevelandski župan Frank J. Lausche, ki je tudi član društva št. 37 ABZ. Njegov govor je izval mnogo veselosti in aplavza in lep priporočil.

Načeljaj je treba posaditi na določena mesta na prostem že v jeseni; razen tulipanov in hacentitov, ki rastejo na prostem in katere nameravamo pozimi imeti v sobah, naj se brez odlašanja presadijo v lončke. Ako je vreme ugodno, seme take v letnici posaditi na prostem in se precej časa. Važno je, da jih po predstavitvi nekaj dni senčimo pred prenočnim sončnim sijem in jih seveda dobro zalisavamo. V nočeh, ki obetajo slano, pa naj se takе cvetlice postavijo kam pod streho, na verando ali v garažo. Za prezimovanje so cvetlice lončnice tem boljše, čim bolj mlade so. Zdaj je tudi čas, da si nabavimo čebulice cvetlic za pomladno cvetje, kot so hacentite, tulipani, narcize, dafodili, zvončki, nunka in slične. Čebulice teh cvetlic je treba posaditi na določena mesta na prostem že v jeseni; razen tulipanov in hacentitov, ki rastejo na prostem in suhi kleti za drugo leto šele, ko je njih listje že slana močno oparila in predno začne zmrzovati.

Dalje ali georgine, kane, gladiole in caladium smoje ostati na prostem do močnih slan.

Domoljubne istih izkopljemo in spravimo v hladni in suhi kleti za drugo leto šele, ko je njih listje že slana močno oparila in predno začne zmrzovati.

Proti Ameriki so se združile vse temne sile krvavega nacizma in fašizma in vsa strupena zahrbtnost domišljavega azijskega plemena. Kdor ni zdaj pripravljen braniti Amerike po vseh svojih močeh, zmožnostih in prilikh, ni vreden, da živi pod varstvom zvezdnate zastave.

AMERIŠKA BRATSKA ZVEZA

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Security and Protection

War, which calls for all kinds of family adjustments, is also bringing a new sense of values to the American citizens. Most families are learning how to live simply and to do without luxuries in order to take care of big necessities. That usually means War Bonds first—then life insurance policies that are good and sound. Both are certain investments in an uncertain world. Both help check inflation. Both boost the war effort, for a good part of each policy issued by the American Fraternal Union goes into government War Savings Bonds.

American families everywhere need the protection of life insurance today more than ever before. No other purchase provides so much protection for so few dollars. Policies which give you both a share in fraternalism and a goodly amount of security aren't being rationed. You are still free to step up and enroll with what ever organization you please and for whatever amount you deem within the limits of your purse strings.

No where on earth is a man so free to plan his own future as he is in America. Of all the world's life insurance policies, seventy per cent of them are owned in the United States where men, women and children enjoy to the fullest the right to purchase happiness and security in their own way. Ranking in importance with the four freedoms is another that Americans have added—freedom to plan one's own future.

This right is not something that just happened to be in the air we breathe. Men had to fight hard to wrest it from the forces of oppression. Men are still fighting to protect this right for us. Plants and factories are working as hard and as efficiently as possible to give our sons, brothers, husbands, and even fathers the weapons of warfare with which to crush those "butchers of mankind" who want to wipe freedom and fraternalism from the earth. Our enemies are aware of the peace and harmony that exists here in America where people are still free to choose and plan their futures as they wish, and not as dictators order.

Fraternal societies not only emphasize the benefits available for the sick, disabled, unfortunate, widowed and bereaved, but instill in their members a spirit of reverence and patriotism to the flag of the noble country for which it stands. These organizations uphold wholesome social life, uplifting recreation and clean sports. They encourage the membership to support enterprises of civic, cultural, and social importance to the nation and to the community in which they reside.

Taking out an insurance policy with the American Fraternal Union offers you more than just a nice sum of money when you may need it most. As you pay your dues each month, you are getting more that just a receipt and a secretary's cheery word. You are getting a share of freedom and fraternity, culture, and, of course, entertainment. You are just one person in a mighty organization, but an important one at that. The Union's officers have you in mind, too, when they draw up policies which will be most beneficial in years to come.

Members of the American Fraternal Union, it is not enough to think only of your own welfare when procuring policies. The younger generation is also in dire need of good insurance policies. They are just getting started on this road to life and happiness. But all will not always be rosy, for you and I know that hardships are waiting to snatch from them their hopes and ambitions. Do your part to avoid as much of these distressing thoughts as possible. A policy with the American Fraternal Union is just the thing.

Now when financial conditions are in your favor why not make your money go a long way. Enroll your son or daughter in our organization at a few cents a month. Surely you wouldn't deny your youngster a bright future when policies with such outstanding values are available at such low cost. It's your patriotic duty to provide for the future of your children and families. Think of the far-off places where cruel leaders deny their people this right. Fraternal societies do not exist in these countries because they symbolize brotherhood, and brotherhood means freedom from restraint—freedom to do as one pleases.

Remember, too, that the American Fraternal Union is conducting a drive for new Juvenile members. Our boys who are leaving for the Army must be replaced. The older members grow older with each passing day. Someone will have to carry on where they leave off if the Union is to continue and prosper as it did in the past forty-four years. Juvenile members can fill these ranks as future officers and adult members. But the Union must have the members ready and acquainted with the principles of the organization when the time comes.

There's no reason why your child can't be a future officer of this organization, unless of course the excuse is that he isn't a member. You better take care of that detail now and sign him up during the 1942 Juvenile Campaign. Don't wait until next month or next year. Do it now! The sooner the better for yourself and your family. Besides you may help your lodge win one of the cash awards offered to the subordinate branch obtaining the most new juvenile members in 1942. You have three more months in which to do your part to help your lodge win.

Rock Springs Hilites

Rock Springs, Wyo.—Members of Lodge No. 202, AFU, of Rock Springs, Wyo., kindly note that there are only two months left, October and November, in which to attend two meetings a year beside the annual meeting. Those who have not yet attended two meetings please try to make it the next two months.

Three AFU Lodges, No's 18, 134 and 202 are going to hold a "grape festival" (vinsko trgatov) dance on October 17. The committee is working very hard so that everyone will have a good time.

Pvt. Frank Remc spent his first furlough with his parents and friends in Rock Springs, Wyoming.

Amelia Hackett is resting well in the hospital after a major operation. All members wish her a speedy recovery.

Cecilia Hansen spent her vacation in California where she and her husband visited with his mother. She reported that she had a very nice time.

Jennie Fortuna reports that she feels much better since she has come back from the Mayo Clinic.

The Slovene people of Rock Springs and surrounding cities were very generous in giving aid to the "Jugoslav Relief." I've been informed that with the proceeds of a dance and what was collected now, the committee here has sent well over \$1000 to the head office in Chicago.

Fraternally yours,
Fannie Yenko,
Lodge No. 202, AFU.

Lodge 155 Reports

Blaine, O.—As it was already reported, our Lodge No. 155, AFU, will hold a dance and grape festival on Saturday, October 10. The program will start at 7:00 p. m. Frank Kuran, a well known musician of Salem, Ohio will provide the music. Admission is twenty-five cents. Members of our lodge are asked to pay this admission if they attend the dance or not.

Members on the sick list and men in the Armed Forces are exempt from purchasing admission tickets. Our members are invited to attend in large numbers and to bring along their relatives and friends. The committee will provide plenty of refreshments for the guests.

Paul Illovar, Sec'y,
Lodge No. 155, AFU.

Adamic's Short Story Presented As A Play On Treasury Program

Louis Adamic's short story "Talk in a Taxi-cab," which appeared in "This Week" magazine a few weeks ago, has been dramatized as a Treasury Star Parade radio-play. It was recorded on September 15th. The famous film actor, Edward G. Robinson, starred in it as the cab-driver. The program will appear on over 600 radio stations, under Mr. Adamic's original title of "It Isn't Peanuts."

This is Adamic's second Treasury Star Parade program. The first was "Two-Way Passage," based on the book of the same title. He furnished the material for a third Star Parade program, which deals with guerilla warfare in Yugoslavia, and in which Orson Wells starred as Mihailovich.

BRIEFS

Lodge No. 13, AFU, with headquarters in Baggaley, Pa., will hold a dance Sunday, October 11 at the Slovenian National Home in Pipetown, Pa. Dancing to Jakie Martinic's orchestra will start at 8 p. m.

A dance for the benefit of the American Red Cross will be held on Sat., October 17 in Struthers, Ohio. The local Slovene, Croatian and Polish lodges are in charge of arrangements.

Lodge No. 6, AFU in Lorain, Ohio, will dedicate a new flag on Sat., October 17 at a dance to be held in the Slovene National Home in Lorain, Ohio. Members of neighboring lodges are cordially invited to attend.

In a recent contest sponsored by the "Cleveland Press" in Cleveland, Ohio, to promote the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, a Slovene girl, Miss Frances Misraj won second place honors by selling \$17,201.05 worth of bonds and stamps.

United Slovene Lodges of Barberville and vicinity will hold

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Lodge 47 Notice

Aspen, Colorado.—Members of St. Barbara, Lodge No. 47, AFU, Aspen, Colorado are hereby notified that there has been a change made in the office of secretary, effective October 1, 1942. I had to resign my position as secretary because I am leaving this city to work elsewhere.

At our meeting on September 17, 1942 my brother Matt Pecjak Jr. has been elected in my place. Members are asked to note this change and to pay their dues to Matt Pecjak Jr., after October 1, 1942. If they will remember this change a lot of confusion and mixup will be avoided.

The officers of Lodge No. 47 now are as follows: President, Anton Boltizar; Vice-President, Joe Muhich; Secretary, Matt Pecjak, Jr.; Recording Secretary, Anton Vedic; Treasurer, Mike Paulich; Board of Trustee, Louis Zelnik, John Miklich and Martin Mishmash, Sr.; Physician, Dr. W. H. Twining; and Sentinel, Anton Gregorich.

Fraternally yours,

Rudolph Pecjak

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Or a quarter, or even a dollar.
Whichever you do won't hurt this rhyme,
Hitler's the one who'll holler.



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News From Lodge 13

Baggaley, Pa.—A benefit dance is to be held on Sunday, October 11, 1942 at the Pipetown Slovenian Hall at Pipetown, Pa. Music will be furnished by Jakie Martinic of Strabane, a well known Slovene orchestra from radio station WKPA in Washington, Pa. This program may be heard every Sunday morning at 10:00 a. m. I would like to take this opportunity to invite all the AFU members and their friends, both young and old, from far and near, to attend this dance. All members of Lodge No. 13, AFU, are requested to pay their admission of thirty-five cents whether they attend the dance or not.

So much about the dance so now I'll try to tell you some news of our AFU members. We have already three members who now are soldiers in Uncle Sam's Armed Forces. They are Joseph Debelak, Jr., George Reschick, Jr., Louis Zabkar and Edward Kuhar who will leave in the near future. We wish you boys lots of luck and hope to have you return soon.

On our sick list we have Bro. Anton Rak, Sr., and Joseph Zabkar, Jr. We wish you both a speedy recovery and hope to see you in the best of health very soon.

Congratulations are in store for Mrs. Francis Alburg, the former Christine Slack, who has entered the sea of matrimony. Best wishes and good luck!

I also want to congratulate Brother John Zabkar and his wife on the arrival of a baby boy which means another new member.

Lodge No. 13, AFU, has received two new juvenile members for the month of September. We will try hard to reach the goal of ten before the end of the year.

Well, that tells a little news about our members hoping that we may have more in the near future.

Last but not least, please do not forget about our dance Sunday, October 11 from 8 till 12 and let's get acquainted AFU members with a waltz or a polka.

Anna Rock, Sec'y,
Lodge No. 13, AFU.

Lodge 230 To Hold Dance November 7

Chisholm, Minn.—Members of Lodge No. 230, AFU, are hereby notified that at our regular meeting in September we decided to hold a dance and social on November 7. Proceeds will go to the lodge treasury. The president of our lodge promised us a wrist watch as a gift for this dance.

Members are invited to be sure to attend our coming meeting which will be held Thursday, October 8 at the usual place. Everyone is full of good ideas so if more of you members attend, it will be easier to make plans whereby we can make the most profits from this dance for our lodge and at the same time satisfy the members. I'll be seeing you at our meeting.

Fraternal greetings!
Mary Zurga, Sec'y,
Lodge No. 230, AFU.

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

Riding the "Jeep" With Little Stan

Fort Crockett, Galveston, Texas.—Known as the largest state in the Union, colorful and historic Texas has probably more military training units associated with the army than any other state. It is in a sense, the "hub" around which spin various units throughout the country.

A person couldn't realize just how big this territory is unless he rode through it for two days and nights before reaching Fort Crockett from California. Because, enroute you pass more military training camps both for the army and its air corps than you do cities.

Since coming here, Pvt. Little Stan and the other men from Callan have been assigned to regular chores and duties. Working on the editorial staff of the camp's paper, "The Casemate" and assisting with other duties in connection with the public relations office, he has had things a bit easier physically than the other men.

For instance, the newspaper position has him running about in those popular little four-wheel motorized units we all familiarly know as "Jeeps" but which in reality are called "Peeps!" These powerful little autos with four-wheel drives can do as high as 50 miles per hour; 60 downhill, and are equally as fast on rugged terrain as on open road.

With the roof down, you can squeeze in Pvt. Little Stan and three others. His legs have to be somewhat doubled up around his chin, and he has to do everything possible, including some sensational acrobatic movements, to hang on when the little creature takes a sudden turn around the corner.

They remind Pvt. Little Stan of the little Austin he used to run around with during the 1935 First Juvenile Convention at Ely. Remember, boys and gals? This gadget is a little wider than that car, and a lot more durable. Remember, back in Nova Doba office we used to read about them — then we saw them in the big military parade in Cleveland — never thinking at that time that some day we would ride in them! Oh yes, the government provides a chauffeur to boot! Of course, these rides don't occur every day, but it takes a while to get settled so it's just as well it

"Shipwrecked for a whole week. My, my, do tell."

"Lived the week on a can of sardines."

"Tsk, tsk, how could you move around?"

Cash Awards to be Given for 1942 AFU Juvenile Campaign

OPENED JAN. 1st, 1942 — CLOSES DEC. 31st, 1942
Due to probable war restrictions, a Juvenile Convention will not be held this year. Instead, the Supreme Board mapped out a campaign for Juvenile members which officially started Jan. 1st, 1942, and will conclude Dec. 31st, 1942. CASH AWARDS WILL BE PAID TO ALL THOSE SOLICITING NEW JUVENILE MEMBERS:

Note: — Cash awards for new Juvenile members are the same as previously allowed. Only change made, effective only during the 1942 Juvenile Campaign is that the Supreme Board has allowed 50-cents additional for every new Juvenile enrolled during this time. Under the present campaign schedule the prizes are as follows:

For those new Juvenile members insured in:
Plan JA, the award will be \$1.00;
Plan JB, the award will be \$2.50;
Plans JC for \$500, the award will be \$2.50;
Plans JD for \$1,000, the award will be \$3.50;
Plan JE for \$250, the award will be \$1.50;
Plan JD for \$500, the award will be \$2.50;
Plan JD for \$1,000, the award will be \$3.50.

GRAND AWARDS IN ADDITION WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE LODGES HAVING THE LARGEST ENROLLMENT OF NEW JUVENILE MEMBERS DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR 1942. First prize is \$100; Second, \$75.00; Third, \$50.00; Fourth, \$25.00; and Fifth, \$10.00.

All awards will be paid immediately upon conclusion of the campaign, Dec. 31st, 1942.

Here's your chance to earn extra money this year! Join the AFU Juvenile campaign Drive today!

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Lodge 225 Reports

Milwaukee, Wis. — Members of Lodge, No. 225, AFU, are invited to attend our coming meeting which will take place Wednesday, October 21, at 7:30 p. m. at the usual place. Among the important business of the day, will also be a discussion of plans for the social which our lodge will hold on Sunday, November 15 at Tivoli Hall.

The purpose of this entertainment is to raise funds for the lodge treasury and to make the members better acquainted with each other. On December 17, 1942, it will be nine years since our lodge was founded. For this reason, it is time that we got to know the members of our lodge a little better, and got better acquainted with the other Slovanes of this vicinity.

At our coming meeting, it will be necessary to appoint a committee to make arrangements and members will have to undertake the task of selling admissions. At our meeting in September, it was decided that each member should take two admission tickets. If he cannot use two, let him sell one. Let no one make any excuses about them because that is the decision made at the last meeting.

I already have the admission tickets on hand so I will distribute them to the members at the next meeting. Therefore come to the meeting so this work can be done without too much hardship. It is the duty of every member to work for the good of the lodge. I will do my duty towards the lodge and at the same time I expect the members to likewise do their duty. If we will all take an interest, we will certainly have a success.

Still further, I ask the members, who like to delay paying their assessments, to be a little more prompt in the future. The secretary doesn't send the assessments to the supreme treasurer every three or four months or once every six months but assessments must be sent in on time and each month. Look in the By-laws and see what is written there about the assessments.

Fraternal greetings!
Pauline Vogrich, Sec'y,
Lodge No. 225, AFU.

SAVE YOUR TIRES

Your car and your tires are war materials. The time may come when you'll be asked to contribute your tires. Meantime, remember that it is better to borrow an egg or a cup of flour, than to make an extra trip on those tires. One old tire from every car and truck owner in the country would supply the reclaimed rubber we need for the next year.

Lodge Teams Bowl Each Other Last Wed.

Dorothy Rossa, League Secretary

Tuesday noon is the deadline for all articles to be in the hands of the Editor; the AFU League bowls on Wednesday, and you get the paper on Thursday. So there you are—it looks as if this column will just have to be exactly one week in arrears every time. It, of course, will be somewhat confusing—but it can't be helped. The readers will have to remember that this column will report last week's game and not last night's.

Last night the AFU League bowled its own sister or brother team as follows:

Ilirska Vila No. 1 vs Ilirska Vila No. 2
Betsy Ross Girls vs Betsy Ross Boys
Collinwood Boosters vs St. John Saints
Napredek Girls vs Napredek Boys

Although by this time the bowlers and their boosters know the results of the above match, the rest of you will, as explained above, have to wait until next week to read about them.

The standings are really beginning to get interesting now. In fact we're sure it's going to mean some pretty stiff competition from now on. In last week's games, the Ilirska Vila II took all three games from the Napredek Girls. Frank Benigar's 572 was high for the winners; and Marge Zgong's 323 high for the losers. The Betsy Ross Girls also took it on the chin last week, and gave all three games to the St. John Saints. Stan Zagore was high for the winners with a 507 series; Louise Zupon was high for the losers with a 378 series.

The Betsy Ross gentlemen, though, avenged the loss of the three games by the girls and downed the Napredek Cavaliers for all three games. Frank Krall's 523 series was high for the Flagmakers and Frank Chukayne's 498, high for the losers. The Collinwood Boosters took two games from Ilirska Vila I team. Joe Fidel and Tony Laurich led the winners with their 493 series. Steve Meyak's 501 and Tony Prince's 510 were high series for the losers.

Two more members were added to this week's "200" circle: Frank Benigar, Sr. (IV) .. 219 Stan Zagore (St. John Sts.) 203

High Averages for the Men

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LIBERTY LIMERICKS



Said a housewife named Mrs. I. Budget,
"We're 'scrimping,' but I
don't begrudge it,
For by saving up more
We'll help win the
war—
At least, that's the way I
should judge it."

Every dime or dollar you put into War Stamps and Bonds is a blow to Nazi home wrecker! Help your county raise its quota!

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Pvt. Little Stan's Article

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High Averages for the Girls

1. Louise Zupon (BR) 131
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Men's Individual High 3 Game Series

1. Joe Struna (CB) 585
2. Steve Meyak (IV) 575
3. Frank Benigar, Sr. (IV) 572

Girls Individual High 3 Game Series

1. Rosemary Rossa 414
2. Louise Zupon 413

Men's Individual High Single

1. F. Benigar, Sr. (IV) ... 219
2. Bill Zupancic (Nap.) ... 218
3. Stan Zagore (St.) 203

Girls' Individual High Single

1. Louise Zupon (BR) 164
2. Rosemary Rossa (BR) ... 160
3. Frances Gruden (Nap.) 130

Men's Team High 3 Games

1. Collinwood Boosters ... 2538
2. Ilirska Vila No. 1 2444
3. Betsy Ross Boys 2353

AFU Bowling League Team Standings

	W	L
1. St. John's Saints	6	0
2. Collinwood Boosters	5	1
3. Betsy Ross Boys	3	3
4. Betsy Ross Girls	3	3
5. Ilirska Vila I	3	3
6. Ilirska Vila II	3	3
7. Napredek Cavaliers	1	5
8. Napredek Girls	0	6

ALLEY CANDIDS: Yes-sir-e

—the more I think about it the more certain I am that the girls should have held out for more than just a 70% handicap. It seems to me that unless the boys play some pretty punk games, the girls won't stand another chance of winning anymore games until they play each other again. Oh well, I guess we asked for it—so we'll just have to take it.

Right now we'll have to remind all of you that bowling starts at 7 p. m. and each team member is requested to please cooperate and get there on time. Last week a bit of confusion was caused by the late arrivals. Make it a point to be there by 7 p. m. next week.

One Collinwood Booster was supposedly unconscious last week when he hit that 195 average. Well here's for more and better "unconsciousers" among the BRs. Note the neck to neck race of the brother and sister teams. It's true for all of them.

Frank Znidar sure knows how to roll those "hair's breadth" balls. He did a good job of missing that pin by a friction—and we do mean friction—several times last week. So—now the alleys have a "Moms" and a "Pops." Nope—we wouldn't stick out our necks that far to tell you who they are—but keep your eyes and ears open and just by chance maybe that little shoe-shine boy knows a thing or two.

Now that the AFU Bowling League champs of last year have gotten a foothold—how about climbing up there on top, fellows? Looks like the St. John Saints had pretty easy going last week when they bowled the girls' team. However—guess a difference of 64 pins and 59 pins is not tooo tooo much to talk about. Beanie's famous bowling brother, Stan, should have given her some helping hints. It looks like the Zupon Clan is always well-represented in the cheering section and Louise usually comes across with something for them to cheer about. To watch that Foul Boy up in his den, you'd think he should make a pretty good bowler himself—saw him down 3 bottles of milk during our 2-hour session.

Remember the first day here. Our Sergeant was putting the men from Callan through their paces in front of a Colonel and several "Louies." This big bulldog prances among the infantrymen, and flounces about, barking at their heels, throwing them out of step!

The dogs hanging around headquarters are Patsy and George and you ought to see them fight for attention! And until next week when you can "fall-in" with Little Stan again.

Stanley Pechaver.

"When I arrived at my girl's house last night, I found someone had beaten me to the sofa."

"Your hated rival?"

"No, the installment collector."

Loose lips may sink ships.

Care Of Health

By F. J. Arch, M. D.
Supreme Medical Examiner

There is a new theme in the medical field this year. It is an insistent, persisting demand by the physicians themselves that now as never before the average man must assume responsibility for his health. You meet it wherever you talk to a doctor, whether he be the family friend or a public health officer. It must be, they say, for this is no time for an epidemic.

We all know that the worst time of the year for disease is approaching. And yet, these probably are the most opportune days for an epidemic, for state and municipal public health activities are undergoing wartime curtailment, and the war is draining physicians and nurses away from hospitals and private practice. The army wants many more of them this year.

It was under such circumstances that influenza and pneumonia raged through the nation during 1917 and 1918. In Pittsburgh alone in 1918 there were 23,654 recorded cases of influenza and 3,388 of these victims died. Pneumonia made a worse record, there being 3,975 deaths during the same period.

There is only one step that may be taken to prevent a recurrence of such tragedy in any community. Pneumonia cases grow from colds, tuberculosis spreads from contact, influenza whips through whole segments of the population, but, these can be prevented by controlling the incidence and by an earnest effort on the part of everyone in preventing their spread.

The common cold causes more loss of working hours than all other ordinary diseases combined, and the history of the neglected cold precedes ninety-five percent of all cases of pneumonia. The greatest contribution to health that can be made on the part of the citizens of any community is to use common sense in the care of the common cold. Every person is at this time doing his utmost for a common cause. It must be remembered that to be able to do our utmost we must be healthy. Moderation in eating, drinking, working, resting and in fact moderation, in everything is our greatest aid in preventing disease. By preventing the so-called small illnesses as the common cold we prevent the serious illnesses as pneumonia, as well as, the probability of an epidemic.

Two dogs in the battery also provide much merriment. If you ever want to see dogs and cats, you'll find them common in every army camp from coast to coast and overseas. Most of them gather around the cook's mess. But these dogs get so military-minded they join the men on the hikes, and participate in practically everything else.

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Stanley Pechaver.

Mother —

"Your face is clean, but how'd you get your hands so dirty?"

Small Son —

"Washing my face."

"There's one bet that is always good."

"What's that?"

"The alphabet."

SAFETY WILL INSURE FEWER LIVES LOST

Human energy and natural resources prove more desperately urgent than ever before. American people with heedless abandon who kill and cripple important war workers and demolish the nation's valuable mechanical facilities, will have to stop it if we hope to win the war.

During 1941, in motor vehicle accidents, 40,000 Americans were killed, almost 1,500,000 were injured and more than 1,000,000 automobiles were damaged, possibly 50,000 of them beyond repair. That record would leave every American with a sense of shame and should move every one of us to resolve that it shall never happen again.

The nation cannot afford a continuation of this waste of life, of man-hours, of hospital space, of machinery and of morale. Automobile accidents are the result of individual carelessness. Every motor vehicle mishap is the result of somebody's doing something the wrong way.

U. S. Soldiers "Tagged" For Blood Transfusion

Precious time will be saved in giving blood transfusions to soldiers in the U. S. Army because each man's blood group will be stamped on his identification tag. With a new testing technique, it takes a technician only a few minutes to group the blood.

In making the test, a single drop of blood is drawn from the soldier and diluted with a small amount of salt solution. Two drops of this solution are then placed on separate slips of glass and tested with dried rabbit serum of different types. By watching whether

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Our Valleys of Decision

By Louis Bromfield

"This is a new kind of war, a war for which we have as yet been unable even to find a name. It marks a turning point in world history, the most enveloping and decisive turning point there has ever been, because for the first time in the world's history the entire world is involved and because the decision involves the whole future of civilization."

The future of civilization is a vague and tremendous and oratorical phrase. Interpreted and broken down, it means the freedom of yourself and myself, whether we shall be allowed to live in a decent fashion, enjoying liberty and prosperity and human dignity, involving the future of the very house we live in, the happiness and well-being of our children, the opportunities of young people and all the comfort and security of the old. It affects how we shall worship God, and how and whether we can live in decency with our neighbors. We can help, all of us, by fighting, by working, by keeping our courage high. We can help too, enormously, by lending to ourselves the money which is necessary to win this war, by testifying to our confidence in our own country, our own battle. War Bonds and War Stamps are weapons exactly as tanks and guns are weapons. Buy more, not tomorrow or next day, but now—to save what God gave us and what we have fought for since our country became a Nation—BUY WAR BONDS."

—U. S. Treasury Dept.

Stickers To Replace The License Plates

Ohio will use a windshield sticker instead of a metal license plate for the coming year. The sticker will be approximately 4 in. by 6 in. and will contain a rough description of the car, along with the licence number now in use.

It will be necessary for an individual to present his registration card along with the certificate of title, to obtain new registration. The sticker will be made in a snap-out-form, providing for two copies to the Bureau and one to the deputy issuing the same.

Motorists are advised to use every means possible to protect their present license plates from the ravages of weather, as they will have to be used for two or more years. Coating them with wax regularly has been recommended.

—Ohio Motorist.

Remember Pearl Harbor! Buy U. S. War Bonds and Stamps!

SPOLOŠNI TEDENSKI PREGLED

(Nadaljevanje z 2. strani)

tem pa Amerika še vedno vzdržuje diplomatske odnose s Finsko. V južni Rusiji pri Stalingradu Finci gotovo ne branijo svoje zemlje. Pa tudi na severu imajo Finci zasedenega naj ozemlja, ki nikdar ni prispadalo Finski, in baje hočejo positi sili zavzeti Leningrad. Sveda bodo imeli Rusi pri tem precej besede. Vse izjave, da hočejo Finci obvarovati le svojo delo pred Rusi, je navadna laž; Finci so pravi zaveznički Nemci za uničenje Rusije.

NAPAD NA KONVOJ

Pretekli teden so se Nemci hvalili, da so skoraj uničili velik zavezniški konvoj, ki je vozil vojne potrebštine v Rusijo. Po njihovih trditvah je bilo potopljeno 38 izmed 45 tovornih ladij in poleg tega še šest zavezniških bojnih ladij. Angleški admiralitet zdaj naznana, da je bilo pač potopljeno nekaj tovornih ladij omenjenega konvoja, toda velika večina tega konvoja je srečno dospela v rusko pristanišče, kamor je bila namenjena. Istopako ni bila potopljena nobena zavezniška bojna ladja.

MADAGASKAR ZAVZET

Dne 23. septembra so Angleži zavzeli Tananarive, glavno mesto velikega francoskega otoka Madagaskarja, ki leži blizu obale Južne Afrike. Govorner otočka Armand Annet, ki je zvest Lavalovi vladu v Vichyu, je počenil nekam proti južnemu koncu otoka, kjer bo morda nadaljeval z odporem. Francoske čete so samo nekoliko ovirale pohod Angležev in nekaj pravitev je bilo le pred glavnim mestom.

ZRAČNA VOJNA

Mnogo odličnih letalcev je že izrazilo mnenje, da bodo letala odločila izid sedanja vojne; seveda s sodelovanjem drugih vojaških edinic. Pretekli teden se je temu mnenju pridružil tudi general Ira C. Eaker, povelnjak ameriškega letalstva v Angliji. Dejal je, da po njegovem mnenju je mogoče razbiti Nemčijo z letalsko silo, pod pogojem, da imamo dovolj letal in zadostno število izvežbanega letalskega osobja. Za enkrat ima Amerika še premalo letalske sile v Angliji.

John Yenko ml. iz Rock Springsa, Wyo., mi je postal \$627.95, katera vsota je bila prispevana potomšnjih Slovenskih. Kako lepo bi bilo, ako bi se vse slovenske naselbine širom Amerike tako zanimale kakor se ravno zanimajo v tem dalnjem zgodnjem mestu Rock Springsu, Wyo. To ni prva vsota, katero sem prejel od Mr. Yenkota in tu upam, da ni bila zadnjina. Vsekakor pa čutim, da se na tem mestu izrečeno zahvalim slovenskim naseljencem v Rock Springsu za njih dobro srce in za njih zavednost v pomoč našega trpečega naroda onkraj morja.

Anna P. Krasna, New York City, mi je raven poslala vsoto \$105.00. Naša zavedna rojakinja, Mrs. Krasna, je oglaševala v koloni Glasa Naroda za pristojne prispevke in da ni pisarila zastonj, dokazuje dejstvo. To je zopet nadaljnji dokaz, koliko lahko ena oseba storiti, kateri je naš tako potreben v kravujoči slovenski narod res pri srcu. Le tako naprej, Mrs. Krasna! Iz srca želim, da bi našli mnogo posnemalcev širok Amerike. Prav prisrčna hvala vsem skupaj!

Ker je bila ta, tako izvanredno lepa vsota prispevana v takoj kratki dobi, nam naj služi kot vzgled našemu bodočemu delu v korist akcije Jugoslovenskega pomočnega odbora.

Naj se omenim, da prispevki, katere danes nabirate, služijo v dvojno pomoč. Za sedaj, ko nam je še nemogoče poslati denar na pristojno mesto v stari kraj, rabimo te prispevke za nakup obrambnih obveznic (War Bonds). Z veseljem poročam, da imamo do danes že kupljenih obrambnih bondov (dozorele vsote) za \$35,750.00 (nakupna cena teh bondov je \$26,455.00). Skupna vsota v blagajni je danes \$33,782.81.

Carl Winter iz Cleveland, Ohio, je daroval \$5.00. Prav lepa hvala, Mr. Winter, le tako naprej! Slovenic Publishing Co. New York City, N. Y., kaj redno

pošilja nabbrane prispevke na za nabiranje prispevkov za jugoslovanski pomočni sklad. Bodite prepričani, da bo vsak cent našel pot v stari kraj v doglednem času. Glavni odborniki, kar tudi odborniki posameznih postojank, žrtvujejo čas in denar za ta tako potrebeni sklad.

Ležeče pa je na TEBI, dragi mister in sestra, da daruješ kolikor mogoče, v ta sklad SEDAJ, KO JE ČAS, in ne potem, ko bo treba denar odpeljati na pristojno mesto. Brat, sestra, daj in pomagaj!

Z bratskim pozdravom!

Leo Jurjovec,
blagajnik JPO-SS

Dodatek: Ravnko ko sem kadčal ta dopis, sem prejel nadaljnjo vsoto v znesku \$174.05 od Johana Habjana, tajnika postojanke št. 31, Eveleth, Minn. Prav prisrčna hvala in priznanje evelethski naselbini za to lepo vsoto. Le korajno naprej! Tako bomo dosegli vsoto, ki bo res kaj zaledla našemu revnemu narodu, ko bo prišel čas. Še enkrat, hvala lepa! — L. J.

Iz urada glavnega tajnika A. B. Z.

From the Office of Supreme Secretary

PREMEMBE V ČLANSTVU MESECA AVGUSTA 1942

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Dr. št. 2: Anne Hutar 45918.

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Dr. št. 30: Dorothy Nosan 45909.

Dr. št. 33: Edward Richter 45923.

Dr. št. 36: Ludwig A. Prosen 45924.

Dr. št. 37: Mary Sivic 45925, Angela A. Hegler 45926.

Dr. št. 39: Frank Jovanovich 45910.

Dr. št. 42: Kathryn L. Vidic 45927.

Dr. št. 70: Anna Tekavec 45928.

Dr. št. 78: Matt Churich, Jr. 45911.

Dr. št. 83: George E. Rogers 45945.

Dr. št. 94: Albert Mozek 45949, Ante Mickus 45948.

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Dr. št. 134: Sophie Tomice 45930.

Dr. št. 150: Joseph Hren 45951.

Dr. št. 159: Lewis E. Chernich 45946.

Dr. št. 163: John Prosen, Jr. 45931.

Dr. št. 171: Tony Bozich 45953, Rudolph Kifus 45952.

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Dr. št. 225: Robert Glavan 45934.

Peter J. Simonich 45947.

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Dr. št. 30: Frances C. Kotchevar 45912.

Dr. št. 66: Albert Kerna 45936.

Dr. št. 70: Rose Helen Dybeck 45938, Miles J. Hrubý 45937.

Dr. št. 75: John Kovatch 45955.

Dr. št. 77: Rosemary M. Flanick 45963, Mary Mirt 45913, Edward Roza 45967.

Dr. št. 112: William F. Techar 45914.

Dr. št. 124: Donald Kramarsic 45939.

Dr. št. 148: Jakob Urbas 45915.

Dr. št. 160: Frances J. Erzen 45916.

Dr. št. 182: Rose Marie Flajnik 45917.

Dr. št. 190: Josephine M. Bounchar 45957, Rose H. Phillips 45956.

Novi člani načrta "F" — New Members

Plan "F"

Dr. št. 21: Rudolph Okoren 45940.

Dr. št. 29: Julia Polshak 45941.

Dr. št. 37: Helen Penca 45958, Regina Penc 45942.

Dr. št. 70: Theresa Hujan 45943.

Dr. št. 168: Frank C. Bennett 45944.

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Dr. št. 1: Theresa Agnich 43555.

Dr. št. 12: John L. Ujic 44995.

Dr. št. 29: Angelina P. Pershin 43857.

Dr. št. 39: Jacob McDonald 45471.

Dr. št. 40: John Utzman 41607, Anna M. Uzman 45005.

Dr. št. 45: Matilda M. Gus 43814.

Dr. št. 65: Dorlynn Marie Steiner 42128.

Dr. št. 71: John Rozman 41916, James V. Ruzich 44916.

Dr. št. 99: Rudolf Kalafsky 42412.

Dr. št. 105: Dewey T. Sullivan 45378.

Dr. št. 145: Rosi Cebar 33361.

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Dr. št. 30: Frank Govednik 38395.

Frank Filcic 39475, Lugo Bertelli 39474.

Frank Okoren:

Društvo ABZ v državi Colorado

Cas naše kampanje za povečanje našega mladinskega oddeleka se pomika h koncu. Še tri meseca, in kampanja bo zaključena. Koliko novih članov smo dosedaj vpisali v našo društvo v državi Colorado? Ali smo upoštevali priporočilo našega glavnega predsednika, brata J. N. Rogla, da bi vsako društvo vpisalo vsaj deset novih mladinskih članov do konca leta, to je do zaključka kampanje? Deset novih mladinskih članov, to vendar ni visoko število. Saj zmoremo vpisati vsakega otroka velega plemena takoj po rojstvu. In otroci se rodijo vsak dan. Imamo prijatelje in znance tudi med drugorodci; zakaj bi jih ne nagovorili, da zavarujejo svoje mlaadoletne otroke v naši organizaciji! Naša organizacija je nadsolventna, je točna v poslovanju, je popolnoma nestrankarska in ima lepo ameriško ime, katero ne more nikogar odbijati.

Društva v raznih krajih dežele so se že lojalno odzvala pozivu Ameriške bratske zveze in prošnji našega glavnega predsednika ter so vpisala že več kot priporočeno kvoto novih mladinskih članov. In nedvomno jih še bodo pred zaključkom kampanje.

Zdi se mi, da je moja dolžnost kot prvega glavnega podpredsednika Ameriške bratske zveze, bivajočega v Coloradu, pozvati našo društvo v tej državi, da prispevajo svoj pošten del k uspehu te kampanje. V prejšnjih kampanjah se je država Colorado vselej častno odzvala in imam upanje, da se bo tudi v sedanji. Samo predlog ne smemo odlasati. Cas je kratek, vendar v treh mesecih se da še mnogo narediti, če se resno zavzamemo. Zdaj je še vreme ugodno za agitacijo. Ko zapade sneg, bomo pa zadovoljno pri peči sedeli, z lepo zavestjo v srcu, da smo doprinesli naš del za rast in napredok naše dobре organizacije. Poskrbimo, da se bodo tudi številke coloradskih društev pokazale v tozadovnih poročilih v Novi Dobi medtistimi, ki so aktivna. Ne dopustimo, da bi v tej kampanji naša srebrna država Colorado ostala v ozadju. Vsako društvo naj se nekoliki potrdi, pa bo naš skupen uspeh časten. Toda, ne odlajmo več, ampak takoj na delo vse!

DOPISI

Strabane, Pa. — Poročano je že bilo v našem glasilu Novi Dobi, da je naše društvo Bratska sloga, št. 149 ABZ, kupilo za \$300.00 vojnih bondov, in tem pripomoglo vsaj za par Hitlerjevih krvolčnikov poslati na drugi svet. Na redni seji meseca avgusta je bilo pa predlagano in vsestransko sprejetje, da se vskemu članu-vojaku našega društva daruje \$5.00 iz društvene blagajne. To velja za vse tiste, ki so bili že poklicani, in tudi za tiste, ki bodo pozneje poklicani. Naše društvo je tudi že davorovalo \$5.00 za Jugoslovanski pomožni odbor, slovenska sekacija, in \$5.00 za ruski vojni relief. Naše društvo tudi v drugem oziru ni med zadnjimi, kajti dalo je že 13 svojih najboljših mladih fantov v armado Strica Sama, da branijo našo domovino in čast zvezdnati zastave. Ti naši članovi-vojaki so slediči: Frank Sterle, John Sterle, Edwin Šabec, Frank Kobilčič, Rudolph Krule, Anton Zupančič, Mike Zarinski, Edward Peterlin, Mike Migliorati, Joseph Rozman, Albert Albinini, John Bevec in Louis Verch. Tega je razvidno, da se je naše društvo po svojih skromnih močeh odzvalo 100% patriotično našim našim zvezdnatim zastavam.

(Pripomba uredništva: Gornje pismo nam je izročil za priobčitev v Novi Dobi brat Janko N. Rogelj, glavni predsednik Ameriške bratske zveze.)

Meadow Lands, Pa. — American Fraternal Union, c. o. J. N. Rogelj, Cleveland, Ohio: Cenjeni: Ker sem vam postal dne 18. avgusta znesek \$100.00, in sicer \$50.00 za Jugoslovanski pomožni odbor, slovenska sekacija, in \$50.00 za Russian War Relief, prosim, da bi enkrat to priobčili v Novi Dobi, da ne bodo člani našega Dramskega kluba v dvoru, če sem postal ali ne. Torej želim, da bi se priobčilo v listu. Z bratskim pozdravom, Andy Martinčič, Box 506, Meadow Lands, Pa.

(Pripomba uredništva: Gornje pismo nam je izročil v svrhu priobčitve v Novi Dobi brat Janko N. Rogelj, glavni predsednik Ameriške bratske zveze.)

njenim zaveznicam, ki se skupno borijo proti krutim in nečloveškim početjem krvolčnih diktatorjev. Našim članom-vjakom in drugim, ki se skupno borijo na raznih svetovnih kontinentih, pa želimo, da bodo te krvolčne divjake podavili, da bi se zdravi in zmagovali vrnili na dom.

Predno skončam, opozarjam našo društveni nadzorni odbor, ki ga tvorijo: Joseph Šabec, predsednik; Mary Tomšič in Ana Sterle nadzornice, da bi prišli eno uro poprej na prihodnjo sejo, ki se bo vršila 11. oktobra ob 2. uri popoldne v navadnih prostorih. Predložene jsem bodo knjige tajnika in blagajnika za zadnje tri meseca v pregled, tako jim bodo predloženi tudi podrobni računi od dveh piknikov, ki sta bila prirejena v zadnjih treh mesecih.

Prvi, ki se je vršil 4. in 5. julija, je prinesel dohodkov \$700.42. Stroškov je bilo \$357.61, in prebiteit je znašal \$342.81. Drugi, ki se je vršil 15. avgusta, je prinesel skupnih dohodkov \$115.32. Stroškov je bilo \$68.57, in čisti prebiteit je znašal \$46.75. S tem dvema prireditvama se je naša blagajna opomogla z \$389.56. Iz predstojenih številk je razvidno, da bo imel nadzorni odbor malo več dela, kakor navadno, in upam, da pride pravočasno v zborovalne prostore in da na seji podajo svoje poročilo. Bratski pozdrav!

Anton Tomšič, blagajnik, društvo št. 149 ABZ.

Aspen, Colo. — Člane društva št. 47 ABZ obveščam, da sem se odpovedal tajništvu, in sicer iz vzroka, ker odidem za delom v drugo mesto. Na seji, ki se je vršila 17. septembra, je bil za tajnika izvoljen moj brat Matt Pečjak, Jr. Od 1. oktobra naprej naj člani plačujejo asesmente njemu. Sedanji odbor društva je sledil: Anton Boltizar, predsednik; Joe Muhich, podpredsednik; Matt Pečjak, Jr., tajnik; Mikle Paulich, blagajnik; Anton Vedic, zapisnikar; Louis Zelnik, John Miklich in Martin Mishmash, Sr., nadzorniki; Anton Gregorich, reditelj. Društveni zdravnik je dr. W. H. Twinning. Bratski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 47 ABZ:

Rudolph Pečjak, tajnik.

Johnstown, Pa. — Cenjeni so-brat Janko N. Rogelj, glavni predsednik ABZ: Tukaj ti sporočim, da je naše društvo št. 16 ABZ v Johnstownu, Pa., izvolilo dva člana, da sta nabirala prostovoljne prispevke za JPO, SS. Nabiralca sta bila Joseph Rovan in Pete Bukovic. Nabrala sta vsoto \$82.00, in naše društvo jo dodalo k temu iz blagajne \$10.00. Skupno vsoto \$92.00 je priloženo pošiljam z money ordrom. Delovali bomo še zanesljivo in na svidenje na seji 8. oktobra! — Za društvo Sloga, št. 230 ABZ:

Detroit, Mich. — Na seji društva Zveze detroitskih Slovencev smo organizirali Jugoslovenski pomožni odbor, slovenska sekacija, oziroma podružnico te organizacije, in pozivamo vse rojake in rojakinje, brez oziroma na prepričanja, da se nam pridružijo. En tak odbor se je bil organiziral že pred petimi ali šestimi meseci, pa ni imel uspeha. Sedaj smo to na novo oživeli in upamo, da bomo imeli večji uspeh. V to organizacijo bi moral spadati vsak zavedni rojak. Članarina za enkrat še ni določena, vendar se bo sprejelo vsote od 25 centov naprej, ker z manjšimi vsotami se ne izplača ukvarjati.

Mi v Detroitu smo s to zadevo pozni, po drugih naselbinah

so se že organizirali in marsikje zbrali že lepe vsote za v pomoč našim nesrečnim rojakom v starem kraju. Vsekakor lahko zamujeno še popravimo. Vsak, ki ima le nekoliko srca za naše nesrečne brate in sestre v starem kraju, se bo odzval s posojočjo po svoji možnosti. Mi v tej deželi si niti predstavljati ne moremo, kakšno pomanjkanje morajo naši rojaki prenašati v rodni Sloveniji ali izven iste kje v pregnanstvu. Ne vemo, kdaj bo mogoče poslati to posojočjo, in tudi ne vemo, koliko jih bo še preživelto grozno katastrofo, toda ni dvoma, da kadar bo pomoč mogoče poslati, jo bodo naši rojaki onstran morja krvavo potrebovali. Saj ne bodo imeli ne živeža, ne oblike, ne stanovanj. Mi tukaj nismo bogati, vendar nam za enkrat ničesar ne primanjkuje, zato se majhen prispevek za to plemeniti svrhu ne bo nikomur posinal. Nekaj bomo le spravili skupaj in obenem bomo imeli zavest, da smo storili, kar smo mogli.

Seja te podružnice JPO, SS se bo vršila enkrat v oktobru in bo določeno pravočasno nášnanjen. Za enkrat samo apeliram na vse Slovence in Slovenke v Detroitu, da se dotične seje udeležijo in da prispevajo, kar jim je mogoče za ta plemeniti namen. — Za novo postojanko JPO, SS v Detroitu:

Katherine Krainz, tajnica.

Chisholm, Minn. — Članice društva Sloga, št. 230 ABZ, smo na seji meseca septembra sklenila, da priredimo neko zavaro v korist društvene blagajne, in ta zavaro se bo vršila 7. novembra. Predsednica našega društva nam je obljubila v našem žensko zapestno uro. Članice so vabljene, da se prav govorito udeleže prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v četrtek 8. oktobra zvečer v navadnih prostorih. Vsa ka nekaj ne, in čim več nas bo na seji, tem lažje bomo ukreplene vse tako, da bo v največjo korist društva in v največje zadovoljstvo članicam. Sestrski pozdrav in na svidenje na seji 8. oktobra! — Za društvo št. 230 ABZ:

Mary Zurga, tajnica.

Milwaukee, Wis. — Tem potom vabim članstvo društva Združeni Slovani, št. 225 ABZ, da se polnoštivo udeleže naše prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila 21. oktobra ob pol osmih zvečer v navadnih prostorih. Na dnevnu rednico seje bo med drugim tudi razprava o plesni in družabni zabavi, katero naše društvo priredi 15. novembra v dvorani Tivoli. Ta zabava bo prirejena v korist naše društvene blagajne in pa da se člani bolj izpoznajo med seboj ter tudi drugimi rojaki. Dne 17. decembra letos bo poteklo že devet let, odkar smo ustanovili naše društvo, zato je že čas, da se spoznamo tudi z rojaki in rojakinjami, ki niso člani našega društva.

Na prihodnji seji bo treba izbrati pripravljalni odbor za prireditve, in člani in članice se bodo morali zavzeti za prodajo vstopnic. Sklep seje meseca septembra je bil odbor sklenil, da se ta

tembra je bil da mora vsak član vzeti dve vstopnici. Ako sam ne potrebujem dveh, naj eno proda. Naj nihče ne ugovarja temu, ker tak je sklep zadnje seje. Vstopnice imam že na rokah in jih bom članom razdelila na prihodnji seji. Torej, pride na sejo, da bo to delo izvršeno brez prevelikih potežkoč.

Dolžnost vsakega člana in članice, je da dela v korist društva. Jaz bom od svoje strani storila svojo dolžnost napram društvu, obenem pa pričakujem od vseh drugih članov in članic, da isto tako storijo svojo dolžnost napram društvo. Ako se bomo prej priobčenim, najlepša hvala v imenu našega društva.

Pred piknikom smo poročali glede raznih trgovcev in posameznikov, kateri so pripomogli k naši akciji z raznimi darovi. Pozneje se je tem pridružila še devetorica nadaljnih dobrosrčnih rojakov. Vsem tem in onim prej priobčenim, najlepša hvala v imenu našega društva.

Zene, katere so bile tako lepo opravljene v narodnih nošah, so pa delovalo na več straneh. Zapele so na programu pod vodstvom Mrs. Frank Stritarjeve, delale so v kuhinji, prodajale in prej pripravile cvetlice, ter več drugih važnih reči. Torej naj jim velja posebna hvala.

Dalje prosim člane, ki radi zaostajajo z asesmenti, naj bodo v bodoče bolj redni s plačevanjem. Tajnica ne pošilja asesmentov na glavnega blagajnika na tri ali štiri mesece ali na vseh šest mesecev enkrat, ampak asesment mora biti poslan redno in točno vsak mesec. Poglejte v pravila, kaj je tam določeno glede plačevanja asesmentov. Kar po tri karte moram včasih pisati, pa pri nekaterih članih še nič ne pomaga, da bi se zavedli svoje dolžnosti in prišli plačati svoje asesmente pri društvu. Res je veselje poslovati z nekaterimi člani, ki so točni s plačevanjem asesmentov in z obiskovanjem bolnikov. Žal, da je takih članov nekaj več kot polovica izmed števila 115, kolikor imamo članov in članic v odraslem oddelu. Zakaj ne bi bili vsi taki?

Tem potom tudi obveščam člane in članice našega društva, da dne 4. oktobra odpotujem v Rochester, Minn., v znano kliniko Mayo. Kdaj se vrnem, ne vem. Iščem zdravja od enega zdravnika do drugega in zdaj grem še na omenjeno slovečko kliniko v Rochester, da pronajdem, če je kakšna pomoč za mojo bolezni. Za časa moje odsotnosti naj se člani v vseh zadevah, ki se tičajo društvenega tajništva, obračajo na našega društvenega predsednika, ki je brat Peter Erchul, in stanuje na 1110 W. National Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

Naš društveni zapisnikar živi preveč oddaljeno, da bi mogel začasno vrstiti tajniške posle, zato sem naprosil brata predsednika, da bo on začasno prevzel tajniško delo. Člani in članice naj izvolijo to obvestilo upoštevati.

Omenim naj še, da bodo naši slovenski državljanji v 5. in 8. vendar imeli priliku glasovati za slovenskega kandidata za državno legistaturo v Madisonu. Kandidat za "asemblimana" je namreč naš rojak Otto Drobnič, ki je brat našega aktivnega člana Johna Drobniča. Za aldermana v 5. vardi pa kandidira Jack Brophy. Naši člani naj ne pozabijo storiti svoje državljenske dolžnosti pri volitvah v novembру.

Končno, ne pozabite priti na naše prihodnjo sejo 21. oktobra, da se dogovorimo vse potrebitve glede zábavne prireditve 15. novembra. Istotako se moramo pogovoriti tudi glede daril za našo prihodnjo zabavo. Na zadnji seji je bilo sklenjeno, da mora vsak član in članica odrasla pravljati v Madisionu. Kandidat za "asemblimana" je namreč naš rojak Otto Drobnič, ki je brat našega aktivnega člana Johna Drobniča. Za aldermana v 5. vardi pa kandidira Jack Brophy. Naši člani naj ne pozabijo storiti svoje državljenske dolžnosti pri volitvah v novembру.

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Trijе člani društva št. 13 A. B. Z. so že v službi Strica Sama, in sicer Joseph Debelak mlajši, George Resic mlajši in Louis Zabkar; četrti, Edward Kuhar, pa odide v kratkem za njimi. Vsem srečen povratek!

Poročila se je Christina Slak, katere novo ime je Albury. Naše čestitke! Družina Johna Zabkarja je dobila sina prvorodenca, ki je odbor sklenil, da se ta

denar in nekaj drugega nabrala denarja v vsoti \$1500.00 pošlje takoj na glavni urad JPO, SS. In ravnokar smo prejeli pobitno od gl. blagajnika Leo Jurjoveca, da je v redu sprejel to vsoto v imenu teh naselbin. T