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RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

ZANIMIVO SLIKO kako so ameriški ljudstvo o sedanjih administraciji ter o splošnem gospodarskem in političnem razvoju dežele so pred dobrim mesecem priobčili številni časopisi, spadajoči v NEA sindikat. Omenjeni sindikat je poslal različnega pisatelja Frazier Hunta na daljše potovanje širom dežele, da poizve v različnih krajih in od najrazličnejših ljudi kako sodijo o gorišmenjenih problemih. Mr. Hunt je prepotoval 33 držav in je spraševal za mnenje farmerjev in trgovcev, visoke uradnike in splošne delavce, bogatašev in reveže. Na podlagi tega je prišel do zanimivih zaključkov.

Tako na primer sklepa, da Roosevelt ni več tako močan, kakor je bil ob priliki zadnjih volitev, toda dobil bo ob priliki prihajajočih volitev večino v 36 od 40 državah. Huey Long da je v zadnjih šestih mesecih izgubil polovico svoje moči. Da je vpliv župnika Cougghlina na republikanske stranke v letu 1936 ne bo odločitev vrhovnega sodišča, ki je proglasilo NRA za nezakonito, ne bo škodovala Rooseveltu. Da je mržnja na Hooverju še vedno živa, Rooseveltu, ker se bojuje proti davkom. Da je delavstvo razočarano v tem, kar je od administracije upalo in kar je dobilo, da pa ne zavrača vse krivde na Roosevelta. Da bodo deželne in državne vlade močnejše in enolične, da bodo na podpirati pet do šest milijonov dolarjev, ker zaradi vedno boljših cen ljudi zaposliti. Da široko Rooseveltu ne vidijo več človeka z nadnaravnimi močmi, pač se vedno gledajo nanj kot čarodaja, ki ima dovolj korajža, da skuša pomagati vsem.

KOVANCE po pol centa v Zedinjenih državah. Večinski davek, želi tak denar, da bi omogočil natančno plačevanje davka. Zakladniški odbor Henry Morgenthau priporoča kovanje polcentnih kovancev. Ako kongres priporoči kovanje, bodo v teku nekaj tednov izdani taki kovanci. Izdelani bodo iz zlitine bron in aluminija.

V BUDIMPESTI je nedavno general baron Artur Arz, avstro-ogrski generalnega štaba v starosti 79 let. Po rodu je bil avstrijski Nemec, posvetil se je oficirski karieri. Ze pred svetovno vojno je postal general in je najprej poveljeval avstro-ogrski frontni. Leta 1917 je po zmagi postal šef avstro-ogrski generalnega štaba. Proti njemu pa je tudi doživel razpad avstro-ogrski armade in za njo še nabsburgskega cesarstva. Za njega je razpad pomenil tudi uničenje njegovega avstrijskega cesarstva. Njegova ožja družina je pripadla Rumunski in po mirovnih pogodbah bi moral on tam zaprositi za pokojnino. Tega ni storil pa je

KIP BOGINJE SVOBODE

Kip svobode, boginje svobode ali Miss Liberty, kakor se različno nazivlja, stoji na malem Bedloe otoku v newyorškem pristanišču. Mnogim izmed nas priseljencev je ostala boginja svobode v trajnem spominu, saj je njena baklja bilo prvo, kar smo zagledali na ameriških tleh po večdnevni pomorski vožnji. Z občudovanjem ogromnega kipa se je mešalo veselje, da je dolga morská vožnja za nami, in s skrbjo glede negotove bodočnosti v tujini deželi. Marsikateri ameriški Slovencev, ki se je bil podal na daljši ali krajši obisk v stari kraj, je pa pripovedoval, da so mu ob vrnitvi, ko je zagledal kip svobode, stopile solze v oči. Ameriška svoboda ni perfektna, vendar je neprimerno lepša in večja od starokrajске.

Zanimivo je, da je Miss Liberty največja znana ženska na svetu. Visoka je od peta do vrha glave 111 čevljev, z iztegnjeno desnico pa še 10 čevljev več. Težka je 450.000 funtov ali 225 ton. Iztegnjena desnara meri 42 čevljev, dlan 16 čevljev in kazalec sam 8 čevljev. V votli glavi boginje svobode lahko stoji 40 oseb, v baklji pa 12. Od podstavka do glave kipa vodi 161 stopnic. Za luč v baklji skrbi 14 električnih žarnic po 1.000 "wattov," za razsvetljavo ostalega kipa nadaljnjih 96 sličnih žarnic. Kip s podstavkom vred je visok 305 čevljev.

Miss Liberty bo v oktobru 1936 stara 50 let, toda starost se ji še nič ne pozna, menda zato, ker nikoli ne pogreša svežega zraka. Kip je bil odkrit 28. avgusta 1886.

Kip boginje svobode je, kakor znano, darilo Francije. Leta 1872 se je v Franciji osnoval poseben odbor, ki si je stavil nalogo, da podari Zedinjenim državam kip svobode in za istega zbere potrebna denarna sredstva potom prostovoljnih prispevkov. Delo, ki je trajalo 10 let, je vodil francoski kipar F. A. Bartholdi. Razna mesta v Franciji, različne organizacije in številni posamezniki so zbrali okrog \$700.000 za izdelavo kipa. V Zedinjenih državah se je istotako potom prostovoljnih prispevkov nabralo okrog \$300.000 za zgraditev podstavka za kip. Zvezni kongres pa je pooblastil predsednika Hayesa leta 1877, da je doležil kos zemljišča na otoku Bedloe za prostor spomeniku prijateljstva med Francijo in Ameriko. Boginja svobode s svojim podstavkom vred je stala okroglih milijon dolarjev, torej se lahko smatra za pravo milijondolarско deklico.

Malokateri spomenik v Zedinjenih državah je bil tolikokrat slikan in kopiran kakor kip svobode. Istotako je Miss Liberty dala inspiracije za neštete pesmi. Za proslavo 50. letnice, ki se bo oficijelno vršila 28. oktobra 1936, bo odbor za proslavo skušal zbrati kar največ slik in kopij kipa svobode in kar največ pesmi, ki se nanašajo nanj.

Slika kipa svobode je bila natisnjena na ameriških znamkah po 15 centov, ki so bile izdane leta 1922. Pri tem je zanimivo, da so celo štiri inozemske države vzele kip svobode v newyorški luki za sliko na svojih poštinih znamkah; te države so: Španija, Francija, Uruguay in Paraguay.

ZBIRANJE DENARJA

Med vsemi narodi dobimo ljudi dveh ekstremnosti: take, ki zbirajo in hranijo denar, in take, ki ga razsipajo, kakor pleve, če ga imajo. Vmes so tisti, ki niso niti preveč varčni niti preveč razsipni, katerim služi denar v svojem prvotnem namenu, namreč za izmenjavo. Denar predstavlja vrednost dela ali vrednost gotove količine gotovega blaga, in da ni treba blaga in dela izmenjavati za drugo blago ali drugo delo, se poslužujemo denarja kot merila in zastopnika vrednosti.

Vsak sedanji narod na svetu ima kakšne vrste denar, istotako so imeli različni vrst denar že mnogi davno izumrli narodi. Ako bi kdo mogel zbrati vse predmete, ki so ljudem tekom zadnjih par tisoč let služili za denar, bi napolnil z njim velik muzej, katerega bi bilo vrolo zanimivo in poučno ogledati.

Največjo tako zbirko denarja ima menda Chase National banka v New Yorku. Ta zbirka vsebuje nad 40.000 komadov različnega denarja in je bila kupljena od F. Zerbeja, ki je zdaj kurator zbirke. Tam je menda najpopolnejša zbirka denarja, ki je bil kdaj izdan v Zedinjenih državah, od denarja, ki ga je določil prvi ali kontinentalni kongres, do zasilnega denarja ali "scripa," ki je bil v nekaterih krajih izdan tekom bančne zaprtije pred par leti. Tam je najti tudi denar iz kolonialnih časov, ki so ga izdajale posamezne kolonije. Kovanci s slike borovca, imenovani šilingi, so bili kovani 30 let, toda vsi nosijo letnico 1652. Pennsylvania je izdajala papirnati denar, na katerem je bilo besedilo v angleščini in nemščini; Louisiana pa je izdajala bankovce, na katerih je bilo besedilo v angleščini in francoščini. V zbirki je najti tudi bankovce, ki so se v tiskarni na kak način pokvarili, pa so vseeno prišli v promet; tako na primer bankovec, ki ima na eni strani označeno vrednost \$2.00, na drugi strani pa \$1.00. Tam je najti tudi ameriški srebrni dolar, kovan leta 1804. Ti kovanci so silno redki; baje jih je v raznih zbirkah samo 14. Vzrok temu je, ker je bila večina teh dolarjev poslana na Kitajsko za plačo ameriških mornarjev, pa se je v hudi nevihti ladja z denarjem vred potopila.

Razume se, da je v tej zanimivi zbirki tudi mnogo inozemskega denarja, na primer, svetopisemski šekelji in leptoni, stari kitajski novci, v oblikah lopatic, zvoncev itd. Zanimiv je ruski davčni novček od brade. Ruski car Peter Veliki je bil namreč naložil poseben davek na polne brade in je dal kovati posebne novce za to.

Na otoku Jap v Pacifiku je ali je bil v rabi kamenit "denar" v obliki nekakega brusca, 30 palcev v premeru in z luknjo na sred, da se ga je lahko nosilo na kolu. Tak novček je tehtal nad 100 funtov ter je bil vreden toliko kot 10.000 kokosovih orehov, osemnajst čevljev dolg čoln ali ena žena. V severni Rusiji so včasih rabili mestni denarja kose kamene soli, ker je te komoditete primanjkovalo. Pri nekdanjih ameriških Indijancih je bilo mogoče kupiti marsikaj za skalp rdeče žolne, ker so verovali, da vsebuje posebne čarovne moči. Puščice Indijancev rdeče žolne

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POZDRAVLJENI!

Iskren pozdrav vsem delegatom in delegatinkam naše prve mladinske konvencije, zbranim na Ely, Minnesota!

Naj bi vas ta konvencija navdušila in povišala vaše zanimanje v delovanju za vašo in našo dično Jugoslovansko Katoliško Jednoto.

A. J. Terbovec,
urednik "Nove Dobe."

POČITNIŠKI NASVET ZA MLADINO

Piše DR. JOHN L. RICE,

zdravstveni komisar mesta New York

Mladi ljudje napravljajo svoje načrte glede poletnih počitnic navadno le s stališča zabave. Ni pa nič težko in je mnogo modrejše, ako se stvar tako uredi, da počitnice na deželi postanejo istočasno prispevek k dobremu zdravju. Kot mi vsi, tako ste bržkone tudi vi živeli in delali z vsjo brzino od ianskih počitnic naprej, in ako ste ušli hujšim prehladom in drugim težavam, se bržkone čutite izborni. Ali veste; a zares, da se dobro počutite?

Predno pojdeté kam drugam, zakaj bi ne šli k svoemu zdravniku, da vas podvrže natančni preiskavi. Majhen strošek se zares izplača. Vedeli boste, kaj potrebuje vaše telo in kste imeli zdrav nasvet, kaj vam je storiti.

Mesto da bi nameraval: vrediti svoje počitnice kot vrsto zabav, zakaj naj ne bi rajše počitnice služile za počitek? (Dalje na 2. strani)

DRUŠTVENE IN DRUGE SLOVENSKE VESTI

Prihodnja izdaja Nove Dobe bo izšla šele 14. avgusta. Številka, ki bi normalno izšla 7. avgusta, odpade, da si zamore urednik vzeti enotedenske počitnice, ki mu jih je dovolila 14. redna konvencija.

Dvajsetletnico ustanovitve bo v soboto 3. avgusta proslavilo žensko društvo št. 120 JSKJ v Elyju, Min., z večernim banketom v Memorial kafeteriji.

Federacija JSKJ društev v Minnesoti bo zborovala v nedeljo 4. avgusta v Elyju. Zborovanje se bo vršilo v Community Center prostorih in se bo pričelo ob 9. uri dopoldne.

Velik piknik JSKJ društev v Elyju, Minn., se bo vršil v nedeljo 4. avgusta popoldne na Sandy Pointu.

Vsa tri društva JSKJ v Rock Springsu, Wyo., namreč št. 18, 134 in 202, bodo v nedeljo 4. avgusta priredila skupen piknik ob reki Green River, okrog 18 milj od Rock Springsa.

V Exportu, Pa., se bo v soboto 10. avgusta vršil piknik društva št. 138 JSKJ. Prostor piknika: L. Zupančičeva farma.

V Waukeganu, Ill., se bo v nedeljo 11. avgusta vršil velik piknik društva št. 94 JSKJ. Prostor piknika: Možinov park.

Piknik v počast svojemu mladinskemu oddelku priredi društvo št. 40 JSKJ v Claridgeu, Pa., v nedeljo 11. avgusta. Prostor piknika: Lazarjeva farma.

RAZNO PRAZNOVERJE

Med vsemi narodi sveta se najdejo najrazličnejše vraže, prazne vere ali superstitions, kakor se imenujejo v angleščini. Čim bolj primitiven je narod, tem več vraž ima. Pa tudi med civiliziranimi narodi in med izobraženimi ljudmi se držé razne, bolj ali manj nesmiselne vraže. Posebno mnogo ljudi smatra številko 13 za nesrečno. V nebotičnikih New Yorka in drugih velikih mest ponekod ni najti 13. nadstropja. Tudi v hotelih je marsikje soba št. 13 izpuščena. Mnogi ljudje, ki so sicer pametni in razumni, ne bodo 13. dne v mesecu sklepali nikakih važnih pogodb.

Pripoveduje se, da italijanski pesnik D'Annunzio vedno nisi zapestnico iz opičje dlake, češ, da mu to prinaša srečo. Sloveči poljski pianist Paderewski trdno veruje, da so gotovi dnevi v mesecu nesrečni. Charlie Chaplin za ves denar na svetu ne bi prodal obleke, v kateri je na odrú dosegel prvi uspeh. Pevec Caruso ni nikdar šel na oder brez "srečnega novčiča" v žepu. Gledališki igralci si z največjo radodarnostjo medsebojno posojujejo razne praške in šminke, češ, da to prinaša srečo. Pavja peresa smatrajo igralci za napoved nesreče. Marsikdo, ki se ne straši iti preko ceste, po kateri drviijo avtomobili v obeh smereh, ne bo šel pod lestvo, ki je prislunjena k steni.

Marsikdo izmed nas se morda še iz svojih otroških let spominja, da so se kmetje na Slovenskem pri opravljanju raznih kmečkih del ravnali po lunoti; ni bilo vseeno, če se je gotovo delo opravljalo ob polni luni, ob mlaju, ob prvem ali zadnjem kraju. Če je bil človek teš, ko je spomladi prvič slišal kukavico, je pomenilo, da bo vse leto lačen; če je imel takrat kak denar v žepu, je pomenilo, da ne bo vse leto brez denarja. Starejši ljudje so verjeli, da je bilo živini "narejse," da je zbolela, in verjeli so v zagovarjanje kačjih uzrizov, bolečin v križu in zvinjenja udov. Možakarski kmet, ki je bil namenjen na semen ali po kakih drugih važnih opravkih, se je vrnil, če mu je pot pretlela črna mačka ali če je srečal staro beraćico. Prvo dnevno srečanje tujega možkega je pomenilo dobro, srečanje ženske pa slabo srečo. Prve muhe, ki so jih pastirji na Urbanov dan ujeli, so sežgali, da potem ne bodo muhe nadlegovale živine. Vsak tujec, ki je prišel pogledat prešiče, je moral pljuniti med nje, da ne bodo "uročeni." Ako je seveda "uročen," in mati mu je dala piti mlačne vode, v kateri je prejšnjega noči žareče oglje. In koliko je ali koliko je bilo samo med našim narodom sličnih malih vraž!

Seveda niso v tem oziru drugi narodi nič boljše, da ne izvzamemo niti Američanov.

Menda sploh ni nobenega človeka, ki bi bil popolnoma brez vsake vraževernosti. Za večino teh vraž ne vemo, odkod prihajajo in kaj naj pomenijo, toda dejstvo je, da ostajajo med ljudstvom. Nekateri jih jemljejo resno, drugi bolj za šalo ali kot zanimiv običaj, poddedovan po prednikih. Večina vraž je nedolžna in neškodljive.

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ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

Beda je izkopala že mnogo grobov. Mnogi ljudje bi še živeli med nami, če bi bili deležni vsaj najpotrebnejših sredstev za življenje. Nedavno so pokopali rudarjevo ženo Jožefo Drobnetovo iz Zagorja. Podlegla je jetiki, ki ima v rudarskih, od pomanjkanja skrajno izčrpanih družinah vedno več žrtvev. Kruto socialno zalo te bolezní se najbolj udeležuje v rudarskih revirjih. Pokojna Jožefa je zapustila možu 6 malih bolehnih otročičev. Iste dne so pokopali tudi upokojenega rudarja Ferdinanda Fliska, ki ga je tudi pomanjkanje spravilo v prezgodnji grob.

Iz neznosne bede pa je zbežala v smrt Beti Zmrzakova, žena brezposelnega rudarja, stanujoča v Skofji riži onkraj Save blizu Trbovelj. Nesrečnica je skočila v Savo. Družina sedmih oseb je bila navezana na podporo občine in dobrih ljudi. Kakor je mož pripovedoval na občini v Zagorju, je nesrečna žena že večkrat pripovedovala, da si bo poiskala rešitev iz pomanjkanja in skrbi v valovih Save.

Teško življenje, ki vlada v rudarskih revirjih, in mnogi prerani grobovi naj bi prepričali merodajne kroge, da je treba nujno nekaj ukreniti za zboljšanje življenjskih razmer prebivalstva.

Dva, ki pravita, da imata pravico krasti. Pred dnevi so v Tavčarjevi ulici v Ljubljani aretirali 61-letnega brezposelnega delavca Janeza Gabrška, ki je od nekod pri Homcu doma, pa je bil že nešteto krat v kriminalu zaradi tatvin. Poseben specialist je Gabršek za mlekarne vozove. Če le more, izmakne na tihem polno kanto z voza in izgine. Nekje ob Savi ima preprosto barako, v kateri si potem kuha tako naplajene zajtrke in obede. Ko so ga zasacili v Tavčarjevi ulici, ko je pravkar hotel suniti posodo mleka, je na policiji dokazoval, da ima pravico krasti. V hranilnici ima namreč 10.000 dinarjev svojih prihrankov, pa naj si vso glavno razbije, jih ne dobi nazaj. Na policiji njegovega stališča niso mogli sprejeti in so ga izročili sodišču. — V podobnih razmerah je kradel tudi 17-letni fant, ki je bil uslužben pri nekem gostilničarju v Ljubljani. Gospodar mu niti jesti ni dal kaj prida, denarja pa fant svoj živ dan ni dobil v roke. Tako se je na tihem odločil, da ukrade iz kleti tri manjše sode in tri litre vermute. Vermut je s prijatelji popil, za sode pa je naročil nekemu šoferju, naj mu jih odpelje na Štajersko domov. Preden pa je šofer tovor naložil na voz, je povprašal krčmarja in tako je tatvina prišla na dan.

Zidani most. V visoki starosti 92 let je po dolgi bolezní umrl Felix Schintler. Pokojnega so pokopali ob številni udeležbi pogrebecev na radeškem pokopališču.

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VSAK PO SVOJE

"Ne kliči vraga," se imenuje neka šaloigra, katere morala je, da ni dobro klicati vraga, ker bi se znalo zgoditi, da res pride. Nekaj sličnega se je zgodilo sobratu Ernestu Palčiču v Gowandi, N. Y., ki je pozival Clevelandčane, da naj "kidnapajo" in pritirajo s seboj na piknik v Gowando urednika Nove Dobe. No, urednik pa je bil tako od muh, da je pred prospektivnimi kidnaparji zbežal v Gowando na piknik in jih tam počakal.

Sicer pa ni tako slabo hoditi ali se voziti preko državnih mej na piknike. Lani sem na nekem pikniku v Pennsylvaniji dobil v dar mlado kozico, predzadnji nedeljo pa sem v Gowandi, New York, dobil ljubko belo mačico. V pasjih dneh mucko dobiti ni kar tako. Obširnejše poročati o izletu v državo New York bom skušal enkrat pozneje, ko nekoliko k sapi pridem.

V neki zdravniški reviji se čita, da se more človek vpijaniti tudi z vodo in da je takavodna pijanost nevarnejša kakor pijanost od nunsajna. Saj ne rečem, včas sem se že kake pijače malo preveč navlekel, toda vode še nikoli, in skoro bi se zarekel, da se je ne bom, razen če vanjo padem.

Kapitani naše industrije in trgovine, ki so še nedavno na vsa usta trdili, da povratek prosperitete zadržujejo NRA pravilniki in višnji orel, zdaj sumljivo molčijo. Pravilniki z višnjem orlom vred so že par mesecev mrtvi, a prosperitete še od nikoder ni.

Narodni ekonom pravijo, da pogozdovanje privablja dež. To je morda res, toda dež privablja tudi pikniki, suho seno na travniku, lepo oprano perilo na vrvi, novi klobuki in čisto umiti avtomobili.

Po deželi paradirajo krdele politikov, ki kričijo, da morajo in hočejo očuvati ustavo Zedinjenih držav. To je približno tako, kakor če bi volkovi čuvali jagnjeta.

V zgodovini mesta Clevelanda je zabeleženo, da ko je bilo mesto še mlado, so meščanom delale velike preglavice svinje, ki so se klatile po ulicah. Zda j nam svinje ne delajo škode po cestah in vrtovih, pač pa v raznih uradih.

Neki ruski znanstvenik trdi, da bo moderna znanost podaljšala povprečno življenje človeka do 150 let. To je hvalevredno in razveseljivo, toda večje važnosti bi bilo ustvariti tak družabni red, da bi bilo vredno živeti 150 let.

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Naša J. S. K. Jednota ima v pravilih točko, ki pravi, da je med drugimi zadačami tudi namen Jednote “praktično izobraževati svoje člane v duhu naprednih principov in gojiti med njimi ljubezen do slovenskega in slovanskih narodov ter do naše nove domovine — Amerike.” Z drugimi besedami rečeno, dolžnost naše Jednote je med drugim tudi navajati člane, da postanejo dobri ameriški državljanji. To je logično, kajti naša organizacija je vzkliela in se razvila na ameriških tleh, prirojena je za ameriške razmere, za njo in njene člane veljajo postavte dežele in njeni člane so v veliki večini ameriški državljanji, bodisi po naturalizaciji ali po rojstvu. Naša usoda je tesno zvezana z usodo Zedinjenih držav. Tu živimo mi in tu bodo živeli naši otroci, tu si služimo eksistenco, tu plačujemo davke, torej nam ne more biti vseeno, kako se dežela razvija in upravlja. Prosperiteta v deželi pomeni ugodnost tudi za nas, če pride depresija, nas istotako zadene in še med prvimi.

V Zedinjenih državah vlada narod po svojih izvoljenih zastopnikih. Kakršne zastopnike si narod izvoli, tako vlado ima. V tej vladi naroda pa se moremo udeleževati mi priseljenci, če smo se potrudili za pridobitev ameriškega državljanstva. Kdor ni državljan, pa bi lahko bil, nima nikake pravice se pritoževati nad morebitno slabo vlado. Res je, da je nas naturaliziranih priseljenecv premalo, da bi mogli dojeti splošne smernice vlade, tu in tam pa le lahko nekoliko odločajo naši glasovi, kajti pri volitvah šteje vsak glas. Poleg tega je skrajno nenaravno in žalostno obnemem, če so starši “podaniki” kake evropske dinastije, njihovi tu rojeni otroci pa so Američani. In končno smo kot državljanji upoštevani, kot nedržavljanji pa prezirani.

Z zadovoljstvom lahko beležimo dejstvo, da si je velika večina slovenskih priseljenecv že pridobila državljanstvo pravice v tej deželi, kakor hitro so bili dovolj dolgo tukaj. Na drugi strani pa obstoji žalosten fakt, da je še vedno med nami nekaj rojakov, ki niso državljanji. V nekaterih slučajih so temu krive neugodne razmere, mnogokrat pa brezbržnost in odlašanje. Nekateri se niso pobrigali niti toliko, da bi si vzeli “prvi papir,” ki je nekaka uradna izjava, da si oseba želi pridobiti državljanstvo. Drugi, ki so si vzeli prvi papir, so potem odlašali in odlašali z vložitvijo prošnje za drugi ali pravi državljanjski papir.

V časih prosperitete, ko je bilo dela in zaslužka povsod dovolj, se nihče ni dosti brigal, če so delavci državljanji ali nedržavljanji. Dandanes, v dobi velike brezposelnosti, pa se pojavlja mržnja proti nedržavljanom, češ, da odjedajo kruh državljanom. V zveznem kongresu se vsled tega že pojavljajo predlogi, da se nedržavljanje enostavno deportira v njihove rojstne dežele. Res je, da nikak tak predlog še ni bil sprejet in, če se splošne gospodarske razmere v deželi kmalu obrnejo na bolje, najbrž nikoli ne bo sprejet, toda nevarnost je tu, posebno, če bosta depresija in brezposelnost še kaj dalje časa trajali. Pa četudi ne pride tako daleč, da bi namreč nedržavljanje enostavno deportirali, je prav gotovo, da bo nedržavljanom vedno težje dobiti delo in zaslužke.

Vsi vemo dalje, da je med nami večje število ostarelih ljudi, ki si za starost niso mogli ničesar prihraniti ali pa so izgubili svoje prihranke v bančnih polomih. V državah, ki imajo vpeljene razne sisteme starostne pokojnine, bodo za te ljudi skrbele države, deloma z lastnimi fondi, deloma s prispevki federalne vlade. Toda v večini, če ne v vseh državah, ki so vpeljale starostno pokojnino, je ista obljubljena le državljanom. Državljanstvo pravice, državljanjski papirji priseljenecv niso bili še nikdar v zgodovini te dežele tako važni kakor so baš sedaj.

Zato, tisti naši rojaki, ki so prišli v to deželo postavnim potom, pa še nimajo niti prvega papirja, naj si ga brez odlašanja preskrbijo. Tisti, ki imajo prvi papir že sedem let ali več, naj si vzamejo prvi papir na novo in čez dve leti naj vložijo prošnjo za državljanstvo. Prvi papir postane neveljaven po sedmih letih. Tisti, ki so v deželi že pet let ali več in ki imajo prvi papir vsaj dve leti in ne čez sedem let, naj brez odlašanja vložijo prošnjo za državljanstvo. Res je, da je za pridobitev ameriškega državljanstva treba vedeti nekaj o ameriškem sistemu vlade, toda vsak se more to naučiti, če se le malo potruditi. Saj so skoro v vsakem večjem kraju brezplačne šole za državljanstvo. Časi so resni in noben trud za pridobitev državljanstva ni prevelik.

Med članstvom JSKJ je primeroma zelo malo nedržavljanov, toda nekaj jih je gotovo. Vsi tisti naj brez odlašanja podvzamejo korake, ki vodijo k pridobitvi državljanstva. V Novi Dobi so bili tekom let že mnogokrat priobčeni slični pozivi in tisti, ki so jim sledili, se gotovo ne kesajo. Drugi, ki so odlašali do sedaj, naj upoštevajo neoporečno resnico, da važnost državljanstva ni bila v tej deželi še nikdar toliko kakor je v teh resnih časih.

POZOR ČLANI IN ČLANICE DRUŠTVA SV. SRCA JEZUSA ŠT. 2 JSKJ

Vsi člani in članice odraslega in mladinskega oddelka našega društva sv. Srca Jezusa, št. 2, so na tem mestu vladno vabljeni, da se v nedeljo dne 4. avgusta, ob 12:30 popoldne za gotovo zberejo pri glavnem uradu JSKJ; tam nas bodo čakali zbrani naši mladi delegati in delegatnje prve mladinske konvencije JSKJ.

Pri glavnem uradu naše Jednote se bodo zbrala tudi vsa ostala elyška društva JSKJ, to je moška in ženska društva in sicer skupaj z odraslim in mladinskim oddelkom. Od tam bomo skupno odkorakali v paradi točno ob eni uri popoldne na Sandy Point, kjer se bo vršil piknik skupnih elyških društev JSKJ in prve mladinske konvencije JSKJ.

Naše društvo in tako tudi druga društva so sklenila, da bomo dali vsakemu članu in članici mladinskega oddelka po 10 centov iz društvene blagajne v tihetih (10c tickets), da bo imel vsak član in članica mladinskega oddelka nekoliko veselja in zabave, oziroma spomina na prvi piknik mladinske konvencije JSKJ.

Tikete bomo dajali na dan parade oziroma pred parado in sicer tam, kjer se bo zbirala parada, to je pred gl. uradom JSKJ, in to od 12. pa do 1. ure popoldne. Zato so stariši prošnji, da pošljejo svoje otroke tja takoj po 12. uri, ali pa naj sami pridejo z njimi, da jim bomo lahko razdali tikete pred eno uro.

Razume se, da nihče ne zahteva, da bi otroci korakali v paradi, če so še premladi, recimo pet let stari ali manj; oni, ki so pa stari okrog 6 let in do 18 let, taki, ki hodijo že v šolo, od takih se pa pričakuje, da se udeležijo parade v svoji lastni skupini. Fantje in dekleta, ki bodo že v odraslem oddelku, pa bodo korakali skupaj s starejšimi člani in članicami.

Omenim naj tudi to, da otroci, ki so v mladinskem oddelku in so še premladi za korakati v paradi ali so morebitni bolni, za take otroke oziroma člane mladinskega oddelka bomo dali tikete pa njihovim staršem ali starejšim bratom ali sestram, in to pred gl. uradom JSKJ ali pa na pikniku na Sandy Pointu.

Torej sobratje in sestre, vsi ste prošeni, stari in mladi, da se udeležite parade in potem piknika na Sandy Pointu.

Vabljeni je tudi vse ostalo elyško občinstvo kakor tudi iz sosedne naselbine, od blizu in daleč, da nas obilno obiščejo ob času NAŠE MLADINSKE KONVENCije JSKJ.

Na svidenje dne 4. avgusta na pikniku na Sandy Pointu! Z bratskim pozdravom, — za društvo sv. Srca Jezusa, št. 2 JSKJ:

Joseph L. Champa, predsednik.

ZBIRANJE DENARJA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) navadno niso dosegli, dosegel pa jo je svinec iz pušk belecev. V različnih krajih in različnih časih je bil v rabi “denar” iz lesa, porcelana, usnja, bisernice, svinca, gline, ovčjih kož, tkanin in celo iz trave. Vseh teh in še mnogih drugih vrst “denar” ima Chase National banka v svoji znameniti zbirki, katero si vsako leto ogleda nad 15,000 radovednežev.

Posebna zanimivost zbirke je žlanti za en cent, ki ga je izdelal avtomobilski magnat Henry Ford, potem drugi ček, ki ga je izdelal isti Henry Ford za odkup neke avtomobilske družbe v znesku 146 milijonov dolarjev, in ček za \$25,000, kateri je bil nakazan Lindberghu za njegov znameniti polet preko Atlantika.

VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) nolia. Ko jo je zdravnik hotel cepiti na roki, kakor druge, je gospodinja protestirala, da dekla potem ne bo mogla par dni delati, ker jo bo roka bolela. Zdravnik je menil, da bi se jo lahko cepilo tudi na nogi, pa tudi tisto gospodinjini ni bilo prav, češ, da dekla potem ne bo mogla ribati podov in stopnic. Zdravnik je bil v zadregi in je končno vprašal služkinjo, kje bi ji bilo cepljenje najmanj napoti. “Well,” je dejala Mag-nolia, “za sedeti nimam dosti časa!”

Slovenski pesnik Oton Zupančič je pred nekako dvema leti z obžalovanjem zapisal, da je slovenski smeh v domovini umrl. Skoro nikakega pravega smeha in veselja ni več, samo javkanje in jadikovanje. V to slovensko revo in tugo pa je naenkrat zadonel slovenski smeh iz Amerike. Adamičev smeh. Pri tem je pesnik mislil na Adamičovo povest “Laughing in the Jungle,” v kateri avtor jemlje ameriško življenje v splošnem od smešne strani. Knjiga je bila od literarne kritike laskavo ocenjena in od čitatele publike z veseljem sprejeta.

Smeh v Ameriki še ni umrl. Tudi med ameriški Slovenci smeh še ni umrl, kljub razmeram, ki nam dajejo mnogo povoda za pritožbe. Naše ljudstvo se zaveda, da je duševno razvedrilo tako potrebno, kakor so potrebni poper, sol in sladkor za jedila. O tem sem nedavno dobil veliko število pismenih zagotovil, ki predstavljajo mnenje velike večine našega članstva. To kaže, da je naš narod v Ameriki zdrav, poln življenja in duševno mlad. In, dokler smo zdravi in mladi, vsaj duševno, nam je zagotovljena bodočnost. Ne bomo se še skisali in ne bomo še odplivali po jesihu v pozabljenje!

Sredi julija je mrknila luna nekako za eno uro. Začetkom avgusta, ali da smo natančno, 7. avgusta bo pa mrknila Nova Doba za en teden. To se pravi, da je ne bo nič videči. Z Novo Dobo bo seveda mrknila tudi ta kolona za en teden. Vzrok: urednikove počitnice in pasji dnevi. So long!

A. J. T.

POČITNIŠKI NASVET ZA MLADINO

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

Zdravnik vam pove, da to so edine letne počitnice, ki so kaj vredne. Počitnice za “počitek” ne pomenja, da se morate kje dolgočasiti. Narobe, sprememba kraja in scenerije in zmeren, enostavno življenje preskrbi ti telo in um z onim počitkom, ki ga potrebujete. Poskrbite se kam, v kak miren kotiček, kjer boste dobivali mnogo zdrave, domače hrane, kjer narava vabi na prijetne izprehode, kjer se lahko kopate, ali kjer imate kako drugo zabavo pod milim nebom. Ako se vam ljubi plešati, pa plešite, ali ne pozabljajte, da telo potrebuje osemurno spanje. Tak program vam da ne le obile zabave, ampak tudi pronačete, da izvrši čudeza z vami.

Po takih počitnicah boste odpočiti in telo bo sveže in um bistre. Zato napravite načrt za take vrste počitke. To ni nič težkega. V glavnem ne pretirajte ničesar. Bodite zmerni v vsem. Jejite raznovrstne jedi, zlasti pa mnogo sadja in zelenjave, uživajte dosti svežega zraka, hodite peš vsak dan, kopajte se pogostoma in pred vsem spavajte svojih osem ur na dan.

Nič ni potratnega v takem programu—toda pomenja dobro zdravje za vse, ki se po njem ravnajo.

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) ostal brez vseh sredstev ter padel v veliko bedo. Končno se je zavzel za njega njegov osebni prijatelj madžarski regent Horthy, ki mu je izposloval madžarsko generalsko penzijo. Zato je Arz tudi trajno živel na Madžarskem.

AVSTRIJSKA vlada je sklenila z zastopniki Habsburžanov pogodbo, po kateri bo avstrijska država plačevala Habsburžanom letno 1,200,000 šilingov kot apanažo, razen tega pa posebno odškodnino za posestva, ki jim jih ne bo vrnila in ki jih je uprava invalidnega fonda v zadnjih 17 letih prodala ali dala za daljšo dobo v zakup. Milijonska apanaža se bo razdeljevala na okrog 80 članov habsburške rodovine. Bivša cesarica Zita s svojimi otroki se namerava še letos naseliti v Avstriji nekje blizu Dunaja. Tako sedanja avstrijska vlada pripravlja pot za povratek Habsburžanov na avstrijski prestol. Mala ententa, v katero spadajo Jugoslavija, češkoslovaška in Rumunija, budno pazi na vse te pojave, in se že po svojih zastopnikih izjavila, da bo takoj mobilizirala, če bi kak član habsburške rodovine skušal zasesti avstrijski prestol.

VNETJE ZEMLJEVIDA ali “mapitis” je bolezen, ki dandanes trpinči vse evropske države. Tako se je izrazil dr. Parker T. Moon, profesor mednarodnih odnošajev na Columbia univerzi. Skoro vsaka država skili preko meje in bi hotela odtrgati kos druge države ali se polastiti njenih kolonij.

AMERISKO časopisje prinaša poročila iz Dunaja, glasom katerih dezertira iz Italije vedno več mladih fantov in moč, ki pričakujejo poziva v armado in nimajo volje prelivati krvi za Italijo na abesinskih bojiščih. Po večini so ti begunci Slovenci, ki so po svetovni vojni pripadli Italiji, nekaj pa je tudi tirolskih Nemcev. Baje je pobegnilo preko meje v Jugoslavijo in deloma v Avstrijo že nad 900 mladih Slovencev.

RAZNO PRAZNOVERJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) va, vendar bedasta in nesmiselna. Vse pa kažejo, da se človeštvo še dolgo ne bo iznebilostankov raznih nesmisli svoje davne primitivnosti.

ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani) čarodeju Kostji Grumuliču, ki je po daljšem razmišljanju praznovernim ljudem razodel, da ni drugega sredstva za priklicanje dežja, kakor je naslednji: Mrliču, ki še ni dolgo pokopan, je treba sleči obleko ter jo vreči v vaški potok. Nebo se bo potem pooblačilo in takoj dabo obilico težko pričakovanega dežja. Rečeno, storjeno. Praznovernikmetje so odkopali truplo nedavno pokopanega kmeta Andriča in zvečer so se zbrali z njegovo obleko ob potoku. Čarodej je obleko privezal na drog ter jo pomakal v potok, mrmrajoč pri tem neke molitve. Dežja seveda ni bilo, pač pa so prišli v vas orožniki, ki jih je pozvala Andričeva žena, ker je našla grobov svojega moža razkopan. Grumuliča so odpeljali v zaporniški banjaluškega sodišča.

Med mnogimi težavami, ki tlačijo primorsko prebivalstvo, je tudi pogosto pomanjkanje pitne vode na otokih. Če že ne vsako, je vsako drugo ali tretje leto po nekaj mesecev na otokih zaradi pomanjkanja dežja v največji nevarnosti vse, kar je prebivalstvo gmotno in fi-

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zično žrtvovalo za svoj pridelek. Pomanjkanje dežja je zlasti letos zelo nevarno. Narod je obupan. Silna vročina, brez kapljice dežja že šest mesecev! Nekateri vasi na otokih preškega sreza, kakor Burgulje, Rava, Birbin, Severluka, itd., ter vasi na Rabu in Pagu, kakor Lemj, Barbat, Kolan in druge, nimajo dovolj pitne vode zaradi pomanjkanja vodnjakov niti pozimi, kaj šele sedaj pri tej nenavadni suši. Samo z graditvijo novih sistemov in razširitvijo dosedanjih bi se dalo pomagati. Če prekopavajo stara naselja, vidijo, kako so stari Rimljani posvečali največjo pozornost oskrbi naselj s pitno vodo.

Če ne bi v zadnjih mesecih vojna mornarica, parniki trgovske mornarice, zlasti pa parniki Jadranske plovidbe dovažali pitne vode, bi bila katastrofa neizbežna.

V starodavni Nitri na Slovaškem je ravnatelj češkoslovaške trgovske akademije znani prevajalec iz slovensčine in vneti propagator vzajemnih kulturnih stikov dr. Vojteh Merka. Po njegovi zaslugi se dijaštvo tega zavoda smotno vzgaja za češkoslovaško-jugoslovansko vzajemnost. Kakor poznamo iz pravkar izišlega letnega poročila nitranske trgovske akademije, so priredili dijaki v prejšnjem šolskem letu osem srbskih literarnih polur. Te so bile organizirane tako, da je eden izmed dijakov predaval o tem ali onem pojavu iz srbohvaške in slovenske literature, odnosno iz jugoslovanskega življenja sploh, drug dijak pa je nastopil kot recenzent predavanja. Iz tega sledi, da sta vsaj dva dijaka morala poznati tvarino podrobneje in temeljiteje od dijakov-poslušalcev.

Nitranski trgovski akademik

si so med drugim obravnavali Ksavera Meška, B. Nušiča, Mažuraniča, Iva Vojnoviča, Vraza, Kralja Aleksandra Karagjorgja, Kumanovo, kanski sporazum i. dr. Z. Z. skovne “polure” so poslali venskemu pisatelju pozdravni brzojavko in čestitke za šestletnico. Znano je, da je ravnatelj dr. V. Merka posebej častilec Meška. Za njegov biler je izdal brošuro o njem, je prejel v češki in srbski vaški jezik več Meškovih sov. Pisatelj Meško se je transkim dijakom toplo zahvalil za njih pozornost.

Pred sto leti, 6. julija 1835, je med kopanjem v Savi pri mačevem blizu Ljubljane našel eden najpomembnejših vencev tedanje dobe, filološki literarni kritik Matija Čop. Z njegovo smrt je posebno bolelo zadelo njegovega najbližjega prijatelja, pesnika dr. Frana Prešerna, ki je odkrito priznal, da mu je bil ta učenec njegov najboljši mentor. Brez Čopa vega vodstva bi Prešernovij v taktirnih tesnih razmerah le težko dosegel višino, ki vstisnila nesmrtno obilježje govij poeziji.

Matija Čop je bil izredno obražen mož, ki je poznal jezikov in je bil najboljši slovenski poznavalec literarnemetnostnih in splošno estetskih teorij; zlasti je temeljito poznal mlade romantične pesnike v tedanji literaturi. Če je sam le redkokdaj kaj pisal, je imel na Čbeličarje in na Prešerna kar odločilen vpliv. Tak se je neizbrisno zapisal v slovensko slovstvom zgodovino in vvrstil med največje Slovence 19. stoletja.

Vsi otroci članov J. S. K. Jednote bi morali spadati v mladinski odelok iste organizacije.

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CURRENT THOUGHT

Juvenile Convention

This week the juvenile delegates assemble at Ely, Minnesota to attend the first national SSCU juvenile convention.

When the gavel falls on Thursday morning, August 1st, to indicate the opening session, history will be in the making for juvenile members shall have met for the first time in the Union's annals as delegates to their own convention. They will conduct their business after the pattern of the Union's regular quadrennial conventions. Officers will be elected as well as committees.

While the decisions of the miniature convention shall effect the juvenile by-laws now in effect, suggestions of juvenile delegates may have far reaching effects. For we must keep in mind that these delegates represent a cross-section of our Union's juvenile department, and their opinions as presented on the convention floor may reflect the opinions of some 7,500 juveniles.

Entertainment following each session will feature the three-day stay of the delegates at Ely. However, the daily assemblies, be they ever so short, are bound to make a lasting impression on the junior members, who shall relate their experiences to others when they return home. The delegates essentially shall be good will ambassadors and they will be counted upon to disseminate the attractive features of our Organization to their neighbors.

May our junior delegates enjoy the best time of their lives this week.

"Big oaks from small acorns grow."

This axiom was taught in grammar school and probably still today. We, the adult members, can re-enact our study of this axiom and apply "Big oaks from small acorns grow" to our Organization.

The seed we are planting today, in the form of a national juvenile convention, are small acorns today, but big oaks tomorrow.

Our junior conclave is not only of three-day duration, but the beginning of a national movement to stimulate the growth of our juvenile department. Associated with the picnics, outings, visits, is the fraternal principle which our Union rests, and the manner in which it will be impressed on the young minds is bound to produce results. To these junior delegates our SSCU is analogous to a week's vacation enjoyed by but a comparatively few members.

The mighty big oaks would soon become extinct were it not for the small acorns to replenish the stock.

And so it is with our SSCU. Our junior members graduate into the adult department, and should a sudden drop be made of the influx of juveniles into the adult division, it would be only a matter of years before our Organization would be but a memory.

The fraternal principle must be planted alongside of the seed of our junior members, and together the two grow inseparable as the grass and the trees.

Fraternalism does not mean death, sick, accident and disability benefits. These attractive features are but the means to help out the brother-and-sister-members in time of need. Fraternalism is brotherly love, and is a result of common endeavor pursued by men and women.

Hence, to feel the warmth and congeniality of our Organization is by far more important than just insurance protection. By making our youngsters conscious of this feeling will result in better and stronger members in the future, and if we just attempt to outline the monetary returns.

Our junior convention will accomplish this effect. However, we must extend our influence to all juvenile members and make them conscious of the SSCU fraternal principle.

A good idea to follow the juvenile convention is to have Lodges boost juvenile meetings, which could be held monthly or once every three months. The junior assemblies could follow the senior's, or could be held on Saturday afternoons, when the children are not occupied with school work. Such an arrangement would also eliminate the late evening hours.

In the past we have overlooked the juvenile activities in our sphere of Lodge endeavors. Here is a fertile field to be cultivated to every branch who will take time and a little effort to cultivate the young minds.

Pueblo Visitors

Visitors to the Nova Doba for the last week were Misses Mary and Ann Pritekel, of Pueblo, Colo., both of whom are on a two weeks' vacation in Cleveland. Ann is a nurse being engaged at the Pueblo General Hospital as supervisor. The two are staying as guests of Mrs. Pritekel of Shawnee, and are visiting friends and relatives in Cleveland. They expect to return to Pueblo the latter part of this week.

G. W.'s Win First Ball Game

Cleveland, O.—George Washington Lodge No. 180, SSCU baseball team, won its first game of the season when they played against the 60th Sports. The score was 7-5.

The winning pitcher was "Pugs" Opalek for the G. W.'s. "Pinky" Novak and "Babe" Glavan pitched for the 60th Sports.

Gowanda Trip Successful

Lorain, O.—Gowanda bound—42 of us on the train which started from Cleveland July 20. Oh yes, we had a special car. We danced in the aisle and sang and talked so that we could hardly hear each other. Remember how we looked for a lost train ticket high and low and it was finally found in the hat band? Telegrams were received and written to all, such as "Expecting you soon," "Come back sober," "Leaping Lena, waiting to escort you to the city." "Daddy" Lunka received a telegram from Gowanda saying that his wife was waiting for him and his 41 children.

Excited, we finally arrived in Silver Creek where fifteen cars awaited to take us to our destination, Gowanda. When we arrived, "Leaping Lena" was waiting for us. You read about it last week, it is a model T Ford which drags its end and jumps up and down. At the picnic grounds we enjoyed dancing and merrymaking until the wee hours of the morning, when Ernie Palcic carefully selected us a place to bunk.

As good little children we got up early Sunday morning and then visited the City. We saw a prosperous town, a beautiful town with such interests as the Largest Gule Factory in America (we smelled it), a Tannery for Brown Shoes, Sand Quarry, Insane Asylum which houses 2,000 people and about 2,000 more are expected from Buffalo for which fourteen beautiful buildings have been built, (some of the boys made reservations) and a large Indian Settlement. They dress as we do, and live in regular homes too.

The cherries aren't sour in Gowanda, so for an appetizer we all filled up on the tree given by Bobbie Palcic to Louis Kolar. No, we didn't carry it away except for a few branches. Then to a very nice dinner served at the Slovene National Home. We sat around as one big family, chattering quickly about the desire to remain in Gowanda. Then to the picnic where we got our thrill in "Leaping Lena." We held our side while laughing and our jaws ached. Sorry we couldn't bring it back with us and give you a similar thrill.

The Cleveland boys then defeated Gowanda in a softball game, even though Samson carried a horseshoe in his pocket and played for Gowanda. Besides dancing, talking and pitching horseshoes, Vida received a souvenir winning a beautiful flapper doll which was immediately named Miss Gowanda. Our Cleveland friends also were lucky winners and we all left Gowanda happy and satisfied.

To shorten the wait for our train in Silver Creek we all danced in the cinders and finally sang and slept our way home to Cleveland and Lorain, never to forget our good time in Gowanda. Thanks particularly to the Palcic family.

Vida A. Kumse, Martha Kumse, No. 6, SSCU.

Cellophane
Cellophane is made from spruce wood through the use of the same special process as used in making artificial silk. These two products are the same until they reach their final form when the cellophane is cast in a sheet and the artificial silk is reduced to threads.

GREETINGS

Greetings to our delegation assembled at the first Juvenile convention in Ely, Minnesota.

May this convention be an added incentive to heighten your interest in the work of our and your S. S. C. U.

Louis M. Kolar, English Editor.

BRIEFS

The much-heralded first convention of SSCU juvenile delegates takes place this week at Ely, Minn., starting Thursday, Aug. 1, and continuing through Aug. 3. Sessions will be held daily at the spacious Washington School Auditorium. Juvenile and adult members of our Union, both residents of Ely and visitors, are cordially invited to attend the convention, as there is sufficient room to accommodate several hundred spectators. Supreme President Paul Bartel will officially open the junior convention. A diversified and attractive program of entertainment has been prepared by the Central Committee of Ely SSCU Lodges for the juvenile delegates following each session. On Sunday, Aug. 4, the convention program will wind up with a mammoth picnic at Sandy Point. Sunday morning the Minnesota Federation of SSCU Lodges will hold a meeting at Ely, and shortly after noon all SSCU members in Ely will assemble in front of our Union's home office in preparation for the parade to Sandy Point. All participants in the parade are urgently requested to assemble as near after noon as possible in order to get the parade started at 1:30 p. m.

Lodge No. 120, SSCU, of Ely, Minn., will commemorate its 20th anniversary with a banquet Saturday evening, Aug. 3, at the Washington School cafeteria. Juvenile delegates and the Supreme Board will be guests of honor. Supreme Secretary Anton Zbanić will be the principal speaker of the evening.

The regular Aug. 7 issue of Nova Doba will be suspended in order to give the editors a one week's vacation. This is in compliance with the resolution adopted at the 14th regular quadrennial convention held in 1932 at Indianapolis, Ind. The next issue of Nova Doba will appear on Aug. 14.

Semi-annual meeting of our Supreme Board held at the home office, Ely, Minn., will come to a close the latter part of this week. The Supreme Board will attend the meetings of the juvenile convention.

Results of the American-Slovene Golf Club tournament at Cleveland, O., show Tony Zagar with a score of 78, Harry Gornik 85 and Herman Stupica 88.

Every member get a new member.

Booster's Bits of Memories

Cleveland, O.—Our trip to Gowanda, N. Y., where we all had the greatest time of our lives, will never be forgotten. First of all I would like to thank, in behalf of the Collinwood Boosters, No. 188 SSCU, the Palcic family for their hospitality and the good time hown us. We do not forget the Samon's and the Zakayitis' and also the many others that we wish to thank.

We all had a wonderful time at the Field Day Picnic. The Leaping Lena could certainly beat the cow over the moon if the fellow wouldn't sit in the saddle to hold it down.

The baseball game was also exciting while it lasted but the boys got tired too soon. The Clevelanders may of had more sleep than Gowandites so they won, more luck next time.

Our trip back to Cleveland seemed too short and we got home all too soon. Maybe because we had Joe Kovitch and his accordion. To end things up we had our last dances at the Silver Creek depot.

Thanks again and we hope to see you all soon.

Tony (Ham) Laurich, No. 188, SSCU.

Cardinals' Highlights

Outing
Struthers, O.—Cardinals have changed the date of their picnic from August 11 to August 18, on Grimm's farm, off Center St. Games and contests will be held during the afternoon; dancing in the afternoon and continuing throughout the evening.

Vacationing
Steffie Polance of the Buffalo Big Four is visiting my home. Cardinals visiting Cleveland Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Slabe, Albert and Mollie Slabe, Steffie Plance and the writer. Mary and Joe Zlogar visited Sharon, Pa.

Musical Musings
Frank Glavic: I'm just an ordinary human.

Mooney-Bero: Ave Maria.

Mary Slabe: So lovely and so sweet.

William Pogačnik: Whistling in the dark.

The writer: I've got rythm.

Meetings
Let's see how many will be present at the next meeting. How about you, William P? See if you can make it on August 2d. Meanwhile, how about the neighboring SSCU Lodges, are you coming to our first picnic? Reserve August 18 for the Cardinals picnic.

Jennie Glavic, No. 229, SSCU.

And Not Hungry
Timothy Hay: Yes, I've seen a few bad crop years in my time, too. One year our string beans were so poor that the crop didn't even pay for the string.

Al Falfa: That's nothing, Tim. In '94 our corn crop was so bad that my old dad, who had a very poor appetite, ate up fourteen acres of corn at a single meal.

PORCUPINES
When the porcupine becomes excited or is attacked the quills or spines become erect. Of course, if another animal comes in direct contact with the spines some of them are apt to become imbedded in its flesh.

From the Office of Supreme Judiciary Committee, SSCU

170-35

Appeal of Agnes Patrick, a member of Lodge Western Sisters, No. 190, in Butte, Montana. The appellant says that she is entitled to a sick benefit, from Feb. 9, 1935, to March 20, 1935; and that the disallowance of same by the executive committee of our Union was unjust.

The executive committee reports that her claim was disallowed because of her doctor's report wherein it is stated that she was last examined by him on Feb. 9, 1935, and discharged Feb. 10, 1935. Upon investigating this case and receiving additional and more complete reports, pertaining to sickness of the above named member, for the aforesaid period, this judiciary committee decided that she is entitled to a sick benefit, from Feb. 9, 1935, to March 20, 1935.

Anton Okolish, John Schutte, Valentin Orehek, Rose Svetich, John Zigman, judicaries of SSCU.

Impressive Sights in Gowanda

The large signs advertising SSCU Field Day picnic suspended across the bridge on Main St., the heart of the town.

Empire State Band rendering melodious music in its Saturday evening concert on the square. Phillip Palcic played. Ernest and Louis Palcic are also members of the band, but because of out-of-town visitors did not play on this occasion.

Pool table in the Slovene Home on Palmer St., which the Clevelanders made good use of. Louis Andolsek, generalissimo at the picnic grounds, and his remarkable memory when making introductions.

Ernest Palcic Jr., picnic chairman, and his winning smile, especially with the fair sex.

Edith Palcic and Frank "Samson" Drobnic writing postal cards Sunday morning at the Palcic residence.

Bingo and the attractive prizes such as the parlor cat (stuffed of course) the latest in ash trays, handbags, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Palcic, Sr., the perfect hosts, who will always be remembered by the visitors.

"Leaping Lena" the car of cars.

Bobby Palcic and his donation of cherry trees to take home.

Delicious dinner for forty-five at the Slovene Home Sunday morning, July 21st. (Pity the girls who did the work of preparing and serving).

Jimmy Klancer at the Bingo stand shouting "who else wants to join."

Modern
Teacher: What were the different ages in history?

Willie: The stone age, bronze age, iron age.

Teacher: What age are we living in now?

Willie: The hard-boiled age.

Defined
Teacher: Who can give the best meaning of "appetite"?

Johnnie: When you're eating you're 'appy, an' when you're finished, you're tight.

Gowanda Trip Still Fresh in Cleveland

Cleveland, O. — The Cleveland SSCU members and friends who made the trip to Gowanda, N. Y., are still talking about the grand time they had at the SSCU Field Day picnic on July 20 in 21.

"It was entirely too short" is the visitors consensus of opinion. And "be sure to say thanks to the Gowandites for the good time, sleeping accommodations, breakfasts and dinners in the columns of Nova Doba," the many visitors have been reminding the editor.

The individual requests for articles of thanks would require a special edition of our official organ because every one of the 45 visitors wished to express his or her appreciation. Hence, this article will serve as that representing all the members and friends making the trip.

Should the Pathfinders extend another invitation to the Clevelanders in 1936 when they will hold the fourth annual SSCU Field Day picnic, so many will wish to avail themselves of the privilege that a special SSCU train from Cleveland to Gowanda will have to be chartered.

What impressed the visitors in particular was the "royal treatment accorded us." It seemed that nothing was too good for the guests who literally were given the key of the city.

The writer, however, feels that a good many Pathfinders and St. Joseph's slept on the front porch Saturday evening, July 20th for how else could they offer such "make yourself at home" sleeping accommodations. In 1936, should the same arrangement be carried through, the boys and girls may bring along their tents, or just ordinary blankets and pass the night at Chmiel's Grove, sleeping in the wide open spaces.

The strong feeling of friendship already existing between Cleveland and Gowanda has been heightened considerably since July 20 and 21, and the only wish of the Clevelanders is for an opportunity to see their Gowanda friends come to Cleveland and give them a chance to reciprocate.

St. Michaels to Hold Picnic

Claridge, Pa.—More about our picnic for those that missed reading about it in the last issue of the Nova Doba.

The St. Michael lodge, No. 40, SSCU, has made plans to stage the biggest picnic of its career on Sunday, Aug. 11 at Bro. Lazar's farm in honor of the juvenile members of this lodge.

Things will keep moving as long as you can move. There will be no parking admission fees to the picnic grounds.

The Hot Shots will furnish the music for the dancing. For a small sum of 25 cents you can dance to their playing which is worth more than the fee asked. Don't miss hearing these boys. Refreshments of all kinds and sandwiches will be served throughout the day.

We ask nearby lodges to keep Aug. 11 open and help make this picnic a great success. Everyone is welcome, members as well as friends.

Don't forget that all roads lead to Lazar's farm, Sunday August 11. John Regina, No. 40, SSCU.

JUVENILE CONVENTION IN ELY, MINNESOTA

Junior Representatives From Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Colorado, Montana and Wyoming Meet on August 1, 2 and 3.

SUPREME PRESIDENT BARTEL TO OPEN PROCEEDINGS Picnic at Sandy Point Sunday, Aug. 4, to Climax Entertainment for Juvenile Delegates

At last the time has arrived for the juvenile delegates who looked forward to attending the first SSCU national juvenile convention, for this week, at Ely, Minnesota, the junior representatives gather at the Washington School Auditorium, starting Thursday, Aug. 1, and continuing through Saturday, Aug. 3.

Since the inception of the juvenile convention campaign the active juveniles had their eyes set on Ely, Minnesota, as their goal, not to mention the train ride and the many sights to be seen en route.

As the Nova Doba goes to press delegates from all over the country will be arriving at Ely, in order to be on hand when the first session is called to order Thursday morning, Aug. 1, by our supreme president, Paul Bartel.

And what a happy crowd of delegates will assemble every morning starting Thursday and completing with Saturday. If only television was already

perfected to the point where all our members could tune in to watch the proceedings, instead of only Ely residents and visiting members in attendance as spectators.

Our Supreme Board and Supreme Judiciary Committee will also be in attendance to witness the sessions and to offer advice when the need arises.

Truly, this week is a banner one for our Union, as never before in the SSCU's history have the juvenile delegates met to attend their own convention.

Sessions will be confined to mornings only, according to advance information received from the home office. The afternoons shall be devoted to entertainment for the honored guests, who are wards of the Supreme Board during their stay in Ely.

Sightseeing will constitute one of the principal sources of entertainment, for in Minnesota and its ten thousand lakes

delegates will be shown scenes that will long live in memory.

As to the good times that unquestionably will be enjoyed by all juvenile delegates, we will let those in attendance relate them in subsequent issues of Nova Doba.

On Sunday, Aug. 4, Ely will witness one of the biggest parades when all SSCU members in the city will assemble in front of the home office, the starting point of the parade to Sandy Point picnic grounds.

During their stay in Ely the juvenile headquarters will be in Forest Hotel, where they will spend the nights in slumber. But you can depend on the delegates to get only as much sleep as is absolutely necessary, and each morning will find them active and raring to go.

All letters and telegrams intended for the juvenile convention should be addressed as follows: "First National Juvenile Convention, SSCU, Ely, Minn."

Juvenile Convention Begins

by Little Stan

Ely, Minn.—Probably when most of you read this you will be at Ely and guests at the First National Juvenile Convention which begins within a few days.

It is with great happiness that Little Stan notes from information given by our supreme officers that seven more juveniles will make the trip because of their closeness in the delegate race. Now there will be thirty-seven youngsters who are probably all excited and taking in everything they can see. One can just imagine how one would feel after working so diligently for this wonderful vacation trip.

Little Stan extends congratulations to all, winners and losers both. After all, the runners up are to receive a beautiful Parker pen and pencil set. A nice souvenir and it shows a marked spirit when everyone feels happier because they did not go unrewarded.

Well, that in how Little Stan feels about the whole thing, and I am sure that everyone else will understand.

So much for that, and now we begin our weekly fun fest . . . Here that hum? It's the Magic Carpet all tuned up and set to fly over the wide open spaces. Juveniles have arrived at the depot all waiting anxiously to see the magic carpet. But alas, no magic carpet at the depot. Instead there we have the sight that cures all sore eyes. Heh Heh . . . It's Little Stan and His Big Car! Yowsah . . . the baby Austin!

A young juvenile curiously opens the door, and springs back in alarm as he sees the long figure almost tied up in a knot! But with a ringing Heh Heh, the fellow unties the knots in his feet and clambors out of the huge car. The fellow is very small only six feet three, while the Austin towers at least three feet above him . . . what a picture!

Little Stan promised to take some of the supreme officers for a ride in the vehicle, and boy they will get the ride of their lives.

A host of events are scheduled for the entire four days, and juveniles as they get of the coaches are eagerly anticipating the coming days. First off they are whisked away in a parade headed by the big Austin after which they arrive at the Supreme office and are officially welcomed by the Supreme officers. The Magic Carpet then is situated at the Home Office, and the supreme officers and committee men take over the controls and will whisk the juveniles from one spot of beauty to hilarious entertainment. And after all is said and done, you will probably wake up at home a week later and ask your self, Was It a Dream? Little Stan will say yes . . . and no!

A letter from a Juvenile Dear Little Stan, I am a young girl of seventeen, and am a delegate to the convention. I am anxiously awaiting the moment when I can see you, and I think I'm going to LIKE you!

A Young Lady. Dear Young Lady . . . Little Stan is actually blushing . . . but as he is a bashful fellow . . . All he can say is Ung-AA Ung-AA! And until next week . . . when Little Stan will give you the big report I'll say So Long!

Stanley Pechaver, No. 2, S. S. C. U.

Poisonous Plants

By DR. F. J. ARCH, Supreme Medical Examiner

Camping and picnicking bring persons into contact with the poisonous plants of the woods, and in some instances fear of poisoning discourages outdoor excursions. There need be no real danger from these plants, including poison ivy, if the outdoor person learns to recognize them on sight.

It is the sap of the poison ivy plant that injures the skin when a person comes in contact with it. Glandular cells, pouring a secretion of resinous sap into the large canals and into the tiny veins of the leaves, are really responsible for the poisoning.

Poison ivy is easily distinguished by its compound leaves of three leaflets. Its flowers, which appear late in the spring, are clusters of inconspicuous greenish-white blooms, followed by waxy white berries. The poison ivy has two principal habits of growth, being either shrub-like or climbing. The height is usually from one to three feet, though in rich moist places it may reach four or five feet.

The poison penetrates the skin by means of the sweat

glands, the oil glands, the hair follicles or even the surface of the skin itself. In from twelve hours to a week after contact with the plant, a reddening and itching are noticed. In severe cases blistering may result. In about another week, this condition disappears and the injured skin starts peeling.

While cases of ivy poisoning can usually be traced to direct contact with the plant itself, it is possible to be affected indirectly, for the sap can be carried on the furs of animals, on farm implements, golf clubs or balls, on clothing and shoes.

If you come in contact with poison ivy and recognize the fact before the eruption breaks out, wash the body thoroughly with soap and water. A good lather of soap is necessary since the poisonous sap is not soluble in water and cannot be removed by water alone.

When the first symptoms of redness and itching of the skin appear, one to several days after exposure, a physician should be consulted. He will treat the condition with a neutralizing agent to dissolve the ivy poison.

My Trip to Gowanda

Cleveland, O.—Little did I realize that when I boarded the 6:23 train Saturday evening, July 20, which was headed for Gowanda, N. Y., that it was going to be one of the most enjoyable week-ends I had ever spent and that not for any money would I miss such an affair. There were 42 of us and no doubt we all felt the same.

We were very glad to have a private car at our disposal so that we could act and do as we pleased without disgracing ourselves before outsiders. The aisle of the car was filled with dancing couples struggling to keep in rhythm with the music of the accordion. In every corner were quartets trying their hardest to sing in harmony.

Before long the train conductor was announcing our destination, which was Silver Creek, N. Y. I must say that many of the male members in this party were feeling exceptionally happy, including myself. When the train stopped, the entire group was singing to the accompaniment of our accordionist, and were met by the Gowandites who taxied us to Gowanda.

We were taken directly to the picnic grounds where we were royally welcomed by the members of Pathfinders and St. Joseph's Lodge. The surroundings were that of a small bazaar that was comprised of a fish pond, which was operated by juveniles, a bingo table, the dance floor and, lest we forget, the refreshment stand where beer was the specialty. By the time we renewed old acquaintances, partook of "The Specialty," and tried our luck at the fish pond and bingo table, and not to forget dancing, of which the writer is a past master at stepping on everyone else's feet but his own, the evening was over too soon.

The only mar of this splendid evening to me was the loss of my railway ticket, but it brought extreme joy and pleasure to Samson Drobnic. After a thorough search of the grounds was made, which proved unsuccessful, we were taken to our sleeping quarters that were arranged for us by Ernest Palcic, Jr.

Sunday morning, July 21, I was taken on a sightseeing trip through Gowanda by my host until it was time for him to take me to the Slovene National Home, where we were served a very appetizing meal. I do not want to forget to mention that before and after the meal I was invited to the Palcic home and served beer.

From the Slovene Home we went to the picnic grounds for another day of fun. Our time was spent in playing a mock softball game with the Gowandites, the score being in our favor; riding Leapin' Lena, playing horseshoes, and, of course, dancing the remaining hours of our visit because the time was drawing close for our homeward trip.

My lost ticket turned out to be in the capable hands of Vida Kumse, who would not return it to me until I was safely on the train because I was too careless with it the day before. But the tables were turned and I had the extreme joy and pleasure of laughing when I heard that Samson Drobnic had lost his ticket after I had found mine.

All good times come to an end so we gathered together once more at the Palcic home, where we had a last glass of beer before starting to the station. On our way we were taken through the Indian reservation and on to Silver Creek depot.

On our way to the depot I was given the lost ticket of Samson Drobnic that had been picked up and also taken care of by capable hands until train time. I thought of the fun it would be to see Samson concerned over his loss. But to my disappointment, he said that if it wasn't found he would go home some other way, so why worry. Word reached him that I had his ticket and later he was able to board the train carefree.

The 20-minute wait for the tardy train was spent in dancing and singing about the station and finally brought the Silver Creek population out to see what was the cause of the commotion.

The picture going home was very different from that of go-

Ely SSCU Members requested to Attend Parade Aug. 14

Ely, Minn.—All members of lodge No. 1, Sv. Cirila i Metodija, are requested to attend parade to the picnic grounds at Sandy Point, Sunday, August 14. We will start from the Office at 1. p. m. and all branches of our SSCU will do likewise. Let us be headed by our local drum and bugle corps. We want to make it a large affair to show delegates to the juvenile convention that we are well represented in this town.

All juvenile members of lodges should attend the parade, also, for each and every one does will receive 10 cents a picnic from their lodge secretary.

If members cooperate to make this the largest ever held in this city. So show to those who are not enrolled as members of the Union that we are all actively interested in the interest of our SSCU. Only by paying our dues and being ready to join in any demonstration to add to the popularity of our organization.

Our Supreme Secretary already promised to march also the other members of the Supreme Board. All who possibly attend the parade should do so and make it a success. I know you will enjoy a nice hike to the picnic grounds Sunday, August 14. Frank Tomsich, Sec. No. 1, S. S. C. U.

Gain 25th Consecutive Mushball Victory

Claridge, Pa.—St. Michael's softball team annexed its 25th consecutive victory recently and has yet to suffer a defeat. Who will be the first team to register a higher score than boys in a scheduled contest. We certainly have a strong combination, as is evidenced in the manner in which they mow down its opponents. Below is a list of our team's batting averages:

M. Bratkovich	94
F. Bratkovich	105
H. Yerina	47
J. Stipnick	87
L. Beltz	51
Cavanaugh	104
Novak	59
Regina	6
Yakovich	73
Barbish	83
Supancic	61
J. Beltz	45
Shula	66
Vozei	41

Team average . . . 923
Opponents . . . 766

Here is a team that all members of our lodge can be proud of; especially since they are members of our great SSCU organization that takes great pride in belonging to.

What team will be the one to set us down in defeat? John Regan, Athl. Supvr., No. 40, S. S. C. U.

Maybe your best friend will tell you, but your mirror will show you the truth. Everyone was settled quite subdued. Although the face showed signs of excitement there was also a look of contentment and satisfaction.

Mathew No. 180, S. S. C. U.

A Panama Hat

Listen a minute—I've something to tell you, A sad little story, at that. A tale that is really quite tragic, About a poor Panama Hat!

Now Panama hats are exquisite, They always look nice and neat; Of course, they're supposed to be worn on one's head, And NEVER beneath the feet!

But a certain young fellow from Cleveland, Came out to Gowanda, one day, A dignified chap, who was wearing A Panama hat, by the way!

He looked pretty grand, And dressed in fine style, The ladies all "went for" His nice, pleasant smile.

His name—it was John, I won't say anymore, Except for the Panama hat, Which he wore.

Now we had a picnic, And I'm telling you That ill-fated Panama hat Was there, too.

Its master, Sir John, Thought a dance he would try, So he smiled at a lady, And she winked her eye.

They went to the platform, And swayed, to and fro, To the tune of a "Polka," Around they did go!

The Panama hat he was Holding quite tight, But it slipped from his hand, On the floor it did light!

The rest of my tale You may easily guess, The Panama hat Was a horrible "mess"!

It ripped, and it smashed, It got dirty, and tore! Poor Panama hat— Could be worn, nevermore!

The lady, felt sad, And she wanted to weep, Now that Panama hat— Haunts her still—in her sleep!

Helene Strauss, No. 222, SSCU.

Reunion of Jugoslavs in the Copper Country

Calumet, Mich. — The third annual reunion of Jugoslavs in the copper country will be held on Sunday, Aug. 4th at Electric park, which is located about four miles south of Calumet. According to present indications this year's reunion promises to surpass the previous reunions sponsored by the American Jugoslav Educational League. Therefore it is anticipated that every Jugoslav in the copper country will attend this event.

Jugoslavs who reside out of the copper country, and who are planning to visit here this summer, are requested to make arrangements to be in Calumet on Aug. 4th, the greatest day for the Jugoslavs in this district. All of you are asked to attend this celebration, and if any information is desired, you are asked to correspond with Mr. N. Badovinac, at Calumet, Mich.

The program for the day includes talks by various speakers. The tamburica orchestra under the direction of Mr. V. Floriani will render musical and vocal selections, and a popular orchestra will furnish music for dancing in the evening. In addition to the above, an interesting program of sports has been arranged for the children, by the chairman of the sports committee, J. Muvrin, Jr. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners in various events, such as racing etc. Transportation to the park and back will be provided free of charge to all picnickers in the Calumet end of the copper country.

Refreshments of all kinds will be served at the park, so lets all be present and make it a real day for the Jugoslavs. Some lucky person attending will receive a radio which is being donated by the League.

With such an arrangement of activities planned for the day, by the chairman Mr. Frank Simonich, who could stay away and not attend this gala occasion.

So let's go, you Jugoslavs, particularly you American born

Young American Boosters

Walsenburg, Colo.—Young American Boosters speak to you again. Why don't we hear anything from Salida or Denver? Come on, Shadow, forget your fishing for a while and let's hear from Colorado Lodges oftener.

We welcome into our unit two new members, Rudy and Matt Krist. May we see you both at our meetings often. Incidentally, at our next gathering we would like to have a 100 percent turnout. Members, surely we can devote one Sunday morning in the month to our meetings.

We will hold a big dance on Sunday evening, September 1st, as decided at our last meeting. The dance committee is making bigger and better plans to make this dance the biggest success ever. Dance will be held at the newly decorated Walsenburg Pavilion, and will commence at 8 p. m. Tony Just and his orchestra have been engaged to furnish music for this gala affair. It is with great pleasure that we extend a cordial invitation to all SSCU members and friends of Walsenburg and neighboring Lodges from far and near, to enjoy the evening with us, and to stay in Walsenburg on Labor Day, Sept. 2 to see the biggest and best celebration ever held in this vicinity.

Absentee members at our last meeting are hereby notified that any member who cannot pay dues by the 24th of the month, please come to the meeting and state your reason, and the assessments may be paid for you. Unless this is done members will be suspended immediately. Please keep this in mind, members.

Mary R. Dolene, Sec'y. No. 216 SSCU.

No Sale Customer: Two ham sandwiches without mustard, please. Waiter: Very sorry, sir, we are right out of mustard.

Jugoslavs, let's carry on for the sake of the principles of the American Jugoslav Educational League.

Publicity committee: Frank P. Shultz.

SSCU Field Day Never to Be Forgotten

Nowanda, N. Y.—Now that everyone has gone back to regular living, we can think back to the moments over the in-ants in connection with the Field Day sponsored by the Pathfinders and St. Joseph's. We were greatly honored with the presence of 45 happy-go-lucky people from Ireland and Lorain, Ohio, including Mr. J. Terbovec and Miss M. Kolar of the SSCU Executive Board. We were sorry that this group was not able to see the large crowd attending the picnic on Sunday and there was more taken in at that time than at any previous field day at the two lodges.

Maybe we didn't succeed, but we really wanted our Ohio friends to enjoy themselves with us. We always felt that the Cleveland and Ohio members were a grand group and after the rest of our wanderers met them, we are of the opinion that we have never met a better bunch of fellows.

We understand that they had a very enjoyable trip on the Nickel Plate Railroad, and everything there was not a dull moment. Following is a copy of a telegram which they received from the train and it was supposedly from me, but I must have done it in my sleep.

Please hurry Stop Four at you Stop Last but not least, looking fellows for girls and pretty girls for all youse.

Another telegram received from the old maestro, John P. Kolar, stated that his wife and the forty kids in Gowanda. This almost made him.

The Nickel Plate Railroad is still picking up the tables, seats, bottles and other things along the line from Cleveland, but there was lots of Ham left.

It certainly was a sight for the eyes to see the gang at Silver Creek, from the cars took them to Gowanda. Everyone had his version of what the Leapin' Lena was like, but I don't believe I realized what a bucking cow it was.

In last week's Nova Doba Kolar writes evidently to the benefit of his better half, Fannie, that he was one of the few who went to sleep Saturday night. Far be it from me to let her know that I really carried on terrible when she wasn't here, but I hope none of the Clevelanders heard her.

We had to hurry Mr. Terbovec to bed on Saturday night and he was winning all the prizes and we wanted someone to have a chance, too. Nevertheless, before he had closed over once and had just waked his eyes, Ham Laurich asked him out of bed, and he should have seen the sleepy head at breakfast.

While Samson Drobnic was being heard him implore the driver to stop, and we thought he could take it. Even Kolar Susicnik, who had many frequent rides on the bucking auto. Now, who said Johnny Zortz of Lorain, O., had his hat on the roof of the breeze like a flag.

Our congratulations go to Kolar and Martin Kloplic, who were recently married and were among the Cleveland group. Sorry that we did not know this until last week's

Nova Doba. Rain shortened our program of races, but every person had a chance to show his or her prowess. Jeanne Kloplic already showed her experience in kitchen work by winning the 50-yard egg carrying race. Frank Palcic crossed the line first in a 50-yard dash for men. Inasmuch as Mike Krall is supposed to have been a national champion runner, we were going to put him five yards behind the other runners. However, he convinced us that he had not been practicing since he won the Olympics in 1898. Violet Widgay, who is a regular juvenile writer, easily won the small girls' racing contest, while Philip Sever did likewise in the boys' event.

Mr. Terbovec sanctioned the transfer of Frank "Samson" Drobnic to the Pathfinders and he played shortstop for us against Cleveland in a softball game. Cleveland won an easy victory, but we claim our loss was due to the inability of Shortstop Samson to back up our outfielders. Mattie Molk delighted in batting the ball through his legs. Vida Kumse of Lorain was umpire. The only trouble with her was that she let all the good-looking guys walk to first base. That's how Louis Kolar happened to get to first base so often. Our team must have been a homely bunch for Vida, but Louis Andolsek cheated once in a while to get a Pathfinder on base. If we ever get a game with Cleveland again, we should have some glue for our players. The Triumvirate should claim the SSCU softball championship for 1935.

In a previous writup I mentioned that we would have members on the lookout for Frank Sodnikar of the Enakopravnost if he attempted to climb over our barbed wire fence. Evidently this changed his mind as he went to Wisconsin instead. A card from him states that he had plenty of fences to cross with a bull after him. Perhaps he may give us a pleasure of a visit in the near future.

As some of our members keep scrap books of the Pathfinders' doings, we want to list the names of our guests during our two-day picnic:

Anton J. Terbovec, Louis M. Kolar, John P. Lunka, Frank Jaklich, Charles Kikel, Frances Kikel, Anne Kloplic, Martin Kloplic, Jeanne Kloplic, Mary Bajt, Theresa Bajt, Anna Stanonik, Jack Zortz, Joe Krall, Mary Bobnar, Anna Yurkovich, Betty Stucin, Frank Drobnic, Joe Kogoy, Jean Petkovsek, Julia Bouha, Frank Opalek, Andrew Shaga, Martha Kumse, Vida Kumse, Ham Laurich, Alice Laurich, Frances Srakar, Eddy Marolt, Anton Marolt, Louis Pirc, Eddy Rupert, Pauline Sternisha, Frank Uenefich, Rudy Jelercic, Angeline Gruden, Frank Bohinc, Mike Krall, Catherine Krall, Julia Belenske, Sarah Susicnik, Anna Susicnik, Joseph Kovitch, Frank Sluga, Mattie Molk. We ended up with Mattie because he was the last one to get up on Sunday morning.

Vida Kumse was the winner of a beautiful doll and we hope this will help to occupy Vida's mind until she returns to teaching in the fall. I saw Mike Krall scanning the horizon for some of our Indians while he was riding the hills on a pony. One of his first dreams when he was so high was to ride a pony, and so he did on this trip to Gowanda.

I only wish the time had not gone so fast as I had very little time to get acquainted with our visitors. Now and then we were able to spend a few minutes with them, but not long

enough for such a swell crowd. We also had an enjoyable time dancing on the cinders at the Silver Creek station just before they returned home. Joe Kovitch kept the crowd in high spirits with his peppy accordion. We always had a good opinion of Ham Laurich, but no one expected him to come around at the Silver Creek station begging for a nickel for a cup of coffee.

A whole Nova Doba could be used in telling of the things of interest concerning the swellest group we ever met.

We wish also to thank all the members of the Pathfinders and St. Joseph's members who worked, donated or offered accommodations in connection with this affair. All the various chairmen worked very hard. However, the most thanks should go to Louis Andolsek and Martin Matekovich as these two did the major portion of the work.

Christine Korosek, sister of Anna Strout, and SSCU member from West Virginia, is spending her vacation in Gowanda and we have initiated her into some of the Pathfinders' work. She will probably be remembered as a very interesting writer, writing frequently for the Nova Doba. We hope that she enjoys her stay in Gowanda.

Ernest Palcic Jr.,
No. 222, SSCU.

Davis, W. Va., Lodge Reports Baseball Games

Davis, W. Va.—Reports of our baseball team have not been made to the English section of Nova Doba. However, we hope to make up for lost time by reporting that our team won 6 games and lost 2 to their opponents thus far. In order to get a better idea of our team, we have submitted the following averages for publication:

F. Sluger	475
B. Kosanic	438
S. Ujcie	416
T. Sluger	363
I. Kercic	317
V. Ujcie	300
L. Honigman	258
J. Sluger	215
J. Kosanic	214
F. Kosanic	173
B. Burger	150

For the future we expect to report on our games played.

Frank Kosanic, Sec'y.
No. 106, SSCU.

Guess Again

A smart youth was visiting another city for the first time. He stopped a pedestrian to learn the way to his destination.

"Say, Pat, can you tell me the way to Center Street?"

"An' how did yez know me name wor Pat?"

"I guessed."

"Ye're good at guessin', sor?"

"Fine."

"Thin guess where Center Strate is."

DOPISI

Rock Springs, Wyo.

Vsa tri tukajšnja društva JSKJ, namreč št. 18, št. 134 in št. 202, so se domislila in dogovorila, da priredijo velik skupen piknik prvo nedeljo v avgustu, to je 4. avgusta. Piknik se bo vršil ob reki Green River.

Iz Rock Springs do mesta Green River je okrog 15 milj daljave in je vseskozi tlakovana cesta. Od mesta Green Riverja do prostora, kjer se bo vršil piknik, je tri milje daleč, in sicer proti vzhodu. Na prostor piknika se lahko pride z vsakovo vrstnimi transportacijskimi sredstvi (samo peš ne bi bilo mogoče priti tja istega dne). Našim rojakom je prostor včinoma znan. Vsekakor naj omenim, da ko se pride na postajo Green River, se ne sme voziti čez reko v "park," ampak treba je voziti čez vse železniške tise, držati se je najbolje levične poti skozi "Stockyard," čez most posušenega Rock Springs "veletoka" in preko malih apnenčastih oziroma skalovitih rekucij. Po tej poti se bo prišlo prav tam, kjer bodo ta dan na razpolago razne mokrote, ne samo Green River, pač pa tudi Mississippi, St. Louis, Budweiser itd. Za otroke bo preskrbljeno z mehkim in sladkimi pijačami. Za samokupa bo pripravljena prekajena svinjska noga (šunka), da jim ne bo preveč dolgčas pri pijači, družine pa bodo prinesle s seboj takih okrepčil, kakršna jim bodo najbolj ugajala.

Na zeleni trati in pod košatim drevjem bo dovolj prilike za odpočitek in zabavo, kdor se bo pa hotel zavrteti, mu bo k temu pomagal Jakopov meh. Vsi rojaki in rojakinje iz Rock Springs in iz okoliških naselbin so prijazno vabljeni, da se nam pridružijo na tem pikniku in se zabavajo z nami v prosti naravi. Vsi bodo dobrodošli in po najboljši možnosti postreženi. Treba je izrabi še teh par nedelj za izlete v prosto naravo, kajti kisle jesen in zima se bosta vse prehitro približali. Pozdrav in na svidenje na pikniku v nedeljo 4. avgusta! — Za društvo št. 18 JSKJ:

Louis Taucher, tajnik.

Finleyville, Pa.

Zopet je čas, da se oglasim v Novi Dobi. Novoga ravno nimam kaj poročati, kajti "New Deal" je šel rakom živizat, o starem pa ni, da bi človek govoril. Tako je prišlo, da je na najboljšem koncu zanič. Zato pa tudi na društvenem polju ni nikakega napredka.

Na zadnji seji društva sv. Frančiška, št. 148 JSKJ, ki se je vršila 14. julija, smo pronašli, da se je naše društvene blagajne lotila huda sušica. Radi bi bili aranžirali kaj glede doktorja, toda na seji nas je bilo samo šest članov, pa tega nismo mogli niti upali storiti. Pozivljamo torej člane našega društva, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila 11. avgusta. Na omenjeni seji moramo ukreniti kar je nujno potrebno, da nam blagajne ne pobere sušica. Izvoliti bo treba tudi društvenega zapisnikarja, ker nikakor ni prav, da bi en član opravljal kar dva društvena urada. Zato vsi na sejo v nedeljo 11. avgusta! — Za društvo št. 148 JSKJ:

Frank Pernishek,
predsednik in zapisnikar.

Cle Elum, Wash.

Društvo "Sloga ljubezni" št. 167 JSKJ v Cle Elum, Wash., je na svoji seji dne 2. julija razmotrivalo radi kolone "Vsak po svoje" in je soglasno zaključilo, da naj ta kolona še ostane, kakršna je, ker večini našega članstva ugaja.

Nadalje prosim ter opozarjam vse naše člane, da se bolj pogosto udeležujejo društvenih sej, posebno pa seje, ki se bo vršila 17. avgusta, ker bo na

tej seji nekaj zelo važnih točk za rešiti. Kdor se ne bo udeleževal seji, bo društvo z vsakim takim postopalo po pravilih. — Torej na svidenje na prihodnji seji!

Z bratskim pozdravom,
Leo Lemshek, tajnik.

JUGOSLOVANSKI DAN NA CALUMETU

Jugoslovanski dan v bakrenem okrožju se bo tudi letos vršil s piknikom v Electric parku in sicer dne 4. avgusta. Od 1. 1933 se je vršil slični piknik vsako leto z velikim uspehom, torej je pričakovati, da bo tudi letošnja prireditev enaka in še bolj uspešna kot minuli pikniki.

Vsled tega so prav vljudno vabljeni vsi Jugoslavlani bakrenega okrožja, da se udeležijo in pokažejo, da so v resnici vneti za jugoslovansko misel; treba se nam je združiti kot Jugoslavlani, da bomo bolj močni in da dosežemo v javnosti več ugleda. Kdor misli ob tem času priti na obisk semkaj v Calumet, bo imel lepo priliko udeležiti se našega piknika; že danes jih vljudno vabimo. Na programu bosta dva govornika: generalni jugoslovanski konzul dr. Vukmirovič iz Chicaga in kongresnik Hon. F. E. Hook. Sviral bo na tem pikniku tamburaški zbor, in na programu bo tudi lepo petje. Voznina iz Calumeta do Electric parka in nazaj je prosta; program se začne že ob 1. uri. Za mladino (otroke) je tudi določen program (športne igre, tekme itd.). Določene so tudi lepe nagrade med tekmovalci. Zvečer bo ples in odmor je preskrbel vse, da bo dovolj jedate in pijače; torej ako bo vreme ugodno, je pričakovati velike udeležbe. — Vstopnina v park je samo 10c, in kdor bo srečen, bo dobil lep radio aparat kot dar. Torej na veselo svidenje na našem Jugoslovanskem dnevu v Calumetu dne 4. avgusta!

Za publicijski odbor:
Frank P. Shaltz.

PRESAJENE GLAVE

Pred nekoliko leti so v nekem dunajskem biološkem raziskovalnem zavodu izvršili prve senzacionalne poskuse z zamenjavo živalskih glav. Ze takrat je uspelo raznim vrstam žuželk, kakor vodnim hroščem, mokarjem, metuljem in kobilicam zamenjati glave in jih ohraniti žive. Sedaj so te poskuse izvršili pred vsem z namenom, da doženejo, v koliko je odražena in presajena glava sposobna izvrševati svoje funkcije.

Kot kriterij za uspeh operacije je veljala sposobnost, da se žival po operaciji iz mladostne oblike razvija v dozorele stadije. V resnici je uspelo tudi pri vseh poskusnih živalih doseči razvite oblike. Žuželke s presajeno glavo so preoblikovane prebile brez posebnih težav.

Vsak pozna črve mokarje kot priljubljeno hrano za terarijske živali in ptice. Manj bo znano, da ti črvi sploh niso črvi, temveč mladostna oblika ličinke nekega hrošča. Ko se črvi mokarji mažrejo do debelosti, se zabubijo in kmalu se pojavijo znova kot popolnoma razviti hrošči. Eksperimentator je skrbno pazil na dan, ko se je takšen črv zabubil. Nato mu je odrezal glavo in mu jo znovala pritaknil k telesu. Živalica pa se je vseeno razvila v hrošča, ki je bil videti sicer malo zaostal, krila in pokrova nad krili sta mu bila malo okrnjena, a živila je vendar in kar je glavno; imela je glavo. Čeljustne organe in tipalke je gibal kakor normalen hrošč, tekkel je malo nerodneje nego normalne živali, a vendarle je tekkel in se je celo lahko obračal. S splošnem ni delal vtisa živali, ki bi bila kdaj "izgubila glavo."

Na isti način so operirali bube dveh metuljev raznih vrst.

Tu so pa jima glavi v resnici zamenjali. Zamenjavo je bilo opaziti na prvi pogled, ker sta bili presajeni glavi drugačne barve nego telo. Navzlic temu pa sta se bubi razvili v polno vredna metulja.

Kot posebno primerna za te vrste poskusov se je izkazala neka kobilica, čudna žuželka, ki slični tenki, suhi veji in prebije dnevi čas v hipnotični otroposti. Ta kobilica je tudi svoje spolno vprašanje rešila na enostaven način: ljubezni za razmnožitev sploh ne potrebuje in leže jajca brez sodelovanja samca in oploditve. Težji živali prav nič ne de, če ji odsečeš glavo in ji jo spet pritakneš. Čez dva dni žre kakor prej in živi kakor prej. Kobilice s tako pritaknjeno glavo so se tudi povsem normalno levile in legle jajca, iz katerih so se izvalili normalni mladiči.

Takšne senzacionalne operacije uspevajo seveda le v kraljestvu nižjih živali, med žuželkami, pri katerih se prerezani živci očitno spet spojiijo z enostavno zlepitvijo.

Pri ljudeh bi zaman poskušali kaj takega in bi bilo tudi odveč — saj smatra vsakdo svojo glavo za najboljšo ...

Kako se narodi spoštujejo

Skoro vsak narod ima o kakem drugem narodu različne zbadljivke ali mu pripisuje razne slabe lastnosti. Mi Slovenci navadno ne rečemo zlepa kaj hujšega, ko da kdo kolne kakor Madžar ali da se je po francosko poslovil, če ni česa plača.

Angleži govorijo prezirljivo o "dutchu," Holandcu, kar izvira gotovo iz časov angleško-holandskega tekmovanja na morju. Po vsem svetu rabijo francoski izraz "chinoiserie" ("kitajstvo") za označbo kakšne budalosti, s čimer delajo Kitajcem gotovo krivico. Na Švedskem pravijo o pretiranem ljubosumnju, da je "ljubosumen kakor Turek," čeprav bi si človek mislil, da je Turek v poedinem primeru že zavoljo svojega množičnega ljubosumja eno kakšen enoženec.

"Stari Šved" pomeni v nemščini nekaj ljubeznivega, "delati se Šveda," pa pomeni na Španskem spet delati se nemurnejšega, nego si v resnici. "Holandec naj bom, če lažem!" se pridruša Angleži; o človeku, ki se hoče korajže napiti, pravi, da ima "holandsko korajžo," "govoriti dvakrat holandsko," je istozačnica za "govoriti nesmisel," "holandska vdova," je na Angleškem dekle, ki baš ni vdova, temveč ima opravka z mnogimi moškimi — nu, in če uporabljajo Holandci po tolikšnemu preziranju z one strani za Angleža označbo "moff," kar je še hujše nego angleški "dutch" za Holandce, bi jim dal človek skoraj prav.

Angleži pa prezirajo tudi ljudi iz svoje lastne hiše. "Irish" pravijo nesposobnemu človeku, "irish arm" (irske roke) se pošmehujejo kratkim in debelim dekliskim nogam, "an Irishman's hurricane" (Irčev vihar) je označba za lahen vetrček, češ: že takšnemu vetrčku pravi irski mornar vihar. "Scotch greys" pravi Anglež bolham, toda ti "sivi Skoti" so bili nekoč znamenit škotski polk ...

"Grk" pomeni v angleščini, francoščini in italijanščini sleparja, "po špansko iti" (to walk Spanish) pravijo Angleži, kadar "gre" nekdo tako, da so ga zgrabili za ovratnik in ga vrgli na prosto.

Posebno prijazni so si seveda Francozi in Nemci med seboj. "Querrelles d'Allemands" (nemške pritožbe) imenuje Francoz pritožbe, ki so bile storjene v slabi veri, Nemci imenujejo Francoze "žabojede" (Italijane pa "mačkojede"), "kolne kakor Francoz" (pri nas "kčne kakor Turek") pravijo o človeku, ki greši mnogo proti prvi božji zapovedi, a če bi ho-

tehi navesti z obeh strani vse "Franzmannen," "boche," "Hunen" itd. itd., bi lahko napisali obsežen slovar samih takšnih. Izraz "poljsko gospodarstvo" za slabo gospodarstvo dovolj jasno kaže, kako sodi Nemec že od starih časov o svojem sosedu in današnjem zavezniku, "Sautpreusse" (svinjski Prus) nam odkriva vse spoštovanje, ki ga ima južni Nemec za severnega Nemca, "saoul comme un Polonois" (pijan kakor Poljak) je vsakdanji francoski izraz, a če bi hoteli začeti z našimi "polentarji" in njihovimi "ščavi," bi danes prav gotovo ne prišli do konca. Zato: pika!

SVOJEVRSTNI LOVCI

Med lovce prav posebne vrste spada nedvomno American Bar-num Brown, ki z aeroplanom zasleduje dinosavre. To se sliši seveda nekoliko fantastično, kajti dinosavri so izumrli že pred kakimi 135,000,000 leti. Vsekakor je na gotov način resnično. Mr. Brown, v službi Ameriškega muzeja naravne zgodovine v New Yorku, je lani prekožil kakšnih 20,000 milj nad državami Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota, Utah, Colorado, Arizona in New Mexico. Oborožen je bil z značno fotografsko kamero in razvite filme so mu pokazale mnogo novih krajev, kjer upa najti okostja davno izumrlih živali.

Na nekem ranchu blizu Grey-bulla v državi Wyoming je Brown nedavno našel pravo zakladnico dinosavrovih okostij. Delavci so izkopali okostja od približno 20 dinosavrov, ki so tam poginili pred približno 135 milijoni let. V blatu, ki je v milijonih let okamenelo, so našli raziskovalci poleg kosti celo dobro ohranjene koščke dinosavrove kože in oglagane žilodčne kamne, ki so jih davni dinosavri požirali za boljše prebavo, kakor na primer kokoši zboljšje pesek.

Dinosavri so bili ogromni reptili, ki so se hranili z rastlinstvom. Znanstveniki sodijo, da je bila v tistih časih Severna Amerika ločena v dva kontinenta z morskimi rokavom, ki se je raztegal od Severnega morja do Mehškega zaliva. Podnebje je bilo poltropno vse gori do canadске province Alberta. V takozvani mesozoični dobi so se iz planjav začele dvigati sedanje Rocky Mountains, morski rokav se je pretrgal in na njegovem mestu so nastala močvirja, kjer je rastlinstvo zelo bujno rastlo. To je bila sijajna paša za dinosavre in druge rastlinojede reptile. Gorovje se je vedno dvigalo in počasi so se močvirja osušila, rastlinstvo je usahnilo, paše za ogromne reptile je začelo zmanjkovati in temu je sledil njihov konec.

Veliki kupi dinosavrovih okostij na gotovih krajih, predstavljajo, po mnenju znanstvenikov, zadnje močvirne dele dežele, kjer so velikianski reptili še dobili nekaj paše. Ko je bilo tudi tam rastlinstvo uničeno, so davni veliki žilodnost poginili. Tako naravno zgodovino citajo znanstveniki v zemskih formacijah in okamenelih okostjih davnih prebivalcev naših krajev.

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