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Konfuzna politična situacija v nemški republici

Boj med Hitlerjem in Papenom za pozicijo ministrskega predsednika. Papen pravi, da je nemški narod pri volitvah pokazal, da ne mara strankarske vlade. Nadaljnji šest oseb ubitih v političnih izgredivih

Berlin, 2. avg. — Med kancelarjem Papenom, načelnikom nemškega baronskega in militarističnega kabineta, in Hitlerjem, voditeljem nemškega fašizma, je prišlo do večjega spora. Papen je odprto izjavil, da se bo upri parlamentu, ako bo skušal strmoglaviti njegovo vlado, do čim Hitler, čigar stranka ni dobila zadostne večine pri nedeljskih volitvah, zahteva pozicijo kancelarja.

Ker ni nobena stranka dobila absolutne večine, da bi lahko kontrolirala parlament, je možno, da bo Papenov režim ostal še nadalje na krmilu. Papen je že podal izjavo, da bo sestavil novo kabinet ter ga predložil parlamentu; ki se sestane 29. avgusta, v obdobju. Dejal je, da bo njegova vlada aristokratov in militaristov izvrševala svoje funkcije brez podpore s strani parlamenta, kajti nemški narod je pri volitvah pokazal, da ne mara strankarske vlade.

"Jaz in moji kolegi bomo predložili naš program parlamentu, toda upri se bomo, ako bo parlament zahteval naše resignacije," je rekel kancelar.

Papen je izrazil tudi upanje, da bo Hitler postal član njegovega kabineta. Čas je prišel, ko morajo tudi hitlerjevci sodelovati pri rekonstrukciji Nemčije," naglašala kancelar v svoji izjavi.

Poročila, da so fašisti in baronska vlada sklenili tajni pakt tekom volilne kampanje, se še vedno vzdržujejo. Na podlagi tega pakta bi fašisti vstopili v vlado v slučaju, da ne dobe absolutne večine pri volitvah. Nekateri fašistični voditelji so se odločno izrekli proti vsaki koaliciji in hočejo imeti Hitlerja za kancelarja, čeprav ne bodo imeli večine v novem parlamentu. Zvedelo se je, da bo Hitler sam zahteval to pozicijo, ko se sestane s predsednikom Hindenburgom koncem tega tedna. Poroča se tudi, da bodo fašisti zahtevali tudi pozicijo notranjega ministra.

Nekateri politični opazovalci domnevajo, da bodo fašisti skušali pridobiti centriste na svojo stran. Taka kombinacija bi lahko strmoglavila Papenov režim. V tem slučaju bi Bruening, vodja centristov, postal zunanji minister, Hitler pa kancelar. Ako se konsolidacija izvede, bo imela nova kombinacija 325 sedežev v parlamentu in bo lahko poslala baronsko vlado v pokoj.

Politična situacija v Nemčiji je vsekar kaotična. Fašisti so računali na veliko zmago pri volitvah, toda so se prevarili. Izšli so sicer kot najmočnejša stranka iz volilnega boja, toda sanje, da bodo kontrolirali parlament, so se razblinile.

Včeraj je prišlo spet do večjih političnih izgrediv v nemških mestih, v katerih je bilo šest oseb ubitih in nad dvajset ranjenih. V Koenigsbergu je uniformirana fašistična mladina navadila na stanovanja svojih političnih nasprotnikov in sledile so krvave praske.

Franz Bracht, Papenov federalni komisar v Prusiji, je izdal zadnje svarilo na politične stranke. Zagrozil jim je s težkimi kaznimi, ako bodo nadaljevali s terorističnimi akcijami.

Dva komunisti sta bila ubita v bitki s fašisti in policijo v Hamburgu, v Essen pa so se spoprijeli fašisti in policija. V bitki so bili trije ubiti in več ranjenih. Dvajset fašistov, pri

DRŽAVNE AVTORITETE PROTI VETERANOM

Policija v Johnstownu navallila na radikalno zborovanje in aretirala osem komunistov

Johnstown, Pa., 2. avg. — Guvernerja dveh držav sta odklonila apel glede pomoči vojnim veteranom. Gifford Pinchot je odklonil petico, katero mu je poslal župan Johnstowna Eddie McCloskey. Slednji je apeliral na guvernerja, naj postavi plačene šotore, v katerih se bi nastanili veterani, njihove žene in otroci, katere so federalne čete izgnale iz Washingtona.

Guverner države Maryland Albert C. Ritchie je izjavil, da se ne strinja z načrtom, da bi veterani ustanovili stalno kolonijo v njegovi državi, na zemljišču, ki jim je bilo podarjeno. Rekel je, da je načrt nepraktičen, ker bi veterani kmalu postali breme javni dobrokolenosti. Svetovlo je bivšim vojakom, naj se vrnejo na svoje domove in pristavil, da se je obrnil na generalnega pravdnika glede legalnosti ustanovitve nove kolonije v kraju, ki je samo dvajset milj oddaljen od Washingtona. Kasneje je dejal, da je pripravljen sprejeti W. W. Watersa, načelnika bonusne armade, na sestanku, na katerem bi razpravljala o tej zadevi.

Policija v Johnstownu je včeraj razbila radikalno zborovanje, ki je bilo sklicano v glavnem delu mesta. Osem komunistov je policija aretirala. Guverner Pinchot, ki je odklonil pomoč veteranom, je vseeno opodil postopanje federalnih avtoritet, ki so z oboroženo silo pognale veterane iz kapitola.

"Veterani so pokazali večjo razsodnost kot washingtonske avtoritete," je dejal guverner. "Avtoritete so nastopile proti veteranom kot da bi ti bili kitajski kuliji. Nič takega niso storili, da bi upravičevalo nočni napad na njihova šotorišča, kjer so bile tudi ženske in otroci, s solzavicami, strojnimi puškami in bombami, kot je to storila federalna vlada v Washingtonu, pa boste s tem ustvarili pogoje za revolucijo."

"Apeliramo na predsednika in druge uradnike, naj opuste brutalno taktiko proti brezposelnim, dokler je še čas. Položaj je napet in varnost dežele je ogrožena. Miru ne more biti, ako bodo federalne čete in policija s svojo taktiko prisilila brezposelne na boj za življenje. Ameriška demokracija je v preizkušnji. Ako ne more vlada izvelič naroda iz depresije na miren način, je demokracija v nevarnosti. Ako mora biti armada pozvana v vojno proti neoboroženim državljanom, ni to več Amerika. Administracija se mora zavdati, da je despotizem prvi korak k revoluciji. Despoti, ne komunistična propaganda, bodo pognali deželo v revolucijo."

Princ spreminil svoj grad v hotel

Budimpešta, 2. avg. — Spet ena evropska aristokratska familija potrebuje denar in je vsled tega spreminila svoj grad v hotel in pričela sprejemati goste. To je familija princa Ludviga Windischgractza, ena najstarejših in najprominentnejših familij v zgodovini Avstro-Ogrske. Princ je pravkar naznanil, da je njegov grad v Sarospataku na razpolago gostom, ki so pripravljeni plačati tri dolarje na dan za hrano in stanovanje. V prostore tega gradu ni imel pred osemnajstimi leti dostopa nihče, ako ni imel v svojih žilah "plave" krvi.

Stavka v Milwaukeeju

Milwaukee, Wis. — Delavci pri Milwaukee Chair Co. so zastavkali, ker jim je družba že tretjič v enem letu reducirala mezde. Ta kompanija prejema naročila tudi od federalne vlade in nekaterim delavcem je plačevala le 16 centov na uro.

katerih je policija našla orožje in municijo, je bilo aretiranih. Nad petdeset oseb je bilo ranjenih v bitki med fašisti in komunisti v Chemnitzu in okrog 40 aretiranih.

Brazilski rebeli v ofenzivi

Organizirali so pohod proti kapitolu. — Justifikacije rebelev v Peruju

Sao Paulo, Brazilija, 2. avg. — Voditelji revolte v državi Sao Paulo so konsolidirali svoje pozicije v bližini mesta Itarare in njihova armada se je pripravila na ofenzivo.

Rebeli nameravajo sedaj organizirati pohod proti Rio de Janeiru, glavnemu mestu Brazilije, da strmoglavijo diktatorja Vargasa, vzpostavijo ustavno vlado in okličejo parlamentarne volitve.

Lima, Peru, 2. avg. — Vlada je včeraj naznanila, da je justifikirala 44 rebelev, voditeljev protivladne revolte v prvih tednih julija, ki se je izjalovila. O vseh obsojence so nagnali v strelske järke, katere so sami izkopali okrog glavnega mesta, in jih ustrelili. Vojaško sodišče je obsodilo na smrt 106 rebelev.

Italija spet grozi

Pravi, da se ne bo udeležila prihodnje razorožitvene konference

Rim, 2. avg. — General Italo Balbo, italijanski minister vojne letalstva, je včeraj obvestil svet, da se Italija ne bo udeležila prihodnje razorožitvene konference, ako bodo ostale države postopale v zadevah razorožitve.

Balbovo izjavo je objavil Mussolinijev list "Popolo d'Italia". V izjavi je rečeno, da odkloni tudi druge države sledile Italiji in ne bodo poslane svojih reprezentantov na razorožitveno konferenco. Balbo je nedvomno imel v mislih sovjetsko Rusijo in deset drugih držav, katerih zastopniki so glasovali proti ali pa se vzdržali glasovanja o resoluciji glede zaključne razorožitvene konference pred par tedni.

Balbo pravi, da so Velika Britanija, Francija in Združene države kontrolirale konferenco in preprečile akcije v prilog rusnični razorožitvi ali vsaj redukciji oboroževanja. Pri tem so se posluževale raznih trikov, da so prevarile zastopnike malih narodov in jih prisilile na odobritev njihovih načrtov.

Bojazan pred rudarskimi izgredivi

Vzsmirjenje na premogovnem polju v Indiani in Illinoisu

Chicago, 2. avg. — Nepokoj med rudarji v južnem delu države Indiana in v Illinoisu narašča. Guverner Indiana Harry Leslie je včeraj odklonil apel premogovnih operatorjev, naj pošlje državne miličnike v Terre Haute, da bi protektrirali neunijske rudarje, ki so uposleni v premogovnikih.

John L. Lewis, predsednik mednarodne rudarske unije, bo danes govoril na rudarskem shodu v Benton, Ill. Prebivalstvo tega mesteca je silno vzruženo, ker so se pojavile govoriče o izgredivih. Lewis bo govoril o novi pogodbi, ki je bila sklenjena med zastopniki dvanajstega premogovnega distrikta in operatorji.

Včeraj je velika skupina unijskih rudarjev piketirala premogovnike Dixie Bee v bližini Terre Haute, kjer so uposleni neunijski rudarji. Ti se niso upali priti na svetlo, ker so se bali nasilja. Šerif Charles C. Whitlock se je potem obrnil na guvernerja, naj pošlje miličnike, ker on in njegovi deputiji niso kos situaciji, kar pa je guverner odklonil.

DEMONSTRACIJE BREZPOSELNIH V KANADI

Delavci zahtevajo brezposelnostno zavarovanje in državno pomoč

Ottawa, 2. avg. — Krog dva tisoč brezposelnih delavcev, ki so prišli z vseh strani Kanade, si je včeraj postavilo šotorišča ob mestni meji. Armada brezposelnih bi bila veliko večja, da niso krajevne oblasti ustavile in razpršile pohodnike, ki so bili namenjeni v Ottawa.

Včeraj so imeli brezposelni svoje zborovanje. Sprejeli so resolucijo, v kateri obojajo akcije predsednika Hooverja, ker je poslal federalne čete proti vojnim veteranom. Danes nameravajo brezposelni uprizoriti velike demonstracije pred državnim zbornico, kjer je sedaj v teku imperialna konferenca.

Premijer Bennett je izjavil, da je pripravljen sprejeti delegacijo brezposelnih, katero pa ne sme tvoriti več kot osem oseb, da silijo nveste pritožbe. Organizacija brezposelnih nima nikakih stikov s komunistično stranko, ki je bila v Kanadi razglašena za nelegalno.

Brezposelni zahtevajo brezposelnostno zavarovanje, katerega pa bi morali vzdrževati delodajalci in vlada, ne pa delavci. Dalje zahtevajo državno podporo deset dolarjev na teden za vsakega brezposelnega in nadaljnja dva dolarja za vsako odvisno osebo; odpoklic visoke carine in davkov; ukinitve policijskega terorizma, ki se je razširil po vsej Kanadi; izpustitev komunistov iz zaporov in odpoklic britanskega vojaštva iz kolonij. Dalje so se izrekli za odpoklic embarga na sovjetske produkte in za samoodločevanje v Indiji.

Domeš drobit

Iz Chicago. — Glavni odbor SNPJ je imel sejo 1., 2. in 3. avgusta. Važni zaključki in izpki iz poročil bodo objavljeni prihodnji teden. — Pliknik federacije čikaških društev SNPJ, ki je bil v Willow Springsu prejšnjem nedelju, se je dobro obnesel. — Br. Joško Oven se je preselel v Clarendon Hills, kjer si je postavil hišo v sosesčini br. Ollpa.

Iz Jackavilla, Kans. — Strela je ubila šestletnega Franka, sina Fr. Baloha iz Auburna, Ill., ki je bil na obisku pri starem očetu v Jackavilli. Igral se je z dvema dečkoma pod drevesom, ko je tresčilo v drevo in bil je na metu mrtev; ostalima dvema dečkoma se ni zgodilo nič žalega. Mali Frank je bil član mladinskega oddelka društva št. 336 SNPJ v Auburnu, Ill.

Iz Calumeta, Mich. — V bližnjem Mohawku je umrla žena Johna Vebanca, stara 56 let in doma iz Hrvaškega; živela je tam 25 let in zapušča moža in šest otrok. — Gabriel J. Cop kandidira za zapuščinskega sodnika v okraju Keweenaw. — V Shelbyju sta se poročila rojakinja Margaret Grantz in Arnold Demsey; nevesta je bila rojena v Dollar Bayju in prej je bivala v Mohawku.

Iz Clevelanda. — Umrla je Franciška Martič, roj. Kavšek, stara 70 let in doma iz Temence pri St. Vidu na Dolenjskem; tu je bila 40 let in zapušča moža in hčer.

Veteran podlegel poškodbam Washington, D. C., 2. avg. — Eric Carlson, vojni veteran, ki je bil prošil četrtek v bitki s federalnimi četami težko ranjen, je danes zjutraj podlegel poškodbam v neki tukajšnji bolnišnici. O njegovi smrti je bil takoj obveščen njegov brat, dr. John Carlson v Oaklandu. Dva veterana sta doslej postala žrtvi krvave bitke v Washingtonu. Prva žrtev je bil William Huschka iz Chicago.

Odgovor Bolivije Washingtonu

Obvestila je ameriškega državnega tajnika, da ne bo trpela intervencije in da je pripravljena izravnati konflikt s Paragvajem z oboroženo silo

La Paz, Bolivija, 2. av. — Republika Bolivija je sinoči obvestila ameriškega državnega tajnika Stimsona, da se je odločila za končanje spora med njo in Paragvajem radi vprašanja kontrole nad pokrajino Chaco z oboroženo silo, ako bo to potrebno. Poudarila je, da se ne zanima za nobeno preiskavo nevtralnih držav ter odklanja intervencijo. Odgovor Bolivije se nanaša na noto nevtralnih strank v Washingtonu, v kateri so izjavile, da so pripravljene sodelovati pri poskusih, da se konflikt poravnava na miren način.

Asuncion, Paragvaj, 2. avg. — Kongres je včeraj odobril splošno mobilizacijo oborožene sile proti Boliviji, obenem pa je vlada protestirala pri Ligi narodov, ker so bolivijake čete zasledile tri paragvajake obmejne trdnjave. Zunanji minister Higinio Arbo pravi v protestu, da je Bolivija kršila deseto in enajsto točko pogodbe, ki se nanašata na teritorialno integralnost držav, ki so članice Lige narodov.

Prebivalstvo glavnega mesta je silno vzruženo radi poročil, da so bolivijake čete ponovno navadile na trdnjavo Islapoi v pokrajini Chaco.

Odpor proti konsolidaciji železnic

Ako bo prišlo do združitve, bo na tisoče železničarjev izgubilo delo

Cleveland, O. — (FP) — Železnike unije se pripravljajo na boj proti konsolidaciji vzhodnih železnic v štiri velike sisteme. Nova bitka se bo koncentrirala na zaslišanje pred meddržavno trgovinsko komisijo, ko bodo New York Central, Pennsylvania, Nickel Plate in Baltimore & Ohio železnice predložile peticije za prevzetje železnic, katere so označene v združitvenem načrtu, ki je bil že odobren.

Daniel Willard, predsednik Baltimore & Ohio železnice, je izjavil, da bo konsolidacija rezultirala v redukciji števila železničarjev, kar bo znatno obrabotalo stroške. Predsednik eksekutivnega sveta železniških bratovčin David B. Robertson je na to odgovoril, da ne bi smela nobena železnica dobiti kontrole nad drugo, ako ne bi to prineslo ljudstvu nikake koristi. "Naše mnenje je, da konsolidacija železnic v tem času ogrožata ljudske interese, ker bi vrgla na tisočsoče delavcev na ceste," pravi Robertson.

"Mi bomo vodili boj proti konsolidaciji toliko časa, dokler ne dobimo garancije, da bodo delavske pravice protektrirane. Konsolidacija ne sme biti sredstvo za povečanje brezposelnosti in grmadenje kapitala, ki bi lahko preprečilo kolektivna pogajanja in organiziranje delavcev. Tisti, ki bodo imeli koristi od združitve, naj nosijo stroške, ne pa železniški delavci."

Ako bo predloženi načrt glede združitve vzhodnih železnic v štiri sisteme adoptiran, bodo sledile nadaljnje konsolidacije železnic na zapadu in južno od novoangelskih držav, napoveduje je Robertson. Temu bi sledile odslovitve več sto tisoč delavcev, kar pomeni poostritev depresije.

Chicago kupuje premog zunanji Illinoisu

Chicago. — L. 1918 je mesto Chicago kupilo dve tretjini premoaga od Illinoiskih operatorjev, lanske leto pa samo eno tretjino. Naročila so bila poslana premogovnim kompanijam v vzhodnih državah, ki operirajo svoje rove z neunijskimi delavci.

ANTIKOMUNISTIČNA KAMPANJA SE IZJALOVILA

Avtoritete izpustile aretirane komuniste iz zaporov. — "Father" Cox poziva veterane, naj se pridružio njegovemu gibanju

Washington, D. C. — (FP) — James W. Ford, podpredsedniški kandidat komunistične stranke, in Emanuel Levin, vodja radikalnega krila bonusne armade, sta bila poleg drugih 26 komunistov izpuščena iz zaporov. Aretacija je sledila navalu na zborovanje radikalnih veteranov par ur prej, predno je predsednik Hoover odredil federalne čete proti bivšim vojakom. Policija je takrat aretirala 48 možkih, od katerih jih je 17 pridržala za deportacijo na podlagi pretveze, da niso podali dokazov o svojem ameriškem državljanstvu.

Ta izpustitev pomeni, da administracija ni uspela, ko je hotela dokazati, da so za izgrede, katerim je sledila nasilna evakuacija bonusne armade, odgovorni radikaleci. John Pace, voditelj komunističnih veteranov, ki je organiziral piketiranje Bele hiše, je bil v zaporu, ko so se bivši vojski uprli policiji, ki jih je hotela izgnati iz šotorišč. Zvezni detektivji, ki jih je poslal justični departament v šotorišča, niso predložili nikake evidence, da so radikali veterani napadli policijo s kamenjem in opako, da je Hoover namignil, da so komunisti provocirali izgrede.

Iz Pittsburgha se poroča, da bo skušal "father" Cox pridobiti ostanke bonusne armade, da bi se pridružio njegovemu gibanju. On namerava organizirati armado pravosrajčnikov, ki bi silila Hitlerjevi v Nemčiji in Mussolinijevi v Italiji.

Krojaška unija odredila stavko

Boj je naperjen proti neunijskim delavcem

New York. — (FP) — International Ladies Garment Workers unija je odredila kratko stavko, da bo laglje izvedla dogovor, ki ga je nedavno sklenila s tremi delodajalskimi asociacijami. Cilj stavke je organiziranje vseh delavcev v tej industriji in odprava neunijskih delavcev.

Krog tisoč načelnikov tovarniških komitejev, ki zastopajo unije, katere so pridružene mednarodni organizaciji, je glasovalo za veliko večino za ratifikacijo dogovora. Sprejeli so tudi resolucije, v katerih izrekajo zahvalo newyorškemu podguvernerju Lehmanu, načelniku industrije George W. Algerju, ter Davidu Dubinsku, predsedniku mednarodne unije, ki so vodili sila pa posredovali pri pogajanjih.

Aretacije rudarjev

Pittsburgh, Pa. — Trije rudarji so bili aretirani, ker so organizirali demonstracije proti evikaciji neke brezposelne rudarske družine v Coverdalu iz kompanijskega stanovanja. Obtoženi so kaljenja javnega miru.

Nepokoj med rudarji v Coverdalu in okolici se širi, ker so premogovne družbe ponovno reducirale mezdo za deset odstotkov.

Voditelj kanadskih farmarjev o imperialni konferenci

Saskatoon, Kanada. — Imperialna konferenca v Ottawi ne bo ublažila obstoječe situacije, je dejal A. Macauley, predsednik Kanadske farmerske unije. Položaj farmarjev in delavcev se bo izboljšal le, ako pride do popolne izpremembe ekonomskega sistema, je pristavil.

Glavoviz nasebin

Zanimive beležbe iz raznih krajev

Prešernovi zopet vabijo

Chicago, Ill. — Ker nam je bil bog Pluvius preveč naklonjen dne 4. julija, smo se odločili na pritisk naših podpornih članov in prijateljev, da poskusimo svojo srečo z izletom še enkrat, in sicer dne 7. avgusta. Vršil se bo ravno na istih prostorih kakor je bilo označeno prvokrat, to je: na "Kranjakem hribečku" nad Steržnarjevimi vrtem v Willow Springu.

Najeli smo velik trok, kateri bo pripravil ob 9. zjutraj pred Bergerjevo restavracijo. Kdor se bo hotel peljati s trokom, naj bo na gori omenjenem prostoru točno ob 9. zjutraj. Vožnja v oba kraja bo stala le 25c. Kar se pa tiče druge postrežbe, mi ni treba omeniti tukaj, ker že itak vsak ve kako Prosternovi postrežejo svojim gostom. (V slučaju dežja se vrši zabava pri Bergerju, 2853 S. Lawndale ave.)

Toliko pa moram omeniti, da bosta "Gambinus" in "Bakus" igrala največjo vlogo pri žejnih, za lačne pa ravno tako dobro preskrbljeno s finimi volčki in drugimi dobrotami. Se razume,

da brez godbe tudi ne bo. Prosim vas, predstavljajte si "kranjski" piknik brez "kranjske" harmonike. To bi izgledalo kakor kranjski bankec brez "kranjskih" klobas, katere so vendar simbol in ponos našega naroda. Kar se pa tiče pesmi, te se bodo pele pa edino v našem pristnem slovenskem jeziku.

Ne pozabite dne 7. avgusta! Naredite opazko na vašem stenskem koledarju. Vstopnina bo popolnoma prosta, vse druge cene pa bodo tako znižane, da se bodo ujemale z vašimi dohodki.

Na vsidenje v senci hrastov! Za pub. odsek,

Frank Stonich.

Letni piknik združnega odseka

No. Chicago. — Ženski združni odsek za Waukegan-No. Chicago priredi svoj letni piknik v nedeljo 14. avgusta na dobro znanem prostoru pri arbski cerkvi. Naš odsek uljudno vabi vse svoje članice ter vse občinstvo, da se udeležite tega piknika. Izvajale se bodo razne tekme in igre za nagrade, katere bodo za stare in mlade. Nagrade bodo lepe in vredne, da se za-

nje potrudite. Ne pozabite pripeljati vaših otrok, kajti zanje bo tudi pripravljen. Vsak otrok dobi sladoled brezplačno. Tako dobi tudi vsak posestnik brezplačen tikec. Prizrižite in pijača se bo prodajala po zelo znižanih cenah.

Združni trok odpelje izpred Zadrage ob 10:30 prvi, zadnji pa ob 1:30. V slučaju slabega vremena bo piknik prestavljen na 21. avgusta.

Dodatek in popravek: Na 15. julija je bilo poročano o večerni zabavi, da jo prireja SNPJ, pravilno pa bi se moralo glasiti, da jo prireja gospodinjaki odsek SND. Za pub. odsek,

Frances Leskovec.

Klubom in društvom zapadne ohljske konference

Cleveland, O. — Prihodnje zborovanje konference št. 2 Prosvetne matice JSZ se bo vršilo v nedeljo 4. septembra v Salemu, Ohio. Zborovanje se prične točno ob 9. zjutraj, katero se bo vršilo v rumenih dvoranah na Ellsworth cesti. Tisti, ki pridejo iz Clevelanda ali iz Barber-tona, naj vožajo po cesti št. 14 direktno do mesta Salem. Pri prvem prometnem signalu naj krenejo na desno. Ko prevozijo kake četrt milje, bodo pri dvorani, kjer se bo zborovanje vr-

šilo. Na piknik, kateri se bo vršil istega dne popoldne v korist konferenčne blagajne, se vzame ista pot, samo vozite na desno. Ko pridete čez železniški tir, krenite pri prvi poti na desno. Na ta način pridete na pikniški prostor.

Vabilna pisma za izvolitev zastopnikov za omenjeno zborovanje so bila poslana tajnikom tistih društev, ki so včlanjena pri Prosvetni matici JSZ, tako tudi tajnikom klubov JSZ. Če v slučaju katera organizacija ne bi prejela poslanega vabila, so prošene, da upoštevajo to vabilo. Apelira se tudi na tiste organizacije, ki še niso včlanjene pri Prosvetni matici JSZ, da pošljejo svoje reprezentante, da se seznanijo z delom naše konferenčne organizacije.

Tajniki organizacij, ki bodo poslale svoje zastopnike na zborovanje, so prošeni, da mi pošljejo imena zastopnikov, to pa radi tega, ker klubov pripravljajni odbor v Salemu, O., bi rad vedel, da za koliko ljudi naj pripravi kosilo. Upam, da boste odborovi želji ustregli ter se vam za uslugo že vnaprej zahvaljujem.

Louis Zorko, tajnik konference št. 2, 6409 St. Clair ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Domova 10 letnica

Library, Pa. — Veliko jih je brez vsakega dela že dolgo časa. Nekaj nas dela v premočerovju na Librayi in nekaj na Coverdalu, ali zaslužek je pa tako majhen, da še za najpotrebnejše stvari ni. Izgleda pa še nobenega, da bi se obrnilo na bolje, zato ne kaže drugega kot potrpeti in v jeseni zopet sedanjega predsednika izvoliti, da bomo lahko še skozi 4 leta uživali to veliko slavljenjo prosperiteto. V jeseni je torej čas, da na volilni dan pokažemo, da se nikakor ne strinjamo s "prosperiteto" zadnjih štirih let.

Dobrih deset let nazaj smo si tukajšnji Slovenci postavili svoj lastni dom. Veliko nas je še tukaj, nekaj se jih je izselilo in nekaj jih pa še krije črna zemlja. Ves čas obstanka je dom dobro napredoval, ker smo splošno vsi delovali za njegov obstoj. Danes s mirno vestjo lahko rečemo, da mu je obstoj zagotovljen, ker danes dom za malo vsoto vplačila že podporo plačuje svojim podpornim članom.

Pred kratkim je bilo na domovi seji sklenjeno, da letos na Labor day obhajamo desetletnico obstanka. Na programu bodo razni govorniki, dramski odsek priredi kratko smešno igro in pevsko društvo "Javor" iz Pitta-

burgha bo zapelo več pomenljivih pesmi. Nazadnje bo prosta zabava in ples. Igrala bo dobra godba in to vse za malo vstopnino. Zato je želja doma, da se te slavnosti udeležite vsi bližnji in oddaljeni Slovenci. Vse podrobnosti bodo pravočasno objavljene v oglasu in Prosveti.

Nick Triller.

Skupni piknik

Cleveland, O. — Soc. klub št. 27 in pevski zbor "Zarja" priredita skupni piknik v nedeljo 7. avgusta na Močilakarjevih farmi, ki je dobro poznana vsaj okolici, ne na Pintarjevi farmi, kakor je pomotoma poročal Barbič v Proletarcu. Klub in "Zarja" vabita občinstvo, da poseti ta piknik v obilnem številu. Kdor nima svojega vozila, se bo lahko peljal s trokom, ki odpelje izpred Slov. nar. doma na St. Clairju ob 12:30 in 2:30. Vožnja za oba kraja bo samo 25c. Za razvedrilo bo skrbel pev. zbor "Zarja" a svojim petjem, za ples pa dobro poznani Jaek Zurec s svojo harmoniko.

Depresija, katero so povzročili kapitalistični gospodarji s svojo zavošeno taktiko, je prizadela najbolj delavca, zato je tudi naša delavska dolžnost, da stopimo močno v svoje vrste ter

se borimo, da vpravimo kapitalistično zlo in opostavimo nov sistem, ki nam bo prinesel svobodo in blagostanje za vse.

Soc. klub in "Zarja" pomagata v tem boju že mnogo let. Zato apelirata na delavstvo, da se jim pridruži. Pridite na njih piknik, da jim pomagate moralno in materialno, da pridemo do zaželenega cilja.—Odbor.

POJASNILO

Vsled depresije in ogromne krize, ki je zadela tudi naše članstvo oziroma naročnike našega lista Prosveta, je potrebno, da pojasnimo tajnikom in zastopnikom Prosvete, da lahko vzamejo od naročnikov za list Prosveta naročnino tudi samo za pol leta in kjer ni drugače tudi samo za četrt leta. Vzemite kar se dobili da, ker razmera zahtevajo to. List Prosveta je nalo prizadet v ti krizi in zato apeliramo na tajnike in naročnike, da skušajo kjerkoli mogoče ohraniti naročnike na dnevnik. Apeliramo tudi na posamezne naročnike, da naj če je mogoče poravnajo svojo naročnino in če ni mogoče plačati celotne plačaje polletno naročnino, samo da se ohrani list še nadalje kot dnevnik.

Ph. Godina, upravitelj.

POLLETNI RAČUN MED GLAVNIM URADOM IN DRUŠTVI od 1. januarja do 30. junija 1932

SEMI-ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT BETWEEN LODGES AND SUPREME OFFICE from January 1 to June 30, 1932

| No. | Vplila | | Izplačila | | Štev. članov |
|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| | Odrasli | Mladinski | Odrasli | Mladinski | |
| 1 | 1,386.63 | 32.40 | 1,921.00 | 199 | 84 |
| 2 | 2,652.70 | 51.70 | 1,534.00 | 173 | 80 |
| 3 | 1,452.73 | 42.86 | 894.00 | 87 | 34 |
| 4 | 842.56 | 8.40 | 1,384.00 | 47 | 64 |
| 5 | 10,931.50 | 108.00 | 3,646.50 | 665 | 176 |
| 6 | 1,785.11 | 42.60 | 807.50 | 129 | 63 |
| 7 | 1,505.37 | 38.13 | 1,649.00 | 109 | 49 |
| 8 | 3,309.23 | 65.49 | 4,548.00 | 101 | 31 |
| 9 | 1,512.40 | 22.78 | 177.00 | 99 | 40 |
| 10 | 4,248.50 | 47.80 | 4,751.50 | 397 | 116 |
| 11 | 365.04 | 1.40 | 313.00 | 31 | 1 |
| 12 | 2,977.36 | 39.02 | 1,166.00 | 130 | 41 |
| 13 | 1,920.48 | 55.40 | 1,346.00 | 125 | 76 |
| 14 | 1,177.88 | 95.38 | 2,111.83 | 311 | 153 |
| 15 | 108.54 | 1.80 | 1.00 | 1 | 1 |
| 16 | 8,023.73 | 111.80 | 6,774.00 | 511 | 168 |
| 17 | 3,008.78 | 41.12 | 2,889.50 | 194 | 64 |
| 18 | 40.58 | 1.60 | 1.00 | 5 | 2 |
| 19 | 643.87 | 13.00 | 60.00 | 81 | 19 |
| 20 | 2,929.51 | 12.80 | 2,002.00 | 156 | 18 |
| 21 | 3,917.44 | 75.12 | 2,619.00 | 262 | 114 |
| 22 | 906.77 | 10.40 | 846.50 | 36 | 25 |
| 23 | 4,827.20 | 31.50 | 1,990.00 | 36 | 25 |
| 24 | 1,168.00 | 22.40 | 428.00 | 36 | 41 |
| 25 | 451.10 | 8.00 | 174.50 | 26 | 6 |
| 26 | 1,104.50 | 9.20 | 312.00 | 66 | 15 |
| 27 | 959.00 | 18.30 | 702.30 | 46 | 28 |
| 28 | 377.90 | 9.00 | 250.00 | 31 | 18 |
| 29 | 708.97 | 19.91 | 621.00 | 45 | 7 |
| 30 | 4,827.20 | 31.50 | 1,990.00 | 36 | 25 |
| 31 | 2,304.59 | 47.20 | 1,857.60 | 144 | 75 |
| 32 | 2,824.05 | 97.53 | 1,111.11 | 620 | 174 |
| 33 | 248.97 | 1.30 | 8.00 | 15 | 2 |
| 34 | 1,707.60 | 35.00 | 209.50 | 105 | 56 |
| 35 | 760.30 | 3.00 | 379.00 | 26 | 9 |
| 36 | 827.16 | 5.50 | 323.00 | 61 | 36 |
| 37 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
| 38 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 39 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 40 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 41 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 42 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 43 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 44 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
| 45 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 46 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 47 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 48 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 49 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 50 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 51 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
| 52 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 53 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 54 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 55 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 56 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 57 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 58 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
| 59 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 60 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 61 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 62 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 63 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 64 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 65 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
| 66 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 67 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 68 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 69 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 70 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 71 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
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| 73 | 1,655.70 | 2.40 | 464.50 | 61 | 4 |
| 74 | 802.28 | 9.00 | 366.00 | 66 | 16 |
| 75 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
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| 77 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
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| 82 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
| 83 | 977.93 | 27.90 | 1,714.50 | 47 | 44 |
| 84 | 1,232.59 | 34.30 | 862.80 | 85 | 68 |
| 85 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 86 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
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| 89 | 984.67 | 15.02 | 1,837.50 | 55 | 20 |
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| 92 | 374.62 | 4.50 | 159.50 | 31 | 7 |
| 93 | 2,828.37 | 44.11 | 1,346.50 | 179 | 70 |
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| | Odrasli | Mladinski | Odrasli | Mladinski | |
| 101 | 1,968.65 | 42.13 | 1,848.00 | 102 | 67 |
| 102 | 1,406.21 | 27.40 | 844.00 | 71 | 29 |
| 103 | 1,128.74 | 32.50 | 1,278.00 | 131 | 5 |
| 104 | 3,786.52 | 34.20 | 1,981.00 | 281 | 41 |
| 105 | 4,628.45 | 161.60 | 1,835.00 | 280 | 245 |
| 106 | 1,128.05 | 23.40 | 801.50 | 84 | 49 |
| 107 | 885.43 | 8.40 | 532.50 | 60 | 14 |
| 108 | 861.49 | 22.90 | 1,470.00 | 71 | 41 |
| 109 | 8,816.00 | 204.77 | 7,529.00 | 548 | 142 |
| 110 | 704.83 | 10.20 | 272.50 | 44 | 23 |
| 111 | 494.33 | 12.20 | 1,306.00 | 24 | 21 |
| 112 | 1,127.49 | 32.20 | 1,002.50 | 80 | 53 |
| 113 | 362.66 | 7.30 | 113.00 | 24 | 8 |
| 114 | 3,485.28 | 41.60 | 3,825.00 | 213 | 70 |
| 115 | 208.05 | 4.50 | 32.50 | 18 | 8 |
| 116 | 3,786.52 | 34.20 | 1,981.00 | 281 | 41 |
| 117 | 4,628.45 | 161.60 | 1,835.00 | 280 | 245 |
| 118 | 1,128.05 | 23.40 | 801.50 | 84 | 49 |
| 119 | 885.43 | 8.40 | 532.50 | 60 | 14 |
| 120 | 861.49 | 22.90 | 1,470.00 | 71 | 41 |
| 121 | 8,816.00 | 204.77 | 7,529.00 | | |

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Svet parazitov

Kapitalistična civilizacija je porodila največjo maso parazitov v zgodovini človeštva. Paraziti so ljudje, ki ne opravljajo nobenega produktivnega ali koristnega dela in žive ob delu drugih ljudi. Nekateri primerjajo človeške parazite trolim med belkami, ali to je napačno, kajti trolim imajo nalogo, da skrbijo za zoro in ko je ta naloga opravljena, morajo počrpati. Nikjer v živalskem svetu ni parazitov, ki bi se mogli primerjati s človeškimi; narava ne trpi nepotrebnih bitij, pa naj so ta ali ona živalca in rastlinska bitja še tako nepotrebna s človeškega stališča. Edino človek, ki si je deloma podvrnil naravo, je bil v stanu razviti v svoji sredi čisto nepotrebno bitje svoje krvi, ki se paše ob njegovem delu.

Parazitizem je socialna bolezen, ki je že stara. Naradni človeški parazitizem prihaja od vroče klime. V krajih vročega pasa je maana lenoba prirojena in le nagon samohrane sili človeka, da si išče hrane in kotov le toliko, kolikor je potrebno za njegov obstanek. Zato pa človeštvo v vročem pasu zelo počasi napreduje. Toda paraziti, ki so posledica socialnega reda, so nekaj drugega. To niso rojeni lenuhi topih možganov, ki bi najrajši preležali in presedeli vse svoje življenje. Tudi oni "delajo" — in kdor ni previden, ga bodo uverili, da so baš oni najkoristnejši ljudje na svetu in brez njih bi civilizacija propadla!

Civilizacija se je razvila iz dela in stoji na delu — produktivnem delu, onem delu, ki ustvarja dobrine in bogastvo človeštva. Brez dela bi bil človek še danes divjak. Šele delo ga je dvignilo, bistri mu razum in civiliziralo; šele delo je dalo človeštvo vse to, kar ima danes. Delo je edina gonilna sila napredka. Produktivni delavec, ki na kakršenkoli način sodeluje pri množenju dobrin in pri materialnem napredku človeštva, je edini, ki nekaj šteje. Kajti on peha svet naprej! On vleče voz, na katerem sede paraziti!

V civiliziranih deželah je armada ljudi, ki večji del svojega življenja prežive s samim tuhtanjem, kako bi se obdržali v brezdelju in kako bi čim več izlekli iz onih, ki delajo. To je njihovo "delo". Svojo eksistenco opravljujejo s tem, da oni so lastniki orodja in strojev, s katerimi drugi ljudje, delavci, proizvajajo dobrine. Ves njihov privilegij parazitizma izvira iz tega lastništva. Ne pomislijo, da stroj sam, pa naj bo stokrat ali milijonkrat njihov, ne bi proizdal niti toliko, kolikor je za nohtom črna — če bi ne bilo delavca zraven. Delavec je iznael stroj, delavec je naredil stroj in delavec operira stroj! Brez delavca bi ne bilo stroja niti produkta od stroja! Zaradi tega delavec čisto nič ne potrebuje parazita, ki se je pričvrstil na stroj s trikrom svoje ekonomike in socialne manipulacije! Delavec prav lahko izhaja brez parazita-lastnika, parazit-lastnik pa ne more izhajati brez delavca! To resnico bi si moral vsak delavec vzgati v možgane, če si je ne more zapomniti drugače.

Poleg glavnih parazitov, ki samo "lastujejo" ali posedujejo kapital in samo zaradi tega žive od dela drugih, so na svetu še druge armade parazitov, ki so paraziti zato, ker je civilizirana človeška družba tako organizirana, da mora imeti parazite. Trgovci, ki kupijo živež od Petra, da ga prodajo Pavlu in kupijo obleko od Pavla, da jo prodajo Petru, niso absolutno potrebni. Njihova potrebnost je umetno narejena. Prav tako bankirji, ki trgujejo s denarjem in denarnimi vrednotami; prav tako borzljani, ki špekulirajo s vrednotami in blagom vsake vrste; prav tako advokati, ki žive od umetno vzgojenih sporov in barbaro obravnavanih zločinov; prav tako zakoniti sleparji vsake vrste, ki prežijo na denar pod neštetimi pretevezami; prav tako oni zajedalci, ki žive na račun ljudske ignorance in praznovanja; prav tako organizirani gangsterji in rakirji, politični in nepolitični.

Vse te kategorije parazitov imajo ogromno število nameščencev, ki fimejajo ogromne milijone v plačah, ne producirajo pa niti ene drobtine. Med temi nameščenci so tudi kulturni klovni, ki zastripujejo pamet ljudem in vojak, ki že od nekdaj eksistirajo le v zaščito parazitov in umirajo za nje.

Ves ta parazitski aparat — več milijonov ljudi — živi in se redi ob delu produktivnih delavcev v tovarnah, rudnikih in na polju — (Nadaljevanje v zadnji koloni.)

NAŠI PROBLEMI

Naša jednota

Pittsburgh, Pa. — Slovenska narodna podporna jednota je dobrodelna institucija, katere sestoji iz članov Slovencev, Hrvatov in drugih Jugoslovancev. Vsi ti njeni člani so pomagali jednoti do njenega milijonskega premoženja. Člani smo pa zneali ta jednotni denar skupaj zato, da kadar bomo v nesreči, da nam jednota pomaga. Zato smo pri njej zavarovani vsi skupaj, bratako in vzajemno.

Toda večji del članov drugače misli, in ko kateremu kaj "pade" v glavo, pa reče: "se bom javil bolnega," ali pa: "bom vložil prošnjo za izredno podporo, saj jednota ima denar, naj plača." Ako bi taki sobratji vedeli, kdo je ta jednota, gotovo bi marsikateri rekel: "Nočem izkoristiti samega sebe in člansobrate." Ako pa se bo tako delalo, da se bo izkoriščalo jednota, bo seveda šla naša mati jednota rakovo pot, kar se pa ne sme zgoditi, ker jo kot sobratje moramo čuvati, da bo tudi ona nas čuvala v nesreči.

M. Herlejevich, član št. 118.

Glede prestopnih listov

East Pittsburgh, Pa. — Tu želim omeniti par stvari o naših članih, ki sedaj živijo v drugih mestih, kjer se tudi nahajajo jednotina društva, pa so še vedno člani pri društvih v oddaljenih mestih in krajih. To se godi, četudi so jim na razpolago bližnja društva. Taki člani imajo svoje hiše. Pri tem gre seveda meni le za to, da bi taki člani vzeli pri svojih društvih prestopne liste ter prestopili v bližnje jednotino društvo kot to zahtevajo pravila.

Važno in potrebno je torej, da vsak tak član, ki živi daleč od društva, vzame takoj prestopni list ter gre k bližnjemu društvu. To bo boljše zanj samega, kajti bližje bo imel tajniški urad za plačevanje assessmenta in v slučaju bolezni bo imel vse društvene ugodnosti od tajnika in drugih uradnikov ter članov. Poleg tega pa moramo tudi pomeniti, da tako zahtevajo pravila sama.

Za slučaj bolezni ali nezgode je vselej bolje, da ima član svoje strani z društvom in jednoto v redu, da ne bo kakšnih zlih posledic, jeze in pregovarjanja. Pomisliti je seveda treba tudi to, da se naj tudi društveni odbori drže pravil ter naj pazijo, da bodo člani dobro informirani o vsem važnem. Potrebno je, da pazijo na svoje člane v vseh slučajih. Nadzorovanje je potrebno povsod. Vsak član naj spada k tistemu društvu, kateremu po pravici pripada, pa bo vse o. k. Ni pa prav, da člani v drugem mestu v bližini jednotinega društva, kadar so bolni pa jih pošljejo k našemu društvu, ali pa h kateremukoli v taki primeri. Nihe naj ne misli, da mislim zaposljevati bolne člane. Ne. Naše društvo vsako leto na glavni seji zaključki kako bo vodilo svoje posle v bodoče. Koliko bomo plačevali za to in to in koliko se v slučaju smrti potroši, koliko v slučaju bolezni itd. Kadar je član bolan, če se ga vzame v bolnico, da se potroši \$10, če umrje se mu pa kupi venci v znesku \$10. Dalje imamo tudi sklep, da se mrtvemu bratu da straža, katero se plača, in sicer \$2 članu, tako tudi pogrebce, ki se jih plača. Za vsakega umrlega člana stane društvo od \$34 do \$44. Sklenjeno je tudi, da se najprej da v takem slučaju zaluziti članom, ki so brez dela.

Člani, prestopajte v bližnja društva, kar bo prav za vas in za jednota.

Vjekoslav Tumbrij, član društva št. 629.

Dolge konvencije

Monessen, Pa. — V uradnem glasilu SNPJ sem čital članek br. M. Petrovicha iz Clevelanda, O., pod naslovom "Naše konvencije." Ker sem bil tudi jaz delegat 3. konvencije HBZ, želim spregovoriti glede tega par besed.

Brat Petrovich je v pravem ko citira stroške konvencije HBZ, ki se je vršila v imenu njene članstva, a ni ničesar storila za to članstvo. Toda koncem vsega bi br. Petrovich lahko vedel, da je bila na tej konvenciji le ena klika ljudi, kateri niso pustili, da se izrazijo zastopniki delovnega članstva, katero jih je tja

poslalo. Še več, celo nasprotni so bili vsakemu važnemu vprašanju, kadar se je delalo za dobrobit organizacije same. Zato pa ni prav nič čudno, da se je konvencija tako dolgo zavlekla z največjim krikom.

Ako bi se velika večina delegacije ter tudi predsedništvo samo bolje držalo onega, za kar je bilo poslano, verjamem, da se ne bi konvencija tako dolgo zavlekla. Če bi se tega držali, tedaj bi lahko prinesli boljše zaključke svojemu članstvu kot so prineseni.

Prihodnje leto se vrši redna konvencija SNPJ. Skrbeti moramo sedaj, da izberemo take zastopnike, ki bodo zastopali interese onega članstva, katero jih pošlje na konvencije, a ne interesev gospode ali poedincev. Kadar se bodo delegatje tega držali, tedaj sem uverjen, da se bo konvencija vršila samo osem dni in da se bodo sprejeli boljše zaključki za delovno članstvo v Slovenski narodni podporni jednoti.

John Beg, tajnik društva št. 505 SNPJ.

Društvene aktivnosti

Društveni izlet

Detroit, Mich. — V teh časih depresije se pojavljajo mnogi problemi v naši organizaciji. Eden izmed teh je: kako pridobiti mladino v društva SNPJ in obdržati to, ki je že pri nas.

O tem vprašanju je društvo št. 121 razpravljalo na dveh sejah, ter prišlo do zaključka, da je med nami potreba več zanimanja in delovanja med našo mladino, ker tudi naši otroci bodo postali moški in žene. Zato je treba, da se našo mladino za zdaj seznanimo o principu in delovanju SNPJ.

Za začetek delovanja med mladino priredi društvo št. 121 izlet za vse člane mladinskega oddelka našega društva, v soboto 20. avgusta na Clinton river in Ryan rd. v "Švajcarski dolini." Bratje in sestre, pripravljajte ni odbor želi sodelovanja od vseh, kateri imate svoje otroke v mladinskem oddelku. Odbor želi videti vse naše člane in članice mlad. oddelka na tem izletu. Ker bomo postregli naše mlade člane z različnimi jedili, zato odbor želi, da po možnosti obvestite br. tajnika Leo Junka, ali pa podpisanege. Vai, ki boste pripeljali svoje otroke na ta izlet, obenem pa, kateri nima svojega avtomobila ali da se ni ma s kom peljati, naj to naznači nam, da bo odbor potem prekrbel sanje transportacijo.

Torej vsi na izlet! Postrežba za otroke je prosta in gledali bomo, da bo postrežba čim boljša. Pripravljeno bo tudi za starejša člane (pa ne zastoj). Vstopnina v park je 25c od avta, neglede koliko ljudi je v avtu.

Kažipot: Vzemite Ryan rd. in peljite se do Clinton reke. Ko se prepeljete čez most reke, tam boste videli na levi strani velik napis "Švajcarska dolina" (Swiss Valley). Tam obrnite na levo in ste takoj na prostoru. Ali pa vzemite Dequindre rd. do M 59, na M 59 obrnite na desno do Ryan rd., na Ryan rd. obrnite na levo, kar vas pripelje do prostora, kakor zgoraj omenjeno.

Bratje in sestre, uspeh tega izleta je odvisen od nas vseh. Torej pridimo val, da pokažemo naši mladini, da smo aktivni pri društvu, da s tem damo našim otrokom dober vzgled o skupnem delovanju. (Prihodnji teden bomo podali še več informacij glede tega izleta.)

Ludwig Spolyar.

Vabilo na piknik

Sheboygan, Wis. — Naznanjamo slovenskemu občinstvu, da priredi društvo "Moderns" št. 634 SNPJ svoj letni piknik dne 7. avgusta na Sheboygan airportu. Ne zamudite te ugodne prilike, da se s zopet enkrat lahko s nami razveselite. Odbor je pridno na delu, da priredi vse najboljše za ta dan veselja.

Kljub slabim razmeram moramo skrbeti, da vdrimo našo blagajno na dobri podlagi, da tako lažje pomagamo sobratom, ki so brez dela. Držimo skupaj in podpirajmo eden drugega sedaj v tej depresiji. Ujlduno vabimo vse slovenske organizacije in vse posa-

meznike, da se udeležijo našega piknika ter tako pripomorejo nam do boljšega uspeha. (V slučaju dežja se vrši piknik naslednje nedeljo, to je 14. avg. na istem prostoru.)—Odbor.

Letni piknik Pionirjev

Chicago. — Letošnji veliki piknik društva "Pioneer" št. 559 SNPJ se bo vršil zadnje nedelje v avgustu, ali dne 28. avgusta, in sicer v Shady Tree grovu, Willow Springs — nasproti Keglovega vrta. Ta nasproti je zelo pripraven za piknik, in piknik Pionirjev bo velik, kakor nam obetajo. To vemo tudi iz prejšnjih let, da so pikniki tega društva največji ker jih je slovenskih v tej okolici.

Pripravljalni ali pikniški odbor je že dolgo na delu, da bodo vsi izletniki v nedeljo 28. avgusta na Pionirskem pikniku postreženi prvovrstno in najboljše v vseh ozirih. Zabave bo obilo in v raznih oblikah. Tekme in igre bodo prednjačile za mladino, pa tudi za starejše ljudi bo preskrbljena imenitna zabava. Narščaj bo deležen običajnih dobrot in razvedrila.

V nedeljo 28. avgusta bo torej največji slovenski piknik ker jih bo letos prirejenih. Udeležite se tudi vi in se pozabavajte z mladimi Pionirji. Pridite tudi pripeljite se v Shady Tree grove že dopoldne ali pa zgodaj popoldne, da ne zamudite izrednih zanimivosti, ki bodo na programu tega piknika — v nedeljo dne 28. avgusta! Kažipot in druge podrobnosti bodo objavljene pozneje.

Pub. odsek.

Piknik društva št. 449

Cicero, Ill. — Društvo "Sosedje" priredi svoj letni izlet v nedeljo, 21. avgusta, na znanem "slovenskem hribčku" nad Šteržinarjevim vrtom v Willow Springsu. Veselilni odbor je pridno na delu in bo gledal, da se bo vsakdo dobro zabaval. Člane društev SNPJ v Chicagu in okolici ter vse naše prijatelje vabimo, naj se piknika udeleže. Vstopnine ne bo in vsak nam bo dobrodošel.—Odbor.

LJUDSKI GLAS

Pojamnilo na protest

Bridgeville, Pa. — V Prosveti št. 270 sem čital od članov društva 427, Coverdale, Pa., protest proti članom društva 172, Bridgeville, Pa., katero je odobrilo prošnjo, ker sem prošil, da mi jednota založi assessment za dva meseca, namreč za ženo in dva mladoletna otroka. Ker pa dotični člani mene dobro osebno ne poznajo, še manj pa vedo o mojem imetju, razen br. M. Rupnika. On me pozna in njemu so moje razmere dobro znane. Ali on ne protestira zato, da gleda za korist jednote, pač pa zato, ker ima do mene nekakšno osebno sovražstvo. Zakaj, ne vem.

Torej, če se bi ti člani res toliko zanimali za jednotne interese, bi se oglasili še prej. Pri sosednjih društvih so jim člani že bolj poznani kot sem jim jaz. Te člane je jednota zakladala za assessment že pred letom. Takrat so bili v boljšem položaju kot so danes, niso bili še tako iscrpani. Tem bratom je najbolj pri srcu št. 172, ki je šele par prošelj izdala. Povem pa, ako bi bili vsi člani taki kot so pri št. 172, ne bi bil izredni sklad tako iscrpan kot je.

Dotični bratje pravijo, da lastujem svoj dom. Gotovo; ali ne vem, za koliko časa bo moj. Pri tem pa nimam radija, nikakšnih mašin in ne luksusa po sobah, in vse to imajo člani, ki jih je več časa jednota zaklada za assessment, pa nihe ne protestira. V kakšnem položaju se pa jaz nahajam, o tem sem govoril s bratom tajnikom društva 427. Kdor ne verjame, naj se pa sam prepriča. Zatorej, ako se čal ne izboljšajo, bom prisiljen še prosti, ali pa z mojo družino društvo zapustiti.

Bratje in sestre, ali ni Slovenska narodna podporna jednota vseh članom enaka mati? Kot za enega, tako za drugega. Vai enako plačujemo. Npr. pri št. 295 je članica in oskrbnica za dvorano. Ko je moj sin enkrat prišel (poslan je bil po nekem drugem članu) v dvorano, ga je dotična članica prišla za isat ter ga vlekla ven rekoč: "Ti in tvoj oče nista člana naše številke, ne smeta v to dvorano priti!" Tako je bratstvo!

Martha Gruden, član dr. 172.

GLASOVI JZ NASELBIN

Rudarji in smrtina kosa

Auburn, Ill. — Z delom ni nič, ker vse počiva od prvega aprila, ko so nam operatorji povedali, da preveč zaslužimo in oni imajo pa preveč izgube, ker je bilo ravno obratno. No, sedaj so pa "pogruentali" drugo lestvico, kakor so se dogovorili z voditelji naše organizacije U. M. A. of A., ki pa je bila pri zadnjih volitvah zavržena. Začela se je kritika v časopisih, da so rudarji odklonili "tako veliko plačo" \$5 na dan. Pa to pišejo samo tisti, ki ne poznajo rudarskih razmer in še nikoli rudnika niso videli.

Mislim, da večina rudarjev bi bila zadovoljna z navedeno plačo, ako bi bila garancija, da bomo tako zaslužili. Tolmači se pa to vse drugače.

Tukaj v Auburnu in okolici, kakor pravijo, je vse "solid work," da ni strojev v rudniku, je pa bolj težko zaslužiti pet dolarjev na dan, razen tistim, ki imajo dnevno plačo. Kar nas dela na premoğu pa se še dostikrat pripeti, da se ne zasluži eden cent na dan, ker ima rudar kamenje v svojem prostoru, pa more čakati, da mu izistijo tisti, ki imajo dnevno mezdo. Teh pa je bolj malo. Na ta način lahko rudar izgubi dva ali tri dni, da nič ne zasluži. Rudniki so že par let malo delali, tako da dostikrat je rudar zaslužil komaj pet dolarjev na mesec. In potem pa naj nam še odtrga na tona 23c, kar je velik udarec za vse rudarje. Zraven so nam še vse pravice vzeli, kar smo jih še prej imeli.

Torej toliko v vednost vsem čitateljem, da ni treba verjeti kapitalističnim časopisom. Držite z rudarji in pomagajte po svoji moči, ker poraz nas je poraz vsega delavstva v Ameriki.

V kratkem času smo izgubili dva člana od našega društva št. 335 SNPJ, enega iz odraslega, enega pa iz mladinskega oddelka. Prvi je Frank Gračnar, star 51 let. Bolehal je tri leta na mučni bolezni in umrl je 20. julija. Bil je priljubljen v naselbinu in okolici, kar je pokazal obisk pri njegovem mrtvaškem odru in pri pogrebu. Tu zapuša ženo, dve omoženi hčeri (Rozi Rupnik in Angela Divjak) in enega brata nekje v Utahu.

Ko je bil njen pogreb končan na 23. julija, je prišel bratov iz Frontanaca, Kansas, od družine Frank Baloh, da je strela ubila njegovega starejšega sinčka Franka Baloha ml. Star je bil nekaj čez šest let in je bil v Kansasu na obisku par mesecev pri starem očetu in materi. Starši so se podali takoj na prostor nesreče s potrjim srcem. Izgubili so preljubelega sina, ki je bil splošno priljubljen v okolici. Dostikrat se je pokazal na zabavah kot igralec na harmoniko, ki jo je igral že par let v svojem mladem življenju. Težko ga bodo pogrešali starši in tudi cela okolica.

Pogreb se je vršil 26. julija na Frontanac pokopališče iz hiše žalosti. Tu zapuša starše (Mary in Frank Baloh), brata Willy in starega očeta Jakoba in mater Rozi Baloh ter starega očeta in mater George in Ana Bogataj, vsi v Jacksonvillu, Kansas, in še več ožjega sorodstva. V imenu društva št. 335 izrekam obema družinama naše sožalje!

Joe Sterk, tajnik.

Smrt mlade članice

Aspinwall, Pa. — Na 15. julija je preminila v Pittsburghu v bolnici Louise Lončar, članica mladinskega oddelka SNPJ pri društvu št. 472. Podlegla je operaciji na slepiču. Rodila se je 7. julija leta 1919 v Batini, Gornja Hrvatska; v Ameriko je prišla 25. marca leta 1921. Zapuša starše, brata in dve omoženi sestri. Iskrena hvala vsem, ki so darovali venci in dali na razpolago svoje avte za pogreb, posebno pa Frank Sokolu in vsem ostalim, ki so vse tako lepo uredili brez moje skrbi. Naša mala Louise pa naj počiva mirno v hladni zemlji. Zaluzojci ostali: Steve in Magdalena Lončar, starši, Annie in Helena, sestri, ter brat Andrej.

Andrej Lončar.

Narečite Mladinski list, najboljše mesočnik za slovenske mladine!

Zdravstveni nasveti

Piše dr. John J. Zavertnik

Solnčarica

Solnčarica zadene človeka ob poletni vročini, ko je direktno izpostavljen soncu. Prehuda vročina učinkuje nevarno na človeka. Moški, ki veliko telovadijo in težko delajo telesno, so v večji nevarnosti kot ženske; a tudi ženske in otroci, ki so navadno najmanj prizadeti, lahko podležejo solnčarici, posebno če jim solnce pripeka na golo glavo.

Napad solnčarice pride naglo in človek takoj pade v nezavest. Koža telesa je vroča, suha in rdeča. Telesna temperatura je zelo visoka. Okrevanje od solnčarice je odvisno od stopnje napada in takojšnje ter pravilne pomoči. Dočim so nekateri slučajji solnčarice smrtonosni, so bili primeri, ko so bolniki, ki so imeli 110 stopinj vročine, ozdraveli z zdravljenjem mrzle vode.

Kadar človeka napade solnčarica, mu je treba najprvo razgaliti prsi in noge in ga drgniti z navadno mrzlo vodo, nato pa z ledeno vodo in končno z ledom nekaj minut. Kakor hitro pade bolnikova temperatura, ga je treba zaviti v mokro ruho, v kateri naj počiva pol ure. Nato se drgnjenje z ledeno vodo ponavlja, dokler bolnik ne doseže normalne temperature. Napad vročice se lahko prežene tudi v kopalnici in z ledenimi obkladki. Ledeni obkladek (gumijasti zaključek z ledom) je zlasti dober, če ima bolnik srčno hibo. Bolnik mora biti miren. Ako vročica le noče odnehati, mu je treba dati ledeno enemo (vbrizgavanje v črevo). Kakor hitro more bolnik govtati, mu je treba dati dosti hladne vode, toda nobene alkoholične pijače. Zdravnik predpiše potrebna nadaljnja sredstva.

Vročinska omedlevica

Človek omedli od prehude solne ali druge vročine. Navadno pride to v tsnai, zadulih in premalo značni sobi; pride tudi ponoči in vsakem letnem času. Tej nezgodi so pogosto podvrženi kurjaci, delavci v pralnicah, delavci v jeklarnah in drugih vročih tovarnah in slioh osebe, ki pridejo v gnečo in ki stanujejo v slabo prezračenih in nezdravih prostorih ali v barakah, kjer ni direktno solčne svetlobe.

Napad vročinske omedlevice je stopnjevalen in bolnik navadno ne izgubi zavesti. Koža ni suha, vroča in rdeča; baš nasprotno, je mrzla, bleđa in potna. Telesna temperatura je različna in malokdaj naraste čez 102 F.

Bolnika je treba takoj spraviti v gorko posteljo, glavo mu podložiti in položiti na njo leden obkladek; ostalo telo je treba zaviti in obložiti z gumijastimi posodami z vročo vodo. Drgnenje rok in nog je tudi dobro. Nato je treba bolnika zaviti v tople koce in dajti mu vročo pijačo, ki ga stimulira, n. pr. vroče mleko, čista juha, kava ali čaj; malo žganja, primešanega v čajju je tudi dobro.

Da se bolezen ne povrača, je treba ohraniti čisto kožo, da se bolnik neovirano poti. Oblek naj bo lahka in ohlapna, tako da lahko pride zrak do kože. Dieta naj bo lahka; mesna in zelo redilna jed ni dobra. Bolnik naj se čuva alkoholnih pijač, pije naj pa dosti hladne vode (ne ledene) in sadnih sokov. Ni se treba mučiti s skrbmi in naj se čuva solnce. Okna sobe naj bodo odprta, toda zastrta. Ako je le mogoče, naj bo v sobi električna prevetrovalnica. Hladna kopel je koristna. Ob hudi vročini mora človek prenehati z vsakim delom in počivati v senci.

Kako ravnati z utopljenecem

Ako utopljeni človek, ki so ga potegnili iz vode, še diha, odnesite ga, če je le mogoče, v bližnjo hišo in dajte mu vročo kopel, ki ga stimulira. Dobri so tudi vroči obkladki na srce in trebušne organe. Glava naj mu bo dobro podložena in bolnik mora dobiti stimulantne, n. pr. vročo kavo ali čaj, žganje ali kaj slinčnega. Telo mu je treba dobro zgrgniti. Vse to se lahko naredi, dokler ne pride poklicani zdravnik. V vsakem primeru, ko se rešuje zadušeni človek, mu je treba najprvo izčistiti grlo, da bo zrak neovirano prihajal v pljuča.

Pri reševanju utopljenca mu je treba najprvo pomagati z umetnim dihanjem. Izčistite mu usta, grlo in nos in podložite glavo na visoko, nato ga prinite za roki pri kolencih in ju raztegnite naokrog vodoravno od telesa, dokler ne prideta roki nad glavo. To gibanje dvigne rebra in raztegne prsi kot pri dihanju. Roki se nato iztegneta, da se dotakneta s komolci nad trebuhom. Čez par sekund se ponovi prvo gibanje in naj se ponavlja šestnajstkrat na minuto toliko časa, da začne utopljenec normalno dihati — ali vsaj eno uro, če je opaziti še kak znak življenja v njem.

Kakor hitro se vrne dihanje, naj se ravna s rešencem kot je omenjeno v začetku tega članka.

Če se lahko dobi pulmotor, je najboljše sredstvo za vzpostavitev dihanja. Pulmotor ima navadno policija in požarna brigada.

(Nadaljevanje in L. koloni.)

v zahvalo pa tepe delavce z bornimi plačili, dolgimi delovniki, depresijami, ječami, mučenjem in vojnam.

Delavec ne bo svoboden in srečen, dokler se ne otrese vseh teh parazitov. Sami mu ne bodo nikdar šli s hriba. Delavec jih mora vreti s sebe in sam postati gospodar svojega dela, kolektivni gospodar. To pa doseže le s samozabrazbo, ko spozna svoje parazite. Prej jih mora spoznati — in vse drugo je lahko.

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Predsednik odprva sejo ob 1. uri popoldne. Navzoči vsi člani upravnega odbora.

Prvo se čita zapisnik seje z dne 17. junija, ki je sprejet kot čitan.

Nato br. Cainkar poroča, da je Kasparjeva banka vedel velikega navala morala zapreti. Na isti banki smo imeli še čekovna računa za Prosveto in sklada mladoletnih, kar je bilo poprej zavarovano, toda ko je banki istekel, nam ni bilo mogoče ponoviti, daš smo poskušali pri različnih družbah. Pogajanja s nekaterimi so bila še v teku. Za zavlačevanje so se običajno oprablali z izjavo, da preiskujejo, toda ko izgleda, je bil pravi vzrok le bojazen. Vračinsko družbo dobro čutijo, da v teh kaosnih razmerah tudi najboljša banka ni varna. Tudi na takovano stalno banko dajo zelo malo varščine, če sploh kaj dajo. Zavarovali smo s tem, da smo pred zatvoritvijo banke vzeli za priliko toliko vrednost bonov od njih, koliko so znašale naše vloge. Bonde, katere smo vzeli, se je smatralo za one teh boljših, kar jih je držala banka.—Poročilo se vzame na znanje in korak odberi.

S tem v zvezi poročata br. Godine in Cainkar, da sta prenela čekovne vloge Prosvete in sklada mladoletnih k Northern Trust Company, katere je ena večjih in najbolj konzervativnih denarnih savodov v ameriški mesta. Precej nerodno bo, ker je banka oddaljena in v tem poslovanju bo veliko več zamude časa, toda radi varnosti je potrebno.—Poročilo se vzame na znanje in korak odberi.

Nato Cainkar omeni, da je potrebno, da se dogovorimo glede časa za polletno sejo. Slede različne sugestije glede datuma in končno je sklenjeno, da se začne zborovati v ponedeljek dne 1. avgusta 1933. Nadzorni odbor pa naj pride pregledat račune v tednu pred sejo.

Sledi poročilo Godine o stanju lista Prosveta. Pravi, da je dnevnik začel v zelo slab finančni položaj in da je treba kmalu nekaj ukreniti, da se temu odpmore. Naročnikov je veliko pustilo, to valed gospodarstvene krize, in oni, ki so se ostali, se prav slabo odzivajo z denarjem na naše apele za ponavljanje naročnin. Vsi navadno plačajo, da počejo, da se jim list poravnja naprej in da denar počakamo, da bodo poravnali, ko se obrne na bolje. Tako smo številnim posilili na upanje in število takih zadnje čase prehitro narašča, dohodki se pa tako naglo krčijo, da nam preti resna nevarnost. Veliko je krize poročilo tudi to, ko ni mogoče več dobiti dovolj dobrih večjih oglasov. Propast Kasparjeve banke bo tudi hud udarec za nas; bila je dober in stalen oglaševalec. Kako odpmoži in najti izhod iz krize, to je naša dolžnost, predno bo drugih industrij, ki so splojne z izvozno trgovino (n. pr. s prometnimi podjetji).

Vsaka država Unije ima svoj delež na mednarodni trgovini. Teksas na primer je 1931 izvozil v vrednosti \$324,000,000 bombaže, petroleja, plemenite itd. Celo Indiana, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Iowa, Missouri in Kansas — da le imenujemo nekoliko držav — ni baje niso interesirane v zunanjo trgovino — so izvozile blaga v vrednosti od \$10,000,000 do \$30,000,000 vsaka.

To je bilo l. 1931, ki je bilo izredno slabo leto za zunanjo trgovino. Vrednost ameriškega izvoza je l. 1929 znašala 5541 milijonov, l. 1930 pa 3843 in l. 1931 le 2424 milijonov dolarjev. Z drugimi besedami, ameriški izvoz je padel za 54% v prvih dveh letih depresije in znaša več ali manj toliko kot pred vojno. Svoj vrhunec je izvoz dosegel z 8000 milijoni dolarjev. In celo tekom sedanje krize Združene države ostanejo na a v e č j i izvoznik na svetu. L. 1931 je bila drugi največji izvoznik na svetu Nemčija, ki je prekosila Anglijo. Izvoz Nemčije je znašal 2193 in Anglije pa 2070 milijonov, Francija je bila na četrtem mestu z izvozom \$1,193,000,000.

Skupna izvozna trgovina 22 poglavitnih držav na svetu je padla leta 1931 za 27,1%. Padee je bil najhujši za Avstralijo (64%), Brazilijo (50,2%) in Čile (49,4%).

Ker je mednarodna trgovina tako tesno zvezana z gospodarskim blagostanjem je jasno, da je popolno ohranjanje Amerike odvisno od finančne stabilnosti vsakega sveta. To razlaga rastoče zanimanje za mednarodno sodelovanje v gospodarskih vprašanjih, zlasti kar se tiče carin, reparacij in mednarodnih dolgov, valute in mednarodnih kreditov.—FLIS.

pozne. Nekaj bi se pomoglo, ako bi znali plače osebju pri listu. S tiskarji smo se dogovorili za sedem odstotno znižanje, staveci, ki so še bolje plačani, pa so trdoglavi in nočejo nič ališati o kakem pogajanju za znižanje. Njih plača je \$1.42 na uro, kar je izredno visoko za te čase. Mislimo še naprej pritiskati na nje za znižanje in nekoliko upanje je, da bomo imeli vsaj nekaj uspeha. Toda to ne bo našega dnevnika rešilo.—Dela v tiskarni seveda tudi zmanjšuje in skoraj polovico tiskarjev je le delno zaposlenih.

Sledi razprava. Vider naglašja, da je znižanje plač slaba taktika in misli, da to nikdar ne bo rešilo problema. V tem se mu pridružejo tudi drugi in povdarjajo, da splošno znižanje plač še nikoli ni porodilo dobrih posledic nikjer drugod, zato tudi pri nas ne more. Odborniki so mnenja, da vprčo prihajajoče seje gl. odbora ni umestno, da bi upravni odbor sedaj delal take dalekosežne zaključke glede tega vprašanja, in pri tem ostane.

Na dnevni red pride vprašanje čiščenja posloja. Razvije se razprava glede vprašanja ali naj se tudi prebrava ali samo umije. Končno je sklenjeno, da se razpisje barvanje in dobi oceno, nakar se bo zaključno sklepalo.

Sklenjeno je nadalje tudi, da se da popraviti al-dovje in zadetati razpoke, da se prepreči samakanje in uhajanje vlage v stene, kakor tudi pregledati streho in popraviti, kar je treba.

Sledi čitanje pisma od organizacije Slovenskega doma v Warrenu, O., ki preslje za oglas na zastoru v dvorani.—Sklenjeno, da se vzame prostor za \$15.

Nadalje pismo tajnika organizacije Slovenskega delavskega doma v Collinwoodu, O., ki poroča, da so sami oskrbeli zavarovalnino proti viharju, kakor se je zahtevalo radi varnosti posojila, ki ga ima jednota na domovem posloju.—Se vzame na znanje.

Končno se čita in odberi prošnje za izredno podporo in zalaganje amentata. (Odobrene prošnje so še bile pridobene v Prosveti, s dne 13. t. m.)

VINCENT CAINKAR, JOHN VOGRICH, predsednik zapisnikar.

Wisconsinaki delavci zahtevajo krajši delovnik

Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.—Na konvenciji državne delavske federacije je bila z veliko večino sprejeta resolucija, ki zahteva, da legislatura uveljavi šesturnik in pet dni dela v tednu. Danke je konvencija zahtevala oprostitev Mooneyja in Billingsa in protestirala proti odloku industrialne komisije, ki je znižala minimalno mezdo za ženske in otroke za deset odstotkov.

Predsednik Henry Ohl in tajnik-blagajnik J. J. Handley sta bila ponovno izvoljena. Prvi je načelnik organizacije že petnajst let, slednji pa je tajnik dvajset let.

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Fred A. Vider, gl. tajnik.

POPRAVEK

V uradnem glasilu od 27. julija je bilo pri spremembah društva pomotoma pricbčeno, da so naslednji člani: Cirk Helen, c. 84607, Glavan Frank, c. 82259 in Andolšek John, c. 47801 umrli. Pravilno je pa, da so navedeni člani postali s 1. junijem pasivni, kar naj prizadeti blagoviljo vzeti na znanje.

Fred A. Vider, gl. tajnik.

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Pomen ameriškega izvoza

Vrsta finančnih kriz v Evropi in njihov vpliv za podaljšanje industrijske depresije v Ameriki, je pokazala, kako enoten je svet v gospodarskem pogledu in kako splojno je ameriško gospodarsko življenje z onim ostalega sveta.

Dokler nismo občutili vpliva svetovne depresije, je malo kdo izmed nas mislil na važno vlogo svetovne trgovine in na njene vzajemne posledice. Saj smo dostikrat silili v tej deželi, da je Amerika valed svojih ogromnih naravnih bogastev in valed svojega ogromnega notranjega trga bistveno samozavestna, t. j., da lahko prosperira brez ozira na ostali svet. Ali čim je splošna kriza narasla in se je zunanja trgovina Združenih držav začela krčiti in so zato začele padati cene poglavitnih izvoznih proizvodov, smo spoznali, da gospodarska neodvisnost te ali katere druge dežele na svetu je le gola bajka.

Mednarodna vzajemna odvisnost v gospodarskem življenju najbolj ilustrira sledeči primer: Nedavno je neka velika trdka v New Yorku prišla v težki finančni položaj, ker ni mogla dobiti plačila od neke trdke na Pacifiku. Ta trdka je razlozila, da ne more plačati, ker sama ne more dobiti plačila od neke izvozne trdke, ki ima mnogo posla z Malajskimi državami. Izvedelo se je, da tudi od tam se ne more dobiti plačila, ker tamošnje jame kositra ne morejo konkurirati z jamami v Boliviji.

Pomen ameriškega izvoza za ameriške delavce postane jasen, ako pomislimo, da je bilo več kot 1,400,000 delavcev l. 1931 direktno odvisnih od produkcije izvoznega blaga. Njih zaslužek je bil 1600 milijonov dolarjev. Poleg tega pa je bilo vsaj toliko delavcev, ki so bili odvisni od

pa nikake omejitve glede starosti žene, ki sme vložiti prošnje, tudi če še ni stara 21 let.

—FLIS.

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ENGLISH SECTION

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Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.

Ben. Franklin, Motto to Historical Review

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Editorial Comments

Motion of Lodge 393 Becomes Effective

Pursuant to the official report which appeared in the Prosveta a fortnight ago in both languages, the result of the referendum of the much disputed Initiative of Lodge 393 is favorable, which, of course, was expected. The initiative was adopted and became effective July 1, 1932. This means that from that date on any member of the Slovene National Benefit Society, male or female, can be insured for death benefit only. It is understood that this new law is elective. This will give in the present economic depression to many a member an opportunity to remain in the Society even if he is unable to carry any other class of insurance. Moreover this means that new applicants can become members of the SNPJ who desire to insure for death benefit only and who otherwise qualify for admission. This new amendment will no doubt be welcome especially to the younger set, the English Speaking Lodges of the S. N. P. J. Now our young people can make the best of their opportunity by helping to increase their fold. We know times are hard, but remember that this new measure was adopted to meet the present demand.

Semi-annual Session of the Supreme Board

The regular semi-annual meeting of the Supreme Board of the Slovene National Benefit Society is being held at the Home Office of the Society now as these lines are written. It will be in session three or four days. The problems that confront members of the Supreme Board at their meeting are many and all-important. Exceptional times demand exceptional measures and provisions. And in the history of the Society there were perhaps at no time more serious problems than there are now. There are many exceptional cases which must be solved rationally and justifiably in the best way possible, to the advantage of the entire membership and the organization. The present situation into which the workers were thrown by the present unjust system has created new demands of far-reaching importance. It is hoped that the Supreme Board will also now as in the past enact such measures which will enable the Society to forge ahead in spite of the present grave economic and industrial situation.

Some Common Things

- They are the common things—
- They who live on the narrow streets,
- Unpaved—dark alleys, tenements—they
- Whose brow has felt the damps sweat and whose
- Muscles know how to ache—they who know
- Night to be a time to stay awake and worry—
- About rent—doctor bills—taxes that burden!
- They are common things!
- On the boulevard the dyspeptic billionaire clips his bonds and gripes about income tax, liner fares
- To France—howls out the cook because his meal isn't
- Fixed to suit him—He buys a United States Senator
- As a ditch digger buys a hamburger! He is strong!
- He and his kind smoke black cigars in a dark room over
- A national convention hall and pick a president who "has
- The right view," while jackasses sitting in the Nominating hall bray loudly until the bosses send down
- The name of the man to be selected—To the man with
- Dyspepsia and a billion dollars the presidency is a
- Common thing!

William Allen Ward.

"Every man is the architect of his own fortune," so runs the favorite proverb. This proverb is an heirloom from the days of small production, when the fate of every single breadwinner, at worst that of his family also, depended upon his own personal qualities. Today the fate of every member of a capitalist community depends less and less upon his own individuality, and more and more upon a thousand circumstances that are wholly beyond his control.—Karl Kautsky.

No matter whose the lips that would speak, they must be free and un gagged. Let us always remember that he really does not believe his own opinions who dares not give free scope to his opponent. Persecution is really want of faith in our creed.—Wendell Phillips.

STRUGGLERS

By Lindy

Cleveland, O.—August 14 is going to be a big day among all the Cleveland English Speaking Lodges. They will sponsor a monstrous Amateur Lodge Picnic and Field day. A huge parade will form in front of the Slovene National Home on St. Clair and will march all the way to Merwar's farm. You will be able to witness many things of interest. Ball games, races, prizes and everything. Come along and make merry.

Very Good

Our congratulations to Bro. Matt Petrovich, member of Lodge "V" No. 53 SNPJ, Strugglers' Senior lodge, for his outstanding writeup in last week's Prosveta in Slovene page, under the title "Our Conventions." True to the word; if our SNPJ and others follow Bro. Petrovich's suggestions, we will benefit by thousands of dollars, if accepted. Bro. Petrovich presents modern ideas and it would be a great piece of reading matter if Bro. Petrovich would translate that writeup and present it to the youth movement of today also.

At Last!

First news to reach us is that the initiative we members voted on here some time back has overwhelmingly won out in favor of our English Lodges, and that, beginning July 1, 1932, all male candidates proposed for membership in our organization can join any SNPJ lodge for death benefit only. This is the opportunity we have been waiting for and now is the time. Let's get those members and make them join our ranks.

On To Chicago!

That's the slogan the leading lodges have adopted. Is your lodge going to be represented in Chicago at that grand convention next year? If you are sure your lodge will be in the ranks, begin now studying the men or women you will want to nominate. Remember, forget friendship and choose your delegates on merits and his or her capability of speaking outright for a good cause. And last but not least, for your lodge's sake make honesty be a big point also.

Coming Event

Don't let October 29 slip your date book, for it's a very talked about event. The Strugglers will break loose with a monstrous Halloween Dance. And is it going to be a big affair? You should see what all the committee is preparing. It's to be different and better than any of the past. So be prepared to attend "the coming event"—Strugglers' Halloween Dance—Saturday, Oct. 29.

Great, Boys

First we are informed that Herman Preseren of Yukon, Pa., is attending a firemen's convention, then that Bro. Louis Kosela is mixed in with the undertakers' convention. Who says

Sidewalks of Detroit

By Hermosa Rago

Auburn, Ill.—For some time this column has been emanating right from the sidewalks of our great city; but in the next issue of our faithful Prosveta it will describe life 'way out west in Kansas.

At this writing it is hoped the writer will not have to resort to describing the characteristics of the famous chiggers again as last year.

Sunday, July 24, was a great day for a thousand or more people that gathered at the picnic to hear Clarence Senior speak. This is the first outdoor event in this vicinity with a speaker on the program. It has been an old tradition in Detroit, that no gathering would have the patience to listen to a good speaker. And now club 114 will sponsor many more outdoor events for it has proved a huge success.

Clarence Senior is quite an orator. Yet a comparatively young man he can give you many facts, using short humorous stories to a great advantage.

Now to continue here from Auburn, Illinois, a coal mining settlement. It's a nice, clean town. Also stricken with "hooveritis." The miners await their wage settlement. Better stick together, boys, or else things will be doggone tougher yet.

Traveling through Michigan, Indiana, and Illinois, one sees many beautiful sights. There is no drought so far. Say, Michigan is nicer than any other state. Beautiful lakes, Irish hills, good roads, all you need is a good automobile, plenty of money and time. Then go out and see Michigan first. You will say, "quite simple," but it's not.

The lure of youth. A fast car, a loud horn. Good roads; then drive at break-neck speed laughing right into death's face. Isn't youth queer? The public is all alike.

From the highways you see plenty of nice corn, wheat, oats, clover, in fact all farm produce will be harvested in abundance. Farmers are well stocked with horses, cattle, hogs, and sheep.

So there is no reason on earth why any one should go hungry this com-

ing winter in this rich, prosperous country of ours.

Ameringer asked, "Would an ignorant jackass go hungry standing in grass up to his belly?" "Will the people go hungry in the midst of plenty?" They have thus far, but it is feared that their patience will run out shortly.

Auburn, Ill., is still in a sorrowful trance. Everyone is talking of the Baloh tragedy in Kansas. Several weeks ago little Frankie Baloh went to Kansas to visit with his grandparents. He played his accordion July 10 at the SNPJ lodge 73 picnic and was given a tremendous ovation. He was liked by all, for at the early age of 6 years he played like a genius.

On Sat., July 23, while playing with two other children underneath some trees, he was suddenly struck by lightning which snuffed out his life instantly.

To his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baloh of Auburn, Ill., and to all his relatives we extend our sincerest sympathy. This is in behalf of all the friends little Frankie made during his brief period of life, with his wonderful personality and entertaining ability. Burial was in Frontenac, Kansas, and thus he will rest in peace forever.

There will be a variety of eats such as barbecue lamb and pig and on down to ribs and hot dogs. There will be a variety of games for you as well as for old.

There will be a real treat, especially for the old folks, to hear and see the well known radio artists, The Yugoslav Tamburica Orchestra, composed of young men, in addition to dancing, there will be a small program to satisfy those who do not care to dance.

Here is the way to get to the farm: Take Route 11 to Collinsville, as you go along there will be a sign pointing the direction to turn, then all you have to do is follow the markers of the "Spirits" and you're soon there.

The admission is only 50c for non-members, which includes your eats. Wonder if Links will be with us? The Spirits had the honor of meeting a number of visitors who stopped in for a fortnight visit.

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Pennsy News

Latrobe, Pa.—Torches, don't forget that our next meeting falls on Aug. 7. It will be called promptly at 1 o'clock. Come early so that we can start early for Library. Are we going? Sevedas!

Much was accomplished at the Westmoreland Federation meeting on July 24. Bro. Jack Prejza, a pen-pusher and SNPJ booster, was chosen recording sec'y. He is also the chair-

man of the Westmoreland Board of Organizers. Among the young folks present we saw Bro. Herman Preseren who efficiently performed the secretarial duties. He is an ever-faithful worker for his lodge and federation. Bro. Gradishek, who is president of the Keystoneans, is also the president of the Westmoreland Fed. He's a very dependable chap indeed.

Bro. John Ban, one of our most active members, got a new member for us and has already sold more than his quota of tickets for the \$10 gold piece. He's a good Torch.

The Mladinski List is published to acquaint young SNPJ members with the SNPJ and its work and to acquaint them with Slovene literature and language so that the American Slovenes will hold on longer and more tenaciously to the beautiful Slovene language. I feel that no title is more appropriate than the one the juvenile magazine bears now, which is "Mladinski List."

The Torches hope that all lodge social functions that will take place in the months of August and Sept. will be ultimate successes.

We, the members of the Torch of Liberty Lodge of Latrobe, Pa., appeal to all English Speaking lodges in Western Penn., to please keep Sept. 10 open for our Second Annual "East Meets West" Ball. Kindly consider this appeal and request. Since the lodge will not send a special invitation to each lodge as heretofore, we wish to extend a hearty invitation and welcoming hand to all lodges in Western Penn. to come to our dance. The success of this event depends on you and because this is the last dance we're sponsoring this year we hope that you E. S. lodges will cooperate with us.

Rose Klaphar, Pres.; Jane Pradel, Sec'y.

Official Notice

NOTICE TO LOCAL SECRETARIES

You are hereby notified that checks were mailed to the local treasurers for medical examinations fees as well as the donations for each new Juvenile member as provided for in by-laws of Juvenile department. This payment includes all members of Juvenile department secured from Jan. 1 to June 30, 1932.

FRED A. VIDER, Supreme Sec'y.

Here and There With Comrades

Cleveland, Ohio.—Yes sir! It's coming at last! Something we've all been waiting for a long time and now everybody hurry and make your reservations. Don't all get killed in the rush. But be sure and notify the persons in charge or you will be left behind and you certainly wouldn't want to miss this big affair—no siree!

We are taking this opportunity to invite all our neighboring lodges. We know you will enjoy yourselves, so why not come along! The following are some of the members who will use their cars: R. Turk, F. Slabe, J. Smole, Stritof boys, Heinie Martin and many others. So don't be afraid to show up, we'll have room for all of you. If you wish you may drive out yourself and we will give particulars later. But the date is Sunday, Aug. 28.

Inter-Lodge Day
Just a little reminder not to forget this big day. It's going to be a big day, filled with excitement from beginning to end. Each club should see that they are well represented. You certainly will not be sorry you attended—you couldn't be with all the games, races, dancing and what not going on. So come prepared to stay all day. The date? August 14.

The Comrade Lodge extend their sincere and heartfelt sympathy to the Vidmar family on the passing of their father.

We've certainly got a nice bunch of roamers here in the Comrade Lodge. A certain group including Turk, Slabe, the Stritof boys, Otto and Bob Tekants seems to be everywhere at once. Great boys and we hope you'll keep it up, you're keeping the Comrades on the map. Two others we wish to laud: Joe Jare and Heinie Martin. The Comrades certainly should be proud of these two lads who only have their thoughts on the progress of the club at all times.

Heinie Martin, an active Comrade member and superintendent of the St. Clair Bath House, is always full of brilliant and entertaining ideas. Heinie plays and arranges programs consisting of local talent, which are held on the Bath House lot. Do the people enjoy them? You bet they do!

Oddie and Ends
If the Comrades don't show up in larger numbers at our future meetings, we'll have to put some of the members "on the spot." Maymie Kerze, where are you keeping yourself?

Rudy Turk was in an accident with his reliable "tin lizzie." Not you're wrong again! Neither were hurt badly, and Rudy has reasons to smile. For reasons see Rudy Turk; he'll gladly give all the "dope."

Some of the J. Z. Juniors girls are planning to make a trip to Cleveland one of these days. Cleveland is a bit smaller than Library, Pa., so don't forget to bring your maps.

Wonder why Julia Tomalc, Nick Seacale, Frank Laurich, Mrs. Ivanush, Felix Danton, Josephine Likar and Julia Ramrod do not attend our meetings regularly? We hope to see all these people at our future meetings.

Send and Sinner.

(Editor's Note: Kindly attest your signature to every article.)

Revolution in Agriculture

The revolution that has occurred in American agriculture is evident from a statement made by the National Industrial Conference Board. In the old days of hand labor with the scythe and flail, it required about 60 hours for one man to harvest and thresh an acre of wheat. With the self-binder and threshing machine the time was cut to from 4.5 to 8 hours. Then came the "combine" in the great wheat fields, which reduced the labor time from a half to an hour and a half.

The gain in labor efficiency per man has been even more striking. It runs from 4,000 to 12,000 per cent, with a labor displacement of 97.5 to 99.2 per cent! The report adds that machinery "may well point to the elimination of wheat farming where such machinery is not used." This also applies to a number of other crops.

The farmer can realize the effects on his life by this revolution. If he were to obtain the benefits of this mechanical progress he would have comforts and leisure such as rural toilers have never known. Instead, after more than a century of this revolution it has enriched the capitalist class and plunged the farmer into depths of destitution such as his fathers who used the scythe and flail never knew. Socialize the machines for the rural and urban workers. This is the need of our time.—New Leader.

Light Swine and Bears

Papers the country over are hailing the rise in hog prices as signs of recovery. Sure! When a country is on the hog, it can't help going up—or down—with hogs.

Let's see, wasn't it the output of pig iron that used to register the ups and downs of the business thermometer? Yep! Well, then, why not use plain pigs for that purpose? They are lighter than pig iron and consequently go up easier. With the brains we've got, we even might get to the place where we breed lighter-than-air pigs, and just think what that would mean to the bull market.

Wuktra! Wuktra! Exchange in turmoil. Boy in charge of pigs cut string, causing pigs to soar sky high, dragging all stocks up with them in sympathy. When last seen, pigs were nearing Milky Way, still going strong. Bishop Manning orders Te Deum to be sung in Morn-inside Cathedral in praise of pigs. Columbia University gives blanket Ph. D. to pigs. Arthur Brisbane writes: "Don't gamble, but don't sell pigs short." Air outside of office buildings full of jumpings bears. Bulls thank God for pigs.—American Guardian.

Corruption and Capitalist Ethics

At least half a dozen times in a few days in letters, interviews and speeches it has been brought home to me how much Socialism in America is handicapped by the deep rooted, yes the exaggerated belief, that government in America is corrupt and the control in trade unions little if any better. How then can we trust it with more power? It is all very well to say that these evils, in so far as they exist and where they exist, are a reflection and expression of our American capitalism.

The fact that they did not exist in equal degrees in Europe has been a big help to our European comrades. The clean record of Milwaukee is an enormous asset to us. Socialists can make no bigger mistake than to assume that we can be or seem to be indifferent to the problems of common honesty and efficiency in political government, trade union control or elsewhere. With some reason, people won't believe that Socialism will automatically end these evils unless Socialists are keen now to expose them, to fight them, and above all to show the relations between them and the capitalist ethics generally.—Norman Thomas.

In proportion as the bourgeoisie, i. e., capital, is developed, in the same proportion is developed the proletariat, the class of modern workers who live only so long as they find work, and who only find work so long as their work increases capital: These workers, forced to sell themselves piecemeal, are a commodity like every other article of commerce, and are consequently exposed to the vicissitudes and all the fluctuations of the market.—Karl Marx.

Europe can not pay its debts. Neither can America, Asia, Africa and Australia. Come on, fellows, let's all get together and move to moon.—O. A.

We want to get rid of the militarist, not simply because he hurts and kills, but because he is an intolerable thick-voiced blockhead who stands hectoring and blustering in our way to achievement.—H. G. Wells.

Silver Stars of Yukon

Yukon, Pa.—During the past month the Western Penn English speaking branches have not been very active. The members that have gone on vacations are favored in these respects. When a person is on a vacation he thinks he is missing something when an affair is going on at home and he isn't there. To the vacationers—Jack Prejs, Louis Kosela, Joe Baumlich, Ross Jerala—we hope you had a very pleasant time. Rose has been in Mass. for her vacation.

Federation Meeting
The Westmoreland Co. Federation held their meeting at the Slovenc Hall at Yukon on Sun. July 24. The report of the picnic committee proved to be quite favorable. Jane Fradel resigned her office due to the fact that she is going to school this fall. This writer also had to resign because of his passive membership. Andy Prijatelj is the delegate from the SNPJ Western Penn E. S. Federation. You're always welcome, W. Pa.

Picnic Galore
This month, August, is the month noted for its outdoor activities. On the 7th the J. Z. Jr.'s. of Library are holding their annual picnic on Augustine's farm. Muehall with the Silver Stars will be one of the main features. On Aug. 14 a picnic will be in progress in Johnstown, Pa.—Sunday the 21st will be Clairton day. After a long period of silence the Clairtonians have awakened by attending lodge doings in large numbers. Finally comes Aug. 28, when the Veronians lodge of Verona will put on a special program.

1933 Convention
Are you getting ready for that time? You have no doubt noticed that the English speaking lodges of the SNPJ have proved to be as active as the Slovenc, if not more so. Therefore, why not have English speaking delegates to our convention? It's up to you to help in one way or the other; so let's all get busy and prepare for it!

Rank Partisanship
Recently a well known organization opened their convention with the idea to meet the many problems that came up since its last convention. Disappointment was felt by its members after learning that their convention had accomplished little. This was due to the fact that petty, personal, and partisan motives were much in evidence. We don't want the same happen to our convention next year, do we? Members should think before a delegate is elected and when one is elected make him go

FLASHES By Incognito

The picnic of the Chicago District Federation was one of the most enjoyable this season. The weather was only fair as was the attendance, due, no doubt, to the prevailing conditions, but everyone had plenty of fun and pleasure. We started out with two ball games. The Pioneer girls showed their superiority by trimming the Lincoln A. C. and our boys did their stuff by licking the Slovenc lads of Aurora.

Following the ball games the various novelty races were run off to the complete delight of our patrons. The sack race, wheelbarrow and peanut races gave reason for hilarious excitement. And the big thing of the day was the tug-o-war, the kind of which has rarely, if ever, been seen before. The strong, husky members of Delavec against the seemingly light, but peppy and energetic Pioneers. And who do you think won? The young lads. But no, South Chicago wouldn't go down in defeat, so another challenge brought on another war.

And what a war it was! For eight minutes neither side could bulge. Then from sheer exhaustion South Chicago began to wane and again the strong husky Delavec men were taken into camp by the more youthful combination. Prior to the last challenge Nade's ladies were too powerful against the young Pioneer girls. Dancing followed and those that were not too tired took in for more exercise. Practically all of the out-of-town Supreme Board members were in attendance.

Last Thursday night the Federation held its monthly meeting with a full attendance. Discussions on various proposals took place. The committee reported progress on reduction of funeral costs. The Xmas party for children was scheduled and the preparations for the convention were discussed. Although the Federation was the first to go on record officially to call committees of the various lodges for a Central Convention Committee to make all preparations for the convention, all of the Federation lodges accepted the invitation to attend the Union of SNPJ Lodges meeting for this purpose.

One more big job for this summer awaits us—the big Pioneer picnic on Sunday, August 26, 1932. The work is nearly progressing and the distribution of tickets is well begun, but to have our quota of people, we must add more steam, more pep, more ambition. Without a big crowd well, we just can't do anything and since we will not have any admission, it is

there to do what you want him to do. So on to Chicago in 1933.

Silver Stars, Notice
The monthly meeting will fall on Thurs., Aug. 4, instead of Sun., Aug. 7. The starting time will be 7:30 p. m. Our President and Vice President are delegates sent to the meeting for the protection of foreign born which will be held in Pittsburgh on the 7.

Loyal Member
Last week we gave an analysis of our Sec'y, Fannie Zalokar. Today we'll give you an idea of what our Treasurer, Christine Marvich, is made of. She happens to be one of the 14 charter members holding her present branch office since the beginning of the Silver Stars. She has also in the past travelled a lot under the local flag, boosting and cheering our lodge to the limit. You can easily get along with her, even if she is leaning towards Dan Cupid a little at the present.

Branch Convention
The Progressive Lodge of Euclid, Ohio, have flashed a new idea when they started a branch convention primary to the December election of their local officers. Ideas such as these prove to provide interest among the membership and result in fine harmony and companionship in the branch. It looks as if every member of the Progressives is a mighty booster, so keep your great work up.

Matrimonial Cupid
Old Dan Cupid shot swift arrow into the hearts of Miss Stella Klimeczek and our own Anthony Omets, and united them into one. This happy union was the result of an SNPJ affair. The two had met when the Silver Stars had made a visit to the J. Z. Jr.'s. Tony loses his favorite title "Romeo," but nevertheless we wish the couple a very happy and prosperous new life.

Odds and Ends
The Silver Star sixty-sixers will meet the Progressive Pals Inc. on Oct. 15, the day of their annual barn dance.—Somewhere in Tobyhanna, Pa., William Radojech, noted columnist from Oakmont, is camping.—Jack Prejsa coming back to work with the locals and stressing his points on the coming convention.—Ladivik Zepancic is lost somewhere. Can you tell us where he is?—The SNPJ Western Penn E. S. Federation preparing for the coming convention, is a good idea.

Today's Thought
There are only two tragedies in life, one of them is in not getting what you want, and the other is getting it.
Herman Preseren.

Here, There, Everywhere

Cleveland.—An event may be past, but if it is an event of some importance we always find it imprinted upon our memory. This event may be called a trip to Minnesota or Homecoming. Aurora, Minnesota, the home of the SNPJ Arrowheads, happens to be the place of the most interest.

(A coincidence in which Rambling Joe of the Integrity lodge and your ink-blotter came together in the same town of Eveleth, Minnesota, and were met by our well known Master of Ceremonies, Anthony Zallar, secretary of the Young Americans No. 650 SNPJ. We were rushed in the official car to Charles Karonich's place where we were feasted with a banquet. When the rendezvous of ours was finished we were escorted to our home in Aurora, Minn., by Bro. Zallar and his two attaches in the official car. The traffic was heavy, but after a time of angling in and out we finally arrived safely. Many thanks to Bro. Zallar's careful driving that the SNPJ did not have a need of decreasing its surplus funds by paying some of the beneficiaries.

July 2, 1932, marks the day of the first reunion in ten years of the family in which Rambling Joe and yours truly played an important part. A representation that was never expected convened at this great affair. Representatives from Badgers of Milwaukee, Wis.; Integrity lodge of

Chicago; Beacons of Cleveland, Ohio; Young Americans of Eveleth, Minnesota; Arrowheads of Aurora, Minnesota; and Omaha, Nebraska; as well as members of various senior lodges were present.

The Master of Ceremonies, Anthony Zallar, opened this celebration with a toast which was followed by speeches from Rambling Joe, John and Frank Debevec and John Groom of Barberton, Ohio. After the banquet dancing ensued in the main dining room of the Baumlich home. To the tunes of enchanting instruments of the Debevec Harmony Kings, which consisted of Bros. John and Frank Debevec and your Beacon scribe, the entire aggregation stepped a lively fantasy. When the heavens were changing colors the group trod wearily toward home.

July 4 marked another successful picnic for the Federation of SNPJ lodges of Northern Minnesota. The affair was held at Eveleth Lake, near Eveleth, Minnesota. Here also the original Debevec Harmony Kings furnished music that kept many a hot-hooper at a constant pace.

The group, with the exception of the scribe, disbanded and returned to their destination. The scribe had been taken care of by Br. Anthony Zallar who organized the 4 in 1 club. This club of which your ink-blotter is a member, is composed entirely of SNPJ members. For details about the club write to the scribe or to Anthony Zallar, Eveleth, Minnesota. Many thanks to Zallars, Debeveca, and Karonichs of Eveleth and Virants of Aurora for making our stay such a pleasant one. Thanks also to those in the SNPJ world who wished us an enjoyable trip. We sure did enjoy it.

As aliek as an Arrowhead. This applies to you Arrowheads who came to visit the Beacons and Mr. and Mrs. Kovach during my absence. Sorry I couldn't be with you, but someone had to fill your vacancy in Aurora.

Enter Steve Trebec, 50% Pals Inc. into the rank of our elders. In a few years you may be qualified to run for the presidency of U. S. A. Everyone had a good time celebrating your anniversary.

A bonfire made of wood from the virgin forests of Mervar's farm will be the light on the subject of the wiener roast given by the Beacons on August 27. Remember, reserve this date with the Beacons and assure yourself a good time.

Sister Mary Buhich has been on the sick list for a long time. Help her relieve the pain of her malady by visiting her.
John Baumlich.

Musketeeers' Musing

Moon Run, Pa.—The Musketeeers are sponsoring their annual outdoor dance August 6 at Moon Run Picnic Grounds. Admission is only a quarter, which is in reach of everybody's purse. The Musketeeers have procured a group of Slovenc entertainers known as "Sam's Jazz Clowns" for this evening. They will be on hand to give you versions of the latest dance hits.

Sorry, Meadowlands, that our dates conflict with each other. The Musketeeers have a mysterious vacationist, Frances Homes. Meet her on August 6. I hear that one of our Musketeeers, Rose Jerala, is enjoying herself immensely. Probably see you at the dance.

Canonburgh won our district championship due to the fact that the Musketeeers are governed by a Scottish plan instead of a Slovenc one.
Joseph J. Krally.

Stalwarts' Sayings

Kenosha, Wis.—Here it is, folks—what you expected to read last week. Due to unavoidable difficulties we were unable to make this announcement as promised. We hope we didn't disappoint the many that watched for it.

The Stalwarts' Annual Summer Frolic is to be held August 29 at McKee's Grove. This grove, as most everyone knows, is one of the most beautiful spots in this vicinity, and is easily reached by automobile or North Shore trains, it being only three miles south of Kenosha. There will be no admission charged, so come and take advantage of this opportunity.

Two ball games, which promise to be headliners, are scheduled for the afternoon session. The first game, between the leading Waukegan and Kenosha girl teams should be a real thriller as they are well matched and have a reputation that reaches far and wide. The second game will feature the popular Green Gables boys with "Wild Bill" Pecnik on the mound. Wild Bill, as you know, is the world's soft ball champ, having won the title last year from Matt Ruppert of Chicago. The Green Gables' opponents promise to give them a real battle, for they are none other than the Kenosha All-Stars, the cream of this year's crop. Boy! don't miss it. You don't have to, as there is no admission charge.

Immediately after the games music will start in the pavilion by a very popular orchestra. Eats and refreshments of all kinds will be served. Everything will be on disposal as long as the crowd lasts. So come early and stay late, and make merry whether the sun or the moon shines.

Our next meeting—August 12. What will the attendance be this time? Let's increase it a few notches. A little increase each time will soon bring it to the desired mark—100%.
"Gas."

Gowanda Boosters

Gowanda, N. Y.—Our sports picnic, held July 23 and 24, was a great success with plenty of fun and excitement. Though a little rain held up part of the crowd Saturday night, Sunday turned out to be an ideal day for a picnic. Those who attended witnessed the largest crowd ever seen at a picnic in Gowanda. The two entertainers from New York were a great drawing card both nights. Their singing, dancing, and acrobatic stunts pleased the audience beyond measure.

About fifty kiddies entered the waterslides contest, enjoyed themselves on the swings and horseshoe pitching. The egg race also caused much excitement with Agnes Kren, Mary Kren and a young lady of Buffalo winning the three beautiful prizes.

The orchestra proved to be very pleasing to the crowd playing polkas, fox-trots and anything the crowd demanded. George Samson played several very pleasing polkas on the accordion, which those who prefer accordion music enjoyed very much. We wish to thank everyone for their wonderful donations and also those who worked so hard to make the picnic the success it was. The cooperation among the members was wonderful and we hope they keep it up. We wish to thank our Senior lodge, the SSCU Pathfinders and their Seniors, SSEZ Lodge, and Buffalo Big Four for their wonderful cooperation. We also had the pleasure of entertaining several out-of-town visitors from St. Marys, Pa., Imperial, Pa., Sheffield, Pa., Warren, O., Cleveland, O., and Girard, Ohio. We feel certain that every one had a very enjoyable time.
Committee.

Loyalite News

Cleveland, O.—The Loyalites are having a social after their monthly meeting Aug. 10. Dancing with music by Jackie Zorec. Card games and different sorts of entertainment will be in order. Admission is 15c per person—at the Slovenc Home on Holmes ave. All the neighborhood lodges are invited, also friends.

Are all the Loyalites set to go to Inter-Lodge Day at Mervar's farm on Aug. 14? It sure will be a gala day for the Slovencs of Cleveland and vicinity. A very interesting program has been arranged by Mr. Heine Martin—something that will interest young and old alike. Baseball games, ball throwing contest, base running contest, and oh! so many ways to entertain the crowd. I guarantee that nobody will be "bored to tears"—as the saying goes. Plenty of refreshments will be on hand.

Each lodge has been asked to have at least 5 machines in the parade. Why not help and get your car in there? Nobody can give the excuse of not being able to get there by transportation, as there will be plenty of machines and a few trucks hired just for this day. If you have a friend with a car, why not ask him to take a group to Mervar's, and each passenger give him 20c or so for both ways and that will help him, in fact more than pay for gas, if there are about 4 or 5 going.

See your lodge representative about it or you may call at my home in person or by phone (664 E. 100 St., Eddy 6069-B) and I will be only too glad to give you any information that you are seeking. All machines are meeting at the St. Clair Bathhouse between 9 and 10 a. m. on Aug. 14. If you can't get enough passengers for your car, call me and I will be only too glad to help you get them. How about the Loyalites coming out 100%? Will any Loyalite or Eastern Star who has a car, please see me, so I can furnish the information you want, or go straight to the bathhouse and I will see you there on Aug. 14.

We want this day to go over with a big BANG! and show that the Slovencs are right on top where sports or sportmanship is to be shown. Let's show them that we still want Inter-Lodge and Inter-Frat Leagues to continue with our baseball, basketball and with all sports.

COME ON, LOYALITES, EASTERN STARS, HOLY NAME, STRUGGLERS, PROGRESSIVES, LET'S SHOW THEM THAT COLLINWOOD IS COMING OUT IN FULL FORCE AND SUPPORT INTER-LODGE DAY.

August J. Prussnick, Sec'y, Loyalites Lodge 690 SNPJ.

Veronians

Verona, Pa.—Although we would like to elaborate on the Veronians' Annual Picnic, we will leave that to Bill Radojech who will give you more information in his "Last We Forget" column when he returns from his sojourn in the East within the next few days. But prepare now to attend the Veronians' Annual Picnic to be held on Aug. 28 at the Oak Hill Gardens, near Harmsville, Pa., featuring the popular eleven piece orchestra, the Royal Troubadours, Silver Stars and Keystoneans have already promised to be there and it is a foregone conclusion that the Ramblers and Comets will be represented. Who's next?

On Aug. 13 the local CPU lodge are celebrating their 10th anniversary and it would not be amiss if some Veronians attended their affair. They have always cooperated with the Veronians to the fullest extent and they

deserve our patronage. An interesting program of music, dancing, speakers and cats will make it worthwhile.

The Reveliers were hosts to Federation meeting and they are to be commended for their untiring efforts to make this meeting most pleasant both from a business and social standpoint. Bill Radojech writes that he is enjoying himself at Tobyhanna, Pa., and Preseren besides being a Quack and a Flea, will become a full-fledged fireman if he hangs around that Firemen's convention.

Under the excellent leadership of Paul Kern and Rukovitch, with due credit to the balance of the team, the Veronians' moshball team is still leading the local league, thereby not only gaining honors for themselves, but boasting and advertising the SNPJ in this district.
Vic Jakovac.

Universal Comets

Universal, Pa.—Two years have elapsed since the organization of the SNPJ Comets. Two successful years in which we have been fortunate in acquainting ourselves with the members and friends of the various lodges. Added to that is the realization that our members have the interests of the lodge at heart just as they had in the beginning, if not more so. What the next two years will bring is, of course, unknown to us, but we hope to accomplish much through such cooperative members as we have at present.

Much can be depended on such active members as the Yerebs, Luketichs, Bertovics, Demshars and others whom you see here and there indulging in social activities and who are willing workers at any of the Comets' affairs. Under the capable guidance of the officers, the members can do what they have done in the past.

On Sunday, July 17, six Comets attended the meeting of the W. Penn Fed. of SNPJ lodges in Ambridge. Much of the time was spent in discussing athletics, particularly moshball.

The Veronians announced their plans for a picnic on August 28. I understand the dance pavilion will accommodate several hundred people, and judging by the articles which were published in the Prosveta, we are in for a good time.

The J. Z. Juniors also made an announcement of their picnic and box social on August 7. Just want to mention that we'll be there with our boxes.

Following the meeting we were treated to a lunch by our hosts, the Reveliers, after which we returned to the dance hall to make whoopee. We wish to express our appreciation for the wonderful way in which we were treated by the Revs. Many thanks to the Uherniks, Rosenbergers, and others with whom we visited later in the evening, and who made our day a pleasant one.
Tessie Kumer.

Dynamic Detroit

Detroit.—O. K., Young Americans! It's here, the Outing we've been waiting for so long. And it's going to be held at the Upper Strait Lakes on Saturday, Aug. 6.

In order that the Young Americans can go in a group, the committee pleads with the members that plan to attend with or without cars to meet at our regular meeting place on Victor ave. near Oakland at 7:00 p. m. sharp, as transportation must be arranged for those who have no cars. So do your share to make this outing a success. Refreshments and music will be furnished by the Young Americans. All we got to do is to bring our bathing suits and our soft drinks.

We take this opportunity to cordially and heartily invite the Wolverines to come and enjoy themselves with the Young Americans. Wolverines, we hope that you, too, will meet us at the Victor hall and travel with us to the Lakes.

Tony Hometz will bring his piano accordion and promises some snappy selections including the "Tiger Rag." The Y. A. Boys' Glee Club will also help to put some pep into this gala event by singing some of the latest pieces, such as "Down by the Old Mill Stream" and "Sweet Adeline."

The following Young Americans are spending their vacations out of Detroit: Ann Repova, Simon Repova, John Lackner and our president, Herman Bugel, all in Kansas. Tony Jurca, Estok Menton, Joe Zrimac, are on a belated fishing trip in and around Cadillac, Mich. and points north.

The Young Americans' Baseball team is fighting desperately for the leadership of the Highland Park Class A League. Sunday, July 24, they won their game by defeating the Mass A. C., 9-6. A 3 run rally in the sixth inning, Joe Zrimac poked out a home run. It was one of the longest hits ever hit at Ives field. "Polly" Benko started on the rubber, but was relieved by "Rank" Kaitner.

Young Americans also want to announce that they will sponsor a Moonlight Picnic on Aug. 12 at Travnik's farm, 11 mile road and Dequindre. Plenty of refreshments and snappy music and oh yes, lots of very soft drinks.

So, Young Americans, don't forget to be out there in full numbers. We also invite the Wolverines. We guarantee you all a good time. See you there, everybody.
Fraternally,
Raymond Travnik, Member 664 SNPJ.

Lodge News Notes

WEST PENN FEDERATION NEWS
Universal, Pa.—No one will hardly dispute the fact that through no other agency than the Federation—except the Fleas—have the members of the affiliated lodges learned to know and understand each other so well. Fraternality, exchange of views on social and economic problems, and mutual aid of the respective lodges through reciprocation of attendance at social functions are only a few of the advantages to be gained by lodges affiliated with the Federation. Inactive lodges or lodges not yet in the fold can hardly afford to ignore the advantages to be gained therefrom. They should become actively interested and the remunerations will automatically follow.

At the last Federation meeting in Ambridge on July 17 interesting discussions and debates were held on affairs of the Federation. Delegates who are wise will not simply answer the roll call and sit still the rest of the meeting. They will overcome any stage fright they may have and avail themselves of the opportunity for self-expression offered by joining in the various discussions and expressing their opinions.

The Reveliers deserve commendation for the high plane on which the meeting and the entertainment which followed were conducted. Those Revelier girls practice hospitality as it is defined by Webster—to state it mildly.

After the meeting the Fleas were in their glory and the initiations which were conducted were vicious enough to please even the inimitable Tony Biers. The Fleas' outing was also effected even though under the handicap of loud and continual buzzing.

It was decided that the next meeting would be held in Pittsburgh.
Max Kumer.

MUSKETEERS' MUSING

Moon Run, Pa.—The Musketeeers will hold their 2nd annual Outdoor Dance Saturday eve, August 6, at Portman's Picnic Grove (also known as Slov. Park), featuring Sam's Jazz Clowns. Admission to park free. You may have an enjoyable evening of dancing for only 25c per person. We cordially invite the SNPJ lodges and friends to attend.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the Trail Blazers for their thoughtfulness in changing their date. Hope they have a nice crowd and favorable weather. We wish them all the luck in the world.
Frances A. Arch.

LIBRARY NEWS

Library, Pa.—It has been several years since we have published news of this kind. And now we like to draw your attention.

Due to the fact that clubs and lodges of different towns have sponsored their dances, anniversaries, etc., on holidays, Library always cancelled theirs, and went different places. And now we the members of the Library Educational Entertaining and Beneficial Society Home ask you to leave Labor day open. We would appreciate it very much, for we did the same for you.

On Labor day be prepared for the best time you ever had in Library, for we are sponsoring our Tenth Anniversary which starts at 2 p. m. E. S. T. Our program for afternoon will be as follows: Music by the Willock Band; male chorus of 23 voices and 2 sets of comic vaudeville including a few other entertainments which will last till about 5 o'clock. After that the Harmony Aces will give you the music to dance the night through. Be sure that you have good shoes, or you're liable to burn your feet dancing to the snappy tunes.

Anyway, do your best to be on the road to Library Labor day as dry in

Wolverine News

Detroit.—As news are popping up on all sides of me I thought that I might as well try to put some in print. First is the Sports news: the Wolverine Baseball team, under the able management of Joe Kern, assisted by his brother Frank, is now well organized and going strong. Out of the last four games played, the Wolves have won three; and they expect to add many more scalps to their belts before the season is over. We have gained a great asset to the team in our new member, Ed Burk, a pitcher; in the last game played, which was won by the score of 14 to 3, Ed pitched a one hit game. He has also pitched splendidly on other occasions. Joe Kopsmeyer, who recently returned from Kansas, pitched and won in his first game, which was against the Noelle Six Lakes team. The score was 9 to 2. These games were not won by the pitchers alone, but with the help of the rest of the team who gave good support and hit when hits were needed.

The big day is near and many hearts are beating and fluttering with anticipation at the exciting time that will come with it. What day? Why, the day when the Wolverine Ball and Chain gang, managed by Vink Straus, meets the Badgers, managed by Joe Kern. Sunday, August 7, 1:30 o'clock, at Michigan and Wyoming. You may be sure that the married men's wives will be out and then who will manage the team? Will it be Vink? The single men admit that the best boys will have an advantage in the cheering section as

your throat as though you had just come from the desert, for we have something here of the kind it makes you think you're in fairyland.
F. Liekavitch Jr.

J. Z. JR.'S. BROADCASTING

Library, Pa.—Don't forget about the J. Z. Jr.'s. big Annual Picnic held on August 7, at Slapnik's Grove. The place before was decided to be at Augustine's farm, but it was changed to Slapnik's Grove. That place is about one mile from Library. Just follow the arrows and you will get there safely.

There will be all kinds of amusements, moshball games with Yukon and Universal, dancing to the tune of Elmer Krut and his orchestra, and plenty of refreshments, especially the "Granish pop," which is beginning to be favorite of the young people.

All the lodges are invited to come to this picnic, and the J. Z. Jr.'s. lodge will be very gratefully satisfied if many lodges help support this picnic. Come all you Fleas, right to Library on August 7, and see all the pretty girls. There will also be a box social. And there will be many prizes given that day.
Frank J. Ambrosic.

SILVER STARS, ATTENTION

Yukon, Pa.—To the members of Lodge No. 729 SNPJ I wish to announce that our monthly meeting will fall on Thursday, Aug. 4, instead of Sun., Aug. 7, due to the fact that our president, Victor Povirk, and vice president, Matt Yachlik, have been elected delegates to the meeting for the Protection of Foreign Born, which falls on Sun., Aug. 7, in Pittsburgh, Pa. The local lodge session will come to order at 7:30 p. m.

Each and every member of the Silver Stars are welcome, active and passive, we want you to keep yourselves interested in our local, therefore we want you to attend our meeting and keep acquainted with the doings of your fellow members. To the members that find it rather hard to say their dues please come to see me and I'll see what can be done about it.

We wish the membership campaign, girls. We'll have a party on us treated by our boys. So get busy, boys, and show us a good time, or we'll show you one. Don't forget our next meeting on Thursday evening, August 7, at 7:30 p. m.
Fannie Zalokar Sec'y.

BADGER PICNIC

Milwaukee.—The long awaited day is nearing. On August 21, at Kosmuth's park, the Badgers are holding their annual picnic. What a time there will be for those who are going to attend. And you may be sure that the committee has considered everyone in its plans. The young, the old—there will be something for everybody.

Children especially will not want to miss the picnic this year. Every child under twelve will receive after the children's grand march, free ice cream, cracker jack and balloons. Don't leave the young tots at home. Remember, they are going to be future Badgers.

For the older folks, there will be games, dancing and refreshments. And the refreshments will perhaps be a surprise to all. The dancing, of course, will interest the young people. The best accordion music that can be found will furnish the music.

A prize of ten dollars in gold will be given away at the picnic. Tickets may be obtained from the Secretary at his home. Members are hereby requested by the Secretary that on the sale of these tickets depends the success, at least financially, of the picnic. The tickets are sold at ten cents. Get your quota immediately.

Further details will be given next week.
John Obluck, 722 W. Walker street.

Health Talks

SUNSTROKE

Sunstroke is characterized always by a history of direct exposure to the sun. It is due to excessive heat and occurs during the hottest season of the year. Men who take active exercise or do hard physical work are more frequently affected than women, and while children are the least affected, they are not free from the disorder, especially when the head is exposed to sun-rays.

The onset of sunstroke is abrupt with complete loss of consciousness. The skin as a rule is hot, dry and flushed. The body temperature is very high. The recovery depends not only on the severity of the case but also upon prompt and appropriate treatment. Although some cases are instantly fatal, patients having a temperature of 110° F. have recovered under prompt cold water treatment.

A patient suffering from sunstroke should first have all clothing removed from chest and legs. The body should then be sponged with tap-water followed by ice-water sponging and then rubbed with ice for a few minutes. When the body temperature has dropped the patient should be put in wet sheets for about a half hour. This treatment should be repeated until normal temperature is reached. Tub baths and ice packs are also used in combating the high fever. If the heart is weak an ice pack is always good, and the patient should be allowed to remain quiet. An ice water enema is sometimes necessary to reduce the high fever. When the patient can swallow he should be given plenty of water, but no alcoholic drinks. Proper stimulation, such as camphor, strychnine, or ammonia, should be given, as prescribed by a physician.

HEAT PROSTRATION

Heat prostration may result from exposure to either natural or artificial heat. In heat prostration there is no history of direct exposure to the sun, but a history of being confined in a close, poorly ventilated room. It may occur at night or any season of the year. A large number of heat exhaustion cases are found among stokers, laundry workers, steel workers, and workers in rolling mills, also persons who are crowded together, as sweatshop workers, or who live in hot-ventilated, insanitary rooms, or barracks where direct sunlight is absent.

The onset is gradual and consciousness is usually retained. The skin is not dry, hot or flushed; on the contrary it is cold, clammy and pale. The body temperature in these cases is variable. It rarely goes above 102° F.

A patient suffering from heat exhaustion should be put in a warm bed with head slightly raised and covered with an ice bag. Hot water bottles wrapped in flannel should be put around the patient's body. Meanwhile, rubbing the arms and legs will be beneficial. The patient is then covered with hot blankets and given

hot stimulating drinks, such as hot milk, hot egg-nog, scup, coffee, etc. Also well-diluted whiskey can be given as a stimulant.

To prevent heat prostration the skin should be kept clean so that sweating may be free. The clothes should be loose and light, sufficiently thin to allow free circulation of air. The diet should be light and of easily digested food. Meats and rich food should be avoided, likewise all alcoholic drinks. Plenty of cool water (not iced) or fruit juices should be taken internally. Avoid tiredness and worry and direct exposure to the sun. Windows of rooms in living quarters should be open but shaded so as to exclude heat rays without interfering with free circulation of air. Electric fans should be used if possible to keep the air in motion. Cool baths are refreshing and beneficial. When heat is intense all work should be reduced to a minimum, and a rest in a shady place should be taken at mid-day if possible.

DROWNING

In case of suffocation from drowning, if the person when taken from the water is breathing, he should be removed, if possible, to a near-by house, and put into a hot bath, which will act as a stimulant, or heat may be applied directly over the heart or abdominal organs. Head and shoulders should be raised, and stimulants given, such as hot coffee, whiskey, or hot tea, and the body should be briskly rubbed. This can be done until the arrival of a physician. In all cases of suffocation the throat must be cleared so that fresh air can reach the lungs.

To produce artificial respiration in case of drowning, the patient's clothing is first removed and the body quickly dried. The mouth, throat and nose should be cleared, and the tongue pulled forward. A pillow or a rolled-up coat, or a piece of wood should be placed under the shoulders. The arms near the elbows should now be grasped and swept around horizontally, away from the body, until the hands meet over the head. This movement raises the ribs and expands the chest, as when a person breathes in air. The arms should then be brought down to the sides, the elbows meeting over the pit of the stomach. Pressure is then made against the chest wall, producing contraction of the chest. The arms are to be held in the latter position a few seconds, and then the movements are repeated. These movements are continued at the rate of about 16 to a minute or the rate of normal respiration, till respiration is established, or till pulse and respiration have ceased for an hour.

Smelling salts are helpful in encouraging breathing. Friction, warm blankets and external heat are needed when breathing has started.

A pulmotor should always be used when available to restore breathing. A pulmotor can be obtained by calling the police or fire department.

John J. Zaveritnik, M. D.

Reunion with Friendly City

Johnstown, Pa.—Friends, brothers, and sisters, here I am again; and too happy for words! For I am once again among my own Friendly City brothers and sisters, so it seems like old times.

Speaking of old times, reminds me and yet it doesn't of the happy meetings gone by. Not that the present meetings are not wonderful, but just a certain something is missing. Let's call it glamour! I realize that depression hit us all from different directions, that shouldn't take the shine out of our lives though. Gee, that is expected, for if our lives continued smoothly and we would receive everything just by asking for it, we would have no ambitions, goals, or climbing ladders. The easy life, too, would become irksome and a monotony, in time. I'll admit that it doesn't pay to be too optimistic, but, on the contrary, why be a pessimist? You may be sure that in SNPJ we can always trust and they in turn will contrive to keep that trust—realism! Then, too, we still have each other: the same as before. Brothers and Sisters, you notice the sun is still in the sky shining with all its glory, the same as ever! The flowers are still blooming! The birds are still singing, why shouldn't we? You must frankly admit that there are still things worth while to keep our spirits and enthusiasms in full swing. Don't forget that a smile will go a long, long way. So keep the glamour in your smiles, work, and play.

What—Outdoor Dance. When—August 6. Where—Moon Run, Pa. Joseph J. Krally.

VEST POCKET NEWS

Clariton, Pa.—By this time you have all read the program for our picnic which was printed in last week's Prosveta. What do you think of it? Are you coming? We hope so. George Huchak (Casey Jones) the human locomotive who will be with us at our picnic on Sunday, Aug. 21, at Shady Park, whistles for the Kentucky Mountaineers every Tuesday and Friday from Station KQV in Pittsburgh. Casey is a Clariton lad and can whistle like a real locomotive. Also on this program is Al Morouse, a young Slovene from Broughton, who surely knows how to play the accordion. You can't resist dancing to his peppy polkas. Casey Jones with his whistle. Al with his squeeze-box and Frankie & Johnnie with their shindig tunes is a program that can't be beat. Tune in for these boys every Tuesday and Friday from 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. and from 12 noon to 12:15 E.D.S.T.

All members are requested to attend the monthly meeting on Aug. 7 at 1:00 p. m. promptly. Let's try to make this meeting as short as possible so we can be on our way to the J. Z. Jr.'s picnic early. Be sure to attend for final arrangements for our picnic will be made, election of committees, etc. Members please note, bring in the money and all grand drawing books sold to our meeting on Aug. 7 at 1:30 p. m.—On to Clariton Aug. 21! Anthony Prince.

NATIONAL ATHLETIC BOARD RESOLUTION

Whereas, so many of our members are out of work and cannot afford traveling expenses to the various games (not even for local games) and because our different lodges cannot afford to pay these expenses or the cost of hats, balls, and other athletic equipment because they are trying to pay the dues of their unemployed members and because of the fact that so many members are dropping out of the various lodges due to lack of funds, therefore be it

Resolved, that the National Athletic Board of the SNPJ suspend all further organization of athletics within the SNPJ, suspend the nomination and election of the National Athletic Board officers, suspend all the planned activities except in the districts which are active (to whom the promised awards will be given), and suspend all the policies and rules which the National Athletic Board has adopted until the convention of the SNPJ.

(Signed) Frank Heidenreich, President; Otto Tekauts Jr., Vice-Pres.; Rudolph Pensa, Secretary; John E. Mauser, Treasurer; J. J. Novak, Chairman Rules Committee.

RESOLUTION

The delegates of the Westmoreland County Federation of SNPJ representing 11 lodges of a membership of 1,000, at regular meeting assembled at Yukon, Pa., July 24, passed unanimously the following resolution:

WHEREAS: the mines have failed to supply sufficient work, and the heads of families are receiving but \$2.50 to \$5.00 per week, barely sufficient to pay rent, leaving scarcely anything for food and clothing and nothing for taxes; and

WHEREAS: the hard-earned savings of more prosperous days have been exhausted and dissipated in bank failures; and

WHEREAS: want and need is making desperate these worthy citizens who are seeing their wives and children slowly starving to death, and who are utterly unable to prevent this condition by their own efforts; and

WHEREAS: this condition has the tendency of forcing these men to acts of desperation such as food riots, robbery, suicides; and tends toward the breakdown of the health and the bodies of our future citizens; and

WHEREAS: the legislature has shown, in this session, very little cooperation in the matter of legislating relief; and seems to be making a political football of the misery of the poor, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the legislators from this district be asked to give their full support to constructive relief and unemployment insurance measures; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this resolution be published in the press and a copy be sent to the Governor and to each of the representatives from this district.

Westmoreland Co. Federation of SNPJ Lodges. Frank Gradisek, President.

What is the Youth of the Present Day Coming To?

What is the youth in the present economic depression doing, or rather, where is it going to land? You may think this an insignificant question, but there are many who will not agree with you, for this generation is to set a standard (the standard progressing, not retreating) for civilization of this period and for other generations to come.

The fact that almost everybody is afflicted by this crisis is true, so now let us first consider one whose income is reduced considerably either by less work or reduced wages. He

now finds that he must sacrifice many things which may be called luxuries, but he still goes along all right and is in no grave danger for the present. I want it to be understood that I have reference to those below thirty years of age. Of course, the older people are just as important for they are our teachers, but I wish to deal with youth alone.

What do these people whose incomes are lowered do for human good? Some will try hard to better themselves however they can, others will squander what little they have just as foolishly as ever, and the few that are left, devote all their time, energy and effort fighting for the "common cause" to better conditions and environment not only for themselves, but for their neighbor and every other workman. It seems as if the first two groups aren't hit hard enough to wake up and still think this is probably the will of God or some other vague or foolhardy idea. It's perfectly sane to strive to better yourself as long as you don't degrade your fellow beings. Every one should have that ambition.

Now let's consider that class that is deprived of any income at all. Of these there are countless numbers of boys and girls, men and women upon whom depend their own children to be kept from the clutches of starvation, sisters, brothers, fathers, mothers, to be helped along in the struggle for existence. This class may also be divided into groups. First are those who must be dependent either upon some of their own people or relief committees and I know that they loathe the very thought of accepting what you may call doles, when they would be only too glad to work. This has very often been shown by demonstrations and marches of these "Jobless" people. The most recent and one with no "big money interests" behind was the "Bread and Job" crusade to Harrisburg. Think of it, strong, perfectly healthy people who want work, cry and plead for it, must lead a life like this. If they are degraded into such a position they fight with all that's in them for the "common cause." But they won't be a strong, healthy race if they must keep on living like this. Some of them may have been fighting all the time, others only since they have reached the bottom and learned. If everybody would only wake up when they find themselves trampled down to nothing at all, it would be wonderful because they gain experience all along the line, but there are thousands still asleep, they never seem to wake up from that lethargy. In this group, although planned down to nothing at all, the youth strives to progress by gaining knowledge, absorbing everything to carry them a step higher and to gain liberty.

Now we arrive at the group whose eyes are still closed either by their own ignorance or the power of the capitalist. The only inspiration they ever had was to work from one day to another, giving no thought to the future, just so their stomachs were filled today, let tomorrow take care of itself. Now, they have not a single thing to do, no ambition, no home, nothing to eat. From day to day they tread, wearily looking for work, hunger clutching them at every step. To what do their starved minds revert? So much food to be seen all around them, yet they go hungry, it certainly is a temptation not to be resisted. They are forced to steal, commit crimes. There are others who are forced to do dishonorable deeds away down below in no form of decency. What a shame to have to demoralize to such a low state. Not only is this group forced to lower their morals but many others, who try hard, have worked all their lives to keep clean, raise the standard of living to a higher level, find themselves at the bottom of the world. They must do something to live.

It's a shame to see all these lives, youth groping in the darkness, rot away in this world. What can be done to save it from further destruction? Organize, spread Socialist propaganda, vote for the Socialist party. We don't expect to have our man elected for president or the majority in congress right away, but there is no hope for this suffering humanity save in Socialism. So vote Socialist for we need your vote, and yours and yours and everybody else's you are able to get.

A Reader, Lodge No. 232.

PEOPLE STILL IMPORTANT

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Considering what we can do there ought not to be a hungry child in this country, or a man out of work who wants to work.

There ought not to be any such thing as political corruption, or racketeering. There ought not to be so much unhappiness and discontent as there is.

We have got to think of something besides the roar of motors if we are going to make them of real service to mankind, something besides the soulless strength of steel.

People are still the most important products of the human race and everything we do should be subordinated to their welfare. If we fail to produce more intelligence and higher minded people we might as well forget the rest, and go back to the days of slavery.

The best Presidents of the U. S. were the following:

Washington, who freed the country, the land of liberty; Lincoln, who freed the slaves; Hoover, who has freed the working man.

Frank Mikolich, A Morning Star.

A Thought for the Forthcoming Convention of the SNPJ

Detroit, Mich.—When a person joins our organization the following words are recited to him, by the president of the lodge: "Friend, it is the purpose of the Society, to help members financially in case of sickness or bodily injury and their beneficiaries in case of death." And also the following is part of the speech which is read at a deceased member's grave: "Our mother, the Slovene National Benefit Society, will be your benefactress after your death, and will wipe the tears of your loved ones, whom you are leaving today, and who are dependent on the work of your hands." In the Farewell address at the crematory, the following words are said: "She cannot give back your life to you, but she will care for your loved ones, and ease their grief."

How many members ever took the above quotation into consideration, "will care for your loved ones," which is read from the ritual? Has our SNPJ fulfilled the above obligations which they promise? Is it not, that the only thing our organization does, is pay the death benefit to beneficiaries? At least that is what is done in many cases.

Let's take, for instance, that a father and mother both die, leaving six small children to face the world. The relatives of these children have large families and cannot adopt them. The only thing the SNPJ does is pay the death benefit when they reach age. What is to become of them until then? Their only salvation is a poor house, or if some one happens to adopt them.

Members, at our next regular convention some action will have to be taken on this matter. Many other fraternal organizations have homes for their orphans and I think that we should establish an Orphanage. If such does not exist then we should only promise our members what we

really give them. Promise them they will receive sick benefit, and their beneficiaries will receive the death benefit, when they die.

I know we have a special benefit fund, which gives aid to those who are in dire need, but little of it ever goes to the orphans who are left behind. Members do not join fraternal organizations just so their beneficiaries receive their death benefit, but join so that his or her children are taken care of when they die. I often wonder what does the SNPJ do in a case where the father and mother die, and groups of small children are left, who have no relatives, or friends who will take care of them. I know it is impossible for local lodges to take care of them. If the SNPJ would appropriate several thousands for an orphans' home, it would then fulfill the obligations which it promises.

Some time ago suggestions were discussed that SNPJ buy a farm for the aged. It's not a bad idea, but a good suggestion. Some sort of pension system should be started instead, so that a member who is unable to work because of old age, would receive some benefits. A reserve system should also be adopted, that members paying their assessments so many years, would be entitled to so much reserve. This reserve to be used to pay assessments when out of work or unable to work on account of old age.

The English speaking lodges are considered the younger element who will be represented at the coming convention and they will take over the reins of the organization in near future. They must give many a thought to the pioneers of our organization, for they must not be forgotten. If the SNPJ had not been started in the early days of our pioneers, we today could not organize such an organization as they had.

Andrew Gram Jr.

This and That

Library, Pa.—Please take note. Circumstances made it necessary for the J. Z. Jr.'s to change the location of their picnic grounds. Therefore the picnic will be held at Slapnik's Grove or sometimes known as "Whip-or-will Grove." This grove is only about 1/2 mile from Library. Many of our friends know the place. Slapnik's Grove is more easily found, in fact it can hardly be missed. Muehl can be played in an adjoining field and a couple of games are scheduled for the afternoon. So c'mon over and see us on Aug. 7.

Senior Fed. meeting was well attended. A picnic in the afternoon made the day more enjoyable. Which leads up to the following—the Tenth Anniversary of our Dom to be held on Labor day. There will be several speakers, couple acts of vodvil, music by Willock Band, etc. A feature we look forward to will be a chorus of 23 voices, the "Pevsko Društvo Javor." Don't miss them. So come around—you'll enjoy yourself. Dancing in the evening too. Coming?

Repeating—All Yeses not at Ambridge please say Yes or No as to whether you're coming to Flea picnic. You must have your card. If not, Lord help you, for initiation committee won't—much! Let's go, gang. I-ban gone hum tum. S'tong.

Strings.

(Editor's Note: Omitted items will appear next week.)

PROGRESSIVE PALANES

Nottingham, O.—August 9 marks another red letter day for the Progressives. On that date we are giving a card party. The admission is only 25c, and for that small sum you're going to get refreshments and dancing besides playing cards. See you at our party and don't forget it. August 9 is the date.

August 13. That's when we are going to have our long waited for wienner roast to be given by our goodhearted boys. What a break we girls are always getting from the fellows. So girls, we think it's about time we started to return them; don't you think so? Pala Inc. we wish you would reveal to us just who and what your "Sugar" is, as we are very curious to know. If you haven't the required sum as yet to pay the ransom, please let us know in your next article and we will gladly donate the missing dollars, so we will get Sugar back all the sooner.

The Two Blue Belles congratulate Bro. Steve Trebec (1/2 Pala Inc.) on his twenty-first birthday which was on July 30, 1932. We also thank him and his mother and all the others that helped us to enjoy ourselves at his party which was on July 31 way up in Chippewa. On that day he received many wonderful and useful gifts from all of his friends that attended this large affair.

Two Blue Belles.

J. Z. Jr. Broadcasting

Library, Pa.—Again the J. Z. Jr.'s come to you with an invitation to attend their Second Annual Picnic, which will be held on the First Sunday in August, Aug. 7, at Slapnik's Whip-or-will Grove on the outskirts of Library, about three miles nearer than the other grounds. The reasons for changing the site for the picnic are numerous; but in so far as the visitors are concerned, we need to mention only the benefits which will ac-

crue for them by reason of this change. First of all, it is about three miles nearer, and the benefits of such a change are obvious. Then, too, there will be a place to play three muehlball games, whereas the other place had no adequate field nearby.

The affair will start at 2:00 p. m. (E.S.T.) and will continue until about 11:00 (E.S.T.). This will give to all of those present 9 hours of playing, and included in the day will be the following features: Muehlball games will be played with some of the best teams in the West. Pa. SNPJ district; and, while the teams will be playing, and most of the younger folk will be on the side lines rooting for one team or another, the older folks will be swinging their partners to the strains of some snappy polka or waltz; then, when the games will have been completed, Andy will mount the stage, and in the deep bass voice, so familiar to all, will start, "How much am I offered for this beautiful package?"—Elmer Krut and his Twilight Synchopators will mount the platform, and everyone will dance until the last strains of the Home Waltz will have faded into the air.

All that the visitors have to do is come to Library, the fellows bring the girls (and the girls bring a nice, big box, which will be given away). Then from Library, follow the arrows to Slapnik's Whip-or-will Grove; and when on the grounds, slip a shiny two-bits into the yellow cigar box in Windy's hands, then go off on an afternoon of fun and frolicking—Aug. 7.

Andy Prijatelj, Member 682.

LODGE ANNOUNCEMENTS

PIONEER ACTIVITIES

Chicago.—Once in a while I find it more appropriate to call Chicago "Sleepy town," and the reason for this is the fact that many of us are still asleep and waiting, probably, to be awakened.

The awakening has come at last! In the form of a great novel attraction. The Pioneers' Annual Picnic to be held at Shady Tree Grove (cozy name, what?) just opposite Kegel's Grove in Willow Springs on Aug. 28. When I say novel attraction I mean simply that. Free admission, prizes, games and amusements of all sorts are to be headed as such.

Hey! Hey! Did I mention dancing? Nope, I completely forgot, but nevertheless, it will be there. And with Johnny's Merry-makers dishing out the melodious music, who said we won't dance? Why, even the old folks will sweat and puff around the floor when the strains of that tantalizing "Slovene hop" reaches their ears. What could be sweeter at sundown than couples under a tree. Trees and shade in abundance.

This awakening should bring us on that day a riot of members filled with pep, enthusiasm and a fiery spirit ready to plunge in and do their bit to make a big thing bigger and better.

It is this prevailing depression that has made us give the clamorous public a treat. Free admission, eats galore, and drinks from our own well water to the famous Giggie water and with two such capable bartenders ready to hand out a laugh, what more could you ask? Forget your rheumatism and your backache, don't worry about creaking at home; take a day off and join us in our revelry. Remember, folks! Shady Tree Grove, opposite Kegel's Grove in Willow Springs, Sun., Aug. 28. Bus accommodations. More details later.

In the past Pioneers' affairs have ever been well attended, we've made good in anything we have attempted, and came thru with the feeling that the attempt was not in vain. It is a known fact that we are the largest SNPJ lodge, that is the English Speaking lodge, therefore we are mighty proud of our title. Isn't this also proof that we are gaining and not straggling? Our brothers and sisters are daily becoming more interested in the lodge and its affairs, and I predict a rosy future.

The elders are sitting and taking notice, satisfied that we are fit to carry (n) their work. Their confidence has helped and is helping us on toward our goal. Credit is due the officers of this lodge in so patiently leading us on and with them in lead we are sure of success.

The Pioneer Entertainment and Picnic committees have consolidated until after the picnic.

The entertainment committee will meet at the home of Oscar Godina, 2211 So. Crawford ave., at 8 o'clock, Aug. 8. Committee, please attend, as discussion on the next Pioneer meeting will prevail. What has become of Eddie H.? Come on, Eddie, let's see you Aug. 31 Temporary address of chairman: 2278 Blue Island ave. Dottie.

MUSKETEERS' MEMORY CONTEST

Moon Run, Pa.—To all those attending the Musketeers' Annual Outdoor dance.—Free admission will be given to persons correctly guessing the number of song titles in the following article:

"O Marička pogla, piše saljubljena pisma—v pesku."

"If I had my wish I would tell you where you'd be under the moon in Moon Run talking to you about me." "Suppose you follow my plans of making the clouds soon roll by." When work is through, put on your old gray bonnet, make a date with your angel and get out in the open air on August 6. Spend a flaxy day with the lady you love and Musketeers and see that evening sun go down in the Musketeers' rendezvous. The night shall be filled with sweet, mellow music by Sam and his Jazz Clowns. You will be in paradise when you hear the strains of an Indian love call.

"How I could love one hour with you that night, but I know it will be more than one." There will be no melancholy babies, because the Musketeers will whistle and blow your blues away. It will be so beautiful that I'll be living in dreams, when I am holding my honey's hand in a moment in the dark. I will teach you to smile dancing in the dark. I will be as you desire me because you've got me in the palm of your hand. I round my heart, I'll be feeling a cog-

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Philip Godina, Manager.