





stars, uspeha do danae ni Toda uspeha bo, to je vera ljud...

Slovensko časopisje ima tudi dostojno mesto po naših hišah. Glasilo K. S. K. Jednote nas...

Sportno življenje še ni našlo nobenega odziva in izraza v naših vrstah. Privatno ga mora...

Moje prve vrstice iz New Yorka. Glasilo K. S. K. Jednote. Upam, da niso zadnje.

Rev Aleksander Urnkar, župnik cerkve sv. Cirila in Metoda.

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Pismo iz stare domovine.

Potopisne črtice ameriškega Slovenca, ki se je po 45 letih prvič zopet podal preko morja.

Črnomelj, 12. septembra. — Cenjeni sobrat urednik: — Sem se meseca junija mudil pri vas na potu v staro domovino...

Mudeč se v Parizu, sem si tudi ogledal historični Versailles in muzej. Videl sem, da stoji še danes ona sloveča miza na svojem prostoru...

Cal, meni dobroproznega mesta. Ti ameriški izletniki so se vozili v treh velikih avtomobilskih busih...

Iz Montreaux sem se peljal čez visoko gorovje v Interlaaken; jako lepo mesto v hribih. Tudi sem kaj prihajajo turisti menda iz celega sveta...

Od tu sem dospel z brzovlakom preko meje v Inomost, znano mesto spadajoče še vedno pod Avstrijo...

Iskreno mi pozdravljena draga rodna slovenska zemlja, katero sem zapustil pred 45 leti in na kateri se po tako dolgem presledku zopet nahajam!

Bela Ljubljana je naredila name dober vtis. Res ni več ista, kakoršno sem zapustil že pred tolikimi leti nazaj.

Iz Ljubljane sem se podal v moj rojstni kraj, starodavno mesto Črnomelj. Tudi tukaj se nisem mogel precej spoznati v bližini kolodvora.

Naj še na kratko opišem svoje potovanje po Sloveniji in drugod tekom obiska v stari domovini. Nekega dne sem se peljal na divno Gorenjsko, da si ogledam biser Slovenije — Bled, tako tudi romantično Bohinjsko jezero z izvirom Savice...

namreč valed starosti več kosati z mladimi hribolazci, ki ga tako radi obiskujejo. Blizu Bohinjskega jezera je bilo za časa svetovne vojne veliko vojaško taborišče...

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zori: šmarinško pobožnost. Cera cerkev poje. Na drugi strani nastopi moški zbor a prekrasno Marjino pesmijo. Pravijo, da je "Romanje" lepo, "šmarinice" so brez dvoma še veliko lepše.

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Dogovor. tri dni je dejal eden: "Grozno me je začelo po trehanovale, sta sklenila, da ne bosta več pila alkohola. Samo za slučaj huđe obolesti sta si pripravila steklenico žganja in sta ga shranila v omaro. Čez...

Občinstvu v naznanje! Ker je pod imenom Grdina in Sinovi več uradov ali naslovov, radi tega mnogi ne vedo, kje in kdaj bi lahko z menoj govorili, bodisi v trgovskih kakor tudi v privatnih zadevah.



Anton Grdina trgovec in pogrebnik NAŠI KOLEDARJI za leto 1929

Niž ne bo prehitro, ako še sedaj povemo, da imamo za leto 1929 nekaj nad 12 tisoč krasnih stenskih koledarjev. To pa radi tega, da jih rojaki lahko pošljejo v stari kraj svojim sorodnikom in prijateljem ob času, da bodo dobili odgovore nazaj, še predno nastopi zimski čas.

NOVE SLOVENSKE VICTOR PLOŠČE

Ravnokar smo dobili v zalogo dve novi plošči, za katere je pe-ljo poznano društvo "Adrija" v Chicagu. Ta plošča je kot nalasč za sedanji čas vinske trgatve, ker je popolnoma tako vzeta iz starega kraja kakršno veselje vlada, ko se grozdiče trga.







# OUR PAGE

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For the use of English speaking members of K. S. K. J.

Official Notices, Sporting and Social News and Other Features

## K. S. K. J. CAMPAIGN FIGURES SWELL

**SOME STATES EXCEED QUOTA; CANADA MAKES REMARKABLE SHOWING**

Our K. S. K. J. is growing bigger and better. This fact is confirmed by the tabulation published on page four of this edition of Glasilo.

The report shows that our Union enrolled 2,208 new members in the past eight months. During the month of August, 127 adults, and 76 juveniles were enlisted in the ranks of our Union; a total of 203 members. For the preceding month, the following states were outstanding for the adult department: Illinois with 26; Ohio, 25; Pennsylvania, 18, and Minnesota, 14. For the juvenile department: Illinois, 23; Ohio, 18; Pennsylvania, 16, and Minnesota, 12. Considering both departments, Illinois led with 49, followed by Ohio with 43, Pennsylvania, 34, and Minnesota, 26.

The following states have exceeded their quota: Connecticut, Ohio, Washington and Canada. Wisconsin lacks but a few, namely 19, to fill its quota.

The result for the past eight months shows an enrollment of 2,208 for both departments; 1,391 for the adult department, and 817 for the juvenile. The average gain is 276 per month. If this average will prevail for the next seven months, at which time the membership campaign terminates, there will be an enrollment of 4,140 new members.

There must be, and is, something attractive about the K. S. K. J., otherwise our membership would not increase with such rapidity.

Our Union is in a process of reformation, in so far as it is providing for its younger members an attractive program.

Your friends are our friends. Why not have them join our Union?

## SPORTS WILL DANCE

**Collinwood Club Will give First Dance of Season.**

Of all the Collinwood gossip, the talk of the first big Dance of the season, which will be given by the St. Joseph Sports, seems to be the most striking.

The committee in charge is working hard and making extensive plans to start the season with a "Bang." The Sports have a host of new members who are very energetic and enthusiastic to help the Sports "go over big." The newcomers with the "old standbys" will make this affair well worthwhile to attend.

The date set for this frolic is Saturday, October 20th; and the place, the Slovenian Home on Holmes Ave. Phil June and his orchestra will top the program for the evening.

All Clevelanders, especially the Kay Jays are invited.

Collinwooder.

## HELP! HELP!

Our Page wants correspondents in K. S. K. J. localities. Chicago, Joliet, Waukegan, Lorain, Pittsburgh, Sheboygan, Pueblo and other communities should be represented weekly on Our Page. This, we think, would make our few columns more interesting.

We shall continue to welcome all news, but look forward to having a faithful correspondent in each locality to forward news for each edition of Our Page.

Kindly send your name and address to Our Page, if you wish to be considered as an Our Page correspondent.

Brighter: "Did you ever visit a farm?"

Bright: "Sure!"

Brighter: "Did you ever see a well?"

Bright: "Oh yes!"

Brighter: "How deep was it?"

Bright: "Sixty feet."

Brighter: "That's nothing, seven years ago our cow fell in and today we just heard the splash."

Do you know that the enrollment in the St. Vitus School of Cleveland, totals 1,392? Of this number, 701 are boys, and 691 girls.

## SHEBOYGAN PLANS BIG CARNIVAL

**Coon Band, Sextette, to feature program October 7th and 8th.**

The young Sheboyganites of the St. Cyril and Method Parish have something up their sleeves. Their mysterious actions certainly are something to be curious about.

It looked for a time as if they had fallen asleep, but these young folks certainly fooled us. At least the secret is out. Well, what is it all about? you may ask. Here goes:

The young folks have been working very hard for the coming "Indoor Carnival," that is to be held at the Church Hall on the 7th and 8th of October. Here are a few things that will be on the program for those big days.

You should see and hear the Coon Band. It's really a knockout and a laughing proposition. Quite a few notables in it at that, such as: Jack Dempsey, Prof. Jones, Levi Beginski, Gene Tunney and a few others.

The Sextette Follies Dance is also a cute, pleasing number on the program. The costumes the girls will wear are certainly worth while coming to see.

Two short, snappy Slovenian plays and one shadow play will also be featured. With a little more coaxing we'll be able to, I am sure, persuade our "quartette" to give us a tune or two. This refers to our Prominent Banker, our curly haired Office Boy, and our two well known truck drivers.

The way these boys and girls have used teamwork in helping with this carnival, I know it will be a success, especially with the cooperation of our parishioners, who I am sure will come to see us and give us a big hand on the 7th and 8th of October.

## The Chairman.

## CARD PARTY

**At Slovenia Hall, Joliet, Ill.**

The St. Joseph's Church Choir of Joliet, Ill., is giving a card party on Thursday evening October 11th, 1928, at Slovenia Hall, 805 N. Chicago Street. This being the first card party of the season, and for the benefit of the church, a record crowd is expected. Good prizes have been provided. There will also be a door prize, a \$2:50 gold piece. In connection with the card party, there will be given away a \$5. gold piece, donated by Mr. Mike Papesh Jr. Everybody is invited from near and far, and a good time is assured to all. Bunco and Euchre are the games to be played and will start at 8:15.

Any member wishing to secure more tickets and books may do so by calling on the committee in charge. Phone 6920 M. Don't fail to come!

## A Member.

**Educated Man in The Lead.** If you are desirous of becoming a man with a profession; if you are ambitious to become a successful business man, a railroad president, a banker, you must have a good education.

If you wish to hold a position of responsibility and trust some day, you must learn to be keen, broad-minded, evenly-balanced, and sympathetic. And through education alone can you hope to attain these requirements.

## BITS OF SPORT NEWS

**Chicago and Close-By.**

Summer is over and the baseball season is ready to pass into history closing a chapter full of interest and surprises. The mid-west bows to the east with the humbleness of a good loser, but as good sports, determined to again bring the honors back to the shores of Lake Michigan.

Baseball has a firm and healthy hold in the K. S. K. J. having had a very successful season in which both the society and the membership reaped pleasure and good will, which eventually, will be turned into profit.

Another sport looms on the horizon, which we dare to predict will gain recruits amongst our K. S. K. J. membership as fast they gather the nerve to don "kratke hlače" and checkered stockings. A golf tournament next season is more than a probability.

But, as the editor mentioned in the last issue, now is the time to bowl, and if you haven't started, it is about time you did for there are at least two bowling tournaments to be held this year. In the mid west, the Waukegan boys are on the job ready to put it over big to make the tournament an affair that the entire K. S. K. J. can be proud of.

That the interest in bowling will be even greater this year than last, is foreshadowed by the activities in the different localities. Joliet is planning on a league of its own; Chicago will again man a six-team league, the games to be played on much improved alleys, and Waukegan had four new parish alleys put in this summer, and these are not to be slept on either.

Definite date for the mid west tournament will be forthcoming next week, and in the meantime begin to get your "pin walloper" in shape.

## The Old Sport.

## "FINISH HIGH SCHOOL"

The advice now being given pupils in the public schools to finish high school is timely and good, for the benefits to be derived from a high school training and education will repay any boy or girl all the time, labor and money spent in the pursuit of that education. The personal satisfaction, the social advantage and the increased earning ability that a more thorough education brings to the boy or girl, is inestimable in value.

Hard work and temporary sacrifice may be encountered, but the final achievement of a wholesome education offsets a thousand-fold any hardship made necessary to attain that education.

Remember that the best opportunities are usually open to those who are best prepared and if you have continued past the eighth grade our advice is. GO BACK TO SCHOOL!

## NOTICE

The officers and the entertainment committee of the Kay Jay Club are notified that there will be a meeting Thursday evening October 4th at 8 p. m. at the home of Miss Pika, corner of Schaeffer Ave. and E. 71st St. Chairman.

## WELCOME!

Chicago, Joliet, Waukegan, Sunday October 7th at 1:30 p. m. St. George's Church Hall, South Chicago, Ill.

## WILL CONFER DEGREE

**Notice to St. Florian K. S. K. J. Boosters, South Chicago, Ill.**

All the members of the Knights of St. Florian No. 44 K. S. K. J. and especially members of the Booster Club are hereby notified to be present at the next regular lodge meeting, which will be held Sunday afternoon October 7th, at 1:30 o'clock, at St. George's Church Hall.

It is most important that all new members who joined the lodge this year be in attendance, for the reason, that after the meeting, they shall be honored by having the second degree of the K. S. K. J. conferred upon them by the Chicago K. S. K. J. Degree Team, who are experts in this line. After the meeting lunch and refreshments will be served.

In the evening the lodge will sponsor a dance, to which you are requested to invite all of your friends, as a good old fashioned time is assured everyone. Will our friends from Chicago, Joliet and Waukegan be there? We will see.

As this meeting and dance is going to be another outstanding affair for the Knights of St. Florian, this year the officers are expecting every member's cooperation. Remember the drive is still on for new members, you all have a friend who would join, why not bring him over to the secretary and get him signed up. We already have 20 for the next meeting, and there is room for plenty more.

Yours fraternally  
Knights of St. Florian Society  
No. 44 K. S. K. J.:

W. J. Kompore, President;  
John Novak, Secretary,  
John Makovec, Treasurer.

## Boy Champ Retires.

Just like Gene Tunney, Marcus Gilbert, age 12, has retired.

Marcus is horseshoe champion of one part of Kentucky and a big section of Indiana. He would be champ of a lot bigger territory if little boys were allowed to travel that far.

When Marcus took up horseshoe pitching he could get games with most anyone. He had lots of fun. And then he became the champ.

Marcus got so good that the other fellows didn't want to play him any more. When he wanted a game with them they wanted to play baseball, shinny on-your-own-side or something else.

Then he gave them handicaps and still they couldn't beat him.

He became the barnyard golf king of a big section of two states, but as no one would play him, he soon grew tired of his title.

Then Marcus read about Gene Tunney, and how he quit being champion because there wasn't any other good fighters. So Marcus decided to give one more exhibition and then retire.

He threw 75 out of a possible 100 ringers, and then hung up his horseshoes for good.

What is he going to do now? "Well," says Marcus. "I can't make a trip to Europe like Mr. Tunney, because I can't afford it."

"I guess I will become educated. From now on I'm going to spend all my time going to school."

## COMMENTS

**On "The Boy," Recently Published In Our Page.**

In reference to "The Boy" by Rev. Henry B. Shaw..

Personally, it is hard to tell whether the editorial has been taken from a book or inserted through immediate composition.

No matter where this came from, it is great and true, and I compliment the one responsible for this editorial appearing in Our Page.

Now, in reference to teaching the boy the Roman Catholic Faith, is very true, but the one item, idleness has been omitted. This complicates this edition.

You cannot always teach a boy religion. He must have diversion, so here is where I differ, and maintain that the aim of the Y. M. C. A. is of a helpful nature as it eliminates idleness and offers clean wholesome athletic activities which are the best type of diversion obtainable. In this way you occupy the boy's mind all through the day. You do not give him a chance to start "day dreaming," which usually is followed by wrong thought.

A fine quotation. "Idleness" is hell's greatest fish hook for catching souls.

—St. Thomas Aquinas.

The Rev. Henry B. Shaw has without a question the proper nourishment for boys, but you cannot be too severe.

It always takes a priest to simplify the philosophy of a boy; it never fails. I like his aim.

The helper.

## BABBLES

**Gee Dee Again On Staff Of OUR PAGE**

Cleveland, O., Sept. 29, 1928.  
Dear readers:

Back in town again to spread the dirt. Cleveland is certainly growing into a big city with all its developments. It is surprising just what can happen in a year.

I will first attempt to describe this Lake Erie town as it impresses me, now. Saint Clair Avenue is still torn up (it always was, and always will be). Today is Saturday and May Day which means that I was also in the loop section of our town in search of a hot pair of suspenders. Will go into detail next time.

As luck would have it, I noticed while on my way to the Glasilo office, several limousines parked in front of Grdina's Beauty Shoppe. A certain young man was seated in the back seat of one of the machines. He apparently was waiting, and judging from his countenance, he was married. I later inquired at the office and was informed that it was Johnnie's day to have rice thrown at him. I am not acquainted with him, but I wish him all the luck. I hope someone will do the same for me someday.

I would like to continue and tell you more about Cleveland (it's a wonder someone else didn't do it before), but the space allotted me for this edition is not even enough to tell you what I had for breakfast. I have previously published letters, here and there, in Our Page, but now you shall hear from me often. Watch for my letter next week. Gee Dee.

## HOW A CHILD LEARNS TO TALK

One of the most interesting discoveries, resulting from the laboratory study of human beings by psychologists is the almost incredible rapidity with which a child acquires a vocabulary. Scientific investigators have found that the average child from four to five years of age employs about 1,700 words, and if proper names are included, the number is more than 2,000. The foundation of the intricate language habits of the adult is to be found in the cries of the infant.

One investigator has recorded the following sounds during the first 30 days of a child's life: "M" in conjunction with 'a' as 'ma' (at), 'n' as 'nga' (nat, 'g' as 'gah,' 'h' as in 'ha' (at), 'r' as in burr, very slight sound, and 'y' as in 'yah' (at). Vowel sounds are 'o' as in 'owl,' 'e' as in 'fell,' 'oo' as in 'pool,' 'a' as in 'and' and 'a' as in 'father' (relatively rare)."

The first words learned have no more significance to an infant than those that a parrot utters have to it. Hearing a child make some instinctive sound remotely resembling a word, its parents, ever anxious to have it speak as soon as possible, reiterate that word many times. In this way words like "ma" and "pa" are acquired.

Words having a definite association with objects or actions are learned much later. The process is believed to be as follows: A child desires some object beyond its reach, as, for instance, a rattle, becomes restless and cries; its mother, endeavoring to find out the cause of her child's discomfort, hands it the rattle, saying, "Baby want a rattle? Here is tootsie-wootsie's rattle." Receiving it the child stops crying. The same process is repeated many times and gradually the child begins to understand that by saying "rattle" it can get that particular object much quicker than otherwise. This, to be sure, is only a rough description of language acquisition.

At the end of the first year the average child has a vocabulary of about eight or nine words. During the second year there is an increase to from 250 to 800 words, and some of the children tested had a command of up to 400 words. At the end of the third year children have a vocabulary of about 800 words. By the time they are four or four and one half years old they actually employ about 2,000 words. After this age the extent of a child's vocabulary becomes more dependent on its environment.

An interesting factor in the language hits of children is their universal tendency to talk almost continuously. The talking child is, in reality, thinking. It is only after social training has exerted itself that the child abandons "auditory thinking" for "silent thinking." This conception of thought, while not thoroughly established, has at present the weight of scientific observation in its favor. Some adults have never got over the habit of talking or moving their lips while reading or thinking.

Differences in the voice of every individual may be observed from birth. A mother can distinguish her infant's cry even in a large nursery.

