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## STIVNE IN DRUGE RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN SLOVENSKE VESTI

**Godovno proslavo** jednote slovenske priredila društvo št. 118 JSKJ v Canonsburgu, Pa., avgusta in piknik z bogatim programom v nedeljo 21. avgusta. Oboje se bo vršilo v parku v Strabane, v slučaju slabega vremena v dvorani KSKJ v isti nasel-

**Avtorji, III.**, se bo v nedeljo 21. avgusta vršil piknik tamkajšnjega društva št. 81 JSKJ. Avtorji piknika: Weiland's, Lovedale.

**Godovno zabavo** za člane in družstva priredi v nedeljo 21. avgusta popoldne po društvu št. 88 JSKJ v Mont. Prostor prireditelj Union Hall, Gibbstown.

**Godovna društva JSKJ** v zapadnih delih države so zborovala v nedeljo 28. avgusta v Presto. Zborovanju bo velik piknik v parku v proslavo 40-letnice in ob enem tamkajšnjega društva št. 4 JSKJ.

**Godovna društva št. 118 JSKJ** priredi veselico na večer 27. avgusta. Vršila se bo pri "Charli Starkvillu, Colo.

**Godovni piknik** v proslavo 40-letnice priredita v nedeljo 28. avgusta društvi št. 66 JSKJ iz Jolietta odnosi Rockdala. Prostor piknika Grove, Rockdale, Ill.

**Godovni piknik** priredi skupno z jugoslovanskimi društvi in kulturnimi društvi New Yorka društvo št. 118 JSKJ v Brooklynu, N. Y., v nedeljo 28. avgusta. Prostor prireditelj Bohemian Hall, 24th St., Astoria, L. I.

**Godovna društva, Colo.**, se bo v sotočju 28. septembra vršil velik piknik v proslavo 40-letnice skupno prireditelj društvi št. 21 in št. 118 JSKJ. Piknik se bo vršil na otoku slovenskih društev.

**Godovna društva št. 185 JSKJ** v Michaelu, Pa., se bo vršil piknik v nedeljo 4. septembra.

**Godovna veselico** priredi društvo št. 11 JSKJ v Omahi, Nebr., na večer 10. septembra. Godovna veselico bo vršila v Sokolski dvorani društvo št. 13th St.

**Godovna zborovanje** Narodnega kongresa (National Congress), katerega prireditelj J. S. K. Jednota, bo vršila v ponedeljek 22. avgusta v mestu Toronto, Ont. Našo Jednoto bo zborovanju zastopal prvi nadzornik sobrat Jan Bogelj.

**Godovna letalca**, dne 5. avgusta, letalec dobre volje sozdal Zbašnik, nečak glavna letalca, član društva št. 118 JSKJ v Pittsburghu, Pa. Iz letalca v Ely je prispel s letalnim letalom. Namesto prapluti tja ob priliki 40-letnice, letalca so zadržale neka zapreke. Letalca so poslali na tak način poslala svojo letalca kamor koli. Drzemu sobratu Fredu Zbašniku čestitke!

**Godovna letalca**, dne 11. avgusta, letalca so poslali na tak način poslali svojo letalca kamor koli. Drzemu sobratu Fredu Zbašniku čestitke!

## INOZEMSTVA

### VAŽNA OBLETNICA

Ta teden je preteklo tri leta, odkar je zvezni kongres sprejel zakon o socialnem zavarovanju, ki se tiče starostne in brezposelnostne zavarovalnine ter oskrbe starih ljudi, slepcev, potrebnih mater in osirotelih otrok. Več ko 30 milijonov oseb prispeva z določenimi prispevki za svojo starostno pokojnino in nad 25 milijonov delavcev prispeva za brezposelnostno podporo. Zakon o socialnem zavarovanju je danes še pomanjkljiv ter potrebuje razširjenja in izboljšanja, toda začetek tega važnega zavarovanja je tu. Javno mnenje je socialnemu zavarovanju splošno naklonjeno. Kar je kritike, je naperjena v splošnem le proti pomanjkljivostim in sistem. To pomeni, da bo socialno zavarovanje ostalo in da se bo izboljšalo.

### MANJ NESREC

National Safety Council naznanja, da je bilo število smrtnih žrtev prometnih nesreč v prvih šestih mesecih tega leta za 22 odstotkov nižje kot v prvih šestih mesecih lanskega leta. To je vsekakor razveseljivo poročilo, ki ob enem kaže, da so mnoge avtomobilske nesreče preprečljive. Večja varnost na cesti je bila dosežena deloma v vsestranskim poukom in opominjanjem, deloma pa s strožjim izvajanjem prometnih regulacij.

### MEZDNI SPOR

Železniške družbe so že pred meseci naznanile, da bodo s 1. julijem znižale plače uslužbencev za 15 odstotkov. Unije železničarjev so se temu uprle in in zdaj posredujejo v sporu zastopniki federalne vlade. Ako posredovanje ne bo imelo uspeha, bosta obe stranki pozvani, da predložita zadevo posebnemu razsodišču. Ako stranki to ne pristaneta, bo predsednik imenoval posebno komisijo, ki naj preišče vso zadevo. Proti nametnemu znižanju se medtem nemoteno vrši.

### LEWIS ZADOVOLJEN

John L. Lewis, vodja C. I. O. unij, je zelo zadovoljen, ker je bil v primarnih volitvah v državi Ohio, ki so se vršile pretekli teden, sedanji guvernere Davey poražen in zato prireditelj volitvah v novembru ne bo prišel v poštev. V CIO unijah organizirani delavci so posebno zamerili guvernerru Daveyju, ker se je v lanskem štrajku jeklarskih delavcev postavil vse preveč odkrito na stran jeklarskih družb.

### SPOR ZA OTOKE

Med Zedinjenimi državami in Anglijo se že dalje časa vršijo pogajanja za lastništvo dveh malih otokov v Pacifiku, Cantona in Enderberya. Omenjena otoka sta mala in z gospodarskega stališča brez pomena, toda sta velike važnosti kot postojanki za letalce. Do sporazuma dosedaj ni prišlo, pač pa je bila tako od ameriške kot od angleške strani podana izjava, da začasno bosta imeli obe državi enake ugodnosti za letalsko službo na obeh otokih. Glede lastništva se bodo pogajanja še nadaljevala.

### PREKO ATLANTIKA

Na Floyd Bennett letalskem polju v New Yorku je dne 11. avgusta (Dalje na 3. str.)

## ENAKOPRAVNOST ŽENSK NI VSE ZA VSAKEGA

Dandanes dobivajo ženske ameriško državljanstvo in uživajo pravice državljanstva enakopravno kakor moški: kadar postanejo polnoletne, ako so se rodile v tej deželi, oziroma ako se naturalizirajo, ako so se rodile v inozemstvu. Vendarle še pred 18 leti niso ženske Združenih držav, tukaj rojene ali pa naturalizirane, smele izvrševati najpoglavitejšo predpravo državljanstva — volilno pravico. S pridobitvijo volilne pravice so posamezne države polagoma podelile ženskam tudi druge civilne in politične pravice — pravico biti izvoljene, pridobivati ali oddajati lastnino, pravico do porotništva na sodiščih itd.

Volilna pravica za ženske se je udeležila po vsej republiki, ko je bil sprejet 19. amandment h konstituciji, kar se je zgodilo l. 1920. Prvi del te ustavne določbe se glasi: "Pravice državljanov Združenih držav se ne smejo odrekati ali prikrajšati s strani Združenih držav ali kateresidbi države zaradi spola." Odboritev s strani treh četrtin držav je značila višek dolgotrajne borbe za politično enakopravnost za ženske.

Prvi protesti proti podrejenosti žensk v tej deželi v civilnem in političnem pogledu so bili izraženi prav kmalu po sprejetju konstitucije. Ali ti so bili še slabotni protesti s strani neznanega števila politično orientiranih žensk, in nihče jih ni smatral za resne. Prevladujoče naziranje onih časov je bilo "da pravo mesto ženske je doma." Francoski filozof Rousseau, čigar nazori so vplivali na francosko in ameriško revolucijo, je bil protiven ženski volilni pravici. Thomas Jefferson, ki je spisal "Izjavo neodvisnosti," je menil, da udeležitev žensk v političnem življenju utegne imeti za posledico "zgubo čednosti." V konstitucionalni konvenciji, ki se je vršila l. 1787, je bilo sklenjeno, naj se vprašanje ženskih pravic prepusti posameznim kolonijam. Dve leti kasneje je francoska Narodna zbornica kratkoma zavrgla "Izjavo o pravih čednost."

Se le ko se je gospodarski položaj žensk začel spreminjati, je gibanje za emancipacijo žensk začelo resen zamah. Ženske so začele vstopati v industrije v čim dalje rastočem številu in ni minulo dolgo časa, predno so že bile aktivne v trgovini in v profesionalnih poklicih. Niti poroka ni končala delovanja delavke, ker je morala nadaljevati svoj prispevek za vzdrževanje družine. Vprašanje ženskih pravic v družbi je postalo ozko spojeno s širšim vprašanjem človeških pravic delavcev sveta.

Leta 1848 se je obdržala konvencija za ženske pravice v Seneca Fallsu, New York. Ravno ta konvencija je sprožila vsenarodno gibanje za politično enakopravnost žensk. Sprejela je deklaracijo, ki je protestirala proti prikrajšanju volilne pravice "eni polovici prebivalstva," proti zakonitim nesposobnostim poročenih žensk, proti neenakim razporednim zakonom, omejenim zaposlitve in "dvojni moralni meri," ki oprošča moškim take čine, ki jih smatra za nemoralne, ako so jih ženske storile.

Novo gibanje je vzbudilo pred (Dalje na 4. str.)

## COLORADO IN DENVER

Vsak človek ali človeški sistem je stroj zase, posebno glede hrane, ki jo uživa. Nekateri ljudje prenesejo vsako običajno hrano, drugim pa gotove jestvine povzročajo neugodje ali celo resne nepravilnosti. Za nekatere ljudi je čisto nedolžna in koristna hrana povzročila drugim glavobol, utrujenost, neprebavo, neduho, seneno mrzlico, kožne izpuščaje in druge nepravilnosti. Moderna zdravniška znanost se zadnje čase živahno ukvarja z raziskavanjem te posebnosti, katero imenuje jestvinsko alergijo. Marsikatero nevednost, katero so včasih pripisovali boleznim prebavil, pripisejo zdaj jestvinam, katere tej ali oni osebi ne ugajajo.

Poskušnje so dokazale, da najmanj "hudobne" jestvine so: jagmetina, želatina, sirovo maslo, sladkor, riž, ječmenček, korenje, šparglji, repa, grah, pesa, jedilne buče (squash) in konzervirane hruške. Te jedi zelo maloštevilnim ljudem povzročajo kakšne nepravilnosti.

Na drugi strani so pa spet zelo spoštovane jestvine, ki jih nekateri ljudje ne prenesejo ali ki jim prinašajo razna neugodja. Med te jestvine štejejo: čebulo (sirovo), mleko, smetano in sladole, jabolka (sirova), sladko zelje (kuhana), čokolado, redkvice, paradiznike (sveže) jajca, maslo, razna mastna jedila, goveje in drugo meso iz jame, ovčje, metone, kumare in kavo.

Nekateri ljudje lahko uživajo vse navedene in še mnoge druge jedi brez škode, medtem, ko nekaterim škoduje ena ali druga ali tudi večje število omenjenih jestvin.

Vsaka oseba, ki je podvržena jestvinski alergiji, bi morala sama zase pronači, katere jedi ji škodujejo, in se jih ogibati. To pa ni vselej lahko, ker se sitna jestvina skriva med drugimi vsakdanjimi jedmi. Kadar se tak bolnik zateče za pomoč k zdravniku, mu ta navadno predpiše za nekaj dni tako dieto, ki se je po dosedanjih poskušanjih izkazala za najmanj nagajivo. Ako dotična dieto po nekaj dneh ne pokaže nikakih slabih posledic, se ji vsaki dan doda ena nadaljna jed, dokler se ne polovi škodljivke, katere se zapiše na črno listo.

## VRTNARSKI NASVETI

V avgustu, ako je vreme suho, potrebuje vrt še mnogo zalivanja. Posebno velja to za poznoletne in jesenske cvetlice, kot so krizanteme, kane in dalije. Seveda je treba v suhem vremenu tudi trato dobro namakati.

Sadikje jesenske solate endivije se še v tem času lahko sadijo na pripravljene grede. Pred sajenjem naj se sadikam prirežejo korenine in listje do ene tretjine. V tem času se lahko na prosto poseje semena večletnih cvetlic, kot so orientalski mak, večletni phlox, ostrožnik, columbine, popelni in slične. Mlade rastline bodo do jeseni postale dovolj močne, da bodo brez škode prezimile na prostem, z lahkim kritjem.

V tem času je tudi priporočljivo presaditi razne večletne cvetlice, kot so potonke ali penonije, večletni phlox, perunike (iris) in slične. Grmiči teh cvetlic lahko brez škode ostanejo po več let na istem mestu in presajajo naj se le, če jih ho-

## ODMEVI IZ RODNIH KRAJEV

### SMRT RODOLJUBA

V Zapricah pri Kamniku je po daljšem bolehanju preminil upokojeni nadučitelj Lovro Horvat, odlični koroški rodoljub. Rojen je bil v Bistrici v Rožu na Koroškem leta 1863. Kot učitelj je služboval v raznih krajih na Koroškem in je povsod ustanavljal pevška društva ter pomagal pri povzdigi narodnega gospodarstva, zlasti sadjarstva in čebelarstva. Zbiral je tudi koroške narodne pesmi in mnogo se jih je ohranilo le vsled njegovega truda. Avstrijska in koroška deželna vlada mu nista bili naklonjeni, ker je bil zaveden Slovenec. Leta 1922 je bil upokojen, nakar se je naselil v Kamniku.

### UVAŽANJE SOLI

Jugoslavija ima več solarnih ob Jadranu in v Bosni je tudi dovolj mineralne soli, toda kljub temu je bilo treba že v prvem letošnjem polletju uvoziti iz inozemstva za več kot štiri milijone dinarjev. Uprava solarni bi lahko dvignila produkcijo istih v toliko, da bi krila domače potrebe in da bi jo še ostajalo za izvoz.

### STARO OREHOVO DREVO

V vasi Vrbovci pri Beranah v Crni gori je blizu 1000 let staro orehovo drevo, ki je visoko nad 50 m. Les tega orjaka cenijo na 50.000 dinarjev. Njegov lastnik kmet Čufa Hadrovič pa orjaškega oreha ne misli posekati, ker mu vsako leto bogato obrodi. Lani mu je dal orjak 1400 kg orehov.

### NIKAK ZASPANEC

Primer starega sluga občinske uprave v Krugujevcu, popularnega Miče Markoviča, predstavlja veliko redkost. Ta 75-letni starac že 13 let ni prespal niti ene noči. Vzrok ni kaka bolezen, ni govora o kakem medicinskem fenomenu, zakaj čika Miča je občinski pandur in mora po svoji službeni dolžnosti vsako noč od mraka do zore čuvati imetje občanov. Ko se zdani in ko obrtniki odpirajo svoje lokale, se Miče vrača domov, kjer se lahko naspi. Njegovo spanje in počivanje pa ni tako kakor pri drugih ljudeh. Starac trdi, da spi na dan samo po 2. uri. Pred leti bi bil rad dalje časa spal, a hiša njegova je polna malih vnukov, ki mu ne dajo miru. Zdad se je navadil in dvurni spanec mu zadostuje. Miča je v občinski službi že 40 let in dobiva za svoje neprespance noči 700 din na mesec.

### RAZDEJANJE PO TOČI

Vinorodno Bizeljsko je v prvi polovici julija obiskala huda toča, ki je uničila okrog 80 odstotkov vinogradov, poleg tega pa tudi mnogo plemenitega sadja. Najhujše so prizadeli vasi Orešje, Bukovje, Drenovec in Sušica. Škoda se čeni na več milijonov dinarjev. Isto neurje s točo je močno prizadelo tudi del krške občine, posebno vasi Zgorje, Srednje in Spodnje Pijavsko, Strmo reber, Stražo, Mladevino in del Gore sv. Lorenca. Po Poljanski dolini na Gorenjskem je toča napravila veliko škodo na poljih. Toča je pobila po Selški dolini in po Žirovskem vrhu. V občini Javorju je pobelila vsa brda. (Dalje na 4. str.)

## VSAK PO SVOJE

Po svetu se godijo čudovite reči. Predsednik Roosevelt, na primer, je tekom svojih počitnic ribaril v vodah Pacifičnih oceana in je ujel ribo, ki ima zobe v repu.

Bolgarija se namerava pridružiti Balkanski zvezi in tako bo skoro ves Balkan povezan v močan obrambni blok. Nekdanja smodnišnica Evrope bo tako postala močan steber evropskega mira.

V Londonu so zaprli nekega sicer jako mirnega moža, ki je v spanju glasno preklinjal. Japonci, ki so se ob sibirski meji zapletli v nenapovedano vojno z Rusi, prosijo zdaj Russe za mir ali vsaj za premirje. To so tisti Japonci, ki so še do nedavnega kazali zobe vsemu svetu. Ruski medved prenese mnogo izzivanja, toda kadar on pokaže zobe, ni več šala.

Angleži so odkrili v Palestini bogate zaloge olja. Zdad vemo, zakaj so se tekom svetovne vojne Angleži tako junaško borili, da so iztrgali sveto deželo iz rok krivovernih Turkov!

Nenapovedana vojna med Rusi in Japonci na sibirski fronti še nikakor ni prava vojna. Dosedaj niso še niti ruski niti japonski vojni letalci začeli z bombami pobijati ženske in otroke.

Profesor W. H. Eddy na columbijski univerzi trdi, da povzročata trmo in razdražljivost otrok prenizka količina sladkorja v krvi. Vsled tega priporoča staršem, da naj sitnih in razdražljivih otrok ne zdravijo s šibo, ampak s sladkorčki. Oh, zakaj se nismo rodili 50 let pozneje!

V Italiji, kjer pride po tisoč Italijanov na enega žida, bodo v bodoče postavno omejili židovske aktivnosti. Iz tega bi se dalo sklepati, da se tisoč Italijanov boji enega žida!

Pes Davishill Little Man, potomec plemenite ameriške "terrierske" pasje dinastije, katerega domovina je Kentucky, je bil oni dan prodan nekemu ljubitelju psov v Texasu za pet tisoč dolarjev. Včasih je veljal pregovor, da je slabo za tiste, ki je prišel na psa. Ta pregovor bo treba zdaj vsekakor revidirati. Priti na psa, ki je vreden pet tisoč dolarjev, je toliko kot zadeti terno. Seveda, psi so vseh vrst in pasja sreča tudi.

Nenapovedanim vojnam smo se že privadili. Za izpremembo bi zdaj radi slišali, da je nastal nenapovedan mir med sovražnimi državami.

V New Yorku so imeli nedavno dva potresa v enem tednu. Gorje New Yorku, če bo Roosevelt še kaj dolgo predsednik Zedinjenih držav!

Neka nova odredba v državi Ohio določa, da morajo imeti licence tudi prodajalci pokopalniških lotov. Umreti je dosedaj še dovoljeno brez licence.

Slava Bukovnikovega fotografskega zavoda v Clevelandu in slava njegovih črešenj je odjeknila celo v daljni državi Washington. To se je na poseben način pokazalo na banketu. (Dalje na 4. str.)

## MLADINSKI ODDELEK -- JUVENILE DEPARTMENT

Jože Grbinc:

## RAZTRGANE HLACE

V četrtem razredu trške šole je bil kaj pisan svet: vanj so hodili otroci iz bogatih trških hiš, pa tudi otroci revnih delavcev in malih kmetov iz okoliških vasi. Med najbolj siromasnimi je bil Lojzek, sinko vdove Neže. Oče Matevž je umrl že pred leti in vsa krba za vzgojo četrto deca je padla na ramena vdove Neže. Od jutra do večera je garala, da je zaslužila za najprijnejše vzdrževanje družine.

Kljub marljivim rokavom vdove Neže je vladalo pri Tesarjevih, kakor se je pisala družina, pomanjkanje.

Revsčina v Tesarjevih družini ni jemala malemu Lojzku dobre volje do učenja. Bil je v šoli med najbolj pridnimi učenci in učitelj ga je stavljal za vzgled vsem tistim, ki so nosili s seboj izdatne kose kruha za malico, imeli lepe obleke, a nalog niso delali in so v šolo prinašali prazno glavo.

Med takimi je bil tudi Hanzl, deček iz bogate družine, a sila len učencev. Kadar mu je dal gospod učitelj kako vprašanje, mu je ostal Hanzl navadno dolžan odgovora.

Zato je bil Hanzl v odmorih in po šoli kaj zgovoren. Jezikal je vesposod, hotel je vedeti vse in je dajal svojim sošolcem najrazličnejše žaljive primke.

Močno je imel na piki Tesarjevega Lojzka, ki je bil siromasno napravljeno v odmorih ni imel nikoli s seboj malice. Z bledolichnim Lojzkom so imeli vsi drugi mnogo usmiljenja, kdor je le utegnil, je odšel pri od svojega kosa kruha grizljaj in ga je pomolil Tesarjevemu Lojzku. Ta je znal biti za vsako dobroto vedno hvaležen.

Oni dan so imeli na letnem telovadšču naši četrtaški telovadbo. Pomladansko solnce je premotilo mlado družino, da so prevašali kozolet. Tudi Lojzek se je zakotalil preko glave in je veselo štrbunknil v mlado travo. Pa je pri tem ugledal štacunarjev Hanzl, da ima Lojzek zakrpane hlače in se je zasmel na glas in namuznil. Priplazil se je do fantička in je strmel v njegove zakrpane hlače. Bog vedi katera barva Lojzkovih hlač je bila prvotna? Zdaš jo jo pokrivala neštivilne krpe. Vsaka je bila drugačne barve in iz drugačnega blaga.

Lojzkeve hlače z neštivilnimi krpami so spravile Hanzla v dobro voljo. Poklical je dvojčce svojih najbližjih prijateljev in jim je zašepetal svoje odkritje na uho. Fantički so počepnili okrog Tesarjevega Lojzka in se prepričali, da je imel Hanzl prav, ko jim je hihitaje pravil o neobičajnih hlačah s sto krpami.

Naslednji dan je spraveval gospod učitelj računstvo. Mali učenjaki so morali k tabli, vsak je dobil nalogo, ki jo je moral izvršiti. Nekateri so se odrezali dobro, drugi so stekali, pa niso spravili nič iz sebe in so morali osramočen in s slabim redom v klop. Tako se je zgodilo tudi štacunarjevemu Hanzlu. Gospod učitelj mu je dal nalogo iz deljenja. Hanzl pa je skušal rešiti nalogo najprej s seštevanjem, nato je trdil, da bo potrebno odšteti. Kasneje se je spomnil na množenje. Pomagal so mu i učitelj, pomagal so mu učenci, pa Hanzl ni znal rešiti postavljene naloge. Moral je v klop, kar ga je močno jezilo, da je porediči kar kuhar rak.

Nato je bil poklican k tabli skromni Tesarjev Lojz. Gospod učitelj je spet povedal zavito nalogo. Fantiček je za hip pomislil, nato je povedal rešitev in kratko nato je bila naloga že pravilno izračunana.

Pridnega in iznajdljivega učenca je gospod učitelj pohvalil. V tistem je pozvonilo za odmor. Gospod učitelj je imel v konferenci sliki opravek in je odšel iz razreda. V odmoru je prepustil učence brez nadzorstva. To je bilo kar na naša naša Hanzlja, ki ga je kuhala jeza, da on spet ni znal računskane naloge. Tesarjev Lojz pa je bil za nalogo pohvaljen.

V tistem, ko je Lojzek se smajal tablo in je pripravil za naslednjo, zemljepisno uro, je Hanzl kar počutil k tabli in se je zakadil v nič hudega slutečega Lojzka. Dvignil mu je suknjico, da so ugledali vsi zakrpane hlače in Hanzl je zavpil zmagosono: "Glejte beravače hlače, take so kakor turška zastava!"

V prvem trenutku je razred ostrel in onemel, ko pa je Hanzl ponovil zasmehljive besede in je pahnil Lojzka izpred table, so se mnogi zarezali.

Kakor bi ga kdo zabolal v srce, tako so zadele Hanzljeve besede malega bledolichnega Lojzka. Sedel je v svojo klop, glavo je skrnil med roke in obupno zaplakal.

Nekateri sošolci so skušali potolažiti drhtečega prijatelja. Lojzek pa je bil neotolažljiv, tako so ga potrie psovke lahkomišelnega Hanzla.

V tistem je vstopil v razred gospod učitelj in je videl, da nekaj ni v redu. Stopil je do Lojzka, ta pa ni hotel izdati ničesar. Je jok ga je krčevito stresal. Šele drugi učenci so pojasnili, kaj se je med tem zgodilo. Tedaj je bilo učitelju dovolj. Poklical je k sebi plakajočega Lojzka in ga je skušal potolažiti. Preden pa je nadaljeval s poukom, jim je napravil naslednjo pridigo:

"Vem, da ste neugnani, a brez zlehi misli. Ti, Hanzl, pozabljajš, da Lojzek ni ma več oeta in leži vsa skrba za njega in ostalo družino na njegovi materi. Pri vas je drugače. Tvoj oče je marljiv in ti imaš vsak dan dovolj tople hrane, pa tudi vose obutve in obleke ti nikoli ne zmanjka. Kadar strgaš hlače jih zavrežejo in ti kupijo druge. Pri Lojzku je drugače. Njegova mati je zaposlena s delom ves dan. Ko pri štacunarjevih že spe, Lojzkova mati še bdi in pregleduje perilo in obleko svojih otrok. No-

## A Surprise In The Country

When vacation began Joe, strange to say was sorry. Not that Joe was a "sissy"; no indeed, for he was as real a boy as ever twirled a ball or swung a baseball bat. But he always went away with his mother into the country as soon as school closed, and there he had no fellers to play with; so it is little wonder that he hated to see books closed and put away.

He felt that he knew the farm and country roundabout so well that he could find nothing new to interest him. Really and truly, it was a forlorn little chap who stepped aboard the train with his mother one morning early in July.

The train sped along and as the last houses of the city faded from view and the broad fields of the country came into sight, Joe cheered up a little. The air smelled good and it was jolly to think of seeing the old farm again. If only he could find some chaps of his own age for play-fellows, he thought, he wouldn't mind it at all. He began to think of all the things he could do with other boys, and he occupied himself with such

vih oblek ne zmore kupiti, zato krpa strgane hlače vedno z novimi krpami. Res, Lojzkove hlače imajo krpo vrhu krpe; takega dela ne zmore noben mojster. Zmore ga na svetu le eno samo bitje, to je mati. Lojzkova mati je umetnica prav posebne vrste. Vse nudi prebdi z iglo v roki in krpa. Pomanjkanje in ljubezen po vodita pri delu. O, koliko ur in noči je že prečela njegova mamica ob teh zakrpanih hlačah in Bog vedi, koliko solza je že pretečila po njih, ker ji je hudo, da ne more svojemu sinku kupiti novega oblačila."

Razred je onemel in poslušal. Mpoim, ki so se smejali Lojzkovim krpam, je govorila slaba vest, da niso storiili prav.

Učitelj pa je nadaljeval: "Pravijo, da so najboljši krojači v Parizu in najboljše blago prodajajo na Angleskem. Naš Lojzek pa ima tako obleko, kakor jo ne morejo narediti niti v Angliji, niti v Parizu, njegove hlače imajo prav poseben znak: vanje je vsila njegova mamica mnogo ur in noči in je uvezla vanje vsjo ljubezen, ki jo zmore dokazati za svojo ljubezen. Hlače so dobre, požrtvovalna mamica."

Hanzl je rdel od sramote in ukora, gospod učitelj pa je še povedal: "Tiste ure, ki jih je posvetila Lojzkova mati krpam njegovih hlač, dokazujejo, da je njegova mamica ženska prav posebne vrste. Brez moza se bori v življenju, da je njena deca oblačena in neraztrgana. Vem, da bi rajše kupovala svojim otrokom nove obleke, pa ji skromen zaslužek tega ne dovolj. Lojzkova mati pa ne obupa, vso skrb in brigo posveča deci, in otroci ji z našim Lojzkom vred hvaležno plačujejo skrb. Saj so vsi Tesarjevi med najboljšimi učenki na naši šoli."

"Lojzek", tako je dejal gospod učitelj fantičku, "ki se je ob njegovih besedah že povsem umiril: "Ti pa ne žaluj, jaz ti čestitam, da imaš tako dobro in plemenito mater. Dokler boš nosil hlače s tolikimi krpami vedi, da nosi mamica tako srce, ki zate utripuje po dnevi in ponoči..."

Kakor onemel je poslušal ves razred učiteljeve besede, in vsem, ki so se prej krohotali Hanzljevim besedam, je bilo pri duhi hudo. Prav tako, kakor so grizle spodbudne besede, ki jih je povedal gospod učitelj. — Pekarjeva Franceta, so grizle tudi druge. Hudo jim je bilo žal, da so v objestnem trenutku zasmehovali uboga Tesarjevega Lojzka, ki ga je smejil jezavi Hanzl.

Pekarjev France se je zotzil zvečer oetu in mamici in je povedal, kako jih je ugnal učitelj v kozji rok.

Mamica in oeta Pekarjevav Franceta je ganilo pripovedovanje njihovega sinka. Zvečer sta se njegove oče in mati domenila, da bosta poiskala v omari kaj primerne obleke za uboga in marljivega zasmehovanca. Ponosno je stiskal Pekarjev France naslednje jutro, ko je koračil v šolo, zajeten zavitek obleke in perila. "To bo za mojega solca Lojzka, ki sem ga večraj tako grdo žalil..." si je šepetal Pekarjev France.

Priroz, ki so ga tisto jutro malo za tem poživil četrtaški jim bo ostal nepoznan vse življenje. Tesarjev Lojzek je plakal, plakali so njegovi učenci in tudi učitelj se je dušil v solzah.

Lojzek je sedel v svoji klop, okrog njega pa so nagrmadili kup zavitkov. Nihe ni vedel za drugega, prav tako, kakor so poiskali Pekarjevav nekaj obleke za zapostavljenega Lojzka, tako so storiili tudi pri Ribčevih. Blažonovih, Čoževih... In pri vseh tistih, ki jim hodijo sinovi v razred s Tesarjevim Lojzkom.

Največji zavitek pa je prinesel v šolo štacunarjev Hanzl, ki sta ga oče in mati trdo prijala, ko sta zvedela, kako surovo se je obnašal proti neobčutenemu sinku uboge Tesarjeve vdove.

S Hanzljem vred so priznali gospodu učitelju, da so si očitati krivico, ki so jo storiili sošolcu prejšnji dan. Z darili so se mu hoteli odolžiti in so skupno prosili oproščenja.

Vsi so imeli solzne oči, bi ga jim je narekovalo veselje, ko jim je gospod učitelj spet držal "pridigo". To pot je bila vsa vesela. Učitelj jih je pot pohvalil za kes in je zaključil, da je vseje, ker ima take fanti, ki pripoznavajo storjeno krivico.

Z ganjenim glasom je krenel: "Zakrpane hlače naj vam bodo v dokaz vaše ljubezni mamice do svojih otrok."

fancies until he neared the end of his journey.

At the station where Joe and his mother left the train, Farmer Lynch, driving his old car, waited for them. The ride to the farm was about two miles long; and on the way Joe had a surprise, he noticed several new houses. His mother was talking to Farmer Lynch about them.

"So the Monroes have divided their farm and built five or six houses," she was saying, "well that ought to give us some new neighbors." She turned to Joe, "Did you hear that, son?"

"Have the people got any boys?" Joe asked.

"Ya-as, lots of them. That's all they have got," sniffed the old man, who didn't like to see the old farms cut up and strangers come to live on them.

That afternoon Joe strolled down the road towards the new houses. And such a sight met his eyes as he approached them! There in the middle of a pasture was a diamond, marked off as neat as any city chap could desire; and there in the pitcher's box was one of the fellers, arm upraised, ready to toss a ball.



"It Looks Like A Good Summer," Said Joe To Himself.

"Baseball!" breathed Joe. "How'll I ever get 'in' with those kids?" He watched the play for a few seconds, but all the while no one paid the least bit of attention to him. The kids hardly noticed his presence. Discouraged and hurt, Joe turned back towards his house. He was usually the center of things and it didn't suit him at all to be entirely left out.

The next day he took a farm horse and a light wagon to the station to get the trunks. As he drove near the houses he noticed that the pasture was deserted; not a feller in sight. He felt sorry, somehow. At the station the old stationmaster, who knew Joe's father and mother ever since they were children, dragged the trunks across the platform and loaded them on the wagon.

"Quite a load there, son," he said. "Think you can manage all right?"

"Sure," replied Joe, "Old Bob'll take it easy. I'll walk her back."

"Those trunks are strapped on good and tight," said the old man, "I guess you'll get along." And with that he turned away and Joe tightened up the reins. Bob started off.

All went well, for Bob was a quiet old horse. Joe almost went to sleep, as she dragged along. They reached the new houses, and Joe half-way opened his eyes to see if anyone was around. Not a person was in sight; so he settled down again to resume his nap.

Crash! Something splintered. Joe thought one of the trunks had fallen, so he hopped off to see what he could do. But he guessed wrong. Something worse from his point of view, was the cause of that crash.

In the middle of the road, broken in two, was a new baseball bat! The heavy load on the wagon had passed over it, and there it lay, a wreck.

"What shall I do?" Joe questioned himself. "This bat belongs to those fellers. They'll be as mad as hops, because they can't play ball without it. And it's a brand new one, too."

It looked like a bad situation. But Joe was quick to see that there was an opportunity to get acquainted if he squared things up. He walked up to the nearest house and knocked at the door. A freckled-face little boy appeared and Joe told him the story.

"Gee," said the boy, "us fellers chipped in to buy that bat, 'course it was our fault to forget and drop it in the road. He looked to Joe for the next suggestion Joe was ready.

"I tell you; you get all the fellers together and tell 'em about it," he said. They both sauntered out to the road and the freckled-face boy gave a blood-curdling yell which brought about six boys out of the houses in a jiffy, like firemen at the sound of an alarm. When they got together he showed them the splintered bat and told the story. Then Joe stepped forward.

"Say," he began, "I've got a good bat with my things in one of those trunks; and since it was my horse and wagon that broke your bat, I'll



## THE JUNIOR COOK

## SUMMER BEVERAGES

## Iced Coffee

Make fresh, rather strong coffee. Fill glasses with cracked ice and pour over ice freshly made and slightly cooled coffee.

Serve with cream and sugar if desired.

## Gingered Iced Tea

To one good size pitcherful of tea, add a tablespoon of fresh mint leaves and one pint of ginger ale.

Serve in glasses half filled with crushed ice.

## Griša Koritnik: NEZADOVOLJNO JAGNJE

Neki ovčar je imel večje čredo ovc. Kakor po naključju pa so bile vse njegove ovce in vsi jagnjki beli. Samo eno jagnje je bilo črno od glave do nog. Jagnje je bilo silno žalostno zaradi tega in vedno je tožilo svojo mater, kako je nesrečno. Ko so v njegovi brati veselo zabavali na sončnem travniku, si nastavljali koščata dela in se trkali, se je njihov črni bratec obupno stiskal k materi in govoril:

"Kako sem nesrečen. Vsi moji bratci imajo lepe bele kožuške, ki se jim kar bleste na soncu jaz pa moram hoditi v tej žalostni črni suknji kakor pogrebec med svati." Na bližnjem drevesu je slučajno sedel črni kos. Ko je slišal črno jagnje zaradi črne volne žalostno tarlati se je po svoji navadi šaljivo oglašal: "Oj, ti čmera čmerasta! Zaradi črne suknje se jokaš. Pogled mene, črn sem ko dimnikar, pa le venomer krožim veselo in kratkocoasno." In kos je odprl kljun in glasno zagodel. Jagnje je je tarnalo naprej in se stiskalo k materi. Ne daleč ob plotu je bil oteko bel cvečtočih marjetic. Jagnje je odkakljalo tja in začelo prositi: "Oh, dajte mi malo lepih belih lističev, da se z njimi pokrijem. Rado bi bilo belo, kakor so moji bratci."

"Beži, beži, bedaček," so ga zavrnile cvetlice. "Saj tudi cvetlice nismo vse enake barve, pa se ne kisamo zaradi tega. Temu ugaja ta barva, onemu druga. In tako smešno bi bilo videti jagnje, ki bi bilo pokrito s cvetnimi lističi." V bližini se je pasla lepa bela kovača. Jagnje je poskusilo srečo pri njej: "O dobra moja prijateljica," jo je nagovorilo, "ali bi mi hotela dati malo svojega belega perja, da se pokrijem z njim. Tako mi že preseda moj črni kožušek, zlasti, ker ga nosim samo jaz med vsemi svojimi tovariši." Kovača je je nejevoljno stresla z belimi peruti in se odrezala: "Neumnost, mar nismo tudi kovači različne barve. O tem pa ni vredno govoriti. No, kure smo pač pametnejše od ovc." Potegnila je glavo iz prsti in odplahutala z njo. Tedaj se je pripodil na travnik sosedov Belin, ki se je rad igral z jagenjki in ovcami. Ko ga je črno jagnje zagledalo, je urno steklo k njemu in ga poprosilo: "Oj, lepi moj prijatelj, ali bi mi hotel dati trohico svoje bele dlake. Vsi moji bratci so bel kot bel, samo jaz sem črna in nesrečna med njimi?" Belin je samo razposajeno bevsknil in se zadiral: "No, ta bi bila pa lepa! Oveca s pasjo diako! Menda bi rada, da bi te le jati naučil: Veš, kaj ovcica, saj si čisto lepa v svoji črni suknji, samo malo več pameti bi morala imeti, pa bi bilo vse v redu."

Brez uspeha se je jagnje nazadnje odpravilo nazaj k svojim belim bratcem. Ti so se veselo zbrali okoli njega in jeli občudovati in glasno hvaliti njegovo črno suknjo. Nazadnje je prišel še oven, in ko je videl, da je črno jagnje najkrajšnje med vsemi, je rekel: "To jagnje ni samo lepo, marveč tudi krepko po stasu. Po moji smrti naj prevzame vodstvo črede in vsi mu morate biti pokorni, kakor ste danes meni." Vsa čreda je bila s tem zadovoljna in črno jagnje je bilo srečno kakor še nikoli v svojem življenju. Nič več se ni prižetovalo zaradi svoje črne suknje, še ponosno je bilo nanjo, kajti zavedalo se je, kaj pomeni stopati na čelu črede.

make good the damage. But you all were partly to blame because you left your bat in the middle of the road, so you oughtn't to make me do everything.

"What do you want us to do?" someone asked.

"Well," he answered, "I'd like to come down and play with you and your team. I'm a good pitcher."

"All right," they said together, for they knew they were to blame in leaving their bat in the road, and they didn't want to have their play stopped. Also, they were impressed with Joe's offer and already they liked his straightforward way. Happy and satisfied, Joe drove off.

That afternoon, when mother had unpacked the trunk and Joe laid his hands on the beloved bat, he started out for the "big game." The kids were all gathered waiting for him. As he swung into view with the bat over his shoulder, they gave a whoop-ee. "Here's to our new captain," they shouted; and the freckled-face boy took Joe by the arm and led him around to meet each one. Then they took places and began to play. "It looks like a good summer," said Joe to himself.

## How Dicky's Wish Came True

Dicky had wanted his picture taken ever since he could remember. One day, when he was confiding his hopes to Frankie Sneed, he told him that with the first money he ever earned he would buy a camera.

Frankie was Dicky's best friend, but he was a whole year older than Dicky, and knew more about cameras.

"What would you do with a camera?" asked the scornful Frankie.

"I'd take my picture," replied Dicky with dignity.

"You couldn't take your own picture," scoffed Frankie.

Dicky thought over this a moment. "I would get Violet to take it then."

Violet was Dicky's older sister, and

"Oh—yes ma'am!" smiled Violet, clapping her hands.

"Vio-let, Vio-let!" shrilled Dicky, running back toward his bucket. "Take one of me with my bucket!"

Carol and Violet followed him back to where he was filling his bucket eagerly, "I want it full," he told Violet, proudly, "and then I'll send my picture to Frankie Sneed."

"Who is Frankie Sneed?" asked Carol, watching the busy Dicky.

"He's just a boy! He said Violet wasn't smart enough to take my picture, and I'm going to show him."

"I can't see him," Violet said to Carol.



"Can You See Him Now?" Carol Asked.

Dicky cared for her so much that he told her his secrets. To be strictly truthful Frankie was a little bit jealous of Violet. That is why he shook his head so doubtfully, and said it took an "awfully smart girl to work a camera."

"Violet is a smart girl," said Dicky loyally.

"Not smart enough for that," Frankie insisted.

Dicky scowled darkly.

"Something," Dicky confessed to Violet later, "just made my fist go out—like that!" and he doubled up his sturdy little fist and shot it toward Violet's old rag doll to show her how he had hit Frankie.

Dicky played all day with Violet. The next day he waited for Frankie's whistle, but Frankie did not pass the house. Shortly after this Dicky forgot all about Frankie because of visitors. The visitors were his Aunt Bessie and her little girl, Carol. Aunt Bessie had a great deal of money, so much that she was going to take Dicky and Violet with her little girl down to the seashore for a month. Neither Dicky nor Violet had ever been to the seashore and weren't quite sure that they wished to go. But Carol told them how much fun it was, what lots and lots of sand there was to play in, and more water than they had ever seen. So when Dicky's mother asked him if he wanted to go with Carol and Violet he said yes, and thought how sorry Frankie Sneed would be when he learned that he was gone.

The next day Dicky and Violet kissed their mother and father goodbye and started for the seashore with Aunt Bessie and Carol. They rode a long, long way on the train. At first Dicky watched the houses and the fields and the trees flash by the windows, but after awhile the Sandman threw so much sand in his eyes that he could not keep them open.

He did not remember anything that happened to him after that until Aunt Bessie called him merrily and told him it was morning and that Violet and Carol were almost dressed. After breakfast they went down to the beach, and Aunt Bessie bought Dicky a bucket and a shovel so he might dig in the sand.

He was so busy filling his bucket with the fine sand for the girls to pile up into a little heap, that he hardly noticed the ocean at all. Quite suddenly Carol called out:

"Look, look!" and Dicky and Violet saw her pointing at something out on the blue water.

"What is it?" asked Dicky, dropping his shovel.

"It's a boat," sister Violet told him. "A sailboat," corrected Carol.

"Two of them!" cried Violet, excitedly, pointing at another she could just see.

"They would make a pretty picture with those fleecy clouds," called Aunt Bessie. "Carol, go get the camera."

"Hurrah!" cried Dicky, and began to dance up and down in his joy. "Can I have my picture taken, Aunt Bessie?" he shouted. Aunt Bessie smiled as Carol came dancing from the hotel with the camera.

Dicky and Violet and Carol gathered closely around Aunt Bessie and watched her open the mysterious black leather box, and pulled out the long red thing that looked, Dicky thought, so like the funny wrinkled box the old Indian on their street at home pulled in and out and made music on.

"Would you like to take a picture, Violet?" asked Aunt Bessie.

Manica:

## MODRI SODNIK

Pravijo, da je tam v daljni Avstraliji živel zelo moder sodnik. Da je bil tevr resnična, nam izpričuje naslednja zgodba.

Bogati a zelo skopuški trgovec izgubil mošnjo s sto cekini. Takoj razglasil vsej okolici, da dobi vsak nagrado, kdor najde in vrne izgubljen denar.

Pa se je pripetilo, da je tisto njo s cekini našel reven kmet. Kmet bil pošten, jo je brez oklevanja nesel pravemu lastniku.

Trgovec je kar po mače nabral očmi, ko je zgrabil za mošnjo. Tako takoj se je spomnil, da bo treba niti najdenino in celo se mu je pomislilo. Premišljeval je, kako bi se ceneje izvil in že jo je zmašil v črni duši.

Najdeno mošnjo odpre, prebriše a kine in pokima kmetu.

"V redu. Denar je ves tu. Pa manjka tisti dragoceni biserni kmet, ki sem ga vedno imel tu med seboj. Gotovo si ga vzel ti. No, nič. Kar obdrži ga namesto najdenine, tem je med nama urejeno."

Kmet prebledi. Res je reven, kljub temu pošten. Z grjevanjem pohiti k sodniku in mu natančno razloži vso zadevo.

Sodnik takoj ukaže poklicati kmetca in obenem naroči, naj prinese seboj tudi najdeno mošnjo a kar je v nji.

Potem na kratko zasliši oba, ca in kmeta, ki trdita vsak svoje. Sodnik veli trgovcu, naj mu najdeno mošnjo, nato pa sodnik udarkom!

"Ti trgovec, kakor tudi ti kmet, poštna človeka. In kakor vendar da se je dragoceni kamen rešil v mošnjo, prav tako sem svedo, čan, da se tega kamna kmet ni nil. Iz tega sledi — čuj trgovec, da ta mošnja ni tvoja, nego je bila bil nekdo drugi. Zato naj mošnjo ne tu, vse do časa, da se zgleda, lastnik. Ne pozabi pa, dragi, zglasi se čez tle dni pri sodniku namreč se do takrat ne zgleda lastnik, tedaj pripade po zakon kar si našel, tebi!"

"Ti pa," se obrne zdaj sodnik govornik, pojdi domov in prinesi kajak, da najde kdo tvojo najdenino, v kateri bo poleg cekinov biseri!"

Ubogi kmet se je poln obzri v modrega sodnika, raz je pa napravil skopuški sodnik si lahko mislilo.

B. V. Rados: ZVEZDICE

V toplim poletnem večeru, dete ob oknu šepče: "Mimica, kdo pa priliga lučke tam gori blesteče?"

Sklone se k detetu mati: "To so pa zvezdice tiste, ki jih večer za večerom, vžigajo pesnice čiste."

"Mamica, jaz pa zapojem pesmico čudžno, bajno! Ali mi potlej svetila zvezdica moja bo trajno?"

In se prisrčno nasmeje mamica, detetu pravi: "Zvezdice misli so tvoje, tebi gorijo v visavi..."

## Contributions From Our Junior Members MLADINSKI DOPISI

ENUMCLAW, WASH.  
EDITOR AND FELLOW

years ago, a goat with a red ribbon  
around its neck.

Hedvi Sterle  
No. 149, SSCU

LORAIN, OHIO

DEAR EDITOR:  
Thanks for the check! The weather here in Lorain has sent many people to the beaches for swims and sunbaths! Lake View is the best known section. It has a beautiful rose garden and each of the nationality groups in Lorain are given a block of land to plant flowers in. Also in this park, there is an enormous fountain that shoots water 150 ft. into the air. Colored lights make the water change into all the colors of the rainbow. Then they have large tracts of carpet grass on which the Scot and English people lawn bowl. Here at this park the annual Regatta was held, boats coming from all lake cities to compete for prizes.

I am usually playing ball, which brings up the question who is going to win the Pennant this year. Cleveland should end up on top because of the pitchers they have, namely, Johnny Allen, Johnny Humphries, Mel Harder, Bob Feller and others and because of the batters like Averill, Trosky and rookie Keltner.

Stanley F. Ostanek  
No. 6, SSCU

FALLS CREEK, PA.

DEAR EDITOR:  
Here is a story for the juvenile section. It is entitled "A Very Pleasant Day."

One Saturday Alice and my mother went to DuBois and my father, brother and I were the only ones home. We put brother to sleep, then I went to my friend's house. Here we played for a while, and then I said, "let's have a picnic."

My friend agreed and we had our picnic. Although we served only sandwiches, we did manage to have lots of fun. After we were through eating, my mother and Alice came home. That was how we passed away one Saturday.

Mary Margaret Kozel (Age: 10)  
No. 13, SSCU

OAK CREEK, COLO.

DEAR EDITOR:  
The first item on my list is to express my thanks for the reward presented to me on my latest article. I hope my efforts in letter writing will prove just as successful in the future.

These summer months seem to have taken wings and are flying swiftly by. But with the swiftness of passing, I recall a very happy Sunday spent in the mountains. To begin with the occasion was a "Bar-B-Q" taken place at Still Waters. A large crowd was present and the hurried preparation and chatter of the mothers preparing for the feast, the loud shouts of "come and get it," the merry-making of chasing a stray squirrel or ground hog, the wind blowing through the tall pines bringing warning of an approaching rain, the speech-making for their unexpressed gratitude, and to top it all, I must say we had four lambs, a grand time, and plenty of rain.

The countless articles of the 40th anniversary of the SSCU which appeared in some of the recent issues of the Nova Doba, proved to be mighty interesting and very enjoyable reading material. My expression for it all is Great! Am I not right, juvenile members?

With this closing thought I am wandering off into space thinking continually of the 80th anniversary. May it be successful, continually united.  
Anna Bell Chadex (Age: 14)  
No. 21, SSCU

ELY, MINNESOTA

DEAR EDITOR AND READERS:  
At the SSCU picnic, Justine Korent introduced me to Paul Bartel, our supreme president and to Frank E. Vranichar, supreme trustee. Was I ever glad to meet them. I think both are men well worthy of their supreme offices.

The picnic was well attended, and there were ever so many outsiders present. But I will let Little Stan have his own say on the big event for I saw him there taking notes.

Yes, the big celebration is over. There was lots of work and worry for many a member, but it turned out a big success, so we have something worthwhile to look back to and that is a good reward.

My mother and I went to Faribault with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zalar. My mother went to visit her step brother. It was the first time I had seen St. Paul. And I was greatly impressed with Fort Snelling, for I heard and read so much about it. We saw the Minnesota University State Farm where boys learn farming. It sure is a nice place to visit. We also saw Camp Ripley and what a sight. A town of white tents arranged like streets, canons, guns, drilling, shooting. What a sight for sore eyes—something different than plain city life. Men from all over the U. S. go there.

We were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Triller Sr. for the weekend at Sartell, Minn. They are very nice people. Mr. Triller is secretary of his lodge at Sartell for 25 years. Mr. Triller is well known for he wrote many an article for the Nova Doba.

We were pleased to find my mother's stepbrother John Hegler felling fine and happy. He likes it there very much. John asked us to say hello to all his Soudan and Tower, Minn. friends.  
Goodbye until next time.  
Florence P. Startz (Age: 13)  
No. 129, SSCU

CLEVELAND, OHIO

DEAR EDITOR:

Everybody is writing such interesting letters and poems to the Nova Doba that I could not resist the temptation to write a poem myself. As I told my sister (Elsie) that I think it is every juvenile's duty to write an article on the 40th anniversary of the SSCU.

So here is my poem. Of course it is not as interesting as some of the poems of older juveniles, but it is my best.

A SWELL LODGE

Here's to the SSCU,  
May God bless all of you,  
Through it, new friends you'll meet  
And some that can't be beat!

For instance, Little Stan, etc.,  
With his little or big Austin.  
Belongs to a lodge of the SSCU.  
And he's one of the friends you would meet,

If you just join this lodge and you won't be beat!

All over the U. S. they will be celebrating the 40th anniversary of the SSCU. We must do our part too. We should encourage other people to join this Union, describe to them what the Union will do for them. The younger children writing to the juvenile page and Little Stan encouraging them to write and send in new ideas. So juveniles, let us try to do our parts.

It was a beautiful day when my sister and her two girl friends packed up a lunch and went to Metropolitan Park. We had spent a pleasant day there. We climbed Bald Eagle Mountain and all the surrounding hills. We watched the water run swiftly down stream. Isn't nature grand? The most interesting point was this: There was a man at the park and he had a tamed crow! The crow's name was Jim. His feathers were black with a streak of red here and there. The man threw a box of matches on the ground and the crow quickly flew from the man's shoulders, where he was perched, on to the ground. He had made a successful trip. The result was he opened the box of matches, took out a match, struck it and returned it to its master just as he was to put a cigarette into his lips. I caught four minnows and I just gave them away. At 6:30 p. m. we were on our way home singing and telling jokes.

In last month's issue (July) I enjoyed reading Dorothy Bregovec's story called "The Mystery of Fair Glades" and Josephine Cerne's poem entitled "Class Poem" and Florence Prosen's poem "SSCU."

Regards to all juveniles and to you, editor.

Sally Hrvatin (Age: 11)  
No. 173, SSCU

EXPORT, PA.

DEAR EDITOR:

It's a long time since I wrote to the Nova Doba, but since I am a farmer, work is plentiful at this time of the year, for it is grain cutting time ready for thrashing.

Recently, I was on my summer trip in the mountains about 125 miles from Export. My mother, father, brother Rudolph, and my sisters Anna and Mary, came along as did another carload of friends. We saw the mountains and rode on the lake with a rowboat. We had nice weather on our trip, although we could have used a little more rain to make a rainbow.

I want to thank Mr. Janko N. Rogelj for the lovely letter he wrote in the Nova Doba on our picnic. Nice of him to remember us. At this time we want to say that we were glad Mr. Rogelj came to see us, even though he didn't get an opportunity to visit us on the farm.

Here is a story about the man who lived in a shoe.  
We all met the lady who lived in a shoe, had so many children she didn't know what to do. So let's go in and meet the heel of the shoe of George, the father.

As we come in, we hear him saying, "Lucy dear, what an odd week this is, no stork showing up."

To which mother said: "Thirty days has September, June and November, while the remaining ones have thirty-one; but we have thirty-seven."

While this conversation took place, a knock is heard on the door. George goes to see who is there, and finds a stork with a baby. The stork says: "Here is the baby, but I only work forty hours a week, so please don't call for me anymore, for I am quitting to see a friend down in Texas."

One evening the children and the neighboring children were playing, while Lucy called the children for supper. A messenger sent the following message: "Your uncle passed away and is leaving you all, and at that point George said, 'uncle is leaving to us all his death benefits; fine, for we shall be able to live a little better.'"

But Lucy interrupted, saying "your uncle passed away and is leaving you all the children, sixteen in number."  
Louis Kuznik (Age: 14)  
No. 138, SSCU.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEAR EDITOR:

Again, thank you for the dollar prize I received for my article. This time it was really unexpected!

This year, we are having a rather windy, though warm summer in San Francisco, especially on our side of town. Our home is not very far from the Pacific Ocean, and we get all the fog and wind, that is to be gotten.

There has not been much for me to do during this vacation, but I expect to learn how to play tennis. I don't know much about the game, but my brother, Edison, will teach me the fundamentals and I will be expected to learn the rest, as I go along.

As I have not much to do this vacation, I would be glad to answer any letters to anyone who will write to

me. I am 13 years old, in the high eighth grade, and I am interested in competitive sports, journalism, and in writing letters to children in any and every state of the United States. Again thanking you,

Gloria H. Terbovec,  
No. 141, SSCU  
37 Capistrano Ave.  
San Francisco, Cal.

CLEVELAND, O.

DEAR EDITOR AND READERS:

The month of July is fading away. We should remember a few of the following points: The 40th anniversary of our SSCU. Bastille Day in France, (storming of the Bastille) took place 149 years ago July 14.

Since Little Stan was very busy writing and making plans for the 40th anniversary, I hope he won't mind if I take his task on. The Magic Carpet tours and we find the following:

Florence Prosen (she lives across the street from where I do), enjoys letters concerning the 40th anniversary. From Euclid, Albena Nosee, expressed a wish that all persons going to Ely to celebrate the 40th anniversary, will have an enjoyable time. Josephine Cerne of Barborton believes she has very little poetic ability. I think otherwise. On to Conemaugh with "Dot" Bregovec studying Biology and writing a story for the juvenile page, titled "The Mystery of Fair Glades." To Pittsburgh, where Mary Zugel thanks the editor for the award. And to Bertha Krall, who lives in Etna, sends best regards and does not like school. From Falls Creek, eight-year-old Alice Kozel has spent a good time swimming. In Strabane Hedvi Sterle reports of the tragic death of Mrs. Horwat, Hedvi! you neglected to insert your lodge number and your age, but since this is your first letter I hope the editor will excuse you.

Out West, Pueblo, Colo., with delegate Theresa Rugar, feeling very much surprised that the days fly so fast. The magic carpet is tired and so is its driver. On our last stop, in Rock Springs, Wyo., where Elsie Oblack includes her age and lodge number this month; she is surprised to receive an award of \$1.00 — Thanks to Little Stan for the use of his magic carpet.

I am to have an appointment with Mrs. M. Johnson, editor of the Young Folks' Page, issued every Wednesday in The Cleveland Press. While I am at the Press I shall visit all the offices and the shop in the building. I will relate to the juveniles my experiences in my next letter.

I wrote a story for the juveniles, titled, "Good Looks Don't Only Count, Girls."

Anne sat at her desk looking very desolate. Her friend Jean Marie Coverbotton had just left the room in which Jean Marie and Anne shared. Jean Marie was good looking, with blonde hair, blue eyes, and the daughter of wealthy parents. She had many beaux, and was present at all college dances and proms. She lacked one thing, and that was brains.

Anne was different. She was a brunette, with brown eyes. One thing she did have was brains. Anne wanted to be an author and had an offer from a publisher to write a poem within a month, for which she was to receive five hundred dollars. However, Jean Marie thought different. She believed that Anne didn't have a chance in a million.

It was getting rather late and Anne thought it best to go to bed. As she was undressing, the telephone rang. Bob Jean had called. He was Marie's boy friend. He asked her to come at once to the ballroom on Main Street, as Jean Marie had met with an accident.

Anne hurriedly took a taxi to Main St. There she met Bob, who was surprised to meet such a gorgeous roommate of Marie's. Quickly the pair brought Marie in a taxi to her room where a doctor had been summoned. Doctor Brown, the school's physician, said that Jean Marie had broken her leg, and that she would have to rest for six months. Marie did not like this decision at all, for she was thinking of the number of dances and proms she necessarily would have to miss in the meantime.

Unfortunately, Marie expressed her thoughts aloud. Then Bob said something that shook Marie. He said: "Listen, Jean Marie Coverbotton, I've been going out with you for the past six months. Every time I met you, you have been complaining. 'I haven't enough dresses, a freckle just popped out of my face, Dick refused to dance with me, and to make the whole situation worse, you have been telling dreadful tales about Anne. You said she was ugly, dumb, etc. Since I want to be an author I am going to help Anne with her poem, while you can rest for six months, and forever on. Besides I don't go for girls with good looks, rather I prefer those with brains.'"

Anne was taken back for a while. But she did agree to go with Bob to a dance the next week. It was to be her first dance.

Regards to all juveniles.

Elsie Mary Desmond (Age: 14)  
No. 173, SSCU.

ELY, MINN.

EDITOR:

This is the first time that I have written to the Nova Doba. I hope to write more times. I am a member of Lodge No. 120 and am 14 years of age.

FLOWERS

The yellow and purple pansies small, smile up to us just like a doll. The sweet-pea growing higher, higher still.

Cruel that Jack Frost these flowers should kill.  
The sunflower nods as if to say,  
"To me, everyday's a holiday."  
The rose with stately iris flirts  
And blushes pink behind her skirts.  
All summer long the flowers wait,  
Until Jack Frost takes them away.  
It's then they're covered up with snow  
Waiting for the sun and rain to make them grow.

Margaret Peshel,  
No. 120, SSCU.

TRINIDAD, COLO.

DEAR EDITOR:

I am sorry that I haven't written sooner, but I have just been too busy. How is everyone? Fine I hope. The subject I have chosen this time is the value of an education. To this is how it goes. Someone has said that an education is a jewel. Indeed it is one of the most precious things that we have access to. It only costs a little effort and ambition, although it is the rarest jewel there is.

If we would all take the advantage of going to school, we could all have a very good education. When we have finished school, it is worth everything that we gave up for it.

Some students talk of what they are going to do when they finish their education. The important thing for them to learn is that we never finish our education. We never stop learning things, no matter how much we try.

We should all try to get the best possible education, whether in school or otherwise, for education is the key to success of every vocation. This is just my own opinion, which, I think when you read it, will probably be yours too. So I will sign off with best regards to all.

Pauline Tomazin (Age: 15)  
No. 84, SSCU.

NAGRADE

Za dopise, priobene na mladinskih straneh Nove Dobe v juliju 1938, so bile nakazane nagrade po en dolar (\$1.00) vsaki sledecim mladinskim dopisovalkam:

Dorothy Bregovec, drustvo št. 36, Conemaugh, Pa.; Albena Nosee, drustvo št. 132, Euclid, O.; Theresa Rugar, drustvo št. 42, Pueblo, Colo.; Hedvi Sterle, drustvo št. 149, Canonsburg, Pa.; Florence Prosen, drustvo št. 173, Cleveland, O.; Elsie Desmond, drustvo št. 173, Cleveland, O.

RAZNO IZ AMERIKE IN  
INOZEMSTVA

(Nadaljevanje s 1. stran)

avgusta pristalo nemško letalo Brandenburg, ki je izvršilo prelet iz Berlina v Nemčiji preko Atlantika v 25 urah. Po nekaterih manjših popravah je letalo odplulo nazaj proti Nemčiji 13. avgusta. Letalo je vodil kapitan Henke s tremi možmi posadke. Potnikov ni bilo, dasi je letalo prirejeno za 26 potnikov. Na newyorškem letališču je bilo letalo ves čas zastraženo po policiji in mornarjih, da se preprečijo morebitne demonstracije.

BANČNI ROPAR PRIJET

Policija v Baltimoru je pretekli teden prišla drznega bančnega roparja Charlesa Birda, ki je lani v septembru pobegnul iz okrajne ječe v Clevelandu. Z njim vred je bila prijeta tudi njegova žena Barbara. Bird je postavljen pod \$175,000 varščine.

PERSHING ODPOTOVAL

General John J. Pershing, ki je bil tekem svetovne vojne poveljnik ameriških čet v Franciji, je pretekli teden odpotoval iz New Yorka v Evropo. General

Pershing je bil pred par meseci nevarno bolan. Zdaj je spet pri dobrem zdravju.

KONEC PONEBRE

V Clevelandskem zoološkem parku je bil pretekli teden rojen križanec, kateremu so nadeli ime "ponebra". To čudno ime je dobil zato, ker mu je bila mati marogasta zebra, oče pa poni, to je mali konjiček. Zebra tega hibrida ni hotela dojeti, torej so ga morali umetno krmiti z mlekom iz steklenice. To pa hibridu ni ugajalo in po par dneh se je poslovil od tega čudnega sveta. Zoološki park je tako izgubil neavadnega državljana.

NEMSKI MANEVRI

V Nemčiji so se ta teden pričele velike vojaške vaje, kateril se bo udeleževalo okrog enega milijona mož redne armade in rezervistov. V Evropi vzbujajo ti manevri precejšnjo napetost, ker nihče ne ve, če nima Nemčija poleg manevrov še kaj drugega v rokavu. Posebno Češko-slovaška je pripravljena za vsak slučaj.

OPOMIN MUSSOLINIJU

Anglija je poslala Italiji noto v opominom, da bi bilo že čas, da slednja odpokliče svoje čete iz Španije, kot je obljubila že pred par tedni, toda še doslej tega ni izvedla. Nota poudarja, da dokler Italija ne izvrši svoje obljube, ne more stopiti v veljavo angleško - italijanska pogodba. Zdi se, da Mussolini odlaša z odpoklicom italijanskih čet iz Španije največ zato, ker so španski lojalisti postali zadnje čase precej aktivni in rebelni general Franco še ne more računati na skorajšnjo zmago. Mussolini pa seveda hoče, da rebeli zmagajo. Španska uganka po vsej priliki še ne bo v doglednem času rešena.

PARAGUAY IN BOLIVIJA ZA  
MIR

Mirovna pogodba, sklenjena med ameriškima republikama Paraguay in Bolivia, tikajoča se spornega ozemlja Gran Chaco, je bila potrjena od obeh strani. Za Bolivijo jo je potrdil ustavni kongres, za Paraguay pa splošno glasovanje, in sicer z veliko večino. Po pogodbi bo natančno mejo med obema deželama določil posebni nevtralni odbor, ki ga tvori pet predsednikov ameriških republik. Ta petorica vključuje tudi predsednika Zedinjenih držav.

PREMIRJE MED RUSIJO IN  
JAPONSKO

Mesec dni trajajočo nenapovedano vojno med Rusijo in Japonsko na meji Sibirije, Koreje in japonske vabalne države Mančukuo, je pretekli teden ustavilo premirje, ki je bilo sklenjeno med japonskim poslanikom v Moskvi in med ruskim komisarjem zunanjih zadev, Litvinovim. Glasom tega sporazuma ostanejo tako ruske kot japonske čete na mestih, ki so jih zavzemale

ob določeni uri. Končna določitev sporne meje bo poverjena posebni komisiji štirih mož, to je dveh zastopnikov Rusije in dveh zastopnikov Japonske ozioroma države Mančukuo.

Rusija je v sedanjem konfliktu pokazala toliko odločnosti kot še nikoli prej tekem večletnih obmejnih sporov in incidentov. V tem slučaju so bili Japonci tisti, ki so nujno prosili za premirje in so pristali v važne ruske pogoje. To je razumljivo, kajti Japoncem že sama vojna s Kitajsko dela neprimerno več preglavice, kot so prvotno mislili, in se zavedajo, da bi bila istočasna vojna z močno Rusijo zanje pogubna.

DOPISI

Moon Run, Pa. — Dopisi iz naše naselbine so bolj redki, zato upam, da mi sobrat urednik preskrbi v Novi Dobi prostora za teh par vrstic. Delavske razmere so slabe, kot so menda tudi drugod; posebno slabo je za starejše delavce, ki ne dobijo več dela. Smrt se tudi pogosto oglašva v naši naselbini. Ako pojde tako naprej, pridemo kmalu vsi na vrsto. Vsled tega je važno, da ne pozabimo na podporne organizacije. Kdor še ni član nobene, naj pristopi, dokler ni prepovedano. Tu imamo društvo št. 99 JSKJ, katero lahko priporočamo vsakemu prijatelju za pristop. Poleg tega so pa še druga društva, da si vsak lahko izbira.

Nedavno sva se podpisana podala obiskat prijatelja in znanca v Waukegan, Ill. Vožnja je bila prav prijetna. V Waukeganu sva se najprej ustavila pri Mr. in Mrs. Frank Japel, kjer sva bila prav prijazno sprejeta. Ko sva se nekoliko oddahnila, sva se podala na obisk k Mr. in Mrs. Joseph Mešec, nato k Mr. in Mrs. Tomaz Troha ter k Mr. in Mrs. Jacob Mešec; Mrs. Mešec je namreč sestra od Tomaza Trohe. To je bilo veselo svidenje po 35 letih! Povsod sva bila prijazno sprejeta in gostoljubno postrežena. Mr. in Mrs. Slabe pa sta nama prijazno razkazala Waukegan, za kar jima lepa hvala. Oglasila sva se tudi na domu sobrata Paula Bartela, gl. predsednika JSKJ, kjer sva bila prijazno postrežena s hladnimi okrepčili. Vsem tamkajšnjim prijateljem se najlepše zahvaljujemo za vso naklonjenost in postrežbo, katere sva bila deležna ob priliki najinega obiska Waukegana. Ako katerega omenjenih pot nevese skozi Moon Run, bo naji veselilo, če bova imela priliko naklonjenost in gostoljubnost vsaj nekoliko povrniti.

Mr. in Mrs. Frank Troha.

Edmond, Okla. — Rad bi izvedel za mojega brata Karola ali Charlesa Knafelja, ki je pred leti bival v Clevelandu. Njegov naslov je bil nekaj nad 3000 St. Clair Avenue. Jaz se nahajam že 31 let v Ameriki, moj brat

Dalje na 7. str.



Skupina potnikov in potnic na parniku Ile de France 22. junija 1938, ob priliki izleta Slovenske ženske zveze v Jugoslavijo.

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## AKTIVNOST MLADINE

Mladine si skoro ne moremo predstavljati počiva-joče. Ljudje tako zvanih srednjih ali zrelih let smatrajo počitek za tem potrebnejši, čim starejši postajajo. To so čisto naravni pojavi. Vsa mlada bitja v naravi, od človeka in živali do rastlin, kažejo neprimerno večjo aktivnost kot starejša.

Mlada kri ne more mirovati, zato vidimo, da je mladina vedno z nečem zaposlena, razen kadar spi. Ta aktivnost se mestoma izraža v delu, še bolj pogostoma pa v igrah in zabavah. Potrebe in važnosti resnega dela se mladina v splošnem le malo zaveda, mladostna brezskrbnost jo vleče le bolj k igram in zabavam. Nam starejšim morda to včasih ni všeč, toda pomagati se ne da; ko smo bili mi mladi, nismo bili nič boljši.

Najpametnejše je, da vzamemo problem kakršen je in ga skušamo napeljevati v koristne smeri. Marsikako za mladino primerno delo zamoremo aranžirati tako, da se ji bo zdelo zabavno. V mnogih ameriških šolah so dandanes učni sistemi prirojeni tako, da se otroci učijo potrebnih predmetov tako rekoč igraje, da jim učenje ni muka, ampak zabava. In za marsikatero društveno aktivnost lahko zainteresiramo mladino, če ji pokažemo ali damo razumeti, da ji bo dotični posel nudil nekaj zabave oziroma razvedrila ali pa da bo pokazal javnosti njene zmožnosti.

Ta okolnost je za nas starejše člane podpornih organizacij važna. Brezskrbno mladino, ki ne misli na bolezen in starost, moramo le v redkih primerih zainteresirati direktno za zavarovanje, katero nudijo naše podporne organizacije. Veliko lažje se da to storiti indirektnim putem. Športne aktivnosti pri naših društvih same na sebi niso v nikako posebno korist organizaciji, toda važne so zato, ker privlačujejo mladino v podporno organizacijo in jo v isti obrdže. Po nekaj letih se bo ta mladina zavedla, da je gojitev športa sicer lepa reč, toda zavarovalna stran organizacije je važnejša. Na ta način bomo mladino dobili tja, kjer jo hočemo imeti.

Kadar društva prirejajo kake veselice ali zabave, je priporočljivo, da se mladini odraslega in mladinskega oddelka poverijo kakšni posli, na primer dekoracije prostorov, prodajanje vstopnic, deklamacije, pevski, plesni in godbeni nastopi itd. To je navadno mladini v zabavo, obenem pa ji daje prilike, da pokaže svoje zmožnosti pred svojimi vrstniki in starejšimi člani. Na ta način se začne zavedati, da je del društva, v katerem se udejstvuje, in da je nekako njena dolžnost delati za napredek in ugled istega.

Za vse naše podporne organizacije je dandanes problem naše mladine najbolj važen in postajal bo še važnejši z vsakim dnem, z vsakim letom. Ta problem je, kako dobiti mladino v naše organizacije in kako jo v njih obrdžati. K temu cilju vodijo mnoge poti, naše delo pa je, da najdemo in uporabljamo tiste, ki so vpricho razmer v različnih krajih najbolj primerne.

Naša slovenska v tej deželi rojena in vzgojena mladina je v splošnem mnogo boljša, kakor so nam jo do zadnjih časov hoteli predstavljati gotovi črnogledi pesimisti. Čim večkrat bomo prihajali z njo v dotiko, tem bolj bomo to spoznali. V splošnem je ta mladina prijazna, inteligentna, izobrazena, tolerantna in, kljub mladostni razigranosti, dostojna. Na naših prireditvah ene ali druge vrste se navadno čisto domačo počuti. Naše ustanove, kolikor jih razume, spoštuje, in tudi naš jezik obvlada, če ne vselej v govoru, pa vsaj v razumevanju. To velja vsaj za veliko večino tu rojene mladine, s katero je imel avtor tega članka priliko priti v dotiko.

Ta mladina je naša in ta mladina bo v dogledni bodočnosti hrbtenica J. S. K. Jednote, če jo bomo znali pridobiti v naše vrste in jo s primerno taktiko v njih obrdžati. V naši nestranski organizaciji se bo lahko domačila in se je bo z navdušenjem oprijela, ako jo bomo sprejeli kot sebi enako in vredno stoprocentnega upoštevanja. Začetek je v tem oziru že storjen, in sicer dober začetek. In ako se bomo iz izkušenj učili, bo naše nadaljno delo v tem oziru še boljše. Predvsem pa nikdar ne pozabimo, da bodočnost J. S. K. Jednote je v naši mladini, in skušajmo pri vsaki priliki obrniti silo njene mladostne aktivnosti v žive vrele, potoke in reke naše organizacije.

## Iz urada glavnega tajnika JSKJ

URADNIKOM (CAM) DRUŠTEV JSKJ V DRŽAVI  
COLORADO:

Pravkar smo bili obveščeni od zavarovalniškega oddelka države Colorado, da po mnenju generalnega državnega pravnika (Attorney General) otroci ne morejo biti sprejeti v mladinski oddelke, dokler niso dosegli starost enega leta. Z ozirom na to razsodbo generalnega državnega pravnika se naroča vsem brat-skim podpornim organizacijam, da v bodoče ne sprejemajo otrok v svoje mladinske oddelke, ki so stari manj kot eno leto, ampak da sprejemajo samo take otroke, ki so stari že eno let ali več.

Bratske podporne organizacije, ki imajo poslovno dovoljenje v državi Colorado, so obvezne gornje naročilo upoštevati in se po njem ravnati, in ker imamo tudi mi poslovno dovoljenje v omenjeni državi, je naročilo obvezno tudi za nas.

V smislu navedene razsodbe se torej naroča vsem našim društvim uradnikom in uradnicam v državi Colorado, da od zdaj naprej sprejemajo v mladinski oddelke samo take otroke, ki so stari eno leto ali več. Kar se tiče porodnih nagrad bomo članicam v državi Colorado takoj po sprejemu tozadnje zahteve izplačali vsoto \$15.00, ostalih pet dolarjev se bo pa izplačalo šele po preteku enega leta, ko bo otrok lahko kvalificiral za sprejem, odnosno, ko bo sprejel v Jednoto.

Gornji sklep velja SAMO ZA DRŽAVO COLORADO, v vseh drugih državah ostane po starem, to je, da se otroke lahko sprejema takoj po rojstvu.

Ely, Minnesota, dne 12. avgusta 1938.

Za glavni urad JSKJ:

Anton Zbašnik, glavni tajnik.

## VSAK PO SVOJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

ki je bil prirejen v proslavo jednotine 40-letnice v Enumclawu, Wash. Stab banketnih kuharic je pri tisti priliki počastil avtorja te kolone s posebno poslanico, oboje na črešnje, in črešnja s to depešo je bila postavljena pred njega na mizo. Črešnja je menda spadala še v mladinski oddelke, ker je bila komaj dober komolec visoka in je rastle iz nekake čudne posode, toda imela je obilico rdečih sadežev. V depeši je bilo rečeno, da mi črešnje poklanja banketna kuharski štab, da bi me ne lomilo domotožje po črešnji fotografa Bukovnika in da bi se držal prijazno, kot se za banket spodobi. Ženska iznajdljivost res nima meje. Da bi bila v tem slučaju kaj prida zalegla, pa ne morem reči. Pokusil sem bil namreč par vabljivo rdečih črešenj in izkazale so se za idealno kisle. Morda je bilo takega okusa sadje drevesa spoznanja v paradizu. Tudi zame so bile tiste črešnje spoznanje, da ni vse sladko, kar nam ponujajo ženske. Koliko stopinj kislice je pokazal moj obraz, ne vem, ker ni bilo nobenega zrcala v bližini. Kolikor vem, tudi ni bilo navzoče nobene fotografske kamere in to je bila sreča. Nekoliko sreče me spremlja povsod.

A. J. T.

DRUSTVENE IN DRUGE  
SLOVENSKE VESTI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

Iz sosedne republike Mehike, in sicer iz mesta Monterey, pošiljata pozdrave uredništvu in vsemu članstvu JSKJ Frances in Priscilla Lopp iz Gilberta, Minn.

Vile rojenice so obdarovale sinčkom prvorojencem družino William Sitter v Clevelandu. Mr. Sitter je poslovodja v tiskarni "Enakopravnosti," kjer se tiska Nova Doba, in Mrs. Sitter je članica društva št. 173 JSKJ, v katerega mladinski oddelke je tudi že vpisan mali junak William Sitter, Jr.

Za S. N. Čitalnico v Clevelandu, O., so nabrali člani društva št. 173 JSKJ \$4.00 prostovoljnih prispevkov, s katero vsoto so za svoje društvo plačali častno članarino pri Čitalnici.

V Gowandi, N. Y., je umrl Anton Strauss, rojen leta 1874 v Kumpolju pri Dobrem polju na Dolenjskem. V to deželo je prišel, ko je bil približno 14 let star in je bival tu okrog 50 let. Bil je član in eden ustanovnikov društva št. 89 JSKJ v Gowandi, kjer zapušča soprogo in 8 deloma preskrbljenih otrok.

V Clevelandu, O., je umrla Louisa Čampa, članica in soustanoviteljica ženskega društva št. 103 JSKJ.

V Pittsburghu, Pa., je umrl Andrej Koghi, član in zadnji ustanovitelj društva št. 26 JSKJ, Zapušča soprogo in 10 otrok.

V Denverju, Colo., je 11. avgusta umrla Mrs. Ivana Lunka, mati 4. glavnega podpredsednika JSKJ, Johna P. Lunke, ki biva v Clevelandu, O. Pokojnica je bila doma iz Velikih Poljan pri Laščah. Mož Anton Lunka, brat v Clevelandu dobro znanega Franka Lunke, ji je umrl leta 1915. Trije njeni sinovi, namreč Anton, Joe in Frank, bivajo v Denverju, John pa v Clevelandu. Ko je slednje imenovani dobil poročilo, da je mati nevarno bolna, je takoj odpotoval proti Denverju, toda je ni več našel žive.

Ko se je urednik Nove Dobe dne 2. avgusta letos mudil v Denverju, se je razgovarjal tudi z zdaj pokojno Mrs. Lunka, ki mu je naročila pozdrave za sina Johna v Clevelandu, združene s pozivom, naj kaj kmalu pride v Denver. Takrat je bila videti pri priložni dobrem zdravju. Urednik izraža iskreno sožalje zaradi izgube matere sinu Johnu, 4. glavnemu podpredsedniku JSKJ, Antonu, ki je bil delegat na zadnji konvenciji JSKJ, ob času urednikovega poseta v Denverju pa njegov nad vse uslužni sofer, ter sinoma Josephu in Franku, s katerima se je seznanil pred par tedni v Denverju.

Po informacijah, ki jih je uredništvo Nove Dobe prejelo, namerava sobrat John P. Lunka ostati v Denverju več tednov.

## COLORADO IN DENVER

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

derne tlakovane ceste in hodniki, senčno drevje, prijazna stanovanja rojakov, obdana z zelenjem in cvetjem, vse to napravi na obiskovalca, posebno če je kraj poznal v prejšnjih letih, zelo ugoden vtis. Doma slovenskih društev je čedna zidana stavba, sicer nič košatega in bahatega, vendar menda popolnoma odgovarja zahtevam tamkajšnjih rojakov in njihovega številu. In pogovarjajo se, da morda gradijo večji in počasnejši dom.

Ko sem se podpisani pred par tedni vračal z zapada skozi Colorado proti domu, me je zelo držalo, da bi bil obiskal vsaj nekatere večje slovenske naselbine v državi ter se pozdravil s številnimi sobratmi, prijatelji in starimi znanci, toda železniške zveze tam so nekam redke, in zamudne in moje kratke počitnice so se bliskovito bližale svojemu koncu, zato sem mogel

izmed vseh coloradskih naselbin obiskati samo Denver. Pa je bilo že samo tukaj toliko prijaznosti in gostoljubnosti, da se bom napram tamkajšnjim prijateljem čutil večnega dolžnika.

Naš tretji glavni podpredsednik sobrat Frank Okoren, prvi glavni porotnik John Schutte, bivši delegat Steve Mauser, bivši delegat in moj dolgoletni prijatelj Joe Jartz, bivši delegat Anton Lunka (brat našega četrtega gl. podpredsednika Johna Lunke v Clevelandu), sobrat Anton Jeršin, glavni tajnik Z-SZ, Chas. H. Chitwood, agilni tajnik angleško poslujočega društva Colorado Sunshine, in drugi, katerih imen se ne morem spominjati, bi me bili najrajši na rokah nosili, če bi ne bilo tako vroče. Zvečer je bil aranžiran pravi domači piknik na bližnji farmi sobrata Jos. Jartz, kjer so se nam v prijeto ohlajenem ozračju prav prilegla razna okrepčila pri prijaznih razgovorih, šalah, petju in godbi. Drugi dan me je Mr. Lunka v družbi njegove prijateljice Pauline, Mr. Jartz in Mr. Jeršina popeljal v slikovite gorske kraje denverske okolice, na goro Lookout Mountain, kjer je pokopan znameniti "showman" Buffalo Bill, nato pa po izredno drznih cestnih serpentinah navzdol v mestece Golden, kjer smo se v Coors pivovarni okrepčali s tam pridelanimi medicijnami. (Sobrat Zbašnik za enkrat še ne bi vozil svojega avtomobila po tistih serpentinah! Glede moje Lize pa nič ne rečem!) Potem nas je spet pri sobratu Jartzu čakala cela "oh-cet," in to bi se bilo menda kar naprej ponavljalo, da me ni uro pozneje Zephyr (grški bog zapadnega vetra) ponesel proti Chicagu.

Naj še omenim, da sem v Denverju imel srečo se pozdraviti z bivšimi mladinskimi delegatinjami Misses Helen Okoren, Josephine Mauser, Josephine Janezich in Mary Ambrozich ter z njihovimi materami, sestrami, brati in drugimi sorodniki, dalje s tremi brati in materjo našega 4. glavnega podpredsednika Johna Lunke in z mnogimi drugimi sobratmi in sestrami, katerih imen si nisem zapomnil.

Mnogo bi mogel še napisati o tem posetu, pa naj to zadostuje. Za zaključek naj še dostavim, da Denver z ostalo Colorado vred ni samo lep biser v diadem JSKJ, kar se je jasno pokazalo tekom naših zadnjih treh kampanj, ampak je tudi blesteč biser v kroni prijateljstva in gostoljubnosti našega zapada. Boji mi zdrava dežela columbin, sončna Colorado, bo diti mi zdravi sinovi in hčere sonca! Upam, da se še kdaj vidimo.

A. J. T.

ENAKOPRAVNOST  
ŽENSK

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

cej nasprotstva. Voditeljice, Margaret Fuller, Frances Wright, Lucretia Mott, Lucy Stone, Susan B. Anthony in Elisabeth Cody Stanton, so bile dostikrat podvržene ostrim kritikam in javnemu posmehovanju. Njih kampanja pa je bila energična. Kmalu je bila vsa dežela prepletena z ženskimi klubi in drugimi organizacijami, ki so delovale za žensko volilno pravico. Amendment za žensko volilno pravico je bil prvič predlagan v kongresu l. 1869. Bil je odklonjen, ali enaki predlogi so bili vloženi skoraj v vsakem zasedanju kongresa. Nasprotstvo proti ženski volilni pravici je bilo premagano v posameznih državah. Wyoming je bil prvi teritorij, ki je podelil ženskam volilno pravico l. 1868. V 90 letih so sledile države Colorado, Utah in Idaho. V pripo-

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Vse stvari, tkajote se uradnih zadev, naj se pošiljajo na glavnega tajnika. Jemane pošiljate pa na glavnega blagajnika. Vse pritožbe in prave naj se pošiljajo na predsednika porotnega odbora. Prošnje za sprejem novih članov, prošnje za vstopanje zavarovalnice in bolnišnice sprejema naj se pošiljajo na odgovorne uradnike.

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za člana novega načrta "JC", s \$500.00 zavarovalninske  
\$2.00;  
za člana novega načrta "JC" s \$1,000.00 zavarovalninske  
\$3.00.

Vse te nagrade so izplačljive šele potem, ko so bili za  
člane plačani trije mesečni asesmenti.

znanje vlog, ki so jo ženske igrale v svetovni vojni, je predsednik Wilson v poletju l. 1916 priporočal, da se sprejme amendment glede ženske volilne pravice. Kongres ga je sprejel in sredi leta 1920 so ga tri četrtine držav odobrile. S tem je bilo podvojeno število volilcev. Ko so ženske to dosegle v Združenih državah, so si bile priporile to pravico že v pol tucatu evropskih dežel. — FLIS.

## VRTNARSKI NASVETI

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

čemo imeti na drugih prostorih, ali pa če hočemo preveč razraščati grmičje razdeliti na več manjših. Posadimo naj se za spoznanje globeje kot so rastle prej, in po posaditvi jih moramo dobro zalivati.

Na zelenjadnem vrtu se še zdaj lahko poseje seme sladke repe in jesenske ali zimske redkve. Nekateri z dobrim uspehom sejejo tudi navadno solato-berivko. Tudi zgodnji nizki fižol bo še pred nastopom slane rodil užitno strožje, če ga zdaj posadimo.

ODMEVI IZ RODNIH  
KRAJEV

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)

KRUTA USODA  
V sarajevskem "Jugoslovanskem listu" je opisana žalostna usoda vojnega dobrovoljca-invalida Mitra Vujovića, ki je star 50 let, a je videti kakor, da jih ima 70. Leta 1917, pripoveduje Vujović, sem z 18.000 drugimi dobrovoljci iz Amerike prišel na fronto. Zapustili smo dobre službe, da se borimo za svo-

## STOLETNE CIPRESE

V vasi Karmenu na Peloponezu, nedaleč od Orebića, so najstarejše ciprese na svetu. In najstarejše ciprese v vsi polotoku in menda v vsi Evropi. Domnevajo, da so zasadile že v 11. stoletju. Bila tam postavljena grška cerkev, v oslavna cerkev. Na eni od vosaških cipres si je pred leti uredil svoje bivašče skrivališče hajduk Šišović. Pristavili, da govori o Vujović v imenu mnogih nov — vojnih žrtev.

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# Nova Doba

AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING MEMBERS



## Current Thought Ohio SSCU Champion

Next Sunday, August 21st, three Ohio SSCU lodges will meet in Barberton, O. to determine the Ohio SSCU championship in softball. The three lodges are: St. Martin, No. 44, of Barberton, Betsy Ross, No. 186, of Cleveland and Cardinals, No. 229, of Struthers.

Games shall be played at Novak's farm in connection with the picnic sponsored by the softball team of St. Martin's lodge of Barberton, which has invited not only the two out-of-town lodge teams to the picnic, but also the rest of the members, friends, relatives and acquaintances.

Many months have elapsed since a subsidiary English-speaking group of one of our SSCU lodges, has held a picnic entirely on its own responsibility. Whatever the reaction, favorable or not, towards picnic as seen through the eyes of the younger element, all of us who have had any experience in holding such out-of-door affairs, realize that it takes fortitude to plan and hold a picnic.

So many disturbing elements enter into the picture. It may rain, the crowd may be small in spite of good weather, etc., but like "the faint heart that never won a girl" the chicken-hearted unit fails to establish itself in the right position under the sun if it allows discouraging factors to control the mind.

The stout heart who says I will, who overlooks the discouraging factors, who goes ahead and plans, deserves commendation of its neighboring groups.

Such is the softball team of lodge 44, SSCU of Barberton. Consisting of a group of active and energetic young men, this team has won the great majority of its match games. According to the last report, the team (a group picture of this lodge team appeared in last week's issue of Nova Doba) won twenty out of twenty-six games played. This is a good record for any team; and more for a team which has entered the softball field for the first time this year.

Enterprises undertaken by the English-speaking groups within our SSCU require encouragement, and no better incentive to go ahead with their plans and ideas could be given a group of young men than to attend a program sponsored by themselves. The degree of response to the picnic in Barberton next Sunday, August 21st, will enter into the equation of what may be expected from this particular group in the future. Regardless of the city, town or village, the same problem arises in connection with our English-speaking groups; How much interest is taken by others in affairs which we (the English-speaking group) are interested?

All SSCU lodges within the state of Ohio, and those in the neighboring vicinity of Barberton are urged to attend the picnic at Novak's farm. Lovers of out-of-door entertainment will find the picnic scheduled for next Sunday to their liking. And as an added incentive, two softball games shall be played, the winner to be crowned the Ohio SSCU softball champion:

## Prepare For Joint Picnic Sept. 3

Denver, Colo.—Time is rolling along and with it the plans for our big 40th anniversary picnic which we will hold at the Slovene Home, 4464 Washington St., on Saturday, September 3. By we, is meant, lodge St. Joseph, No. 21, and Colorado Sunshine, No. 201, both SSCU, who together are formulating gigantic plans.

We know that a real good time is anticipated by our guests, and to that end we shall endeavor to fulfill our obligation. Those who have attended picnics in the past sponsored by either of the two lodges already are familiar with the splendid entertainment arranged for the guests. This year, all these features are to be incorporated. Moreover, an added attraction awaits our picnickers. For our guest of honor we shall have our supreme secretary, Bro. Anton Zbasnik, who will be the principal speaker at the picnic.

Inasmuch as this is Bro. Zbasnik's first trip out west in the capacity of supreme secretary, we are making all sorts of additional preparations, in order to make his visit an enjoyable one. We want him to be very much satisfied with this visit; in fact so much that he shall wish to repeat a trip to Colorado in the future.

Our members, friends, relatives, acquaintances, of Denver and neighboring vicinity, shall avail themselves of a splendid opportunity to see and talk to the man who has made history for our wonderful organization, the South Slavonic Catholic Union of America. I take this opportunity to invite all members of lodges in Colorado to come to our picnic. Plenty of eats, drinks, the kind that satisfy your palate.

All members of Colorado Sunshine lodge, No. 201, SSCU are requested to attend our meeting, which will be held on Sunday, August 21, starting at 4 p.m. It is important that all members attend. Our meeting will be held at the regular place, Slovene Hall, 4464 Washington St. Plans for the picnic shall be discussed and other important matters transacted. May we have a 100 percent attendance? Let us hope so.

Chas. H. Chitwood, Sec'y. No. 201, SSCU.

## Doubling the Speed

The hillbilly's mule had just balked in the road when the country doctor came by. The hillbilly asked if he could give something to start the mule. The doctor said yes and gave the animal some powder.

The mule switched its tail, tossed its head and started off at a mad gallop. The hillbilly looked first at the flying animal and then at the doctor.

"How much did the medicine cost, doc?"

"Oh about half a dollar."

"Well, give me a dollar's worth—quick! I've got to catch that mule." — Erie Railroad Magazine.

Three little birds sat on a limb.

First little bird: What's that sitting on the bench below us?

Second little bird: Oh, that's the guy who fired buckshot at us the other day.

Third little bird: Well, what are we waiting for?

## BRIEFS

Janko N. Rogelj, first supreme trustee, SSCU of Cleveland will attend the National Fraternal Congress Convention in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. The first session is scheduled to begin Monday, August 22d. Bro. Rogelj is attending as delegate, representing the SSCU.

Mrs. Ivana Lunka, of Denver, Colo., mother of fourth supreme vice president John P. Lunka of Cleveland, O. passed into the great beyond on August 11. She leaves behind four sons, Anton, Joe and Frank of Denver, and John of Cleveland. When news of his mother's illness reached our fourth supreme vice president, he immediately left for Denver, although he found her dead upon arrival. According to the information given Nova Doba office, John P. Lunka intends to stay in Denver for several weeks. His brother, Anton, was a delegate to the 15th quadrennial SSCU convention held in Cleveland in 1936.

Ohio state SSCU lodge champion softball team shall be decided next Sunday, August 21, when three lodge teams shall play in an elimination series in Barberton, O. Lodge 44 softball team is sponsoring a picnic on that day at Novak's farm, located off route 5 on Sherman Rd. Cleveland Betsy Ross lodge No. 186, SSCU and Struthers' Cardinals, No. 229, SSCU softball teams are the two outside teams entered in the elimination series along with lodge 44, the home team. The champion team shall be awarded individual prizes from our SSCU.

All the English-speaking SSCU members in Ohio especially are invited to attend the picnic at Barberton, next Sunday, August 21, sponsored by lodge 44 SSCU softball team. The senior members, too, are invited as are friends and relatives. Clevelanders coming to the picnic on route 21, should turn right at route 5, go to the first asphalt road to the right, which is Sherman Rd. Novak's farm, the site of the picnic, is located about one mile on the right hand side, picnic grounds being visible from the highway.

A baby boy, weighing seven pounds and seven ounces, joined Mr. and Mrs. William Sitter of Cleveland, on Wednesday, August 10, at the Glenville Hospital. The mother is a member of lodge 173, SSCU. The father, who is foreman of the Enakopravnost (Equality) printing shop, where the weekly Nova Doba is printed, was busy passing out cigars last Thursday when friends and relatives extended congratulations to the new father. Both the baby and mother are doing well at the hospital.

Ivan Tausell, member of lodge 114, SSCU of Ely, Minn. was elected chairman of the board of Independent School District No. 12 at the organization meeting held recently. Other members of the board consist of Dr. Taito Ahola, secretary; Jack Gianotti, treasurer, and directors Anton Kotchevar, Ben S. Richards and John Dragavon. (Continued on page 6)

## Bedside Seats

Cleveland, O. — A clever birth announcement of a baby son was sent out this week by Bertha and Sam Richter, the latter a member of George Washington lodge, No. 180, SSCU, formerly recording secretary and co-manager of the basketball team.

The announcement is in the form of a theatre box ticket, and reads as follows: "Bertha and Sam Richter present 'The Heir to the Richter Millions', starring Robert Thomas Richter, August 10, 1938 (the date of birth), 10:30 a. m. Directed by Dr. N. Zinner, costumes by Vanta, new music." On the bottom of the improvised theatre birth announcement is added this provision: "The management reserves the right to cancel personal appearances if the star is sleeping."

The stub of the "ticket" reads: "Weight, 7 pounds, 9 ounces; eyes, blue; lullaby theatre, bedside seat, 6505 Bonna Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio."

Congratulations to Bertha and Sam Richter. May the son grow up to be a real tennis player. Incidentally, the father also plays tennis, ping pong, checkers (he beat the writer four games and lost one) and basketball.

## Lodge 70

Chicago, Ill. — Members of lodge Zvon, No. 70, SSCU are hereby informed that the next meeting, which will take place on Saturday, August 20, will start one-half hour earlier than usual; that is, at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the usual quarters, in the church hall located on 22d Place and Wolcott Ave., formerly Lincoln St. Bro. Louis Zefran will show motion pictures at 8:30 p.m. All members are requested to attend the meeting, and to bring along their friends. Admission will be free to all.

John Gottlieb, Pres.

## Lodge 81

Aurora, Ill. — St. Jerry's lodge, No. 81, SSCU will hold its annual picnic on August 21, 1938, at Weiland's Grove in Lovedale. Members, their friends and relatives are invited to attend this picnic. Refreshments will be served.

Joseph Fayfar Jr., Sec'y.

## Ladies of SSCU

Joliet, Ill. — Miss Anne Jevitz acted as hostess to the Ladies of SSCU at her home on July 19. A business meeting took place in which the girls decided to hold a weiner roast, the party to be held at Inwood. They are to meet at 7:30 sharp at the club rooms.

The girls then played games, prizes being awarded the Mrs. F. Vranichar, Miss Jule Adamich, Miss Elizabeth Jevitz and Miss Lillian Kosick. The hostess served luncheon at quartet tables on the front porch, which was beautifully lighted with lanterns. The Ladies shall meet again on August 24 at the home of Miss Genevieve Kosick.

Helen M. Kozicka, No. 66, SSCU.

## OFFICE OF THE SUPREME SECRETARY OF SSCU

To the Officers of our Subordinate Lodges in the State of Colorado:

The Home Office is in receipt of a letter from the Insurance Department of the State of Colorado to which there is attached a copy of a recent opinion of the Attorney General of said State, bearing on the question of age upon which a policy or certificate of fraternal insurance can be written on the life of a child in said State.

In his opinion the Attorney General held that a child must be at least one year old before becoming eligible for protection.

In forwarding to us a copy of said opinion the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Colorado advised us "to govern ourselves accordingly." This means that hereafter we must not admit children into our juvenile branch unless at the time of application they are at least one year old. The decision of the Attorney General of the State of Colorado applies only to NEW juvenile business hereafter written in the State of Colorado and therefore does not affect the writing of juvenile business in other States. The ruling affects all fraternal societies licensed to do business in the State of Colorado.

In view of the foregoing opinion the officers of all subordinate lodges in the State of Colorado are hereby requested not to write any new juvenile applications unless the child is at least one year old. As to payment of maternity benefits we shall pay the sum of \$15.00 immediately upon receipt of claim, the remaining \$5.00 to be paid when the child becomes eligible for membership and is enrolled in the juvenile branch.

Ely, Minnesota, August 12, 1938.

Anton Zbasnik, Supreme Secretary.

## MY TRIP TO THE MEDITERRANEAN Safe Driving Is In Your Mind

BY Doris Marie Birtic, Lodge 180

Editor's note: This is the 30th installment of a series of articles which Doris Marie Birtic has prepared for publication in the Nova Doba. Readers will recall that Doris won a sixweek cruise to the Mediterranean in a nation-wide contest sponsored by The Cleveland Press and The Cleveland Propeller Club. Other installments will follow in subsequent editions.

The Swiss Guards at the Vatican were by far the most colorful of the many uniformed men that we saw in Rome. Bright strips of yellow and blue material were sewn over a dashing red background and the result was the most handsome, attractive uniform I have ever seen.

As we paused a moment outside of St. Peter's, we took in a bit of the movie that is passing continually before the eyes of the guards stationed there, and concluded that theirs is indeed an envious position.

Just as one would expect, people from every clime and every race were constantly going in and out of this world-famed basilica; but few attracted as much attention as did the some five hundred German youths between the ages of sixteen and twenty-two who came in big busses from their homeland to make a pilgrimage to Rome. These fair-haired healthy-looking youths made a striking appearance in their black regulation shirts and shorts, and white socks. Brown coats were slung over the right shoulder and a white and red swastika monogram was embroidered on the left. Their caps were held in their left hands, and the bared heads revealed that a uniform hair style prevailed.

All in step, they walked double file through the church. They, too, gazed in wonder at the huge statues, the gorgeous stucco and mosaic work and the magnificence of the adjoining chapels. It hardly seemed possible that so many beautiful art treasures could be found in one spot,—and the originals at that!

As this large group of lads filed past me, I couldn't help but admire the manner in which they conducted themselves; no whispering or nudging one another, no laughter or disrespect-

Columbus, O. — "To drive safely at all times, motorists must keep their minds only on their driving," says Mr. Williams, Secretary of the Governor's Safety Coordinating Bureau.

A bus driver who had driven more than 400,000 miles without a traffic mishap was asked to what he attributed this splendid record. He replied that he drove always with the thought in mind that drivers of other vehicles might be day-dreaming. What he meant was that he gave his entire attention to his driving and that he was always alert to anticipate any accident situation that might arise in a split second.

Many persons have experienced the embarrassing situation of being reminded that they had passed friends on the street while looking directly at them and never speaking to them. They were so absorbed in thought at the time that they did not see them.

Traffic accident statistics show that many serious accidents which take place at highway intersections and even on open roads are caused by persons whose minds are so preoccupied with something other than their driving that they are actually driving "blind".

Motorists owe it to their fellow-men, concludes the Governor's Safety Coordinating Bureau, to keep their entire attention on their driving in order to reduce the terrific slaughter of our citizens on our highways and streets.

## His Complaint

The octogenarian, Mr. Jones, during an operation for the rejuvenation of youth, became very impatient.

"Don't be so restless," growled the nurse.

The poor man went on moaning and sobbing.

"Don't cry, the pain will soon vanish."

"I'm not crying because of pain," explained the old man, "I'm afraid I'll be late for school."

ful giggles in this place of worship. They were, in fact, ideal in their behavior.

## National SSCU Athletic Board

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  - John Novak, 2350 W. 21st Place, Chicago, Ill., Lodge No. 70.
- WISCONSIN
  - George Novoselac, 1960 E. 71st St., West Allis, Milwaukee, Wisc., Lodge No. 225.
- WITNESS
  - The men were swapping stories.
  - "When I was logging up in Oregon," said one of them. "I saw a wildcat come right up to the skidder one day. It was a fierce beast, but with great presence of mind, I threw a bucket of water in its face and it slunk away."
  - "Boys," said a man sitting in the corner, "I can vouch for the truth of that story. A few minutes after that happened, I was coming down the side of the hill. I met this wildcat and, as is my habit, stopped to stroke its whiskers. Boys, those whiskers were wet!" — Wall Street Journal.
  - Corns Still There
    - The following letter was received recently by a concern that manufactures corn syrup: "Dear Sirs: Though I have taken six cans of your corn syrup my feet are no better now than they were before I started."

## Conquering An Old Enemy

By Walter Clarke, M. D.

Editor's note: This article is the second in a series of four on syphilis and gonorrhea by Walter Clarke, M. D., Executive Director, of The American Social Hygiene Association.

For three hundred years syphilis was a great mystery. Its cause was unknown. The methods of treating it were unsatisfactory. The extent of its damage to the population was unsuspected. Then in the early part of the twentieth century a series of discoveries gave us accurate methods of diagnosis and effective methods of treatment. For the first time it was proved that many conditions previously unsuspected were, in fact, syphilis, general paralysis of the insane, and locomotor ataxia, for example, were shown to be syphilis.

More important, it became possible to diagnose syphilis definitely in the earliest stage. The germs of syphilis in the chancre and in the skin rash could be seen under the microscope by means of special equipment called the "dark stage." So patients who come with a suspicious sore can now learn promptly whether they have syphilis.

A blood test was perfected by which evidence of syphilis in the blood may be discovered. Many persons who have syphilis without any outward sign of the disease have germs which can be detected by this test. This leads the doctor to search carefully for syphilis and to make a diagnosis in cases that formerly were neglected until too late to save health or lives. There are now several blood tests, the best known to the public being the Wassermann test. Sometimes the blood of a person who is carrying a syphilis infection will not have this evidence, therefore, a negative test is not always proof that the person is free from syphilis. But even a very slight positive result is a pretty sure sign of trouble.

For two hundred years mercury had been used in the treatment of syphilis. It was sometimes beneficial, but it was not helpful in many cases and it caused many unpleasant symptoms of poisoning. With the discovery of Salvarsan (called 606 or Arspenamine), early in the present century, doctors were given a drug which acts quickly and effectively to make syphilis non-catching. In addition to the Salvarsan, a heavy metal compound of mercury or bismuth is usually given. A long series of these treatments leads to complete cure in a large percentage of cases, and gives good results in nearly all cases.

It is good news to the world that syphilis can now be stopped from spreading and can be cured. If every person with syphilis came regularly for treatment from the beginning of the disease, syphilis would never spread and would soon disappear. If every case stayed under treatment as long as the doctor required nearly all could be cured.

The best time to treat syphilis is when the first sore (or chancre) appears. The next best time is when the rash appears. These cases can be cured. Physicians cannot cure the late cases when the brain or heart or other vital organ is already damaged, but such cases benefit greatly from modern treatment and many are made more comfortable and life is prolonged.

The practical application of these facts is simple. Every one who has a genital sore, or an

## Blood and Battle Field

A World War Chronicle

By IVAN MATIČIĆ

From the Slovene by VALENTINE OREHEK

(Continuation)

"Ha ha" laughs the condemned ironically, "of such stuff are your laws made, that they can be broken and disposed of at will to suit whatever occasion. Shame on you, you cheats!" A new rope is drawn round his neck and again he thrusts the men from him. He steps upon the stump and when the rope has tightened kicks the stump from under himself. And those who have come to witness his death hang their heads and stare before them at the ground.

Shortly tablets with shameful inscriptions written upon them appear on the breasts of the dangling bodies. The mobs that mill about the dead men are composed of both military and civilians, for all have been accorded permission to gaze upon and marvel at the justice that Austria metes out in full measure to her traitors.

Our division now turns up and my regiment is forced at Salgaredo over the Piava and toward Treviso. The road over which we trudge is a long one chopped and desolated and strewn we are forced to seek shelter from with the dead. Before the fourth lines the fierce and raging downpour of Italian and French fire. That our slaughter is not more extensive we ascribe to the soft condition of the soil which being unusually free from stone as well mitigates most of the effect of the guns.

We are followed by droves of Austrian planes which begin peppering the fourth line. Conquered and victors now whip alike in the throes of death. And there under a crashing fury they twist and gasp in the bloody menses of earth and flesh. We have been attacking but a counter attack now checks, and decimates our numbers in an instant. Before we can even grasp what is happening we are in mad retreat. Attack follows attack, regiments form and reform to be hurled back anew. Like hungry waves they gather and rush and are dashed upon the rocks of the enemy's resistance. And just as the reeding floods pour off the stone and are sucked down jagged fissures so our soldiers fall and disappear. From night till dawn regiment after regiment crosses the Piava. It is out of the question to attempt it in broad daylight for long range guns lie trained on every accessible point.

No aid can be advanced to the wounded; most of them find deliverance in the turbid waters. From invisible heights daring Italian airmen zoom down upon our observation balloons, loose a deadly load of combustion bombs and are off like streaks into the blue.

The ukaz does not vary, it thunders forth steel hard, threatening and enraged. "Regiments to the fore! Cowards, why do you lag? Advance all of you without delay! We must crash the enemy's defenses, we must penetrate through Venice and Treviso, and that at any cost! On through death if need be! Don't sully the glory of our armies by even a moment's hesitation! Advance, and give no quarter! He who hesitates dies that moment; he who slinks back, let the bayonet snap in his bones; he who runs from danger will strangle on the gallows! Advance my men and strike hard that the accursed enemy totter, that it fall crushed and dishonored to its knees! Destroy all that stands still before our irresistible corps! Where are you, 7th Corps? Why don't you strike? Come, show what is in your power! Where are the mighty heroes of Doberdobe, Michael, Fajti Hrib, Hudi Log, Grmada? Where are you heroes of the Tolmin steeps, from the Bovec strongholds, from the Korbarid passes and hills? Where are you conquerors of the Mrzel heights and Matterhorn? Come, show yourselves!"

With the supply trains unable to cross the Piava we verge on starva-

unexplained rash or ulcers in the mouth, or who suspects that he or she may have syphilis, or who has any obscure illness should be carefully examined for syphilis by a licensed physician. If such a person wishes, he or she may ask the Department of Health or the County Medical Society for the names of physicians. Remember, the Department of Health is ready to help anyone find a physician who treats syphilis. Infected persons who cannot pay for private care are treated free of charge by the Department of Health.

Every person who has syphilis should remain under treatment until cured. That is the sure way to stop the spread of infection and prevent the suffering and death which are caused by syphilis. The American Social Hygiene Association in New York is cooperating with the Department of Health, in trying to reach clubs, societies, lodges and other groups with the simple, hopeful facts about syphilis and gonorrhea as well.

Treviso is not far off, but we are chagrined to learn that our siege guns have reduced it. In our next attempt we gain a hold in the fourth line but are routed by an unexpected rally. Nothing daunted, we try again and this time fortune favors us.

From shredded clouds a sharp downpour begins. It lashes the starving men and washes out the bloody gulleys. On the road from Treviso English tanks come trundling to block the passage of our troops. The condition of the ground prevents our batteries from closing up with the enemy. They stand rooted far behind in a gripping sea of mud. It doesn't matter though, their limit is the opposite shore of the Piava for we have no means of transporting them across.

Our regiments push on. Of a sudden the enemy deals us a blow so compelling that our men fall like wheat before the scythe. This time the Italians definitely void the line of their besiegers. Everything has turned against us . . . heaven and earth conspire toward our destruction. Torrents tear in the Venetian highlands and flood the plain to engulf the human ferment struggling there. The Piava rises and in fierce undulations uproots bridges, shatters pontoons, swallows men and drags them out to the sea's abysses. Iron, knife, fire and flood. . . all scourge and torture our suffering masses. Want and hunger gnaw away the strength of our once mighty armies while a resistance grows ever stronger before them.

Above this chaos thunders the all leveling ukaz that rolls amid the lightning of the sky, "On, you craven herds through death to victory! We must crash through the enemy. There is no alternative for you but to advance, else we'll train your own mortars on your backs! Be it over land or sea, through fair or storm, you must go on! An empire is at stake! Let the black sky witness that you are worthy and fit to uphold the traditions of an illustrious nation's army! Break on! Let your bayonet tear, let it rend the flesh of swine who dare oppose our Fatherland! We do not know nor expect mercy! Our steel is hard, our iron hot, we will cool it in Venice and Adigio where the soothing shades of palms await us. Advance! Let the bayonet shred and the hoof trample all!"

Our ammunition like our food grows daily less. We have emptied the fourth line of everything of value and so all incentive of waging further battle is gone. And now for the first time the terrible truth dawns on our war lords, that utter and ignominious defeat is certain. Disillusionment black and horrible is upon them.

"Your Excellency, my corps cannot last much longer. One half of it is gone and there are no reserves. What remains is too weak with hunger and fatigue to be of any value."

"Your Excellency, my corps is all but gone. One division is wiped out entirely. The men demand food and they won't accept promises. What am I to do?"

"Stop, please stop! I know all that and more! . . . Podmaršal, how is it with your corps?"

"Hopeless. My best forces rot on Kras. Our finest manhood hurled itself against that barrier. Today their loss makes our future doubly terrible. Your Excellency, you have seen for yourself how every attack we launched worked to our disadvantage."

"We are without food and ammunition. We do not know where to take our sick and wounded. Some of our men are forced to live in the marshes where the water reaches to their waists; others wander about waiting only for a chance to desert us. They are all starved and perfectly frantic. God, it makes me weep to see my splendid corps desolated and brought to such a pass. There was never a finer body of men. They weren't broken by a superior type of soldier, no, but by want and the harsher elements. Mountain torrents washed down from the tops and the roads would disappear before us. All hell was in conflict against us and it has done its worst. To my men eternal glory for their heroism in the face of odds. They are the men who decay in glutted swamps, who rot in the trampled mud, who fall away in the tossing waters. All honor to them!"

(To be continued)

As It Was In '49

A placard on the walls of a California hotel in the gold rush days of '49 stated:

"Board must be paid in advance. With beans, \$36; without beans, \$12.

"Salt free, potatoes for Sunday dinner, pocketing prohibited.

"Extra charge for seats around the barroom stove.

"Lodgers must find their own straw. Beds on barroom floor reserved for regular customers.

"Lodgers must rise at 5 A. M. In the barn 6 A. M.

"No fighting at table.

"Anyone violating the above rules will be shot."—Exchange.

## Did You Know That...

By Anna Prosen, Lodge 178

The Rosetta Stone (discovered 1799) with its triplicate inscription opened the way to the interpretation of Egyptian hieroglyphics. It is now one of the treasures of the British Museum; it is made of basalt slab, engraved with Greek and demotic transcripts of its figures?

The large red flowers of the Safflower, a composite plant in India, yields the dye, carthamine, used in the preparation of rouge?

American baseball is derived from the game Rounders — a ball game; object of striker was to run around whole or part of a course after the stroke?

Franz Peter Schubert, the Austrian composer, was born and died in Vienna. His fine voice won him a place in the choir school of the Imperial Chapel; later he studied music under Salieri. For a time, he was music master in the household of Count Esterhazy. No fewer than 605 songs are credited to him?

Johann Strauss, Austrian composer and "Waltz King," conducted the famous Strauss Orchestra. His son also conducted an orchestra, composed operettas (e. g.) Fledermaus, and waltzes (e. g.), the ever popular and incomparable "Blue Danube Waltz"?

Amadeus Wolfgang Mozart, Austrian composer, born at Salzburg, died at Vienna. His musical precocity was phenomenal, and when, at the age of six, he started on a three years' artistic tour with his sister, he excited astonishment everywhere as the "wonder child." In Vienna he wrote three great operas, — "The Marriage of Figaro, 1786; Don Giovanni, 1787; and The Magic Flute, 1791." He wrote 769 compositions, ranging from the very largest to the simplest forms?

Peter Ilich Tchaikovsky (1840-93), Russian composer, studied under Anton Rubinstein at the Petrograd Conservatoire, where he became teacher of harmony, afterwards devoting himself entirely to compositions; works included operas, as Eugen Onegin, Iolanthe; symphonies, as the Pathétique, and many other forms of compositions; style inclined toward the dark and melancholy?

Felix Mendelssohn, German composer, played in public before he was ten; at twelve he was already a composer. He wrote a Scotch Symphony and the Hebrides Overture in Scotland; in Italy, the Italian Symphony. At the age of seventeen he had written his great orchestral work, the "Midsummer Night's Dream" overture. He died at the age of 38?

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750), German composer. His father died when he was ten, his guardian, Johann Christoph, found the lad progressed rapidly in music. He was forbidden to use certain compositions of other musicians. However, he spent six months copying great compositions in the moonlight. His guardian finding the works, destroyed them. Later Bach was a choir boy, a violinist and a harpsichordist. At 19 he became an organist at Armstadt. He died at Leipzig after a fine musical career?

John Braham, English vocalist, born in London, sang at Convent Garden as a youth; afterwards supported himself by pianoforte teaching. For 40 years, the tenor sang operas and concerts. He built the St. James Theatre (1836) and was a composer of some ability. His

## BRIEFS

(Continued from page 5)

A postcard of greetings to all members in this week's mail comes from Frances and Priscilla Lopp, of Gilbert, Minn., who are traveling through Mexico, the post card originating from Monterey.

From Gowanda, N. Y. comes the report that Bro. Anton Strauss, member and organizer of lodge No. 89, SSCU, passed away on August 5th.

On Sunday afternoon, August 21, lodge 88, SSCU of Roundup, Mont., will hold a program of entertainment following the meeting. Members and friends are invited.

In Denver, Colo., two lodges, Nos. 21 and 201, SSCU, the latter an English-conducted unit, shall sponsor a joint picnic on Saturday, September 3, when the Union's 40th anniversary shall be observed. The joint picnic is to be held on the garden of the Slovene Lodges' Home.

In Strabane, Pa., lodge 149, SSCU of Canonsburgh will hold a dance on Saturday, August 20, and a picnic on the next day, Sunday, August 21. The entertainment and exercises shall be held in conjunction with the SSCU's 40th anniversary.

On August 28, Western Pennsylvania Federation of SSCU lodges will hold a picnic in Presto, Pa., along with lodge No. 4, SSCU in Presto. Purpose of the picnic is to commemorate the SSCU's 40th anniversary.

In Rockdale, Ill., lodges 66 and 92, SSCU of Joliet will hold a combined picnic on Sunday, August 28, as a means of observing the Union's 40th anniversary.

Illinois and Wisconsin Federation of SSCU lodges will hold its next meeting on October 2; a play and a dance are to follow the regular order of business.

At St. Michael, Pa., lodge No. 185, SSCU will hold a picnic on September 4.

Home financing operations under the Federal Housing Administration program during July made substantial gains over July, 1937. Small home mortgages selected for appraisal totaled \$94,175,437, an increase of 100 percent over the \$47,162,173 for July, 1937. Approximately 70 percent of the mortgages accepted cover new homes.

Baby Ear of Corn: "Mamma, where did I come from?" Mamma Ear of Corn: "Hush, my dear; the stalk brought you." — Penn State Frosh.

Death of Nelson still being popular?

The word sincere has an interesting origin. The early Romans who sold pottery had a habit of buying old pots, pitchers and statues which were cracked and broken. Cleverly they applied wax and made the article look whole and genuine. This way they sold it as a new object, not a second. Other merchants who were honest did not do this but sold only the new for the new and the old as the old. They marked their articles with the two latin words "sine cera" meaning without wax; their articles were not done up in wax. The wording being respected all over the world finally became one sincere — meaning true, honest, genuine etc.?

## Assimilation Works Both Ways

The Son of a Slav Immigrant Compares the Anglo-Saxon and Slav Characters and Discusses the Role of the Slav Element in the Building of an American Culture

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(Continuation)

Encouragement need not be construed as being a one-way contribution, but as an investment that will bring returns out of all proportion to the amount invested. We can well afford to increase our meagre allowance for cultural undertakings even if it must be done at the expense of other worthy projects. As the head of a university in this country said: "We have grown industrially and materially, but have lagged spiritually and intellectually."

We have lagged in choral music. But it should be borne in mind that before there can be an American choral art (or any other American art for that matter) it is necessary first to go through the intermediate stage in which each racial group here is encouraged to preserve its traditions and to make its music available by singing it in the English language. As times goes on, new music will be produced that will be more and more "Americanized," and as in generations to come America becomes a homogeneous nation, there will have been developed a purely American choral art. In other words, people interested in seeing developed a purely American music of a high type will eventually accomplish their end by first of all encouraging among the various racial groups the particular form of music in which each excels. If language is a factor, English can be used. Efforts to produce an "American" art without first going through this intermediate stage will be putting the cart before the horse and are likely to result in failure.

There are infinite possibilities in this study of the positive characteristics of the races that comprise America. Like some plants, many require cultivation, but the resulting flower will make it worth while. On the other hand the stifling of the natural leanings of a race sometimes cause it to take unexpected and ugly courses. We hear a great deal these days about labor relations. While higher wages and shorter hours are important, they are not the only factors to be considered. A closer study of the characteristics of the principal races from which labor is recruited will reveal some new slants that have an important bearing on industrial relations. "Cultural self-determination" may sound utopian at present when applied to labor. But if the hours of labor are to be further reduced in the not distant future, we should see exceptional progress in this direction.

The coming era in America is the cultural era and Slavs should be prepared to participate to the fullest extent in its development. We have an important stake therefore in seeing the hours of labor shortened. Nor should we depend too much on encouragement from others. For example, an American industrialist put up an elaborate "American village." Although he employs a very large percentage of Slavs, there is nothing in or near it to indicate that such a being as a Slav American exists. It would seem only fair that some consideration be given to the people that had a hand in creating the wealth. Other industrialists and philanthropists have shown no more interest. We must rely on our own talent, energy, and resources. The Anglo-Saxon is already too concerned with fighting for certain phases of his own culture to be able to give us much encouragement.

We hear of "American Anglo-Saxon" radio programs on a prominent national hook-up in which English and Australian composers are brought in to bolster up the American Anglo-Saxon's losing fight in the realm of music. Slav Americans are emphatically not opposed to seeing the Anglo-Saxon occupy a prominent place in American music, if he can "make the grade." Let the higher culture win. But the fox-with-his-tail-cut-off-tactics should not be used. We would like to see more Americans "encourage" them to contribute their best in America," particularly in fields in which America is deficient.

In the meantime self-preservation is the first law of nature culturally as well as otherwise. There is nothing to prevent Slav Americans from developing their cultural activities within their own sphere until such time as they are appreciated and accepted by the broad American public. In the field of classical orchestral music, Slav composers and conductors already occupy a foremost place. Pianists are accepted as the very best. On opera and concert stage we are rated very high. In the ballet we are without peer. Our painting is not so well known, but it also is ranked with the best by those who have had an opportunity to study it. In the field of drama Slavs are at the top. In literature we are on a par with any race. These were not developed in America. But the fact that America has so readily accepted them should give Slav Americans encouragement that they develop of real worth. It should also cause Americans to turn their attention to race in looking for talent. Fortunately this is not the case.

While welcoming encouragement, we should not depend on others to give us a "boost." America the conditions for developing freely are more favorable than in most countries. Slavs know too well the meaning of religious, political and cultural intolerance, the support and police systems, sting of poverty. For these reasons we are quick to recognize our indebtedness to the American Anglo-Saxon for outstanding contributions towards a greater personal liberty, freedom of religion, freedom of speech, freedom of the press, a higher economic order. These are our best incentives in all fields of endeavor. And we can always point to such prominent Slavs as Adamic, Cernak, Pupin, Sikorsky, Tesla, others, not to mention those liberty loving Slavs Kosciuszko and Pulaski, whose names are associated with early history of this country.

(To be continued.)

A Prolonged Day

A retiring colonel had been advised by his doctor that if he did not give up whiskey he would shorten his life.

"Think so?" asked the colonel.

"I am sure of it, colonel. You will stop drinking I am sure it will prolong your days." "Come to think of it, I believe you are right about that, doctor," said the colonel. "I went 24 hours without a drink put in such a long day in my life."

## DOPISI

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nekaj dalje časa. Ako čita prave, naj se oglasi. Ako ka- rojakov ve za njegov na- mu bom hvaležen, če mi roči z dopisnico. Nisem v razmerah in ne potreb- izvedeti bi želel zanj, če še Doma sva iz Šmihela pri mestu.

**Knafelz, Edmond, Okla.**  
**Aurora, Ill.** — Piknik društva Jerneja, št. 81 JSKJ, se bo v nedeljo 21. avgusta v Grand's Grove v Lovedale. Po- bilo bo za primerna okrep- člani in njihove družine so- lazno vabljeno. Bratski po- — Za društvo št. 81 JS- Joseph Fayfar, Jr., tajnik.

**Pennsylvania, Pa.** — Naj nekoliko sem moje potovanje v Min- to, katero sem obiskala le- meseca julija. Minilo je že let, odkar sem bila zadnjič v krajih, in razume se, da v tem času mnogo izpreme- Mnogo nekdanjih znancev se preselilo v druge kraje, ne- ri so pomrli, toda kljub te- sem jih mnogo še našla na- jih mestih. Večina časa sem živela pri Mrs. Tomazetich Kitzvillu, kjer sem bila zelo ljubno postrežena. Potem sem tudi imela priliko ogle- si vsa tamkajšnja okolica podali smo se v avtomobilu na Ely. Vožnja je bila zelo miliva, posebno ob jezeru milion. Tam je mnogo lepih rekovih in brezovih gozdov.

Na Ely sem si želela ogleda- glavni urad J. S. K. Jednote. t Anton Zbašnik, glavni nik, nam je uslužno razkazal prostore, ki so res lepo in erno urejeni. Sobratu Zbaš- ni vsemu osebju v glavnem ni se lepo zahvaljujem za prijaznost in naklonjenost. tam smo se podali na Gil- kjer sem obiskala starega telja Jacka Drobniha, po- na Buhl, kjer sem se usta- pri sestričini Mrs. Roberts, tam pa spet nazaj na Kitz- Povsod sem bila pri prij- prijazno sprejeta in go- ljubno postrežena. Najlejša vsem. Drugi dan sem bi- objavljena na obed k druž- musih, kateri se tudi naj- zehvaljujem za vsjo prijaz- in gostoljubnost.

as je tekel zelo hitro, ker od, kjer sem se ustavila, bila prijazno in gostoljub- sprejeta in postrežena. Ni mi da sem to poletje obiskala mesoto, dasi je nad en tisoč oddaljena od tu. Videla mnogo naravnih krasot in ala sem se z mnogimi prij- in znanci. Vsakemu, ki še v poletnem času v Minne- priporočam, da obišče ti- kraje in tamkajšnje rojake, bo gotovo zadovoljen s po- mot. Noben član JSKJ pa naj ne pozabi obiskati glavne- urada naše Jednote. Gotovo vsek zadovoljen s posetom, sem bila jaz.

**Frances Tratar,**  
članica društva št. 175 JSKJ.

**Chicago, Ill.** — Že parkrat je omenjeno v dopisih iz Chi- ga, da bomo proslavili 40-let- nje naše Jednote. Odbor chica- družtev je pridno na delu, in v vseh ozirih zadovoljil potrebnike prireditve. Odbor a- na lokalna društva, da- nepreajo kar največ vstopnic v prej, ker to bo le v korist dru- stva in federaciji. Cena vstop- je zelo nizka, če upoštev- da bo prireditev vsebovala kratko, toda zelo zabavno i- Program prireditve je se- jen tako, da ne bo nikomur je si rezervira 2. oktobra za- Druška seja federacije se bo v Chicago ravno isti dan proslava jednotine 40-let- Dosedaj je še okrog 12 dru-

štev, ki še niso prijavila svojega pristopa v federacijo. Upamo, da to store do prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila 2. oktobra.

Bratje in sestre, vzdamite se, stopite v federacijo! Več ko nas bo skupaj, večje zanimanje bo za JSKJ in večjo korist bomo imeli vsi. Država Illinois ne sme biti med zadnjimi. Poprimimo se skupnega dela in uspeh bo na naši strani. Za vsa pojasnila naj se društva obračajo na pred- sednika federacije sobrata F. E. Vranicharja ali pa na tajnika Antona Krapenca. In kdor le more, naj se udeleži proslave jednotine 40-letnice, katero pri- redi illinojska federacija dru- tev JSKJ 2. oktobra.

Ko sem čital Novo Dobo z dne 6. julija, sem na 10. strani opazil tudi članek od bivšega glavnega tajnika JSKJ, Geo. J. Brozicha. Omenjeni spis za priliko jednotine 40-letnice je zanimiv. Mr. Brozich sicer še živi, toda za JSKJ se ne udeležuje. Ravno ta mesec je minilo 30 let, odkar sem vstopil v to orga- nizacijo in takrat je bil glavni tajnik iste Mr. Brozich. Nekaj mesecev po pristopu sem bil pri društvu Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ, iz- voljen za zapisnikarja in pozne- je za tajnika. Kot tak sem imel uradne stike z glavnim uradom, in reči moram, da je bil Mr. Brozich vnet in dalekoviden ur- adnik organizacije, da mu ga ni bilo para v tistih časih. Bil je tudi zelo točen v jednotlivih po- slih, kakor so bili tudi njegovi nasledniki do današnjih dni. Čast, komur čast. Osebo sem ga poznal od leta 1910, kajti vselej, kadar se je mudil po o- pravkih v Chicagu, se je oglašil pri društvih uradnikih. Zadni- čji sem ga videl meseca novem- bra 1930. Naj mu bo v malo za- doščjenje, da se člani še spomi- njajo njegovega dobrega dela za našo Jednoto.

**John Zvezich, Sr.,**  
član društva št. 211, JSKJ.

**Bon Barbo, Colo.** — Članom in članicam društva sv. Jurija, št. 118 JSKJ, naznanjam, da naše društvo priredi plesno ve- selico v soboto 27. avgusta. Ve- selica se bo vršila v Starkvillu pri sobratu "Charliju" in se bo pričela ob osmi uri zvečer. Za dobro godbo bo skrbel orkester Juliano iz Delague. Čisti do- biček veselice je namenjen dru- štvni blagajni, zato vabim vse člane in članice našega društva, da se iste gotovo udeležijo in s tem pripomorejo do boljega uspeha, ki bo v korist vsem članom. Seveda so na veselico prijazno vabljeno tudi člani drugih bratskih društev in vsi posamezni rojaki in rojakinje od blizu in daleč. Vse bomo skušali dobro postreči in za vse bo dovolj zabave. Torej, na ve- selo svidenje v Starkvillu v soboto 27. avgusta! — Za dru- štvo št. 118 JSKJ:

**John Susan, tajnik.**

**Brooklyn, N. Y.** — Tem po- tom pozivam člane in članice društva sv. Petra in Pavla, št. 50 JSKJ, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo prihodnje mesečne se- je, ki se bo vršila v soboto 20. avgusta v Slovenskem domu. Rekel sem: polnoštevilno, to tudi zato, da se pomenimo, kaj je potrebno, kdo bo kaj poma- gal ali kakšno opravilo bo ka- teri prevzel, da bo večji uspeh na pikniku, katerega priredi omenjeno društvo skupno s slo- venskimi in hrvatskimi podpor- nimi in kulturnimi društvi. To bo tretji veliki letni poknik, ki se bo vršil v nedeljo 28. avgus- ta in se bo pričel ob eni uri popoldne, pa naj bo lepo vre- me ali dež.

Program je dobro zamišljen. Nastopila bodo tri največja slovska pevška društva Ve- likega New Yorka, in sicer: "Jedinstvo", pod vodstvom Mr. E. Blazeviča; "Istra", pod vodstvom istega pevovodje, in "Slovan", pod vodstvom Mr. J. Koprivskega. Godbo za ples bo

oskrbel tamburaški zbor "Ja- dran" pod vodstvom Mr. M. Crnčiča.

Na razpolago bodo vseh vrst pi- jače in jedila, vse od ice cream do pečenega janjca ter kranjskih klobas. Čisti dobiček prireditve bo razdeljen enako- merno med vsa društva, ki spa- dajo v zvezo. Vstopnice so v predprodaji po 25 centov, pri- vodu bodo pa po 30 centov.

Članstvo je vabljeno, da se tega piknika kar mogoče polno- številno udeleži. Bilo bi tudi priporočljivo, da se naše Slo- venke pokažejo v narodnih no- šah. Prostor piknika: Bohemi- an Hall, 29-19 - 24th Avenue, Astoria, L. I.

**Kažipot:** Iz New Yorka vze- mita B. M. T. ali I. R. T. vlak do Astoria, L. I., in izstopite na 25th Avenue postaji, od- koder hodite do 24th Avenue.

**Kažipot iz Brooklyna:** Vze- mita Ridgewood bus na Forest Avenue do Bridge Place in nato katerikoli "Astoria" vlak do 25th Avenue.

Na svidenje na pikniku v nedeljo 28. avgusta! — Za dru- štvo št. 50 JSKJ:

**Valentine Orehek, tajnik.**

**Pittsburgh, Pa.** — V Novi Dobi je bilo svoječasno nezna- njeno, da bo ob priliki proslav jednotine 40-letnice v Elyju 7. letel tja v svojem letalu so- brat Fred Zbašnik, nečak glav- nega tajnika Antona Zbašnika in član društva št. 26 JSKJ v Pittsburghu. Zaradi raznih ne- dostatkov pa se omenjeni ni mogel podati pravočasno na pot, da bi bil došel v Ely za jednotin jubilej. Po dveh ted- nih pa so letalo priredili za polet, v katerem je srečno do- spel na Ely 5. avgusta. Zdej se mudi tam na počitnicah. Skoro gotovo se je zgodilo prvi- vič v zgodovini, da je član dru- štva sv. Štefana, št. 26 JSKJ, poletel iz Pittsburgha v rojstno mesto naše Jednote. Članstvo tega društva se torej veseli Fredijeve sreče in korajšje ter mu želi obilo uspeha na nje- govih nadaljnjih poletih. Našega sokola zračnih višav naj nikdar ne zapusti dobra sreča!

Poročati je že bilo, da se bo v nedeljo 28. avgusta vršila velika proslava jednotine 40- letnice v Presto, Pa. Priredi jo zveza društev JSKJ za zapadno Pennsylvanijo skupno z dru- štvi št. 4 JSKJ v Presto, Pa. Pri tisti priliki se bo vršila tu- di zvezina seja v tamkajšnjem Domu, zato so prošena društva JSKJ v Pennsylvaniji, da poš- ljejo na isto zastopnike. Tega dne bo med nami tudi več glav- nih odbornikov, med njimi tudi glavni predsednik Paul Bartel. Odbor društva št. 4 in članstvo se trudi, da bodo posetniki pri- reditve vsestransko dobro po- streženi. Zato: vsi na proslavo v Presto v nedeljo 28. avgusta! Naj ostane ta dan častno za- pisan v zgodovini pennsylvan- skih društev JSKJ. Dobrodošli vsi! — Za zvezo društev JSKJ v zapadni Pennsylvaniji:

**Joseph Sneler, predsednik.**

**Joliet, Ill.** — Članom in članicam društva sv. Petra in Pavla, št. 66 JSKJ, tem potom naznanjam, da se bo vršila redna mesečna seja v nedeljo 21. av- gusta v običajnih prostorih. Člane in članice prosim, da se te seje udeležijo v kar največ- jim številu. Omenjene seje so bodo udeležili tudi uradniki društva št. 92 JSKJ iz Rock- dala, da bomo lažje ukrenili vse potrebno glede naše veselice, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 28. avgusta v Oak parku v Rock- dalu. Tega dne bosta obe dru- štvi skupno proslavili jednoti- no 40-letnico, in naš častni gost in glavni govornik za to priliko bo naš glavni tajnik Anton Zbašnik.

Zato pridite na sejo 21. av- gusta vsi člani in članice, ka- terim je le količkaj mogoče. Na piknik pa naj pride "vse kar leže inu gre." Razume se, da bo na pikniku 28. avgusta dovolj vsakojake zabave in se- veda vseh vrst okrepčil. Mislim, da nobenemu ne bo žal, ki se bo udeležil tega piknika.

Na našo prireditev so pri- jazno vabljeno tudi člani JSKJ in drugi rojaki iz Chicaga, La Salle, Waukegana, Aureore in od drugod iz primerne bližine. Veselilo bi nas tudi, če bi se naše prireditve mogel udeležiti naš uradni sobrat Terbovec. Vabljena so še posebej vsa joli- ctska društva, ki spadajo k drugim bratskim organizaci- jam, da nas članstvo istih v obilem številu poseti na tej naši proslavi jednotine 40-let- nice. Ob sličnih prireditvah drugih društev bomo skušali naklonjenost povrniti. Bratski pozdrav in na svidenje v Oak Grove! — Za društvo št. 66 JSKJ:

**John Adamich, tajnik.**

**Chicago, Ill.** — Članstvo dru- štva Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ, poziv- am, da se polnoštevilno ude- leži prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v soboto 20. avgusta zve- čer v navadnih prostorih. Ker bo ravno isti večer sobrat Louis Zefran kazal slike v šolski dvor- ani, naznanjam članom, da se bo naša seja pričela točno ob 7. uri zvečer. Jaz bom v dvor- ni že ob 6. uri zvečer, da bo vsak lahko splošno svoj asse- sment pred sejo.

Vse tiste člane, ki niso pla- čali svojih assementov za zad- nji mesec, opozarjam da po- ravnavajo svoje obveznosti me- sea avgusta. Vsak član, ki bo dolgoval assement za več kot en mesec, bo suspendiran, in sicer se bo suspendiral sam. Jaz sem moram ravnati po jednotlivih pravilih in po dru- štvnih sklepih. Torej, vsak naj skrbi, da bo imel svoj assement plačan pravočasno, pa bo za vse prav. — Za društvo št. 70 JSKJ:

**Andrew Bavetz, tajnik.**

**Gowanda, N. Y.** — Poročati mi je žalostno novico, namreč da je v petek 5. avgusta za ved- no zatisnil oči prvi tukajšnji slovenski naseljenec, rojak in sobrat Anton Strauss. Pokojnik je bil rojen 11. novembra 1874 v vasi Kumpolje, župnija Dobro polje na Dolenjskem, kjer za- pušča enega brata in sestro.

V to deželo je pokojni Strauss prišel, ko mu je bilo 14 let. Na- selil se je najprvo v Emporium, Pa., od tam se je preselil v Randolph in Salamanca, N. Y., in slednjič, nekako v letu 1900, sem v Gowando. Tukaj se je kmalu poročil s Slovenko ki je prišla iz starega kraja, in na- bavil si je prilično domačijo, od katere pa se je moral zdaj za vedno posloviti.

Podpisani sem bil prišel v to deželo koncem junija 1902, in sicer sem se naselil v Pitts- burghu, Pa. Delo sem kmalu do- bil v strojni, nakar je bila prva skrb, da stopim v podpor- no društvo. To se je zgodilo 14. decembra 1902. Stopil sem nam- reč v društvo sv. Jožefa, št. 12 JSKJ. Ko je poteklo dve leti mojega bivanja v tej deželi, ka- teri čas sem bil namreč odločil, da ostanem tukaj, sem pa me- sto tega dobil ženo in dvoje otrok za seboj. To je bilo v juni- ju 1904. Koncem avgusta sem bil pa ob delo, kajti strojno, v kateri sem bil zaposlen, so enostavno zaprli. Bile so še dr- uge strojarne, kamor sem skozi sedem tednov dan za dnem hodil gledat za delo, pa brez uspeha. Tudi za kako drugo delo bi bil prijel, pa ga ni bilo dobiti. Neko jutro dobim rojaka, ki je bil tudi brez dela in brez belica v žepu, ki mi je nasvetoval, da naj bi šel v Salamanca, N. Y., ker tam da je velika strojarne, kjer se vedno delo dobi. Po kratkem premišljevanju se odločim, da grem, nakar se tudi on ponudi,

da gre z menoj. Bil sem malo v zadregi zaradi financ za oba, toda ko sem povedal ženi naj- namero, je bila takoj zadovolj- na, češ tovarišu je tam bolj zna- no. Tako sva prišla tja in sva se napotila k tovarni vprašat za delo. Povedali so mi, da ni nič. Nato me je tovariš pričel nagovarjati, da bi šla v Gowand- o. Jaz sem bil izgubil že precej zaupanja vanj, in skoro naj- rajši bi se bil vrnil v Pittsburgh, končno sem se pa vendar odločil, da odpotujem v Gowando. Pri- šla sva tja popoldne in opazila blizu postaje majhen salun. To- variš mi je dejal naj grem kar notri in naj naročim dve časi piva ter naj ga počakam, da se vrne. Stori sem po naročilu, toda tovariša dolgo ni od ni- koder. Saluner, precej star mož, po rodu Nemeec, je opazil, da sem nekako v zadregi, pa me vpraša po narodnosti. Ko mu povem, da sem Slovenec, mi reče, da je nekaj slovenskih družin v tej bližini in da mi bo že pokazal kam iti. V tem se je vrnil moj tovariš, ki je pove- dal, da je bil pri Severju vpra- šat za stanovanje, pa nimajo prostora. Zagotovil pa mi je, da nekje bova že dobila stanovanje. Prišla sva k Straussu in tam sem dobil stanovanje. Drugi dan se odpravim v tovarno in Strauss mi je povedal, kateri delovodja je Nemeec, da se lahko z njim v nemščini pogovorim. Stori sem tako in odkazano mi je bilo delo na suhem pri izde- lovanju usnja. Takrat, namreč v decembru leta 1904, je bila v Gowandi dogotovljena tudi to- varna za klej, in kazalo se je, da bo dovolj dela, če ne v eni pa v drugi tovarni. Tako sem pisal ženi v Pittsburgh, da po- spravi naše reči tamkaj in pri- de v Gowando.

Ostala sva pri Straussovih to- liko časa, da sem sam dobil stanovanje in takrat se je naše prijateljstvo tako utrdilo, da smo bili vedno skupaj in smo v vseh ozirih drugi drugemu po- magali. Ker sem bil že edini, ki sem imel znak kake sloven- ske jednote, je tudi Strauss več- krat izrazil željo, da bi spadal v kakemu slovenskemu društvu. Dejal sem mu, da bi morali tam novo društvo ustanoviti, če bi bilo v to svrhu dovolj rojakov. Bilo jih je sicer dovolj za usta- novitev društva, toda so veči- nomna rajši podirali kot gradili. Od leta 1906 naprej so se za- čeli rojaki v večjem številu pri- seljevati v to mesto. Leta 1908 se nara je pridružil rojak Luie Jenko, ki je bil vnet društveni delavec, katerega pa je, žal prej- sušica pobrala kot je bilo dru- štvo ustanovljeno. Preminil je v začetku januarja 1909, dru- štvo sv. Jožefa pa je bilo usta- novljeno 30. januarja 1909. Dru- štvo smo priklopili JSKJ in iz glavnega urada je dobilo števil- ko 89.

Kot organizator sem bil iz- voljen za predsednika, kateri urad sem obdržal par let, nato pa za tajnika, kateri urad sem upravljal skozi 20 let. Pokojni Strauss je bil zastopnik in bla- gajnik več let. V letih od 1910 do 1915 so začeli sem prihajati rojaki tudi iz drugih naselbin, posebno iz Pennsylvanije. Pa tudi iz starega kraja so prihaj- jali. Naše društvo je lepo na- predovalo, in leta 1916 je bilo ustanovljeno še eno društvo, ki se je pridružil SNPJ. Ravno tisti čas se je pričelo tudi za- nimanje za zgraditev lastnega poslopja, v katerem bi priredili zabave in v katerem bi društva zborovala. Obe društvi sta skup- no prišli, najprej s kolekta- njem, v poletnem času pa s pri- rejanjem piknikov, in v letu 1920 smo se inkorporirali in si nabavili delnice. Te so šle nekaj časa hitro izpod rok, toda leta 1922 so obrat strojarne ustavili in takrat smo tudi mi postali nekako poparjeni. Kakor hitro premišljevanju se odločim, da grem, nakar se tudi on ponudi,

pričeli s skupnim delom in leta 1926 smo imeli dograjen naš skromni Slovenski dom.

Ko so se začela ustanavljati angleško poslujoča društva, se je tudi naša mladina obeh drus- tev odločila od nas in si je ustanovila lastna društva. Poleg tega je tu še društvo SSPZ. Vsa društva skupno delujejo za Slo- venski dom.

Naš pokojni sobrat Anton Strauss je bil mnogo let vnet delavec za društveno in narodno stvar. Posebno midva, kot naj- boljša prijatelja in sobrata, sva vedno pomagala drug drugemu, oba pa drugim, kjer koli in ka- dar koli so naji potrebovali.

Anton Strauss je končal svo- jno zemeljsko pot in svoje delo za naš dom, za naša društva in za svoje drage. Za njim žaluje vdova in 8 deloma preskrbljenih otrok, mnogo društvenih sobra- tov in sester in podpisani, nje- gov dolgoletni iskreni prijatelj in sobrat. Bodi mu ohranjen blag spomin.

**Karl Sternisha.**

**Chicago, Ill.** — V naši nase- llini je zadnje čase postalo zelo živahno, posebno kar se društev JSKJ tiče, ker se pripravljajo na veliko proslavo 40-letnice naše Jednote, katere se bo vr- šila pod avspicijo Federacije, ki bo istočasno imela tudi svoje drugo zborovanje. Seja Federaci- je se bo vršila dne 2. oktobra 1938, dopoldne, izobraževalni in zabavni program pa popoldne in zvečer.

Program za izobrazbo in za- bavo bo jako pester, razbran in splošno zanimiv. Imeli bomo dva govornika iz glavnega od- bora, namreč predsednika Paula Bartela, ter nadzornika, F. E. Vranicharja. Nadalje bo zanimi- va tridejenska šaloigr, katero se že zdaj naši dietantje pridno učijo. Nato bo sledila nalašč za to pripravljena pomembna de- klamacija v počast 40-letnice JSKJ. Potem bo nastopil splošno znani moški pevski zbor "France Prešeren", nakar bo sledil šalji- vi kuplet. Zvečer pa bo ples in prosta zabava, v katero bo vple- tena tudi šaljiva pošta.

Na veselici bo igrala dobro znana Rudy Deichmanova god- ba iz Joliet, ki ima splošno priznanje, da privzdigne pete ne le mladim, pač pa tudi stari- m, tako da se bo vse križem vrtelo po dvorani.

Ves ta program bo objavljen v programski knjižici, za katero našo članstvo že zdaj pridno nabira oglase. Vse trgovce in gostilničarje tega okrožja pro- sim, da se povoljno odzovejo nabiralec oglasov, kar bomo seveda pozneje tudi znači ceniti.

Kot videte, bo program jako bogat, zato se pričakuje velike udeležbe. Vstopnina bo nizka, samo 30 centov v predprodaji, pri vratih pa 40 centov, zato svetujem, da si nabavite vstop- nice že zdaj, ko se dobe pri vseh društvenih odbornikih. Naj bo tem potom omenjeno, da bode- ta društvi iz Joliet in Rock- dala priredili skupen piknik v Rockdalu dne 28. avgusta 1938. Vabim toraj chicaško članstvo, da se tega piknika udeleži v čim- večjem številu, da tako pokaže- mo bratsko solidarnost, katero nam bodo potem vrnil ob priliki našega slava 40-letnice JSKJ. Njih piknik bo namreč tudi pri- rejen v proslavo jednotine 40- letnice.

Kot je bilo že poročano, bo brat L. Zefran predvajal premi- kajoče slike dne 20. avgusta 1938, po društveni seji, nekako ob pol deveti uri zvečer, v zboro- valni dvorani društva "Zvon" JSKJ. Te slike je snemal na waukeganskem pikniku, in jim bo dodal še nekaj drugih. Vstop- nina bo prosta, zato vabimo člane drugih društev JSKJ tega okrožja na udeležbo, ter naj pri- peljejo s seboj tudi svoje pri- jatelje.

Odkar je bila ustanovljena Federacija, je med nami veliko več živahnosti, kar znači, da v združenju ni le moč, pač pa tudi mnogo več življenja, zaba- ve in splošnega napredka. Zato ponovno apeliram na vsa še ostala društva JSKJ v državah Indiana, Wisconsin in Illinois, da se nam čimprej pridružijo in sodelujejo z nami, kar bo v splošno korist nam vsem kot posameznikom, kakor tudi celo- kupni organizaciji. Prilika za pristop je tako ugodna, da ni vzroka, da bi katero društvo ostalo zunaj. Kot sta pisala že brata Krapenc in Vranichar, je vstopnina in članarina za Fede- racijo popolnoma prosta, to pome- ni, da bo vsako društvo prosto finančnega bremena. Blagaj- no Federacije bomo "podkovali" z različnimi priredbami, kot bo na primer prej opisana zabava dne 2. oktobra v Chicagu. Vse- lej, ko bo Federacija zborovala, bo prirejena veselica, od katere bo polovico dobička za Fede- racijo, drugo polovico pa bo dobi- lo društvo ali društva, ki bodo imela v oskrbi prireditve.

Toraj bratje in sestre, na de- lo! Pridružite se nam za moč- nejšo in večjo Federacijo!

**Za publicijski odbor:**

**Joseph Oblak.**

**Omaha, Neb.** — Kakor je bilo že poročano v našem glasilu, bo naše društvo sv. Štefana, št. 11 JSKJ, priredilo v proslavo jed- notine 40-letnice plesno veselico. Ta veselica se bo vršila v Sokol- ski dvorani na 1243 So. 13. St. v soboto 10. septembra; pri- četek veselice je določen na osmo uro zvečer. Vstopnina bo 25 centov za odrasle, otroci bodo vstopnine prosti. Za ples bo igral sloveči Golden Prague or- kester, ki bo gotovo zadovoljil mlade in starejše.

Člane in članice našega dru- štva prosim, da se kar mogoče številno udeležijo naše prihod- nje seje, ki se bo vršila v nede- ljo 21. avgusta. Na omenjeni seji bo treba še marsikaj ukre- niti glede veselice in izvoliti bo- treba veselični odbor. Dobiček veselice je namenjen društveni blagajni, katera je lastnina vseh članov, zato je tudi dolžnost vseh članov in članic, da po svo- jih močeh pomagajo, da ta bla- gajna raste. Torej, pridite vsi na sejo 21. avgusta in pomagaj- te z dobrimi nasveti, in pridite vsi na veselico 10. septembra in pripeljte s seboj vse svoje pri- jatelje in znance, da bo tem boljši uspeh! Bratski pozdrav!

**— Za društvo št. 11 JSKJ:**

**John Urek, tajnik.**

**Pittsburgh, Pa.** — Na zadnji seji društva sv. Štefana, št. 26 JSKJ, je bilo sklenjeno, da vsaki član in članica odraslega oddel- ka plača 25 centov izrednega assementa v društveno blagaj- no. Ta assement mora biti pla- čan do konca tega leta. Prosim, da vsi člani in članice to upo- števaajo.

Dne 16. julija smo izgubili zadnjega ustanovitelja našega društva, sobrata Andreja Koghi- ja. Pokojnik je bil ob času smrti star 68 let. Tu zapuša- ženo in 10 otrok. Naj bo pokoj- nemu sobratu ohranjen blag spomin, žalujočim ostalim pa naj bo od strani društva izraženo iskreno sožalje. — Za društvo št. 26 JSKJ:

**John Jurgel, tajnik.**

**Chicago, Ill.** — Članstvo dru- štva Zvon, št. 70 JSKJ, vljudno opozarjam na prihodnjo sejo, ki se bo vršila to soboto, to je 20. avgusta, in se bo pričela ob pol deveti uri zvečer, v zboro- valni dvorani društva "Zvon" JSKJ. Te slike je snemal na waukeganskem pikniku, in jim bo dodal še nekaj drugih. Vstop- nina bo prosta, zato vabimo člane drugih društev JSKJ tega okrožja na udeležbo, ter naj pri- peljejo s seboj tudi svoje pri- jatelje.

Odkar je bila ustanovljena Federacija, je med nami veliko

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Janko N. Rogelj:

Peljimo se v Kamnik

Predno sem odptoval v Jugoslavijo, prečital sem knjigo "Gorenjska", katero je izdal in založil "Progress", zavod za pospeševanje mednarodnih trgovskih zvez v Novem mestu. To knjigo je uredil g. Mohorčič Karel, ki zasluži za to priznanje. Iz te knjige sem dobil vse znanje in informacije, katere ima človek rad, ko potuje skozi vasi in mesta naše prelepe in rajske Gorenjske. Kdor je prečital to knjigo ter potem potoval iz vasi v vas, iz mesta v mesto, od potokov do reke Save, od Kamniških planin do Julijskih Alp, ta je potoval kot star znanec in poznavalec naše Gorenjske.

Z ženo sva se odpeljala v Ljubljano. Dosti opravkov je bilo. Treba je bilo obiskati sestro Mr. Johna Bukovnika, slovenskega fotografa v Clevelandu, go. Ivanko Kalinšek, potem sestro Mrs. Bartol, brata Mrs. Mary Spelič, bratranca Mrs. Arko, itd., itd., kaj bi našteval imena, katerih menda ne poznate. Vozimo se po Ljubljani in iščemo hišne številke, ki so precej velike in vidne, ko jo enkrat najdeš. Malo sitno pa postane človeku pri srcu, ako je potreba stopicati v peto ali šesto nadstropje, ker tam nimajo v vsakem poslopju dvigala ali elevatorja. Ubogi ljudje, če hodijo v prtiličje plin nažigati ali premog nakladat na ogenj. Res niso tako visoke hiše v Ljubljani, še nebotičnik je za ameriške oči malenkosten, toda če človek hodi po stopnicah v šesto nadstropje, potem je pa res najvišja hiša v Ljubljani — nebotičnik.

Po tem opravku sem imel daljši sestanek v kavarni "Emona", kjer sva z Mr. Birtičem pripovedovala o našem ameriškem življenju. Urednika "Jutra" je zanimalo posebno naše življenjsko in bolniško zavarovanje v Ameriki. Treba je bilo naštet imena naših jugoslovanskih podpornih organizacij, njihov delokrogi in posebna dela, ki jih upravljajo. Nato je bilo opisovanje naše slovenske metropole, naših slovenskih domov in splošno o našem gibanju na tuji zemlji. Casnikarji znajo postaviti vprašanja, na katera je bilo potreba odgovarjati.

Peljemo se po Masarykovi cesti. Tam se vedno vidi Amerikance, ki hodijo gledat v Ljubljano, če še vlak vozi v Ameriko. Ob strani ceste zagledamo naši dve sopotnici, Mrs. Terček in Mrs. Dolinar. Prispeli sta iz Francije. Pogovorili smo se, menjali smo denar ter šli iskati prtljago, da se odpeljeta proti domu.

Ta dan je bil v Ljubljani tudi Mr. Wm. Candon, ki si je že ogledal svoje domovanje na Dolenjskem. Zjutraj smo se srečali ter pogovorili, da se odpeljemo popoldan kam drugam. Po okusni južini pri Mr. Birtiču smo poiskali Mr. Candona ter se vprašali: Kam se peljemo? "Peljimo se v Kamnik", se mi zdi, da smo rekli trije naenkrat. Avtomobil se je obrnil proti Kamniškim planinam. Ni smo vozili prehitro, da bi bila nevarnost, da prekršimo prometni red. Zakaj, tega vam ne bom pripovedoval, o tem smo se že pogovorili. Mi smo se peljali v Kamnik, o katerem pravi narodna pesem:

Bela Ljubljana, Črn je Kranj, Pisana Loka, Kamnik krasan!

Iz Ljubljane do Črnuča, to je do Save, se človeku zdi, da sega sedanja Ljubljana. Ko se pride čez savski most, prične se podeželsko življenje. Take občutke ima človek, ko se vozi z avtomobilom. Cesta proti Trzinu je čedna, če izvzamemo to,

da se prav tako po nji praši, kakor po drugih cestah v Sloveniji. Ta vas slovi po naši Gorenjski zaradi zelo razvite prašičereje. Na živinskem trgu v Kranju so bili spomladi na najboljšem glasu mladi prašički iz Trzina. Vas sem z zanimanjem opazoval, ker od tu je doma moj prijatelj J. Jemec, ki ima trgovino v Maple Heights, Ohio. Na travniku pri Trzinu stoji spomenik, kateri je bil postavljen padlim Francozom.

Peljemo se skozi Menges, kjer je bil rojen poznani pripovedovalec in opisovalec Gorenjske, pisatelj Janez Trdina. Od tu prihaja tudi nekdanji ljubljanski župan, Ivan Hribar. Od tu imamo že lep pogled na Kamniške planine, na Karavanec in Triglav v Julijskih Alpah.

Mr. Wm. Candon, ki je naš Clevelandčan ter obenem predsednik glavnega nadzornega odbora pri Slovenski svobodni selni podporni zvezi v Chicagu, Ill., je naš gost. Peljemo se v Kamnik, da obiščemo našega starega prijatelja in prijateljico Mr. in Mrs. Birk. Med potjo se pogovarjamo o tem in onem, seveda med enakim pogovarjanjem z Mr. Birtičem pripovedujeva Mr. Candonu in moji ženi znamenitosti te vasi, te planine ali gore.

Ni daleč iz Ljubljane v Kamnik — z avtomobilom. Okoli 15 milj. Kaj je to v Ameriki. Včasih se še motor ne ogreje. Tam v Sloveniji je malo dalj. Tako nekako 25 milj, bi rekel. Pa vendar, če je družba, tudi ta čas hitro preteče. Kar hitro smo zavezili v skriti Kamnik, katerega vidiš še le potem, ko si prišel v mesto. Jaz imam o Kamniku prav isto sliko, kakor o mestu Trzinu na Gorenjskem: Mesto vidiš, ko prideš v mesto.

Pred Birkovo gostilno se ustavimo. Že nam nasproti hiti ga. Zofka Birkova, za njo počasi stopica g. Birk, da govorimo po starokrajsko. Predstavljati nam ni potreba ne enega, ne drugega. Vsi se poznamo, stari znanci, stari prijatelji in menda še vsi Amerikanci. Sedemo na vrt. Na mizo se prismeje okusna gorenjska potica. Pogovori čvrsti, prijateljski in informativni. Vse bi radi povedali v eni sapi. Z Zofko govoriva o dramskem društvu "Ivan Cankar" v Clevelandu, kateremu je takorekoč ona dala ime, a pomagal sem ji jaz kot predsednik ustanovne seje, ko sem ob enakosti glasov glasoval za predlog ge. Zofke Birkove. Po skoro dvajsetih letih sva se o tem pogovarjala v Kamniku.

G. Birk ni mogel priti v besedo. Zato me povabi, da stopiva preko mostu okoli novega kopaljšča. Hotel je govoriti o stvarih, ki zanimajo njega. Najprvo so bila vprašanja o Clevelandu. O tem sva hitro končala. Potem stisne cigaro z ustmi, pogleda gori proti planinam in pravi: "Tu ostanem dva ali tri dni. V planine greva." Takrat sem videl v njem tisto lovsko strast, ki ga drži v domovini, da pozablja na Ameriko.

Jaz pa sem gledal tja gori proti Sv. Primožu, proti Sv. Petru in Sv. Ambrožu, ki stojijo tam gori kot čuvarji in klicarji krasnih, zanimivih in mikavnih Kamniških planin. Koliko bi človek napisal o teh gorskih velikanih: Grintavec, Mokrica, Greben, Krvavec in Koren! O tem bi moralo biti drugo poglavje.

Po par-urnem razgovoru smo se slikali, da nam ostane oči-viden spomin na naš nenavaden sestanek v Kamniku. Pozdravili smo se ter odpeljali. G. Birk pa je klical za nami: "Če se več ne vidimo, pozdravite Jožkota in Milko."

Iz Kamnika smo se peljali proti Kranju. Ta pot je zelo lepa. Skozi vasi Moste, Nasovice, Lahoviče in Berniki vodi navadna kmečka cesta, toda dosti boljša kot so državne ceste. Cesta pelje skozi mlade gozdove, poleg rodovitnih njiv. Zelo se mi je dopadla rdeča detelja, ki je takrat cvetela v vsej svoj škrlatni krasoti, ki je pregrinjala naša polja kot bogate perzijske preproge. Zrak je bil kar opojen od vonjav mladega smrečja, od rdeče detelje, od valovite rži in pšenice. Zdelo se mi je, da se vozimo po parku, dokler nismo prišli v vas Senčur, kjer se odpre pogled na Sv. Jošt in Šmarjetno goro.

Vedno sem se rad vozil od Senčurja proti Kranju, ko se niža sonce mogočnemu vrhaku, Triglavu v Julijskih Alpah. Prav ob tej vožnji se mi je nudil slikovit in nenavaden prizor. O tem sva se v Ameriki že večkrat pogovarjala z Mr. Bukovnikom, ki je takorekoč doma iz Senčurja, in ki je bil že priča tem sončnim zahodom. Videl sem že sončne zahode tu in tam, toda najbolj mi ugaja zahod sonca za triglavsko gorovje. Menda baš zato, ker sem ob takih sončnih zahodih prvičkrat in večkrat sanjal o sončni deželi za soncem — o Ameriki. Avtomobil je zavil v vas Primskovo. Tu sem hotel pokazati Mr. Candonu mojo rotno hišo in moje sorodnike.

Mr. Birtič in Mr. Candon sta se odpeljala v Ljubljano, a jaz in Rose vsa ostala doma pri moji sestri. Ko sta se odpeljala, je kmalu zašlo majsko sonce za Triglav. Zrl sem za njim ter slušal pesem, ki pravi: Tam izpod sivega Triglava šumi srebrnopena Sava in poje spev tako krasan kot ni še čul ga beli dan.

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peljite s seboj svoje prijatelje. Vstopnina bo prosta za vse. Bratstvo pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 70 JSKJ: John Gottlieb, predsednik.

Moon Run, Pa. — POPRAVEK. — Poročilo v mojem tujnjem dopisu o smrti dveh tukajšnjih rojakov nam se tem potkom popravi, da se bo glasilo sledeče: "Dne 20. julija je preminila dobro poznana rojakinja Frances Čuk, mati 7 otrok. Drugi je bil Andrej Mekush, tudi družinski oče. Oba sta bila zavarovana, pa ne pri JSKJ. Prva je bila članica SNPJ, drugo imenovani pa član SSPZ."

Frances Koritnik, tajnica društva št. 99 JSKJ

Euclid, O. — Prav danes, ko to pišem, je tako vroče, da ni treba peresa skoro nič pomakati, ker je vse mokro od vročine. Pa naj bo, saj zdaj je čas za to. Kljub tej vročini bom skušala nekaj neččkati in upam, da bo sobrat urednik že pogruntal, kaj hočem povedati.

Najprej moram zapeti tisto staro pesem, da naj bi bile članice društva Marije Vnebozvetje, št. 103 JSKJ, bolj točne s plačevanjem svojih mesečnih prispevkov. Vsaka članica naj bi koncem meseca pogledala v svojo priložno knjžico, če ima assessment plačan ali ne. Nihče namreč ne ve dneva in ure, kdaj ga lahko zadene bolezen ali smrt.

Druga, že tudi precej obrabljena pesem, katero vam hočem zapeti, je, da naj bi se članice v večjem številu udeleževale društvenih sej. Včasih so vsaj društvene urednice točno posejale seje, zdaj pa so začele še te pozabljati nanje. Na sejo nas pride celih 6 članic. Kje je še ostalih 100? Saj smo vendar vsi pri sprejemu v društvo prisegli, da se bomo ravnale po pravilih in da bomo skrbele za napredek društva in Jednote,

večina pa je menda kar pozabila na to. Pri društvu imamo vse enake pravice in s tem se razume, da imamo tudi enake dolžnosti. Par članic, ki pridejo na sejo, ne more nič ukreniti, niti dobrega niti slabega. Pravilno bi bilo, da bi prišle na mesečno sejo vse članice, katerih ne zadržuje kak izredno važen vzrok.

Pri tej priliki naj sporočimo, da smo spet spremile eno sestro k večnemu počitku, namreč sestro Louizo Campa. Pokojna sosestra je bila ustanoviteljica našega društva in obenem prva tajnica istega. Bila je dobra in skrbna mati svojim otrokom, dobra gospodinja in prijazna sosedka. Vsi, ki smo jo poznali, jo bomo pogrešali. Sosestra Nahtigal pa je izgubila svojega ljubljenelega sina, ki je utonil pri kopanju v jezeru. Pokojnikoma naj bo ohranjen blag spomin, žalujočim ostalim pa naj bo izraženo iskreno sožalje.

Da ne bom poročala samo žalostnih novic, naj še omenim, da se je štorklja oglasila pri dveh naših članicah, namreč pri sestri Petrovčič in pri sestri Koren in vsaki je pustila po enega zalega sinčka. Oba fantiča že glasno pojeta in delata kratke čas svojima mamicama v tej vročini in oba sta že tudi člana JSKJ. Tako je prav.

K zaključku še povabim vse članice našega društva, da se gotovo udeležijo prihodnje seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. avgusta. Sestrski pozdrav! — Za društvo Marije Vnebozvetje, št. 103 JSKJ: Mary Walter, blagajničarka.

Milwaukee, Wis. — V imenu društva Združeni Slovani, št. 225 JSKJ, se prav lepo zahvaljujem vsem posetnikom našega piknika, ki se je vršil 24. julija, ker so s tem pokazali svojo naklonjenost do društva in nekoliko podprli društveno blaginjo. Prav za prav sem pričakovala večje udeležbe od strani članov, ker je bil to naš prvi piknik, pa kar je, to je. Vseeno hvala tistim, ki so ga posetili.

V nedeljo 21. avgusta se bo naša redna seja pričela že ob pol dveh (1.30) popoldne, ker bomo imeli precej zadev za rešiti. Med drugim se bomo morali pogovoriti, kako bomo obhajali petletnico našega društva in 40-letnico naše Jednote. Čas hiti in treba je že zdaj zbrati pripravljalni odbor v to svrhu, da bo vse ob pravem času urejeno. Na seji bo tudi poročano o uspehu našega piknika.

Nadalje prosim tiste člane, ki plačujejo za društvenega zdravnika pri našem društvu, da plačajo ta mesec, da se ne bodo potem konci leta izgovarjali, češ, da ga niso potrebovali. Za zdravnika se plačuje \$1.00 na leto, in sicer v dveh polletnih obrokih po 50 centov.

Pri tej priliki tudi opozarjam člane na sklep društvene seje z dne 17. julija, da tisti člani, ki se ne udeležijo piknika, plačajo po 50 centov v društveno blaginjo. Tu ne velja noben izgovor. Kdor ne bi hotel plačati tega, od tistega tudi rednega assessmenta ne smem vzeti. To naklado mora plačati vsak, pa če je zavarovan samo za smrtnino ali tudi za bolniško podporo. Društvo ima stroške z vsemi člani in zato se rabi društvena blaginja.

Še enkrat torej prosim člane in članice, da se v kar mogoče polnem številu udeležijo naše seje 21. avgusta, da se pogovorimo, kako bomo najlepše proslavili 40-letnico in društveno petletnico. Ta proslava se bo vršila 5. novembra v S. S. T. dvorani. Od nas članov je odvisno, kakšen bo uspeh.

Članom, kateri imajo priliko, pripravim, da obiščejo naše bolne člane, ker to jih bo veselilo in jih prepričalo o pravem bratstvu v društvu. Sobrat Ludvik Bobič se je zadnji teden vrnil iz St. Luke bolnišnice; Marko Badovinac si je pri padcu nogovo zvil; George Novoselac

se še nahaja v bolnišnici in naš zvesti sobrat Jos. Simonich je bolan že nad leto dni. Gotovo jih bo veselilo, če jih ob priliki obiščete. Pa ne pozabite na sejo v nedeljo 21. avgusta ob 1.30 popoldne! Sestrski pozdrav! — Za društvo Združeni Slovani, št. 225 JSKJ: Pauline Vogrich, tajnica.

Pueblo, Colo. — Članstvo društva Marija Pomagaj, št. 42 JSKJ pozivam, da se polnoštevilno udeležijo redne društvene seje, ki se bo vršila v nedeljo 21. avgusta. Seja se bo vršila v navadnih prostorih, to je v Orlovi dvorani na Northern Avenue in se bo pričela ob 9. uri popoldne. Za rešiti bo več važnih zadev. Med drugimi bo treba izvoliti enega člana v društveni nadzorni odbor, ker je eno mesto izpraznjeno. Torej, ne pozabite se udeležiti te važne seje! Bratiski pozdrav! — Za društvo št. 42 JSKJ: Frank Rupar, tajnik.

Denver, Colo. — Priprave za piknik, ki ga priredi naše društvo sv. Jožefa, št. 21 JSKJ, skupno z društvom Colorado Sunshine, št. 201 JSKJ, v soboto 3. septembra, so v polnem teku. Članstvo je na zadnji seji obljubilo, da se udeležijo prireditve korporativno in pripravljalni odbor se bo potrudil, da bodo cenjeni gostje kar najbolje postreženi.

Piknik se bo omenjenega dne vršil na vrtu Doma slovenskih društev in se bo pričel ob 2. uri popoldne. Ob 8. uri zvečer pa bo v dvorani Doma govor glavnega tajnika Antona Zbašnjaka, kateri bo prišel za to priliko med nas, da vidi naš divni zapad in čoljumbine, ki rastejo na tukajšnjih vrtovih JSKJ.

Vsled tega apeliram v prvi vrsti na članstvo našega društva, da se te prireditve polnoštevilno udeležijo. Nadalje vabim v imenu našega društva tudi sobrate, sestre in prijatelje iz drugih naselbin, kot so Lafayette, Frederick, Pueblo, Salida, Leadville, Walsenburg, Ludlow, Bon Carbo, Trinidad, Morley itd. Vsi bodo dobrodošli in časa bo tudi dovolj. Drugi dan po veselicah bo nedelja in zatem delavski praznik ali Labor Day. Torej bo dovolj časa za počivanje in tudi za preganjanje mačka, če bi se slučajno kje pojavil. Zabave bo dovolj, za potrebo vseh vrst bo poskrbljeno in marsikaj se bomo lahko pogovorili z našim glavnim tajnikom Antonom Zbašnjikom in seveda tudi z drugimi prijatelji. Torej, sobrati in sestre, zabeležite si že zdaj dan 3. septembra za posej našega piknika! — Za društvo št. 21 JSKJ: Frank Okoren, tajnik.

Cleveland, O. — Članom društva sv. Janeza Krstnika, št. 71 JSKJ, poročam, da je bilo na zadnji seji sklenjeno, da se bodo naše seje v avgustu, septembru in oktobru pričele že ob 9. uri popoldne, to je eno uro prej kot po navadi. Člani so bili mnenja, da jih je več, ki bi radi šli ob nedeljah kam ven iz mesta, zato se bodo naše seje bolj zgo-

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Proslava se bo vršila v znanem Drenikovem parku v Strabane, Pa. V soboto 20. avgusta ples in prosta zabava. Začetek ob 7:30 zvečer. Igra izvrstni unijski orkester Franka Podobnika iz Turtle Creek.

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- 1. Ob 2. uri popoldne sprejemanje došlih gostov.
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3. Deklamacija za jednotino 40-letnico, katero je za to priliko napisal sobrat A. J. Terbovec, urednik-upravnik Nove Dobe; deklamira Agnes Koklich, članica mladinskega oddelka.
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5. Govori vrhovni zdravnik JSKJ, dr. F. J. Arch.
6. Govori četrti gl. nadzornik JSKJ, sobrat Andrew J. Milavec, Jr.
7. Pozdrav gl. predsedniku; deklamira Josephine Mikec, članica mladinskega oddelka.
8. Kot zadnji in glavni govornik nastopi sobrat Paul Bartel, glavni predsednik JSKJ.
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