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SLIKA ZBOROVALCEV ALI DELEGACIJE 18. REDNE KONVENCIJE K. S. K. JEDNOTE V INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.



NAŠ JEDNOTIN DAN V INDIANAPOLISU

Indianapolis, Ind., 19. avg. — Med številnimi slovenskimi naselbinami naše Unije je zadelo posebno čast naša naselbina Indianapolis, da se je tam vršila 18 (jubilejna) konvencija najstarejše slovenske podpor. organizacije v Ameriki, K. S. K. Jednote. V ta namen se je naselbina tudi pripravila in preoblekla v praznično obleko. Posebno lepo je bilo videti slovensko farno šolo, kjer se vrši glavno zborovanje. Vrh strehe ponosno vihra naša slovenska trobojnica na eni, a zvezdnata zastava na drugi strani. V sredini so štiri ogromne električne črke: K. S. K. J., ki so zlasti zvečer lepo vidljive. Spodaj v sredi je pa letnica "40."

Dva velika napisava v obeh jezikih naznanjata pozdrav delegaciji. Od dvorane do cerkve je postavljen krasen slavolok, ves ozaljšan z zastavicami in zelenjem. H konvenciji se je zbralo 204 delegatov in 20 glavnih uradnikov. Vsega skupaj je 140 delegatov in 64 delegatinj. Glavni odborniki so vsi navzoči, razen sedanjega porotnega odbornika J. R. Sterbenza, ki se radi bolezn ni mogel udeležiti.

Okoli 9. ure v nedeljo so se ustavili pred dvorano trije veliki busi, na katerih se je pripeljala znana mladinska ali šolska godba fare sv. Jožefa v Jolietu. Vseh je 85 godbenikov v pestrih uniformah; med temi je dvajset deklic. Ob 10. uri se je razvila parada po glavnih ulicah slovenske naselbine s šolsko godbo in Jednotinim bandom na čelu. Tej je sledilo pet društev, za njimi so pa korakali delegati, potem se je pomikala krasno sestavljena flota K. S. K. Jednote, za katero so se v avtih vozili glavni uradniki in delegatinje.

Po dovršeni paradi je sledila služba božja v cerkvi Presv. Trojice. Sv. mašo je daroval starosta slovenskih duhovnikov v Ameriki, Rev. Ciril Zupan iz Pueblo, Colo., ob asistenci Rev. J. J. Omana iz Clevelanda in Rev. Kuzma iz Jolietu. V sanktuarju je bil tudi duhovni vodja Jednote, Rev. Plevnik. Slavnostno pridigo je imel duhovni

vodj KSKJ Rev. John Plevnik. (Pridigo priobčimo prihodnjič).

Jako ganljiv in veličasten je bil zaključek božje službe, ko so mladi godbeniki na koro zapeli neko krasno Marijino pesem, pri kateri priliki je pela vsa cerkev. Istotako tudi zahvalno pesem. Potem je sledilo kosilo. Zvečer ob 8. uri se je pa v dvorani vršil koncert jolietške šolske godbe, s petjem, deklamacijami in živo sliko. Kot čašten gost se je tega večera udeležil tudi mestni župan Sullivan v spremstvu policijskega načelnika. Župan Hon. Sullivan se je laskavo in pohvalno izrazil o Slovencih v Indianapolisu, da so mu dobro znani in da jih visoko čišla, ker so vrli državljani. Dal je tudi ameriškim Slovencem čast, ker je petero slovenskih škofov delovalo na severozapadu na misijskih potih in je iskreno pozdravil našo delegacijo v imenu mestne vlade ter čestital Jednoti k 40 letnici.

Kot čašten gost je udeleženec pozdravil tudi Mr. Ivan Butkovich, gl. predsednik H. B. Z. Govoril je navdušeno in izborni. Izmed glavnih uradnikov so govorili: Opeka, Zalar in Brince. Nedelja je bila posvečena proslavi 40-letnice Jednote. V resnici je vsa slavnost izpadla sto-procentno in bo ostala vsem udeležencem v trajnem spominu, kakor tudi prijazni naselbini Indianapolis.

Lokalni pripravljalni odbor za to konvencijo je bil izbran iz članstva društva sv. Alojzija št. 52 in društva sv. Ane št. 134 pod predsedništvom neumorno delujočega sobrata Frank Velikana, tajnika društva sv. Alojzija, ki je sestavil krasen program za razvedrilo delegatov tekom tedna. Mnogo delegatov, ki so se udeleževali prejšnjih konvencij je trdilo, da tako lepe dvorane, tako lepega sprejema, dobre postrežbe in gostoljubnosti, kakoršno smo minuli teden uživali tekom 18. konvencije v Indianapolisu, niso še nikdar doživeli. Vsa čast torej slovenski naselbini v Indianapolisu, ki bo ostala vsled tega vsem zborovalcem ali delegatom v nepozabnem spominu!

18. redna konvencija KSKJ zaključena

VES STARI ODBOR PONOVO IZVOLJEN

Minulo soboto, dne 25. avgusta točno ob 8:15 zvečer je naš predsednik br. Fr. Opeka konvenčni zbornici s kladivom naznanil zaključek 18. redne konvencije.

Zadnja, ali popoldanska seja se je pričela ob eni uri. Volitev odbora za prihodnja štiri leta se je pričela ob 2:05 in je bila končana v štirih urah in pol.

V zgodovini naše Jednote moramo z veseljem beležiti ta kratek rekordni čas kakega glavnega zborovanja ali konvencije. Vsekakor smo pa na tej konvenciji dosegli rekord vseh rekordov, ker je bilo vseh dvajset sedanjih gl. odbornikov ponovno izvoljenih. Med temi jih je 17, ki so bili ponovno soglasno izvoljeni, trije pa z glasovanjem. Odbor za prihodnja štiri leta je sledeč:

- Predsednik: Frank Opeka.
- I. podpredsednik: John Germ.
- II. podpredsednik: Math Pavlakovich, tajnik društva Marije Device, št. 50, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- III. podpredsednik: Josip Lekšan, tajnik društva sv. Srca Jezusovega, št. 110, Barberton, O.
- IV. podpredsednik: George Nemanich Sr., predsednik društva sv. Cirila in Metoda, št. 4, Soudan, Minn.
- Glavni tajnik: Josip Zalar.
- Pomožni tajnik: Steve Vertin.
- Blagajnik: Louis Zeleznikar.
- Duhovni vodja: Rev. John Plevnik.
- Vrhovni zdravnik: Dr. M. F. Oman.

Nadzorni odbor

- Predsednik: George J. Brince.
- I. nadzornica: Louise Likovich.
- II. nadzornik: Frank Lokar.
- III. nadzornik: Frank Francich.
- IV. nadzornica: Mary Hochevar.

Finančni odbor

- I. Frank Gospodarich.
- II. Martin Shukle.
- III. Rudolf G. Rudman.

Porotni odbor

- Predsednik: John Dečman.
- I. porotnica: Agnes Gorišek.
- II. porotnik: Joseph Russ.
- III. porotnik: Geo. Panchur, tajnik društva sv. Jožefa, št. 169, Cleveland, Ohio.
- IV. porotnik: William Kompare.

Urednik Glasila: Ivan Zupan.
Atletični komisar: Frank Banich, Chicago, Ill.
Prihodnja konvencija se vrši na Evelethu, Minn.

Iz tega je jasno in razvidno, da se je minula konvencija vršila in zaključila v mirnem ter slozmem duhu. Osobito je delegacija pokazala zaupanje v sedanji glavni odbor, ker je istega ponovno izvolila.

Po državah so bodoči glavni uradnik(ce) naše Jednote razdeljeni sledeče:
Illinois 9, Ohio 5, Pennsylvania 5, Minnesota 3, Colorado 2, Wisconsin 1.

Opomba uredništva: S prihodnjo številko in tako naprej bomo pričeli priobčevati zapisnik minule redne konvencije in sicer v obeh jezikih. Tako bomo tudi v kratkih odstavkih podali bolj glavne točke, spremembe in uvedbe, katere je minula konvencija odobrila. Po dovršeni priobčitvi bo vsako krajevno društvo dobilo nekaj konvenčnih zapisnikov v posebni knjižici.

ZAPISNIK

polletnega zborovanja gl. odbora KSKJ, vršnega se od 13. do 17. avgusta 1934 v Jednotnem uradu

Ker se je pri naši Jednoti bližal važen čas 18. konvencije, je brat glavni predsednik pozval na to polletno zborovanje vse glavne odbornike in odbornice. Nadzorniki so se imeli sestati v svrhu revizije knjig že v pondeljek, 13. avgusta, da pričnejo s svojim delom, ostali gl. odborniki pa dne 23. avgusta.

Delo nadzornikov je trajalo do 16. avgusta do štirih popoldne.

Prva seja 23. avgusta popoldne
Brat predsednik Fr. Opeka otvori sejo ob 4:30 ter naprosi Rev. Plevnika, duhovnega vodjo, da moli. Navzoči so vsi gl. uradniki in uradnice, izvemših treh in sicer, br. Dr. Omana, ki se ne more še danes udeležiti seje vsled nujnih poslov doma, br. Brince, ki je še zadržan vsled bolezn v družini in br. Sterbenec.

Starosta glavnega odbora, br. John R. Sterbenz je glavnemu tajniku pismeno sporočil, da se vsled bolezn in visoke starosti te seje glavnega odbora ne more udeležiti in ravno tako tudi ne konvencije v Indianapolisu; zaeno prosil, da se ga vsled tega oprosti. Zbornica vzame to poročilo z obžalovanjem na znanje in mu iskreno želi, da bi kmalu okreval.

Nato je bil za zapisnikarja te polletne seje ali zborovanja izvoljen urednik Glasila, br. Ivan Zupan.

Brat predsednik vpraša predsednika nadzornega odbora br. Shukleta, če so nadzorniki že gotovi z revizijo knjig.

Nato poroča brat Shukle, da so svoje delo dovršili danes popoldne. Pregledali so vse knjige, rekorde in račune gl. tajnika, blagajnika in upravnika Glasila po svojih najboljših močeh in zmožnosti in iste pronašli v lepem redu; vse svote v raznih postavkah so pravilne kakor številke govore in kakor mora biti. Kar se tiče gotovih obveznic, njih sedanjih vredno-

sti, bo o tem gotovo br. gl. tajnik bolj natanko poročal. Br. Shukle daje zaupnico in priznanje vzornemu in lepemu knjigovodstvu v gl. uradu, ker je vse v najlepšem redu. To so nadzorniki s svojimi podpisi in prisegom danes popoldne pred javnim notarjem potrdili.

V enakem smislu poročajo še ostali trije nadzorniki sestra Likovich, br. Lokar in br. Francich.

Br. Gospodarich predlaga, br. Kompare podpira, da se poročilo nadzornega odbora v celoti odobri in mu da zaupnico. Sprejeto.

Nato prečita br. glavni predsednik svoje poročilo za zadnjih šest mesecev, kakor sledi:

Castiti g. duhovni vodja, spoštovani mi glavni odborniki in odbornice! V prvi vrsti si štejemo v dolžnost, da vas iskreno pozdravim in želim, da bi se to polletno zasedanje vršilo v lepem redu v dobrobit K. S. K. Jednote in njenega članstva.

Zbrali smo se skupaj, da pregledamo delo zadnjega polleta, ter da se ozremo nazaj v pretekla 4 leta našega delovanja in da dobro pregledamo vsako točko naših pravil ter jih kolikor mogoče zboljšamo, da bodo odgovarjale potrebam naše Jednote, da tako mogoče podamo dobre nasvete in priporočila delegaciji 18. redne konvencije in s tem olajšamo njih delo.

Tekom zadnjih 4 let je šla naša Jednota skozi veliko preskušnjo. Ti slabi časi so nas veliko naučili in te skušnjo porabimo v korist naše K. S. K. Jednote. Kakor vse druge organizacije, tako je tudi naša Jednota občutila to nesrečno krizo; tudi naša Jednota je bila prizadeta, a hvala Bogu, šla je naprej po začrtani poti, in mislim, da je srečno prestala največje težave te depresije.

Zadnja kampanja odraslega oddelka ali naša jubilejna kampanja se je nad vse dobro obnesla, za kar gre hvala in priznanje našemu neumornemu delavcu vnetemu Jednotarju, glavnemu tajniku Mr. Joseph Zalar, uredniku Glasila, bratu Ivan Zupanu, in ostalim glavnim odbornikom in odbornicam.

Ravno tako se zahvaljujem sobratu Ray J. Grdina za njegov trud in delo tekom minule kampanje, ki je tako lepo uspela. Najlepša zahvala pa gre seveda za to onim, ki so se trudili in pridobivali članstvo pod okrilje naše Jednote in tako dosegli, da je K. S. K. Jednota po številu članstva točasno večja in močnejša kakor kdaj poprej, ter da je njeno premožene nastalo zadnji čas skoraj en milijon dolarjev.

Ker bom svoja nadaljna poročila in priporočila predložil prihodnji konvenciji, zato rečem naj končam ter vas prosim da greste na skupno delo za dobrobit K. S. K. Jednote.

Frank Opeka,
gl. predsednik KSKJ.

Brat Francich predlaga, soglasno podpirajo, da se poročilo br. gl. predsednika sprejme in odobri. Sprejeto.

Prvi podpredsednik br. Germ, nima za to sejo nič posebnega poročila; o svojem delu v obče tekom zadnjega termina je sestavil bolj obširno poročilo za konvencijo, ki bo priobčeno v konvenčni izdaji našega uradnega lista. Pač je tekom zadnje kampanje pri svojem društvu in nekaterih ostalih društvih v Colorado agitiral in priporočal pristop v našo Jednoto. In k sreči tudi naša zapadna društva so se v tej kampanji povoljno odzvala z lepim številom novega članstva.

Brat Shukle predlaga, brat Rudman podpira, da se poročilo brata prvega podpredsednika odobri. Odobreno in sprejeto.

Sestra Marija Hochevar, druga podpredsednica omenja, da tudi ona nima nič posebnega za to polletno sejo; v minuli kampanji je delovala, kar ji je bilo mogoče.

Poročilo sesire Hochevar vsestransko odobreno.

Nato prečita glavni tajnik br. Jos. Zalar svoje polletno poročilo kakor sledi:

Spoštovani sobrat predsednik, prečastiti gospod duhovni vodja, cenjeni odborniki in odbornice! Za današnje zborovanje sem pripravil bolj kratko poročilo in to iz razloga, ker se prihodnji teden vrši konvencija in

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NASA KAMPANJA BOLJINI CASOV

(Kvota za vsak okraj 1,000,000 ton)

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Vsa pisma in denarne zadeve, tikajoče se Jednote, naj se pošiljajo na glavnega tajnika JOSIP ZALAR, 1004 N. Chicago St., Joliet, Ill.

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St. 206, So. Chicago, Ill.
St. 152, So. Chicago, Ill.
St. 72, Ely, Minn.
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St. 160, Kansas City, Kas.
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Predsednik Martin Tešak, 1201 N. Hickory St.; tajnik John Gregorich

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EVELETH AND FLORIANIANS IN NATIONAL PLAY-OFFS

MIDWEST COPS NATIONAL CAMPAIGN HONORS

Nearly \$2,000,000. Insurance Written During KSKJ National Recovery Drive

2,226 Adults, 656 Juveniles
Enrolled During Five-Month
Drive; 167 Lodges Take part

Campaign Quota Nearly Doubled as 29 Societies
Go Over Top; Society No. 169 Writes
\$89,200 New Insurance to Set Pace

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 20—Far exceeding all expectations, the K. S. K. J. National Recovery Campaign, just completed, goes down in the annals of the Grand Carniolian Slovenian Catholic Union as one of the most successful membership drives ever sponsored by that body.

During the five-month campaign, 2,226 adults and 656 juveniles were enrolled in the Union. These 2,882 members have taken out insurance in the amount of \$1,930,900. Of this \$1,581,500 is in the adult department and \$349,400 in the juvenile department.

Joseph Zalar, supreme secretary, in making public these final figures, expressed himself extremely satisfied with the results obtained and offered his congratulations to the entire membership for this encouraging display of true KSKJ spirit.

"It is gratifying," he said, "to see that this membership campaign almost doubled the \$1,000,000 quota we had set for it. The entire membership has done a splendid job and I congratulate and thank them for it."

During the course of the contest no less than 167 societies participated in the drive by reporting new members. This number represents over 91 per cent of all the subordinate societies of the Union. Of these 29 went over quota.

To St. Joseph's Lodge, No. 109, of Cleveland, O., goes the distinction of leading in the matter of new insurance. The Cleveland group enrolled 114 adults and 29 juveniles for an insurance total of \$89,200.

Two other societies reported new insurance in excess of \$50,000. These were Society No. 29 of Joliet, Ill., and Society No. 50 of Pittsburgh, Pa., with \$54,050 and \$50,000, respectively.

Twenty-one societies passed the mark of \$25,000 new insurance, while 61 reached the \$10,000 mark.

WHO WILL PAY THE LOSS?

None of us know the year or even the day when that old man with the scythe will look at us and beckon, but all of us realize that when he does some one must pay for the loss.

The loss must be paid. Even the most unreasonable prospect must admit this statement, says the Virginia Standard. The question of importance is, who is going to pay for this loss. Does a man want his family to face the future burdened with debt; does he want his loved ones to know denial and sacrifice; does he want his widow and children to impose themselves on some relative or friend, or to become objects of charity, or, had he rather deposit a small part of his earnings with a fraternal society and let insurance provide for his family's needs?

Every death means a loss and losses must be paid. If a man does not provide funds through life insurance with what will consequent bills be settled? Grim thoughts, these, but such suggestions are often necessary to make a hard-boiled prospect realize the need for protection.

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Official insurance figures for the various states are as follows:

Illinois	\$485,150
Pennsylvania	464,150
Ohio	290,900
Minnesota	207,300
Colorado	140,550
Wisconsin	106,200
Indiana	51,400
Michigan	43,500
New York	32,300
Wyoming	31,950
Kansas	30,800
Missouri	21,500
Montana	13,400

A complete list showing the number of adult and juvenile members and insurance enrolled by each society will be found on Page 5 today.

MR. OPEKA NAMES COMMITTEES; NEW SYSTEM EMPLOYED

Rev. Plevnik, Supreme Spiritual Director, De-livers Invocation

Indianapolis, Ind.—The order of business for the 18th General Convention of the KSKJ was opened here at 9 a. m. Aug. 20, in the Holy Trinity Auditorium, Frank Opeka, supreme president, calling the 205 delegates and 21 supreme officers to order. The Rev. John Plevnik, supreme spiritual director, delivered the invocation.

Following the roll call the committee on credentials convened. The first day's session consisted primarily in the general organization of the convention and the appointment of committees. The following were named chairmen: George Brince of Eveleth, resolutions; William Kompare of South Chicago, grievances; the Rev. John Plevnik of Joliet, spiritual; Dr. M. F. Oman of Cleveland, medical; Frank Banich of Chicago, athletics; Jean Tezak of Joliet, rules and order; Lawrence Leskovec of Cleveland, transportation, and Louis Kosmerl, Joliet, by-laws.

Joseph Zalar, supreme secretary, presented a general report showing the status of the organization. Reports of the supreme officers, published in the Glasilo, were acknowledged by the delegation.

The committees went into session Tuesday. In the order of business was the approval of the reports of supreme officers. The medical committee, Dr. M. F. Oman, chairman, was the first of the major committees to make a report. The recommendations of the committee were accepted as read.

Wednesday's order of business included the report of Ray J. Grdina, Cleveland, campaign manager, who announced the results of the recent National Recovery membership drive. Mr. Grdina reported the outstanding success of the membership drive which resulted in close to 2,900 new members and \$2,000,000 in new insurance written within the short period of five months. The delegation accepted the report with enthusiasm.

PICNIC

Barberton, O.—Sacred Heart of Mary Lodge No. 111 extends a cordial invitation to its members and friends to a picnic Sunday, Sept. 2, at Mohar's farm (Johnsons Corners).

There will be plenty of refreshments to soothe that tired feeling, also music for both the young and old. So let's all get together and make that picnic a success.

COMMITTEE

This would be a fine world if we possessed as much faith as doubt.

Present Champs Trip Ais to Clear Title

Chicago, Ill.—The national KSKJ baseball play-off will be scheduled Sept. 2 and 3 in Eveleth, Minn., with the St. Florian Boosters of South Chicago representing the Midwest League. The series will be played on the Virginia, Minn., field.

The present champions turned in a clear claim to the Midwest title honors by trouncing St. Aloysius, Chicago, 18 to 3, last Sunday, in a game booked by official headquarters to clear a former protest.

The northern state will place Eveleth, the sectional winner, as the contender. The Minnesotans will face the South Chicagoans with a record of six wins. The series will be the second meeting

VIRGINIA, MINN., SCENE OF SERIES

South Chicagoans to Bring Twenty, Plus Rooters, Fans

of the two teams. Last year the Evelethians traveled to South Chicago, but returned home minus the national honors.

According to plans made by the St. Florian's team, the group will depart

from Chicago Friday evening. The exact time of games will be published in the Minnesota papers. In the event that the series will go but two games, the St. Florianians will also meet the Ely Arrowheads of the JSKJ.

The round trip fare from Chicago to Eveleth is a little over \$13. The official roster of the Florianians will include 20. All those wishing to book passage with the team are asked to communicate with Edward F. Kompare, 2008 E. 93d St. According to reports a large group of fans will accompany the team.

While the St. Florianians are preparing for the trip, the northern Jays are preparing to entertain them.

CHURCH SERVICES OPEN CONVENTION

Rt. Rev. J. E. Ritter Conducts Mass and Extends Welcome

Indianapolis, Ind.—The 18th General Convention and the official celebration of the 40th jubilee of the KSKJ was formally opened here Aug. 19 with a Solemn High Mass in Holy Trinity Church.

A procession a quarter of a mile in length wound its way from the school hall through the West Side district to the church.

Clad in red and black, St. Joseph's Grade School Band, a group of 85 musicians, led the parade, followed by a troop of flag bearers.

Delegates, supreme officers and local KSKJ members of St. Anne's Lodge and St. Aloysius' Lodge formed a caravan and escort to float symbolizing the ideal of the KSKJ.

The services in the church were conducted by the Rt. Rev. Joseph E. Ritter, bishop of Indianapolis. The Rev. Cyril Zupan of Leadville, Colo., officiated and was assisted by the Rev. J. J. Oman, the Rev. G. Kuzma, the Rev. G. Trunk and the Rev. Joseph V. Somes, pastor. The Rev. John Plevnik, supreme spiritual director, delivered the sermon. He pointed out the meaning of the 40th anniversary of the KSKJ and stressed the most cherished ideal of the organization, duty to God and to one's neighbor. Following Mass, the Rt. Rev. Ritter extended greetings to the delegates. A luncheon was served in the school hall.

Official welcome to the visitors was extended at a program in the evening in Holy Trinity Auditorium. Frank Velikan, general chairman of the local committee; J. Sullivan, mayor of Indianapolis; Police Chief Morrissey welcomed the delegations for the community and the city. Response and acceptance for the Supreme Board and the delegates was made by Joseph Zalar, supreme secretary; Frank Opeka, supreme president, and George Brince, member of the KSKJ Board.

Band Scores

One of the highlights of the program was the concert presented by the visiting St. Joseph's School Band, under the direction of Harry De Vault. The Rev. Fr. Hiti of Joliet extended greetings and spoke in the name of the youthful musicians.

The local tie club, under the direction of J. Urajner, was well received.

VISITORS

Cleveland, O.—Among the visitors to Cleveland last week were Mrs. F. Kovacic of Waukegan, Ill.; Robert and Thomas Buchar of Joliet, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradach of Euclid. The trip was made by motor.

Frank Ziheler, Dr. A. Ziheler and Edward Nagode of South Chicago left for Indianapolis after spending a week's vacation in this city. They were guests at the KSKJ convention.

WILL ADDRESS H. N. S.

Cleveland, O.—Dr. J. J. McCarthy, former instructor of John Carroll University, has been scheduled to speak before the Holy Name Society of St. Vitus' Parish Sept. 4, the regular meeting date of the group.

His topic will be, "Hereditry." The talk will be supplemented by charts and microscopic views.

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CONVENTION HOST FETES DELEGATES

Indianapolis Lodges Serve Sumptuous Feast to Visitors

By Frances Jancer
Indianapolis, Ind.—Supreme officers and delegates to the 18th Convention of the KSKJ were the guests of honor at a sumptuous banquet held at the Holy Trinity Hall. Approximately 400 people were seated at elaborately arranged and beautifully decorated tables.

Frank Velikan of Indianapolis, master of ceremonies, extended a warm and welcome greeting to the large assemblage in the name of all the Indianapolis lodges. He was followed by another welcome from the assistant pastor of Holy Trinity Church, the Rev. Fr. Djubasz, in the name of the pastor, the Rev. Fr. Somes, who was away at the time. The Rev. Fr. Plevnik, supreme spiritual director of the KSKJ, was called upon, and in a few concise statements explained to the assembled guests a few points pertaining to the Joliet School Band which appeared in Indianapolis on Sunday.

The Rev. Cyril Zupan of Pueblo, Colo., oldest delegate to the convention, spoke a few words on how the people of today as well as of yesterday depend upon the little things of life for their maintenance. He stressed that the KSKJ started as a small affair, and how today it has grown by leaps and bounds, is absolute proof that the fruit of these small ideas led to a national organization of prominence.

Supreme President Frank Opeka of Waukegan, Ill., thanked the committee on general preparations for the wonderful method the societies took to carry out their work. Other speakers were John Babich, Yugoslav representative at the University of Pittsburgh; chief of police in Indianapolis, Michael Morrissey; Frank Jones, KSKJ attorney; Martin Shukle, supreme auditor; Ralph M. Phelps of the Link Belt Corporation; the Rev. Fr. George Trunk of Leadville, Colo.; Frank Lokar of Pittsburgh, Pa.; the Rev. Fr. J. J. Oman of Cleveland, O.; the Rev. George Kuzma of Joliet, Ill.; Mrs. Mary Hochevar, second supreme vice president of the KSKJ; Louis Zelenikar, supreme treasurer; John Decman of the Supreme Board of Jurors; Ivan Zupan, editor of the Glasilo, the official organ of the KSKJ, and Joseph Zalar, supreme secretary.

Interspersed between the talks, the Indianapolis Slovenian choral clubs entertained with singing Slovenian folk songs. During this time the supreme

GIVE BOOST TO ATHLETIC PLAN

Convention Accepts Resolution proposed by Athletic Committee

Indianapolis, Ind.—The Athletic Committee, headed by Frank Banich, submitted the following report to the convention and won acceptance of the proposals with a few minor changes. The report was presented to the assemblage Friday night. The resolution reads:

Report of Committee on Athletics

The Committee on Athletics which was appointed by the chairman of this 18th Convention of the KSKJ does hereby make a report of its deliberations.

We recommend to this august body of the KSKJ that athletics, under proper supervision, be acknowledged and adopted by this convention.

We also recommend that the Athletic Board system as now in force in this Union be revised as follows:

1. That the Athletic Board be formed by selection rather than by appointment.
2. That the chairman of said Athletic Board be elected by this convention body. His term of office to run concurrently with that of the Supreme Board.
3. Members of the Board of Athletics shall be chosen by active KSKJ athletic groups, who will represent respective KSKJ communities.
4. The above recommendations to be carried out as designated by the rules and by-laws revised by this committee to suit the future needs.

We further recommend that an appropriation of moneys to carry on athletic development in the KSKJ be provided. 1. From the interest of the Juvenile Fund, to the extent of 7 1/2 per cent as now provided. 2. Also an equal amount to be provided from the General Expense Fund.

We also recommend that an Accident Fund drawn from the appropriations be used to reimburse an injured player for such bills incurred as X-ray, doctor fees and hospital fees. This payable for injuries resulting while participating in officially scheduled acknowledged KSKJ competition.

We further recommend that booster clubs, sports clubs, sponsored by various lodges within the KSKJ be officially acknowledged and encouraged in this Union.

1. That in every possible case acknowledged booster groups be taught to be self-supporting.
2. That booster club groups be under supervision of the local spiritual director.

Words have a power of their own for good or evil; hence it is that an unkind word rankles longer in the heart than an angry gesture, nay, oftener than a blow.

vice president of the KSKJ, John Germ of Pueblo, Colo., who sings in a beautiful tenor voice, offered a few songs. He was ably accompanied by Mary Tauzar of Indianapolis. His first offering was "Metuljček," which he rendered professionally and which received a great ovation. Several encores brought "Sweet Memories of Life" and a few Slovenian folk songs.

In all, the fete was one that will be remembered for a long time, and delegates will often recall the pleasant time had at the KSKJ banquet in Indianapolis.

Easterners' Late Rally Insufficient to Overcome Early Lead Held by Winners; West Makes Quota

Illinois Farm, Pennsylvania Mining Co. and Colorado Range Winners in Intra-Sectional Competition; Fight for All 17 Trophies Close

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 20—Staving off a frantic last-minute rush of the Eastern Section, the wheat growers of the Midwestern Section won national honors in the K. S. K. J. Recovery Program by the narrow margin of less than 27,000 tons.

With all three sections going well over the 1,000,000-ton quota assigned them, the membership drive just completed was one of the most closely contested campaigns ever experienced in the history of the Grand Carniolian Slovenian Catholic Union.

Fortunate for the Midwestern Section, their early lead in this gigantic drive was responsible for their ultimate victory. The Eastern Section, running in last place for the major portion of

the campaign, spurred in the closing days and from a position 76,000 tons behind the leaders in the last week, the industrialists swept by the Western Section in second place and came within an ace of upsetting the leaders for the national title.

Honors in the Western Section, where the competition was extremely close throughout the campaign, went to the Illinois Farm. Coming from behind in the last two weeks, the Illinois workers rallied to edge out the Minnesota workers. Besides these two, the Wisconsin Farm also went over quota in the drive. The trophy symbolic of leadership in the Midwestern Section will be awarded to Field No. 139, leaders of the Illinois Farm.

With the Indiana Steel Corporation supplying most of the excitement and competition, the Pennsylvania Mining Co. barely held onto its lead in the Eastern Section to win the coveted honors. The Eastern Section trophy is to be awarded to the Pennsylvania leaders, Mine No. 241.

In the Western Section, where the Colorado Range was believed to have everything its own way, the Wyoming Range staged the most brilliant drive of the entire campaign to sorely press the leaders for the sectional title. As it was, less than 900 tons separated them from victory. Ranch No. 104 will receive the sectional trophy.

The 13 state trophies were won by the following:

Illinois Farm, Field No. 119.
Minnesota Farm, Field No. 72.
Wisconsin Farm, Field No. 165.
Missouri Farm, Field No. 70.
Kansas Farm, Field No. 160.
Pennsylvania Mining Co., Mine No. 181.

Indiana Steel Corporation, Rolling Mill No. 52.
Ohio Steel Corporation, Rolling Mill No. 169.
Michigan Steel Corporation, Rolling Mill No. 176.
New York Export Co., Navigation Co. No. 148.
Colorado Range, Ranch No. 56.
Wyoming Range, Ranch No. 94.
Montana Range, Ranch No. 208.

Similar to the races for national and sectional honors, the fight for recovery leadership in the various states was exceedingly close as the final K. S. K. J. Market Report, printed on Page 5, reveals.

CHILDREN OF NON-MEMBER PARENTS

In a recent report of operations in Rhode Island the state president of a New England society indicates that increases to juvenile membership were easier to secure where the parents had no previous connection with the society. He recommended open meetings and entertainments when insurable young people of accepted standards may be invited to participate as of inestimable value in establishing friendly relations between the prospect and the members.

WHAT LIFE INSURANCE IS

"It's not a load, nor a rocky road, but a staff and easy shoes; it's not a fate nor an irksome weight, but it helps o'er rocky ways; it's not a debt that makes you sweat and toil for a meager wage; it's not a note that gets your goat, but a calm and serene old age."
—R. and R.

Let us bear in mind this truth—that on the bed of death, and in the day of judgment, to have saved one soul will be not only better than to have won a kingdom, but will overpay by an exceeding great reward all the pains and toils of the longest and most toilsome life.—Cardinal Manning.

Men who love their enemies are about as plentiful as gold dollars.

The people who believe in something seem to cause considerable worry to the people who do not.

RE-ELECT TWENTY IN RECORD TIME; CONVENE SIX DAYS

Eveleth, Minn., Site of Next KSKJ Convention

Indianapolis, Ind.—Determined to conclude its business in short order, the delegates to the 18th General Convention of the KSKJ went into an extra session Saturday night, Aug. 25, and concluded a six-day confab by re-electing for the first time in history the entire Supreme Board. The election also was a record-breaker, lasting only four and a half hours.

The changes in the board roster include: Mrs. Mary Hochevar, former vice president, elected to the Board of Trustees. The additions to the board list of Math Pavlakovich, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Joseph Leksan, Barberton, O.; George Nemanich, Gilbert, Minn., as vice presidents, and George Panchar of Cleveland as member of the Board of Jurors.

Frank Banich, present chairman of the KSKJ Athletic Board, was elected by the convention body as chairman for a period of four years.

The outstanding feature of the convention was the success of the committee system employed by the body. The young people will also be pleased to learn that the report of the Athletic Committee, Frank Banich, chairman, was accepted by the delegation. Detailed reports of the proposals will follow in a subsequent issue.

The next convention will be held the second week in September, 1938, in Eveleth, Minn.

CHANGE MEETING DATE

Waukegan, Ill.—The regular monthly meeting of the St. Joseph Sport Club will be held on Monday, Sept. 10, this on account of the first Monday being Labor Day. Plans for the fall season program will be submitted and committees appointed to begin work on a very active schedule.

Following the meeting, the members of the St. Joe's baseball team will be guests of the club at a party in their honor for their baseball activity during the past season. Every member should be present at this meeting and party.

VACATION

Chicago, Ill.—Misses Evelyn, Helen, Isabelle and Wilhelmina Fabian are now vacationing at Duck Lake, Ingle-side, Ill., where they are enjoying every minute rowing, hiking and swimming. Later Evelyn will return to teach at Socrates School and Helen will continue studies at a city college, while Isabelle, a senior, and Wilhelmina, a sophomore, will return to Harrison High School on Sept. 17.