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URADNO GLASILO JUGOSLOVANSKE KATOLIŠKE JEDNOTE — OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE SOUTH SLAVONIC CATHOLIC UNION.

Naše geslo v tem letu mora biti: dvajset tisoč članov do konvencije!

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DROBNE VESTI IZ CLEVELANDA

Slovenski Sokol v Clevelandu nastopi z javno telovadbo na vrtni Jugoslovenskega narodnega doma v Euclidu v nedeljo 24. junija. Sledila bo zabava, ki je običajna na piknikih.

Mlado pa agilno, angleško poslujuče društvo George Washington, št. 180 J. S. K. Jednotne bo imelo v nedeljo 24. junija svoj piknik na Spelkotovih farmah.

Letos graduira iz srednjih in visokih šol nenačadno veliko število slovenskih dijakov in dijakinj. Tudi v tem oziru se lahko šteje Cleveland za ameriško-slovensko metropolo.

Na Adelbert kolegiju Western Reserve univerze bo te dni dobil naslov "Bachelor of Arts" Carl W. Rötter. "Bachelor of Science" bo postal na Ohio State univerzi v Columbusu Herman M. Turk. Na Oberlin kolegiju v Oberlin, O., postane "Bachelor of Arts" Miss Frances J. Lausche. Na John Carroll univerzi v Clevelandu dobe naslov "Bachelor of Arts" Victor T. Suhadolnik, Anthony P. Priatelj, Anthony Garbas in Anthony Skully. Na Case School of Applied Science je postal "Bachelor of Electrical Engineering" Julian Spenko. Diplomirani bolniški strežnici sta postalni Miss Tessie Kerže in Miss Anna Koželj. — Srednjekako studije na East High School je uspešno zaključilo 17 slovenskih dijakov in dijakinj; na East Technical High School včer in večje število na Colunwood High School. Najboljša dijakinja na omenjeni šoli je bila Miss Mary Bukovnik. — Vsega navedenega izhaja, da ima tu rojena slovenska mladičenitina vrednost izobrazbe in "za uk je prebrisane glave," kot je povedal že naš pesnik Valentin Vodnik.

Svoj urad je odpril v poslopju La Salle gledališča nov slovenski zborodravnik, dr. William F. Urankar.

V uredništvu Nove Dobe se je pretekli oglasil sobrat Jurij Pevic iz White Valley, Pa., vracajoč se s konvencijo S. S. Zvezne v Indianapolisu, Ind.

Umrli so v Clevelandu: John Kremžar, star 43, rojen v St. Vidu nad Ljubljano. V Clevelandu je bil 19 let. Čeprav je bilo soprogo, dva sina in hčerk, Bil je član S. N. Demokratske Narodne Doma. Mary Kren, stara 45 let. Započela soproga, sestro in brata.

Cudna ptičja hiša.

V močvirnih gozdih Afrike živi čaplji podoben ptič, katerega so Buri imenovali Hammer Kop, ker njegova glava z vrhom spominja na kladivo.

Ta ptič si mesto gnezda zgradi pravo hišo s streho, ki je tako močna, da drži moža. V tej hiši so tri "sobe," druga vrh druge. Gornja soba je spalnica in tam samica tudi jajka leže in vali. Srednja soba vzgojevalnica za mladičke, ki so se našle v ptičji hiši. Sledi pogonjava je pa opazovalnica. Pirani se ta veliki ptič največ 2 ribami, privoči si pa tudi žabe in žuželke.

TEDENSKI PREGLED

ZDRAVNISKI NASVETI
(Piše dr. Jos. V. Grahek, vrh zdravnik J. S. K. Jednote).

Alkoholno zastupljenje. (Dalje)

Čudovito je, koliko moških in tudi žensk je mnenja, da se ne more dobro zabavati, če niso napol "udarjeni". Če vedo, da v kraju, kamor so povabljeni, ne bodo mogli na en ali drugi način dobiti opojnih pišča, se sploh ne bodo povabili odzvali. Ti možje, in med njimi tudi inteligenti možje, ne bodo šli v dobro prijateljsko družbo, če se jim ne obeta prilika par ur bedastega stanja pijanosti, kar imenujejo zabavo. Mnogi hočajo na prej zagotovilo, da se bodo servirale opojne pišča, predno obljubijo priti. Mnogi bodo hodili milje daleč, da dobe pišča. Tako je poželjene nekaterih po opojni pišči in takki ljudje se ne morejo štetiti drugam kot med pijance. Kako morejo taki ljudje pričakovati, da bodo vzgojili otroke, ki jih bodo spoštovali, če prihajajo domov nadelan, da se ne morejo sami sleči in sezutti, da bi šli v posteljo k počitku, ampak jim morajo njih žene pomagati? Kaksen vzgled dajejo svojim fantom in dekletom? Ali ni sram mladega fanti ali mlado deklico, če se ga oče tako nabere, da ne more stati na nogah in ga je treba domov peljati v taksiju? Ali ni čas, da se ljudje, ki so taki bedaki, končno prebudijo in začnejo živeti življenje, ki bo vzbujalo respekt ne samo pri njihovih otrocih, ampak tudi pri sosedih in splošni javnosti? Za nikogar ni potrebno, da se na tak način ponujajo pred svetom. Kdor ima sam nad seboj tako malo kontrole, da ne ve kdaj ima dosti, naj se izogibuje vsakega prostora in pristanišča, kjer se servirajo opojne pišča. Kdor nima dovolj močne volje storiti to, nima dovolj močne volje storiti kaj drugemu. Vi še niste nikdar videli ali srečali pijanaka, katerega bi mogli spoštovati. Če bi videli sami sebe, kot vas vidijo drugi, bi se obrnili na boljšo pot. Veliki možani, veliki možje, mogoče tudi popijejo kozarc ali dva, toda vedo kdaj imajo dovolj v nehajo, oziroma se ognejno velikega popivanja.

IZ URADA VRHOVNEGA ZDRAVNIKA

Ako ima kateri član, društveni ali glavni uradnik J. S. K. Jednote kakšno pritožbo glede poslovanja vrhovnega zdravnika od zadnje konvencije naprej, je naprošen, da to naznani. Na ta način bom mogel za konvencijo pripraviti vse listine, tikaže se enega ali druga slučaja. Nemogoče je vzeti na konvencijo seboj ves moj arhiv in beležke.

Prisim, da prizadeti ugodijo moji želji takoj, da bom imel dovolj časa na razpolago in se s tem izognem prevelike zaposlenosti v zadnji minutri.

Bratski pozdrav!

DR. JOS. V. GRAHEK.

Ameriški vulkan.

Edini aktivni vulkan v Združenih državah je Mount Lasen v California. Letos je ne navadno miren, izpuhava le malo dima in le po par lahnih potresov se čuti dnevno v njegovi bližini.

ZDRAVNISKI NASVETI

GLASOVI Z RODNE GRUDE

Po burnih demonstracijah, ki so se vrstile nedavno po vsej Jugoslaviji, kot protest proti nameri vlade, da izsili potrditev takozvalnih nettunskih konvencij, ki bi dajale Italiji posebne pravice na jugoslovenski strani, je zunanjji minister v Narodni skupščini slovesno proglašil, da Italija od Jugoslavije nikdar ni zahtevala ratifikacije, a tudi nihče drugi, temveč da je vlada sklenila predložiti konvencije popolnoma iz lastnega nagiba ter da nikdo ne osporava. Narodni skupščini, da svobodno sklepajo ratifikacijo. Niti besede ni minister rekel o tem, da bi odklonitev ratifikacije mogla otežiti zunanjemu položaju.

Zaradi srove sile, s katero je nastopila državna policija proti demonstrantom, je prišlo v Narodni skupščini do burnih prizorov. Ministrat notranjih zadev, ki je izdal nalog, da se mora vsak pojav protesta v kralj in nasilno zadušiti, si je privoščil poslanec Pribičević s sledenimi žigočimi besedami:

"Pred tremi ali štirimi leti je sedanj minister sotrudniku nekega italijanskega lista izjavil, da ne bo miroval prej, preden ne napoji svojega konjca na Tiberu. A ta gospod preliva danes kri naše omladine samo zato, ker kliče obrnjena proti Italiji "Živelja Jugoslavija!" in "Doli fašizem!" Pred tremi ali štirimi leti je sedanj minister sotrudniku nekega italijanskega lista izjavil, da ne bo miroval prej, preden ne napoji svojega konjca na Tiberu. A ta gospod preliva danes kri naše omladine samo zato, ker kliče obrnjena proti Italiji "Živelja Jugoslavija!" in "Doli fašizem!"

V nedeljo, dne 27. maja so italijanski dijaki demonstrirali proti Jugoslaviji na Markovem trgu v Miljanu, kjer se je ravno vršil veliki binkoštni koncert. Demonstranti so priseli jugoslovensko državno ter dalmatinsko in zadarsko zastavo. Začeli so ob urnbenem klicanju proti Jugoslaviji jugoslovensko zastavo ter prisili godbo, da je pri tem aktu igrala fašistično in italijansko državno himno.

Nato so odšli proti jugoslovenskemu konzulatu v Campiello San Luca, kjer pa jih je zavrnila policija. Preskrbeli so si novo veliko jugoslovensko zastavo, na katere beleži polju so naslikali velikega prasiča z napisom SHS ter so se znova vrnili na Markov trg, kjer so kričali, da je italijanska flota pravkar zasedla Split. Govoril je tudi bivši splitski odvetnik Bras proti "porcari serbi" (srbske svinje), za katere je edini lek laški kanon in laška bomba. Godba je ponovno svirala italijansko himno, nakar so dajali peli pesem, ki ima refren "Passeremo per Belgrad" ("Udri na Beograd!").

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V Sarajevu je policija zasledila ponarejene novice po en dinar. Jej, ali imajo v Jugoslaviji dosti časa!

Siromašni ljudje v tej deželi vendar niso v vseh ozirih zapostavljeni. Ako gledamo slike deklic, ki se udeležujejo tekme krasotic, opazimo, da vse izhajajo iz revnih slobov, ker nobena nima niti toliko denarja, da bi se pošteno oblekla. (Dalej na 2. strani)

VSAK PO SVOJE

Letos je zelo bogato leto na volitvah in konvencijah. Kmalu po novem letu so se pričele in bodo trajale do začetka noverembra. Zanimivi so ti časi posebno zato, ker se vresničuje biblijski rek: veliko je poklicanih a malo izvoljenih.

Ameriška narodna republikanska stranka se imenuje Grand Old Party (velika starstranka). Da je stranka v resnici stara, povzamemo lahko iz dejstva, da je njeni letosnjšnji konvencijski predsednik predložil konvenciji popolnoma iz lastnega nagiba ter da nikdo ne osporava. Narodni skupščini, da svobodno sklepajo ratifikacijo. Niti besede ni minister rekel o tem, da bi odklonitev ratifikacije mogla otežiti zunanjemu položaju.

Najbolj skeleča rana na telesu republikanske stranke je nedvomno oljni skandal, v katerega je bil zapleten multimilijon Harry Sinclair in več bivših članov kabinetra. Ni čuda, če želijo republikanci pozabiti imo Sinclair v vse oljne pake, ki so s tem v zvezi.

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Znani kirurg in profesor pariške Sorbonne dr. Jean Brenn, ki je dne 26. maja na beogradski univerzi predaval o solunski fronti, je drugi dan s svojo soprogo zapustil Beograd ter v spremstvu kirurga dr. Stevanovića in njegovega sina odpotoval z avtomobilom v Tuzlo. V bližini Dubošice je na nekem nevarnem ovinku počila pnevmatika na levem prednjem kolesu in avtomobil se je prevrnil v pet metrov globok prepad. Gospa in go-

IZ URADA GLAVNEGA PREDSEDNIKA

VAŽNO ZA DELEGATE IN DELAGATINJE XIII. KONVENCIJE

Ze več tednov sem vodil pogajanja z raznimi železniškimi družbami v namenu, da izposlujem za naše delegate in delegatine XIII. redne konvencije znižano vozno ceno za Ely, Minnesota.

Dobil sem odgovore od treh družb, Canadian Pacific (Soo Line), Northern Pacific via St. Paul, in od Chicago and Northwestern železnice.

Najbolj ugodno ponudbo nam je stavila Chicago and Northwestern železnica. Navadna cena voznu listku iz Pittsburgha na Ely in obratno je \$74.76, iz Cleveland na Ely in obratno \$65.56 in iz Chicago do Ely in nazaj \$41.00. Pri tem niso vključene cene spalnim vozom.

Po znižani ceni, katero nam je ponudila Chicago and Northwestern železnica, plačali bomo za vozni listek iz Pittsburgha na Ely in obratno \$49.90, iz Cleveland na Ely in obratno \$43.75 in iz Chicago do Ely in nazaj \$27.35. Cena spalnim vozom ni vključena.

Razlika med običajno in znižano ceno je torej iz Pittsburgha \$24.86, iz Cleveland \$21.81 in iz Chicago \$13.65.

Ostali dve družbi sta znatno višji. Računali bi nam iz Pittsburgha na Ely in obratno \$59.86, iz Cleveland na Ely in obratno \$52.50 in iz Chicago do Ely in obratno \$27.01.

Ako računamo število delegatov iz New Yorka, Pennsylvania in West Virginije, ki bodo morali potovati preko Pittsburgha, na 50 oseb, tedaj bi znašala razliko med redno in znižano vozno ceno približno 1250 dolarjev. Iz Ohio potovalo bo približno 25 oseb in bo znašala razliko par dolarjev manj od 550 in iz Chicago, oziroma iz države Illinois, od koder bo potovalo kakih 15 oseb, znašala bi razliko nad 200 dolarjev. S tem bomo jednoti PRIHRANILI okroglih DVATISOČ DOLARJEV, in to samo pri delegatih in delegatinah iz Chicaga in izčetnočno vključeno.

Znižane cene voznim listkom dobili bodo lahko tudi delegati iz osrednjih, severo-zapadnih in zapadnih držav. Vozni listek iz krajev države Washington do Ely in obratno bo stal približno \$95.00, iz Oregonista, California isto, iz krajev Utah približno \$92.00, mogoče znatno

MLADINSKI ODDELEK -- JUVENILE DEPARTMENT

BETTY AND ANN

in Japan even today, grasshoppers are regarded as a delicacy. People have tried them, say they very much like the yolk of a hard-boiled egg. In Bardejov the recipe most commonly used is to boil them for thirty minutes, remove the heads, eyes and legs, sprinkle with then fry them and season vinegar to taste.

There seems no good reason they should not be eaten, as, if you care to, as they are nothing but fresh, tender grass and leaves.

Betty was one of these stout girls who would rather read than be romping. Her doctor told her that Betty didn't need gain a pound for a very long time.

Betty's sister Ann was quite stout. She had to take cod oil, and be coaxed to lie and rest in the afternoon. Was up at 6 o'clock in the morning, singing like a bird just as eager to be up and in the fresh morning air.



Ann Got Quite Red And Angry And Grabbed Connie's Left Arm

she was fidgety and made up people nervous.

These girls had a cousin Connie who was just stuck and between in her disposition, which made her about both Betty and Ann and could get along with perfectly, even if they each other rather tired at times. Poor Connie to wonder how she could be herself in two and be in places at once, because Betty wanted her to come and cut out or paste on. Ann would be just as anxious to have her outside roller skating or climbing on the roof.

It was a nervous day for her when she went to stay with her cousins over the weekend.

Ann gave a gleeful giggle. "We'll have lots of fun," she said.

"I hate to think that Betty's mad at me," mumbled Connie. "I guess I ought to go and make up. You won't mind will you?"

"I will so!" cried Ann. "You said you'd play with me!"

"I will, but let's see if we can't coax Betty to come too," said Connie. "I never can enjoy myself when people are mad at me."

"Well, I'm going to be mad if you go off and leave me," said Ann beginning to scowl.

Poor Connie moved slowly away to speak to her aunt.

The mother of the two girls was in the sitting-room, writing

away to her aunt and leave her little overnight bag, and in the

she ran into Betty.

ing a letter when Connie came slowly in.

"Oh, Connie," cried Betty. "I'm so glad to see you. I've been keeping something to show you all this time. It's from Germany, a doll house that folds all up and all you have to do is open it and the furniture and everything is all ready—"

Connie interrupted:

"Oh, Connie, you can play with that on a rainy day," she said. "It's so nice out and the paper says showers for tomorrow. Do come out and try my new bike."

"Really?" smiled her aunt, but the telephone rang just then and ended the conversation.

Connie walked out to the hall and found her cousin Ann out there.

"I heard what you said," Ann told her. "What did you mean?"

"I mean I can't stay if you girls are going to fight and get mad at me," said Connie firmly. "I wasn't going to tattle on you, but you might as well know it. I'm going right home unless you both behave."

Connie ran upstairs to Betty and soon came down with her.

"Connie," she begged. "Betty's getting so fat and lazy. I'll never let her ride my new bike. Beside she's stuck up."

"Listen," cried Connie, drop-

"All right, that's fine!" exclaimed Connie and out the three ran.

"Well, here's the new bike. Isn't she a beaut! Get aboard, Connie," said Ann.

"Let Betty try first," laughed Connie. "She's so fat it won't hurt much if she falls."

"Hold me up then," said Betty, straddling the seat.

Connie hold on to the back on the seat and ran as her stout cousin peddled. Faster and faster went Betty, and Connie lost her hold.

"Wait!" she panted, but Betty was turning the corner on her way around the block.

"Oh, dear, she'll get an awful fall!" Connie cried.

The two ran after Betty, but when they reached the corner they saw her still riding merrily, and they did not catch up with her until they were back in front of their house.

"That was just grand!" cried Betty hopping off. "I must get Daddie to buy me one, too."

Ann was staring at her sister with her mouth open.

"Why, Betty, you rode it the first time!" she exclaimed. "You're just wonderful!"

"What do you mean rode it?" asked Betty. "I thought Connie had hold of me."

"I did, but you went too fast," said Connie. "Let me try."

She did try, but wobbled only a few yards. Then it was Ann's turn, and Ann tried so hard that she got as far as the corner.

"Well," demanded Betty, scowling, "are you coming with me or not?"

"Not!" exclaimed Connie, rubbing her arm.

"All right for you!" said Betty, and stalked away with her chin in the air.

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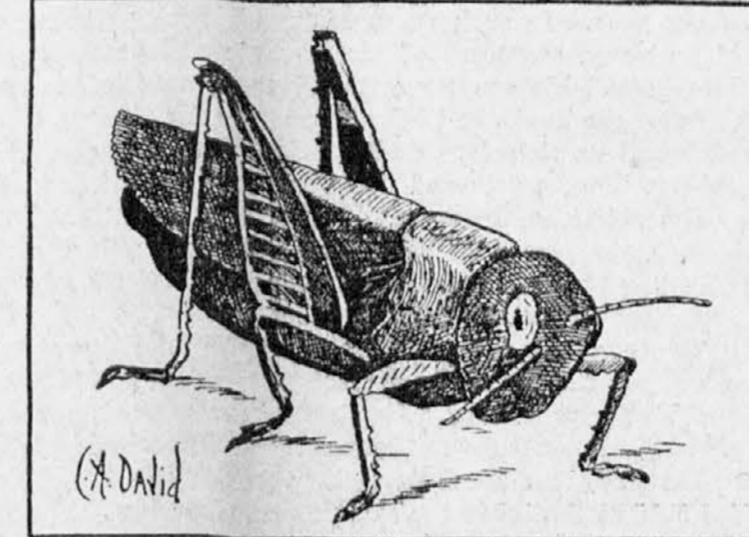
EVERYTHING LOVES TO EAT HIM

Of all the little folks that live outdoors, I do not know but that the grasshopper is most to be pitied, as it seems to have more enemies than all the rest put together. There is not a minute, day or night, that he is not in danger of being eaten by some of them.

They are waiting for him in the air, on the ground, and even in the water; morning, noon and night, sudden death is just around the corner. The only time that he can feel absolutely

safe is when he is in the red worm.

When earthworms get scarce in mid-summer, the wise fisherman puts up his hoe, and goes out in the fields and fills his pockets with grasshoppers, as he has learned that they make just as good, if not better bait than the old standby, the red worm.



He Is One Thing That All Kinds Of Birds Eat With Relish

ly certain about the immediate future is when he is being swallowed by something that has just caught him—he knows then that he is a gone—and that's all there is to it.

He is one thing that all kinds of birds eat with a relish—from the six-foot ostrich to the fuzzy little biddy in the barnyard, are all happy to make his acquaintance, and they all regard him as we do bread—the staff of life. Even the few birds that are not exactly crazy about him, never pass him by if the occasion offers.

Mocking-birds, blue-jays, wood-peckers, cat-birds, larks, thrushes, crows, orioles, herons, cranes, wild ducks, hawks, owls, as well as domestic fowls

have seen one of these city fisherman, equipped with wading boots, creel and a jointed rod that cost ten dollars and a hook of artificial flies, fish for hours without getting a single nibble; when a bare-foot boy would come along, thread a kicking grasshopper on the bent pin he was using for a hook, toss it in the water, and before it had time to sink, a fish had gulped it down!

As if it was not enough to

have the birds, the beasts and the fish, catching grasshoppers,

in some countries the people catch and eat them too, only

they call them locusts instead of grasshoppers—but they are one and the same thing.

At one time the American Indians, particularly those living on the Great Plains of the West, roasted grasshoppers,

and ate them as we eat parched pop-corn, and the Arabs and the Beduins dry them and make

them into a kind of cake.

NAGRADA

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DEKLICE KUHAJO

Solnček, zlati solnček,
skoči nam pod lonček,
da se skuga sladka kaša,
lačna je družina naša:

Muc že tačico si liže,
tudi kuž prihaja bliže,
koklja kajpak pred ognjišče
tudi vodi drobno pišeč.

(Janko Samec)

POMLAD

In sree, ti se ne zbudis!
In jezik, ti ne govoris!
Zdaj klje tebi dvojni cvet,
pomladni cvet, čas mladih let.

Poglej, obrni se okrog,
zelena gora, živ je log;

povsodi pomladanski cvet
vesoljni v svate vabi svet.

Podaj mi, ljubica, roko,
pod milo pojdeva nebo,
kjer njiva zopet zeleni,
nad njo škrjanček žvrgoli.

Al spet si tukaj, znane moj?
Le dvigni se, na glas zapoj;
ljubezni glas, veselja klic
naznanja prihod naj evtic.
(Simon Jenko)

SPRING

And thou, O heart, thou dost
not wake,
Nor thou, O tongue, thy
silence break!
A twofold bloom for thee now
flowers,
The bloom of spring, of
youthful hours.

Bestir thee, look about and see
The mountain green, the
radiant lea;
To very nook the flowers of
spring
A joyous, festive beauty bring.

O come, beloved, let us stray
Into the balmy sunny day,
Where fields again in verdure
smile,
And larks above them hearts
beguile.

Tis thou again, my friend of
old?
Soar high, O lark, sing clear
and bold.
Let cries of joy, let love-filled
hours
Proclaim the coming of the
flowers.

P. S. Gornja pesem je vzeta
iz knjige SLOVENE (Jugoslav)
POETRY, ter je prevod
Simon Jenkove pesmi Pomlad.
To in večje število drugih slovenskih pesmi je prevedel na
angleški jezik in izdal v gori
omenjeni knjižici Mr. Ivan
Zorman, slovensko-ameriški
pesnik in glasbenik.

A LITTLE BOY IN BED

Dear little boy propped up in
bed

When the fellows are at play
You wonder why a cold in the
head

Should spoil the sunny day.

Let the counterpane be your
fairy land

And the shadows the giants
bold,

Your knees are the castle on
the strand

Where lies the buried gold.

Your wooden soldiers now ad-
vance

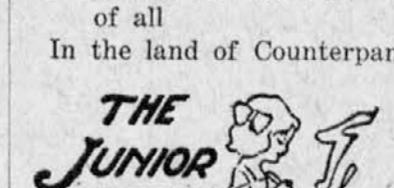
To rescue the Princess fair
And the pointed tip of each
wooden lance

Is gleaming in the air.

So give no heed though out-
doors call

While you in bed have lain;
You've had the merriest time
of all

In the land of Counterpane.



Raspberry Shortcake

Prepare the cake part of shortcake using the baking powder biscuit recipe that has been given in this department. If your family like a very sweet shortcake, add half cupful of sugar to the dry ingredients before sifting them.

While the cake is baking,

wash and pick over the raspberries. You will need a pint for every three or four persons served. Reserve a few choice berries for garnishing.

Crush the berries gently and add half cupful sugar.

Whip half pint heavy cream.

Split open the shortcake while hot.

Butter the lower part generously.

Cover with the crushed berries.

Put on the top.

Pour over this the whipped cream.

GEORGE KOZJAK

Slovenian Janissary,

Fifteenth Century Story Of The Slovenian Home-Life.

By JOSEPH JURČIĆ

English Version By John Movern

TRANSLATOR'S NOTE

Two reasons inspired me to undertake the task of translating into English, the fiction "GEORGE KOZJAK," Slovenian janissary. The first one was to make the English-speaking public better acquainted with the Slovènes, one of the branches of the Slavic race. The second one was to describe the mournful condition of the Slovène people in the past caused by periodical invasion of their lands (Carniola, Styria and Corinthia) by the savage Turks, who time and again destroyed the homes of the natives and massacred the people in the most inhuman manner.

While the Germanic races, settled farther north and west, had been building schools and peacefully cultivating the soil, the Slovènes had to defend their lives and liberty against the Turks with a sword in their hands. It is, indeed, a wonder that the Turks did not exterminate the Slovène race.

In converting this story into English, I have endeavored to preserve as much of the charm of the author, the late Joseph Jurcic (Jurčič), as I could, and to avoid doing injustice to the English language. If I have succeeded in my task, I shall be well recompensed for my tedious and laborious work. Presenting Slovene literature to the English-speaking public, I shall bring the English speaking people closer to my countrymen, the Slovènes. JOHN MOVERN.

NOTE: Joseph Jurcic, the author of the following story, was born in the village of Muljava, Slovenia, (then a province of Austria and now Yugoslavia) on March 4th, 1844. He died on May 3, 1881. He has written several books and was one of the Slovene authors who endeavored to perfect Slovene literature. However, he did not know that nearly fifty years after his death his heart-touching story "George Kozjak" would have been converted into English and presented to the English-speaking public and to the sons and daughters of his countrymen in the United States of America. Had he known that, he surely would have gone to rest for eternity with much greater satisfaction with the work he had accomplished in the field of literature for his people whom he so dearly loved.

JOHN MOVERN.

"Woe unto him who has no home,
Who nowhere is Lord of his own."

S. Jenko.

CHAPTER I:

There was a time when conditions in our Slovène provinces were quite different from those of today. Could anyone of our forefathers come back from the beyond, he would hardly be able to recognize his grandchildren or his native land for the changes that have taken place since he passed away. In speaking of changes we do not mean only those changes of which the old men, while they are sitting around a hot stove, still talk about and complain of, saying that we have become proud, that we wear clothing made of soft and thin cloth, while our fathers and our mothers wore clothes made at home out of homespun thread — but we also mean the changes in the conditions of life of our people in general.

Lords who lived in their castles situated upon high mountains and hills and constructed upon the solid rock, had the highest authority. In those days the peasant was not a free man, but a serf to those lords. Ignorant people could be found among the aristocrats and the feudal serfs, among the rich and among the beggars. And it is usually the case that where the people are ignorant they are also stupid, superstitious and believers in witchcraft. So we read in old documents that at one time many a homely old woman was placed upon a funeral pile and thereon burnt alive just because she was suspected of being a witch.

And how much have our Slovène provinces, especially, suffered from the Turks? It is indeed surprising to see them remain to be what they are today. It is, however, our forefathers to whom we owe our gratitude today for having preserved for us the country and for having saved our race from destruction.

And where are the castles, the very sight of which at one time caused enemies to fear and tremble? They are no more. The only remains of them we still find are ruins upon the mountains. These small remains indicate to us that at one time stood there mighty structures and they also vividly testify that the life of a man on this earth is of a short duration. The individual soon passes away, though a posterity remains on earth. The knights who at one time labored for their homes with their powerful right arms, still live among us, but only in story and in anecdote.

Among many ruins in Lower Carniola are the ruins of the one time famous Castle Kozjak. In the fifteenth century the Castle Kozjak was still a solid structure. It seemed as mighty as if it had been built to last for eternity. The round steeples upon the hill were proudly towering toward the sky and thus warning everyone afar that no one could enter the castle without the lord's consent. The skillfully built walls were impregnable, like solid rock.

Those who inhabited this castle were mighty and powerful lords. They had preserved their odd Slovène name, Kozjak, which had been in existence since time immemorial, and had been famous in the history of the Slovène people, even during that critical period when foreign aristocrats from Germany and Italy invaded the Slovenian provinces and drove away nearly all the natives of common birth. In those days the Kozjaks were a noble Slovène family. Alas! Such a family the Kozjaks were! There are few like them to be found living today upon Slovène land. Nearly all the noblemen and their posterity who at one time lived in the Slovène provinces have disappeared and are no more.

Upon another hill, not very far from the Castle Kozjak, was another castle, the Castle Shumbreg. It is related in a story that the two masons who built these two structures were brothers and that they built these two castles at the same time. As they had only one hammer between them, one of the brothers was obliged to lay stones while the other was using the hammer.

About four hundred years ago there lived two brothers by name Marcus and Peter Kozjak. The elder brother, Marcus, was about forty years of age. He was the lord of the family castle and of some other landed property bearing the Kozjak's name and being a part of the Kozjak's estate. Physically he was a powerful man, and he was generous at heart; he was a

good soul. No lord had ever been a better father to the poor peasants than Marcus Kozjak. When he had scarcely reached his majority, his father sent him to a military school in Germany so that he might receive military training there. Soldiering was the vocation which in those days was the most useful and popular. The youth fought in many wars waged in foreign lands, and had time and again distinguished himself as a hero. He also had developed physically and mentally. Before leaving Germany he was honorably discharged from the Emperor's army.

At home the young knight was esteemed and loved by all good neighbors. Not very long after he came home he became acquainted with a neighboring girl, the Lord Shumberg's daughter, whom he finally married. But Providence decreed that his happy married life should be of short duration. His wife died in her first confinement, leaving her lord and only son, George. Marcus would not consider marriage again, for he had loved his late wife too profoundly and could not forget her. The reason that this affection for his late wife was so deeply planted in his heart may have been because of so short duration of his married life. So he made up his mind to give his entire attention and his love to the rearing of his son, George, who so profoundly reminded him of his lost wife. He wished his young son to become a good Christian and good citizen.

Marcus Kozjak did not arm himself with his sword on any other occasion, but when the savage Turkish armies invaded the Slovenian provinces. This occurred, however, in those days, almost every year. In such event Marcus Kozjak willingly organized an army, composed of his servants and peasants, and helped to defend his country with all the power in his command. After the Turks had left the country for Turkey, either badly defeated or victorious and satiated with Christian blood and robbery, Marcus returned up to his castle and behind the walls. His activities, however, did not then cease. He was now helping the people in rebuilding their demolished homes and in healing the wounds which the Turks had inflicted upon the Carniolians in the continuous battle.

His brother, Peter Kozjak, was an entirely different type of man. Being the next youngest son in the family, his father set him aside for priesthood. Physically he was weak, and consequently entirely unfit for military service. Because his father did not have any use for Peter, other people also cared very little for him, so that even the servants despised him. For this reason the young lord would not approach any one; he hated everybody because he was of the opinion, and he was nearly right in this respect, that everybody disliked him. At last the child would no longer associate with the people at all. His sole amusement was the chasing and the killing of the geese with a stick in his father's yard. So this young and neglected boy had also become unmerciful at heart. Usually whatever is sown in the young heart is reaped in old age.

Without taking into consideration the tendency and vocation or the sacredness of the priesthood, the father sent Peter to the monastery (cloister) in Zaticna. He thought that by so doing he would provide his son with an easy livelihood. "All other things necessary to be a monk would come to him by the gift of nature," thought the father. But nothing comes out of nothing. The youth, however, was very bright and intelligent, but he was also very selfish and obstinate in the cloister. He would not study the lessons assigned to him by the monks. Neither did he care much for prayer. He was constantly disobeying the monks and violating all their orders. They soon realized that he could not become a priest. From the beginning, however, the Abbot had had patience with Peter — on account of the latter's father — thinking that he might yet reform. But as he remained the same malicious Peter, the Abbot sent him home to his father.

What would the father now do with Peter at home? Peter did not have any delight in a sword, nor was he capable of handling arms, because God had in Peter's infancy somewhat curved his legs outwardly and had placed a large head upon a short neck and broad humpbacked shoulders. Peter's father thought that a monk's capuchine might cover these deformities, but a coat-of-mail would not fit him. So at last he assigned Peter a room in the remotest corner in the castle, where the old handwritten books were stored. Not having anything else to do, Peter began to read and to study the old books. In those days this was a task a great deal more difficult than it is today when we have books printed from modern type.

Not very long thereafter, the old Kozjak passed away. In his will he bequeathed the greater part of his estate to his elder son, Marcus, who was then away from home, and the rest of his property he left to a young relative, Ludevick Kozjak; so that Peter inherited nothing else but a comfortable place in the castle, where he might live with his brother, and other necessary provisions he was to use during his natural life.

(To be continued)

A JAPANESE FOLK STORY

(Continued from page 3)

in your country. Can that be true, Great Sir?"

Then the Tiger roared his answer so that it echoed through the vast forest. "True it is, indeed, and it is also true though perhaps you have not heard it, that no one in the world can run so fast as can I."

"I have heard that you are a very wonderful animal," said the Fox, "but I, too, have quite a reputation as a runner. Perhaps we might arrange to race together, while you are visiting in our country. Will you race with me, King Tiger?"

The Tiger laughed at this as though it was a huge joke. "Yes," I will race with you," he said, "though, of course, you can hardly expect to win, yet if you really want to race, I will. Let us start at once."

They asked the Bear to be the judge, and agreed to run around the great forest. At the signal they were off, the wiley Fox leaping lightly be-

hind the great Tiger. Then with a bound the fox leapt lightly up and caught hold of the Tiger's tail. Then he gave another spring and landed on the tiger's back. The tiger ran on faster and faster. He ran faster than he had ever run before in all his life. He was so interested in the race that he did not notice the Fox.

Just as the Tiger was about to reach the goal he suddenly whisked around to scoff at the fox whom he supposed to be far behind. This sudden turning threw the Fox off the Tiger's back and over his head to the goal line so that he was able to call out to the astonished Tiger: "Here I am, Great King, what delayed you so long?"

The Tiger then felt that the animals of Japan were much too clever for him, so he went quietly back to his own country and there he stayed. And that is the reason, the little Japanese children believe, why there are no Tigers in Japan.

MLADINSKI DOPISI
Contributions from our Junior Members**SUMMER MORNING**

The ideal beauty of a thought in a poet's or artist's mind is a summer morn. The sun, a golden disc, slowly casts its bewildering rays over the slumbering world. Around the sky float fleecy, pink and white clouds, while the sky itself is an azure blue. The birds then begin to twitter. The dew sparkles like so many glittering jewels among the grass. The flowers sleepily nod their heads as they are fanned by the clean fresh breeze. Nearby is a lake with ripples and waves gliding over its surface. The sunrays turn the ripples into myriads of colors, golden, blue, greenish and in some places very dark.

The fir trees on the shore are lined like sentinels followed by a large army of stalwart pines in back, a forest. A farmhouse on the other side of the lake is clearly beginning to show signs of life. A figure is hurrying to a nearby barn, probably the maid with the milk pail. Another is seen following a long herd of cattle. The figure is leading them to pasture, followed by a large, shepherd dog.

The sun rises high and awakens the rest of the sleeping world to start another new day.

Jeanette Segal (Age 15),
Lodge No. 70 J. S. K. J.

AN ADVENTUROUS DREAM

Mike, alone, went in the woods to seek adventure. He found it very interesting out in the woods, because of the different things he found and saw. He ran here and there, and almost everywhere.

All at once he found a path with foot prints, he never saw before, that curved around a high rock. He followed the path thinking that no danger will come to pass.

He came to a large, iron door, and opened it. It was dark inside the cave, but a little light was shining in the corner. Mike quickly closed the door behind him and walked toward the light, an old man was sitting there busily at work.

"Good morning, sir," said Mike to the old man.

"Good morning," returned the man.

"Do you live here alone?" asked Mike.

"No," answered the man. "I was —"

Mike fell to the ground because he saw queer looking figures that were coming in at the door. Mike was frightened to death. He awoke and found himself lying near the bed side.

Louis Sever (Age 12),
Lodge No. 1 J. S. K. J.

MY TERRIBLE FRIGHT

One warm summer day my brother and I went to the pasture to pick flowers. On our way we saw a cow, first we were greatly frightened then we saw that it didn't have any horns, and we thought we were out of danger.

First we went to an apple tree, after we did all our picking we started for home. We started to go the longway, but we saw a cow with horns so I didn't go the longway, but my brother coaxed me so I had to go long way. We started to cross the brook, when we crossed the brook we were on the same side of the brook as the cow, my brother threw a stone at the cow so it would run away, but instead it chased us. My brother ran to the fence and started crying. I was only about half way there. I yelled to my brother to run and cross the brook. He did what I told him and I threw a blossom at the cow, then I ran. I jumped across the brook, but the cow

chased us no more.

Jennie Bouha (Age 9),
Lodge No. 71 J. S. K. J.

ENDING SCHOOL

On the Friday before ending school two of our teachers accompanied us to the Carnegie Institute, which is situated at the entrance to Pittsburgh. First we had a lecture on the mammals in the museum. Then we had one in the art gallery which I enjoyed the most. I cannot draw but as the young lady there told us, we can at least admire the painting, drawings and the others pertaining to art. The trip was well enjoyed by all and very instructive.

The Monday following we held an annual exhibition in our school which included the work of all the Braddock public schools.

Tuesday was our great day, for didn't we graduate? Will we not enter the Freshman class in the Fall? Oh, how pleased we all were to think that the white paper with the blue ribbon handed to us by

THE PAGEANT
On May 29th, 1928 the rain Public Schools gave Pageant at the new field. Allan Baldwin as Herald announced the opening of the nations festival. Longfellow, a Junior High School presented Holland, costumed in bright colors. The dance began with a march of "Lauderbach." The presented wind mill of Holland and the dance of the Hollander during the May Day festivities.

Hawthorne presented France in a French flower market scene. Here one saw the typical French flower girl with buds and blooms. The aristocracy were dressed in typical modern Parisian style, while the peasants wore simple costumes.

Whittier, the Junior High School that I go to presented Chioslovakia. A folk dance marked the episode. The boys plait willow wands and trimmed them with bright ribbons with which the girls so prettily swished the girls won't be lazy. The boys wearing riding boots and pants, also wore boleras and blouses. The girls wore colorful skirts, full blouses and bright shawls. The girls carried baskets of Easter eggs, while the school orchestra played while the Chechoslovakians danced.

The grammar schools presented the different countries Japan, in which designed costumes were worn. Lanterns were carried in the true Japanese fashion.

Germany, in which dances were held. The celebration of Spring and Winter were presented.

Spain, in which Columbus were given in the court of King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella. The scene was a picturesque one. Spanish dances. A captain of soldiers, queen and attendants, priests, sailors and a doctor were included.

A Belgian festival consisting of athletic contests as: running, walking, tumbling and a race.

A Polish street scene in market place was represented. It was "Gala" day in Poland. There were five poles to dance around. The dancers. All of the Marqueses were very beautiful. They see. I enjoyed them much and hoped that you all would have seen the Pageant.

The Italian scene consisted of the Garland and Pine tree before Queen of beauty. There was a ceremony and dancing the "Tarantella," the typical dance of Italy.

The Lorain High School last one participated in the May pole dances. There were five poles to dance around the dancers. All of the Marqueses were very beautiful. They see. I enjoyed them much and hoped that you all would have seen the Pageant.

Richard Jones Richard sat on the back door step, his elbows on his knees. The Richard

Dalig na 5. stranž Richard

RICHARD JONES Richard sat on the back door step, his elbows on his knees. The Richard

Dalig na 5. stranž Richard

LADINSKI DOPISI Contribution from Our Junior Members

(Nadalevanje iz 4. strani)

ford a good deal of entertainment in their good fishing grounds, the canoe trips, hiking and other things.

We are all proud of the beautiful forests with big trees and different species of flowers.

Ely boasts of eight schools. The Memorial High School has just recently been established. It has a large gymnasium and swimming pool.

There are long and cold winters with lots of snow here. The children go coasting, skiing, tobogganing and make snow-houses and snow-men.

Josephine Slogar (Age 15),
Lodge No. 120 J. S. K. J.

Cleveland, O.
Dvakrat na leto imamo mi učenci, ki hodimo v Slovensko mladinsko šolo, svojo prireditve; za Božič in proti koncu šolskega leta.

Hurrying, I ran downstairs to have breakfast. I was eating so fast I spilled my milk. Running out of the house without putting on a coat or hat, I ran to school. On my way I dropped my books three times.

When I came to school I had all my work to do. I just began to do my arithmetic when the bell rang, to begin our class. I didn't have any work done. I got zero for the day.

After that I never leave my work for the morning.

Tony Nemgar (Age 9),
Lodge No. 25, Eveleth, Minn.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY
There was a birthday party here on May 19th, 1928, it was held by Mary V. Yaksetich, she was 20 years old. The music was furnished by Louis Dicher, we had a very good time, we danced all night through.

Supper was served at 10:30, and there was another party here on Decoration Day. This party was held by Mrs. Pay, we had good time there, too.

I think this will be all for this time, I will write more the next time.

tako ploskali.
Frances Bogolin (12 let),

(Pripomba urednika: Gorjne tri dopise so pisale učenke Slovenske mladinske šole Slovenskega Narodnega Domu v Clevelandu. Vidi se, da ne hoodie zaman k slovenskemu podrodu v šole prostih dneh).

WHAT HAPPENED TO ME

One morning I woke up very late and looking up at the clock, I saw that I had only a few minutes left for school. I had all my school work to do. While putting on my shoe laces, they broke. I ran upstairs to see if I could find another pair. I found a pair and these I put on without breaking them, but I left them untied.

Going downstairs, I stepped on the laces. I fell and hurt myself.

Letos smo igrali igro "Kralj Matjaž." Jaz sem imela vlogo matere Matjete. Moja sošolka je pa igrala mojega moža. Smešno se je meni zdelo, ko sem opletala v tistem dolgem nabranem krilu in s tistimi velikimi, težkimi čevljimi. Pokrita sem bila z ruto.

Najbolj smešno pa je bilo, ko je moj najmlajši sinček (Fr. Ažman pri zajutku kar na mizo zlezel in zajemal žgance z mlekom. Ker jih je pa menda ta večer jedel prvič, je skoraj vse raztrešel po mizi. Ljudje so se na vso moč smejal. Meni je malo manjkalo, da se nisem zadavala na žgancih, tako me je smeh silil.

Mojim staršem so se posebno dopadle vile, ko so tako lepo plele in plesale okrog Ivana, ki je spel. Ivan je bil tisti junak, ki je zbudil kralja Matjaža iz spanja.

Jennie Gartoza (15 let),

NEKAJ O IGRI "KRALJ MATJAŽ"

Vsako leto imamo učenci, kateri hodimo v slovensko šolo ob sobotah, mladinsko prireditve za Božič in h koncu šolskega leta. Na 29. aprila smo imeli igro "Kralj Matjaž" v Slovenskem Narodnem Domu na St. Clair Ave.

Jaz sem tudi bila ena tistih srečnih, ki so igrali. Ker sem velika in močna, sem dobila moško ulogo. Pomislite, igrala sem očeta Podgornika. Ivan, kateri je prebudil Kralja Matjaža, je bil moj sin.

Smešna sem se zdel sama sebi, ker sem se oblekla v dolge hlače, moško srajco in škorjne do kolen. Dali so mi druge lase in brke, ki so mi tako nagaiale pod nosom. V prvem dejanju smo prišli na oder s travnikom, kjer smo seno sušili, jaž, moja žena Marjeta, hlapec in dve dekli, Ana in Micka.

Jaz in hlapec sva nosila koso, vilo in grablje na ramah, ena dekla je nosila jerbas, druga pa vŕc z vodo.

V tej igri sem prvič igrala. Morala sem paziti, da se nisem spozabila, da igram moško vlogo. Mojim staršem in tudi drugim je igra zelo ugašala.

Olga Groznik (13 let),

NEKAJ O IGRI "KRALJ MATJAŽ"

Ko je povedala učiteljica, da bomo imeli igro, smo se zelo veselili. Vsak je bil radošen, kaj bo on igral. Eden teden pred igro nam je dala vstopnice za prodajati. Komaj smo pričakovali 29. aprila, da se bomo pokazali na odru.

Jaz sem bila vojak. Tisti večer je že prišel. Že ko smo se oblačili, smo bili veseli. Vojaki smo peli "Hej Slovenci." Ob koncu igre, ko se je Ivan vrnil zopet domov, smo ga bili vsi veseli in pel je z nami "Kdor ima srce, zna za dom solze . . ." in "Lepa naša domovina."

V prvem dejanju so otroci na vasi peli "Pomlad," "Majnikova," "Ptiček prav majhen je," in "Škerjanček poje, žvrgoli." Škrat, dedek, Ivan in vsi smo igrali lepo, saj so nam ljudje

in zagotavlja, da nobenemu ne bo žal, če pride na večer 24. junija v dvorano sv. Jožefa. V odmorih nam bo zapel par lepih pesmi naš dobro znani pevec Charles Zobec. Vstopnina je zelo nizka: za odrasle 50 centov, za mladino ob šestega leta naprej 25 centov. Igral bo Izvrstni Suster orkester. Odbor bo poskrbel, da bo na razpolago dovolj tolažila za lačne in žene.

Vse tiste člane, ki niso bili navzoči na seji in jim sklep se je ni znan, opozarjam, da vsaki član in članica mora plačati vstopnico pa če se igre udeleže ali ne. Prav tako plačajo po 50 centov v društveno blagajno vsi člani našega društva, ki bi vajo izven društvenega sedeža.

Torej na svidenje 24. junija zvečer! Joseph Merhar.

DOPISI

Cleveland, O.

Po dolgem času se tudi jaz oglasim v našem glasilu, toda ne bom razpravljal o pravilih, kar je zdaj v modi in teklu, ampak napisal bom nekaj vrstic o zabavnih prireditvih. In sicer hčem omeniti piknik, ki ga priredi društvo George Washington, št. 180 J. S. K. Jednote v nedeljo 24. junija na dobroznanih Špelkotovih farmah. George Washington je mlado, angleško poslujoče društvo, obstoječe včinoma iz naše tu rojene mladine. Pri tem naj še omenim, da je to društvo najmočnejše med angleško poslujočimi društvi naše Jednote, in da prirede svoj prvi letošnji piknik. Vedno povarjam, da naša bodočnost je v mladini, zato ni več kot prav, da vsi člani J. S. K. Jednote v tej okolici po možnosti posečemo njih prireditve in jih s tem moralno in gmotno podpiramo.

Prostor piknika je lahko doseg. Vzeti je treba St. Clair karlo do konca, tam pa "dinki" do Bliss Road. Tam bo čakal "truck," ki bo vozil udeležence brezplačno na prostor zabave. Omenjeni prostor je za te vrste zabave pripraven, ker je ob cesti, torej ga je lahko doseči poleg tega ima pa tudi precej strehe, da se zabava lahko vrši tudi v slučaju slabega vremena. Na prostoru je pripravno kegljišče, kjer se bodo udeleženci lahko s kegljanjem zabavali. Ob treh popoldne se bo pričela kegljaška tekma med igralci društva št. 180 in društva Betsy Ross, št. 186 J. S. K. Jednote. Tu se bo pokazalo, katero društvo ima boljše kegljice in več sreče.

Razume se, da bo na razpolago mnogo dobrov v tekočih in drugih oblikah, in da se plesalci ne bodo dolgočasili, bo skrbel Valentijn Turkov duet. Vsi člani in članice J. S. K. Jednote v Velikem Clevelandu, kakor tudi ostali Slovenci so vladivo vabljeni, da posetijo prireditve tega mladinskega društva. Dobra zabava in dobra postrežba je zagotovljena vsem. Posebno pa je želeti, da poseti tega piknil kar v največjem številu članstvu J. S. K. Jednote in tako moralno in gmotno podpre društvo George Washington. Člani in članice tega društva se lojalno udeležujejo, prireditve drugih društav J. S. K. Jednote, in so tudi draga volje na razpolago, kadar je pri takih prilikah treba prijeti za kakšno delo. Pokažimo mi starejši, da znamo ceniti njih delo za J. S. K. Jednote in za druge slovenske ustanove. Če bo mladina videla, da jo cenimo in vpoštavamo, nas bo cenila in vpoštavala tudi ona. Mladina je tista, ki bo polnila razredčene vrste v naši organizaciji, če jo bomo znali pridobiti zase. Če se ne bomo brigali zanjo, pojde svoja pota in mi bomo ostali sami.

Torej člani in članice J. S. K. Jednote in drugi rojaci v Clevelandu, ki želite dobre zabave v nedeljo 24. junija, ne pozabite, da prirede ta dan društvo George Washington svoj piknik na Špelkotovih farmah, in pridite!

Frank Zorich, član društva George Washington, št. 180, J. S. K. Jednote.

A PIG

My dear friends, do not laugh if I tell you a story of a pig.

It was one night early in the morning, I got so scared that I jumped out of bed. I heard something squealling out in the street. I looked through the window and I saw three men were chasing the pig. I pity the pig because the men were rolling the pig and pulling his ears and tail and they went down the steps. Then they took the pig back to the stock yard. After that I went back to bed, and I had an awful dream, that poor pig spoiled all my good sleep.

Anna Znidarsic (Age 12),
Lodge No. 12 J. S. K. J.

TAKIN RIDES IN EUCLID BEACH PARK

In summer I go to the Euclid Beach Park when there are free rides. Most of all I like the Merry-go-round. On Sundays, my father takes me there and let me have rides. Once I went in a motor boat which was very low. At first I was afraid, but now I am used to it.

On week days I go myself, because we live near the beach. On Memorial Day and Fourth of July they have fireworks out on the pier. I like to hear the noise they make.

At night, when we go home we can see the fireworks from our room.

Alice Baskovich (Age 10),
Lodge No. 37 J. S. K. J.

Kraljeva roža na Japonskem.

V splošnem se sodi, da so na vasi peli "Pomlad," "Majnikova," "Ptiček prav majhen je," in "Škerjanček poje, žvrgoli." Škrat, dedek, Ivan in vsi smo igrali lepo, saj so nam ljudje

ereditev, in zagotavlja, da nobenemu ne bo žal, če pride na večer 24. junija v dvorano sv. Jožefa. V odmorih nam bo zapel par lepih pesmi naš dobro znani pevec Charles Zobec. Vstopnina je zelo nizka: za odrasle 50 centov, za mladino ob šestega leta naprej 25 centov. Igral bo Izvrstni Suster orkester. Odbor bo poskrbel, da bo na razpolago dovolj tolažila za lačne in žene.

na Travnikarjevi farmi!
Peter Klobuchar,
predsednik dr. št. 144 JSKJ

Lorain, O.

Dosti otrok vseh narodnosti je končalo osem razredov ali višjo šolo, tudi več naših slovenskih je med njimi.

Iz Lorain High School sta graduirali dve Slovenki, Sophie Bohorich in Anna Kodelja.

Slednja je odšla 18. junija v Kent kolegij, da se izuči za učiteljico.

Ona je prva naša Slovenka, ki se je podala in izbrala poklic.

Zelimo ji srečno vodočnost.

Iz St. Mary's višje šole sta graduirala Patrik Virant, najmlajši sin Mrs. Gertrude Virant in Terezija Perušek.

Imamo tudi par družin izvzen mesta. Tam sta končala iz Brookside desetrazredne šole Andy Petkovsek in William Ratholina.

Domača osemrazredna farna šola sv. Cirila in Metoda je tudi izpustila 11 učencev in učenek; diplome so prijeli: J. Jakopin, J. Rožanc, L. Susteršič, J. Vidrik, Fr. Pavlič, J. Zore, Fr. Jancar, J. Jancar, J. Skrjanc, H. Kompare, J. Paul, Fr. Dougan, S. Janežič, Sciladi, M. Svet, M. Šiška, Perušek.

Upamo, da vsak izmed teh dobro nadaljuje in izvrši svoj izbran poklic.

Imamo pa nekaj takih malih učenčkov, ki se kar pri mate-

rah uče in pripravljajo za družbo.

Ena taka učenka je tam pri Lavrenčiču že dva tedna.

Pa jo tudi radi imajo, saj so bili že trije dečki. Eden izmed njih se je že poslovil, najbrž je bil poduk pretežak.

Tudi družini John Juha čestitamo k novorojenčku, ki se je 14. junija oglašila, da ostane za vedno in da bo hitro zrasla. Gotovo sta skupaj šla, ker sta se oba en dan udinjala, zakaj pri družini Valentin Gradišek je pa novo-rojenček ostal, da bo delal družbeni sestrič.

Prvi piknik samostojnega podpornega društva Slovenski Narodni Dom je dobro izpal.

Vršil se je 17. junija na Kosovi farmi.

Svetovna "liza" je komaj čakala, da gre k počitku.

Pa zakaj ne, saj je prenašala celi dan živo in mrtvo, dobro in slabo, sladko in grena, dolgo in kratko, gorko in mrzlo.

Sej pa sami uganite, kaj vse je to bilo.

Ker je bil dan precej gorak, je pa še pozne posetnike dež omčil, mene tudi.

Še John Ivančič je prišel z družino ogledati našo živo nasajeno farmo.

Upamo, da ima on družine opremljeno in urejeno, saj

se je manjo podal zgodaj spomladi.

Zelimo obilo uspeha!

Pozdrav! V. Kumše.

Cokedale, Colo.

Sejo društva sv. Jurija, št. 118 J. S. K. Jednote, ki se je vršila dne 10. junija, so posestili predsednik, tajnik in blagajnik društva sv. Andreja, št. 84 J. S. K. Jednote.

Pri tisti priliki smo razpravljali o združenju našega z omenjenim društvom. Ker se pa čuje, da ne bili vsi člani s tem zadovoljni, je najboljše, da se glede te zadeve tajno voli. To tajno glasovanje, tikajoče se z druženja omenjenih društev, se bo vršilo drugo nedeljo prihodnjega meseca, to je 8. julija. Prošeni so torej vsi člani našega društva, da se seje 8. julija go-to udeležje.

Sobratom Smith, Karcich in Tomisch pa izrekam na tem mestu prisrčno Zahvala za njih poset.

— Z bratskim pozdravom Joseph Furlan, tajnik društva št. 118 JSKJ.

Y

RAZPRAVE O PRAVILIH

(Nadaljevanje iz 5. strani)

ali tam se seveda naleti na brezbrinjega tajnika, ki pozabi na pravila in ne pošteje poročila pravočasno. V takih slučajih, če je navedeni vzrok logičen, se izplača kot priporoča društvo. Mi bomo vedno imeli nekaj lahkomiselnih tajnikov. Nikoli ne bomo perfektni. Tudi druge slovanske organizacije ne bodo imele nikoli v vseh ozirih perfektnega sistema: toda po moji sodbi je sedanji naš kartni sistem najbolj zadovoljiv. Ni zadovoljivo samo za člane in tajnike, ampak tudi za zdravnike, ki morajo izpolniti ta poročila. Kako hitro dobim tako prijavo kartico, pregledam diagnozo, in če se pri tem v mojih mislih pojavi kakšno vprašanje, začnem takoj s preiskavo. To se zgodi brez vednosti tajnika, ker vem, da tajniki imajo dovolj dela, ne da bi jim bilo treba še letati po mestu in iskati tega ali onega zdravnika. Če je M. Vider imel kakšne izkušnje v tem oziru, in on jih je gotovo imel nekaj kot sedanji klerk v uradu SNPJ, bo vedel, da je informacije od zdravnikov zelo težko dobiti. Meni je znano, da je bilo mnogokrat iskanje takih informacij neuspešno, toda, če sem jaz ali kateri drugi zdravnik pisal na gotovega zdravnika ali bolnišnico, so navadno dospele informacije. Odvetniki odgovarjajo odvetnikom, medtem ko ne odgovarjajo na vprašanja drugih oseb. Tako je tudi z zdravniki. Mr. Vider morda ne ve, da zdraviki niso dolžni povedati vsega, kar vedo o svojih pacientih. Oni večkrat odgovore vrhovnemu zdravniku organizacije in mu dajo namigljaj, katero pot naj vzame, da bo potrebe informacije v gotovem slučaju. Poleg tega navaden človek ne vse vseh zdravniških izrazov; ne poznava vseh komplikacij. Član morda trpi na sifilisu, toda diagnoza na kartici označa kakšno posledico omenjene bolezni. Ako mož, ki ima s tem opraviti, ni medicinsko izobražen, bo šla takrat skozi brez vprašanja od strani bolniškega tajnika. Zavarovalne družbe plačajo letno tisoče dolarjev zdravnikom, če ne bi smatralo to za dobičkanosno in pametno, sem gotov, da bi ta denar rajše izplačale v obliki dividend. Toda družbe smatrajata tak sistem za dobičkanosen, zato skrbe, da upravljajo tozadevne deparmente zdravniki. Iz dopisa Mr. Vidra povzamem, da ni imel v takih zadevah nikakih izkušenj. Če ni imel izkušenj glede zdravstvenega nadzorja odškodninskih zahtev, kje ima podlago za svoje trditve?

Ton njegovega dopisa mi da misliti, da ni zelo natačno zasledoval poslovanje v J. S. K. Jednoti. Mogoče se je začel zanimati za zadeve JSKJ od kar je bil izvoljen delegatom. Jaz sem prepričan, da članstvo JSKJ zna, da sem jaz pisal o različnih problemih, katere on omenja, in da sem navajal izkušnje in mnenje, ne samo z ozirom na JSKJ, ampak na več drugih organizacij, katerih nekatere so mnogo večje kot SNPJ. Meni se zdi, da Mr. Vider ni kvalificiran govoriti o teh vprašanjih. Jaz sem siguren, da vem o postavah toliko, kot ve Mr. Vider o medicini, mogoče še nekoliko več, toda še nikdar me niste slišali, da bi se bil glede postav prerekal z odvetniki, ki posvečajo ves svoj čas temu predmetu.

V enem njegovih dopisov se ni strinjal z menoj glede lestvice asesmentov za bolniško podporo, toda sam ni priporočal nič boljšega. Ako nimam sam priporočati kaj boljšega, je moje mnenje, da nisem upravičen kritizirati priporočila koga drugega, ki ni le ugibal glede številk, ampak si je vzel

čas, da je pregledal poslovanje J. S. K. Jednote za več let preteklosti. Mr. Pishler, glavni tajnik, in jaz, sva se strinjala, da lestvica, ki sem jo priporočal, bi bila približno prava. Ne domišljala si, da sva perfektna, toda lahko trdiva, da delava za najboljše interese J. S. K. Jednote.

Jaz upam, da Mr. Vider prineže na konvencijo kaj konstruktivnega. Naj ima J. S. K. Jednota v mislih ta čas. Naj pozabi vsaj začasno, da je klerk v uradu S. N. P. Jednote, in naj pomni, da je zastopnik društva št. 104, ki je postojanka J. S. K. Jednote. Mi hočemo izboljšati naš sistem. Mi nikoli ne diktiramo, toda lahko nasvetujemo. Od članstva, oziroma od delegatov na konvenciji pa je odvisno, da li se nasveti vpoštovajo ali ne.

Nobenega boljšega dokaza za dober napredok J. S. K. Jednote se ne more najti, kot je dejstvo, da se je število njenega članstva v treh letih povečalo za več kot 25%, medtem ko je S. N. P. Jednota napredovala za manj kot 7%. Tega fakta ni mogoče zanikati. To mora posmeti, da so naši člani z zunanjim svetom vred zadovoljni, da je J. S. K. Jednota v resnici A GRAND OLD ORGANIZATION. — (Dalje prihodnjic).

Dr. Jos. V. Grahek,
vrhovni zdravnik J. S. K. J.

Barberton, O.

Ne glede na to, da eni smatrajo kritiko kot nekak napad, je neobhodno potrebna, ako hočemo imeti pravo demokracijo in ne avtokracijo. Na pravi demokraciji sloni enakopravnost in bratstvo. Nasveti in priporočila v našem glasilu si nekatera kako nasprotujejo in je sploh nemogoče vsem pritrditi; še bolj nemogoče pa bi bilo za konvencijo vse upoštevati. Le tisti, ki nima odkrijsršnih namenov, tisti, ki misli, da le on vse ve in tisti, kateri se ne ozira ali misli na splošno dobro za članstvo in mu je le, da se uveljavijo njegove osebne ideje, se boji kritike. V pretres bi rad vzel neke nasvette in priporočila pridobena v našem glasilu, ne glede ako je kje zopet kaka zamera.

1. Več članov in tudi naš vrh. zdravnik priporočajo zvišanje bolniškega asesmenta, da se ubranimo nakladom. Neki član je povedal, da bi to posmetilo toliko kot zapreti vratova novemu članstvu. Meni se zdi, da ima zadnji prav. Omenju se med drugim Manchester lestvico, po kateri bi tisti, ki opravljajo težka in nevarna dela, plačevali večji asesment kot drugi. Mogoče je ta lestvica najbolj poštena, ali bilo bi pri tem veliko težav in situnosti in bi nam navsezadnjebolj škodila kot koristila. Ko se je pred leti hotelo nekaj enakega vpeljati pri neki jednoti, je prišel tam vsled tega razkol in posledica je bila, da se je del članstva, ki bi bil pri tem prizadet, odcepil od jednote in si ustavil svojo novo — našo jednoto. Težkoča je, ker naše članstvo ni profesionalno zaposleno, si preminja vrsto dela in tudi ni povsod stalno zaposleno. Mislim da ne pretiravam, ako povem, da je članstvo splošno proti povišanju asesmenta in da bi imelo še v naprej, ako se ne da drugače pomagati, sem pa tja raje naklado kot povišani asesment.

Ne glede na to, da smo imeli več naklad, pa nekateri še vedno več zahtevajo v obliki raznih novih podpor za razne operacije. To, bratje in sestre, naj se opusti in obudi šele takrat, ko bo rasla rezerva v skladu, iz katerega se take podpore plačujejo. Ako se ne moremo drugače ubraniti nakladom, naj se bi bolniška podpora omemila po načinu kakor eni priporočajo in kar se je sprejelo tudi že drugod,

namreč, da se določi do koliko podpore je vsak član upravičen na leto, oziraje se na to, kako dolgo je že član jednote. To bi imelo za dobro lastnost, da se bi članstvo bolj držalo jednote in to slabu lastnost, da bi bilo malo težje pridobiti novo članstvo.

2. Več članov priporoča, da se naj bi v prihodnjem ne plačala nobena provizija organizatorjem. Prav dobra ideja, samo jaz kot gotovo tudi drugi bi radi vedeli, da zakaj niso ti ob enem tudi povedali način, po katerem bi dobili organizatorje, kateri bi šli kot dosedaj agitirati brez vsake provizije. Pravijo, da organizatorju ni do tega koga da pridobi, pa naj si bo tudi trhlega zdravja, samo da se dobi provizija. Na prvi pogled dober argument. Zopet pa lahko povem iz lastne iskušnje kot organizator pred leti, da zdravega, močnega in mladega, posebno takega, ki nima nevarnega dela, je treba iskati in ga prigovarjati, med tem ko za take, ki morda že čutijo bolezni, ni treba organizatorja, ker ti se sami ponudijo za pristop.

3. Društvo iz Minnesota priporoča, da ne tajniki, ampak blagajniki naj prejemajo čeke iz gl. urada. Tajnik, ki hočeta natanko voditi svoje knjige, mora vknjiziti vsak ček, ki ga prejme od jednote. Vedeti mora kedaj čeki pridejo. Tajnik samo ima naslove od članstva in ta najbolj ve, kjer da stanujejo, in ako je bolni član na potrem listu, kam ga naj pošlje. Denar za mladoletno dediče, ako se hrani pri jednoti, je seveda na obrestih. Tajnik ima zabilježeno kolika svota pripada takemu dediču, ne pa koliko svoto bo prejel z obrestmi vred. Ako bi blagajnik prejemal čeke, bi se moral o vsem tem voditi natančen zapisnik in potem istega vsak mesec izročiti tajniku, da prepiše v svoje knjige. Stvar bi, kakor vidite, povzročila le še več dela in sitnosti. Čeke naj prejema tajnik kot do sedaj, ako pa se hoče tajniku kaj pomagati, naj pride blagajnik po čeke k tajniku in jih namesti njega raznese bolnikom. Dvomim pa, da bi to bilo zadovoljivo; posebno ne še tam, kjer tajnik in blagajnik živita daleč eden od drugega.

4. Neki sobrat priporoča znižanje številcev gl. porotnikov. Mislim pa, da se je ta sobrat precej spozabil, ko pove, da so porotniki navadno čisto priprosti delavci. To se mi zdi, kot da bi hoteli nekateri upeljati med nami Slovenci nekake razrede, kot jih imajo v starem kraju, to je nižje sloje, srednje sloje, višje sloje, visoke, plemenitost itd. Tako pisane je naravnost sramotene, lahko rečem izključno večine našega članstva. Naša jednota ne potrebuje nikakih takih, ki se v svoji domovini prištevajo k "boljši družbi!" ampak posredni, delavni ljudi, pa naj si bodo to diti diggers ali profesorji. Prvi je lahko boljši predsednik jednote ali sploh gl. uradnik kot zadnji. To niso samo domneve, ampak fakti, katere lahko sami vidite. Naša jednota ni nikak znanstveni laboratorij, ampak priprosta demokratična naprava, in tisti, ki so jo dosedaj vodili, niso imeli nobenih diplom, izvzemši seveda gl. uradnika vrh. zdravnika in pa odvetnika, ako ga jednota potrebuje. Poznam več oseb, katere so v gl. uradu naših podpornih organizacij, kateri so zmožni v vseh oziilih in kateri so pred leti imeli ali imajo še zdaj na rokah želite od krampa in lopate. "Worth makes the man", je zapisal Benjamin Franklin, kateri je pustil šolo ko je bil star deset let, in kateri je zanimal mnenje, da tisti, ki vlažajo, so boljše krv in plemenitejše narave kot drugi ljudje.

Anton Okolish.

Cleveland, O.

Pravila odrastega oddelka so bila do sedaj še precej premleta, toda mladinskega se ni še noben dotaknil, čeravno poplagamo največ upanja na mladino. Tako izgleda, kot da pravila ml. oddelka so popolna, in ni prav nič za izboljšati.

Ako hočemo, da bomo imeli močan ml. oddelek, moramo odstraniti vse ovire, katere so nam sedaj v napotje, pa bomo imeli uspeh, kakoršnega si želimo.

Prvič moramo iz pravil izpustiti zdravniško preiskavo, katera nam je glavna ovira za pridobitev otrok.

Koliko je mater, ki bi dale v društvo otroke, ako bi ne bilo treba še letati po mestu in iskati tega ali onega zdravnika. Če je M. Vider imel kakšne izkušnje v tem oziru, in on jih je gotovo imel nekaj kot sedanji klerk v uradu SNPJ, bo vedel, da je informacije od zdravnikov zelo težko dobiti. Meni je znano, da je bilo mnogokrat iskanje takih informacij neuspešno, toda, če sem jaz ali kateri drugi zdravnik pisal na gotovega zdravnika ali bolnišnico, so navadno dospele informacije. Odvetniki odgovarjajo odvetnikom, medtem ko ne odgovarjajo na vprašanja drugih oseb. Tako je tudi z zdravniki. Mr. Vider morda ne ve, da zdraviki niso dolžni povedati vsega, kar vedo o svojih pacientih. Oni večkrat odgovore vrhovnemu zdravniku organizacije in mu dajo namigljaj, katero pot naj vzame, da bo potrebe informacije v gotovem slučaju. Poleg tega navaden človek ne vse vseh zdravniških izrazov; ne poznava vseh komplikacij. Član morda trpi na sifilisu, toda diagnoza na kartici označa kakšno posledico omenjene bolezni. Ako mož, ki ima s tem opraviti, ni medicinsko izobražen, bo šla takrat skozi brez vprašanja od strani bolniškega tajnika. Zavarovalne družbe plačajo letno tisoče dolarjev zdravnikom, če ne bi smatralo to za dobičkanosno in pametno, sem gotov, da bi ta denar rajše izplačale v obliki dividend. Toda družbe smatrajata tak sistem za dobičkanosen, zato skrbe, da upravljajo tozadevne deparmente zdravniki. Iz dopisa Mr. Vidra povzamem, da ni imel v takih zadevah nikakih izkušenj. Če ni imel izkušenj glede zdravstvenega nadzorja odškodninskih zahtev, kje ima podlago za svoje trditve?

Torej delegacija prihodnjem konvenciju naj vrže na star kožuh za plot, ako resno želi, da bomo imeli uspeh v pridobivanju mladine. Društveni odbor naj ima polno moč, da otroke sprejema v društvo, brez vsake zdravniške preiskave.

Druga ograja je zopet ta, da mora biti eden starije član jednote ali reditelj (če nimajo otroci starije), kar je popularna nepotrebnost.

Dobjeo se, ko sta oče in mati zavarovalna toliko, da ne moreta misliti na pristop v kakšno drugo organizacijo zaradi slabe finance, pa bi lahko otroki dali v društvo. Toda pravila so tako, da tega ne dovolijo in si tako zapiramov samim sebi pot k napredku.

Torej dajmo pravo podlagu za mladinski oddelek, da bomo res lahko rekli, da imamo moč v mladini.

Urednik.

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Bliža se trinajsta konvencija J. S. K. Jednote in kot je razvidno iz razprav o pravilih, se članstvo zelo zanima za to konvencijo in za bodočnost Jednote. Videti je, da je skoro največ zanimanja za vprašanje glede spremenitve jednotnine imena. Ne bom se prerekal s člani, ki ne vidijo v izprememi imena nikakega napredka za Jednoto, ker vsak ima pač svoje nazore in tudi svoje izkušnje. Jaz za svojo osebo pa vztajam pri trditvi, da bi primerno izpremenjeno ime organizacije precej pomagalo pri pridobivanju novih članov. Med najbolj važne probleme naše Jednote pa spada pridobivanje dobrih novih članov. Naša solventnost se bo pričela hitro krčiti, ko nam ne bo mogoče pridobivati novih, posebno mladih članov. Jaz zelo dvomim, da bi nam tisti "K" v imenu pridobil kaj članov, kajti kdor je vnet za dotično označbo (in vsak ima seveda neoporečno pravico biti, če hoče), pojde k organizaciji, ki nima samo katoliškega imena, ampak ima verske določbe tudi v pravilih. Na drugo stran sem pa siguren, da nam "K" odbije marsikoga, ki bi lahko postal dober član naše organizacije, pa ima pomislike vsed prej omenjene označbe. Torej, če nam je rast organizacije pri srcu, odstranimo vse zaprake, ki količkaj ovirajo dobro dobre novih članov.

Glede reprezentacije na konvenciji bi priporočal, naj bi se dotična točka izpremenila v toliko, da bi društva, ki imajo od 50 do 200 članov, bila opravljena do enega delegata. To priporočam zato, ker sem prejščan, da zadevam novo.

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Strinjam se tudi s priporočili sobrata Vidra iz Chicaga, ki priporoča, da bi se odpravile zdravniške prijavne karte in da se bolniških nakaznic ne bi pošiljalo v pregled vrhovnemu zdravniku, ampak direktno v urad glavnega tajnika. S tem bi se dalo precej prihraniti. Ne bom ponavljal, kar je sobrat Vidra pisal, priporočam pa članom in delegatom, da prečitajo tozadevni njegov dopis, pričeteno v Novi Dobi dne 6. junija, aka še tega niso storili.

Z bratškim pozdravom
K. Erznožnik,
član društva št. 58 J.S.K.J.

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Angleška vlada je nedavno zgradila veliko pristanišče v Takoradi na Zlatem obrežju zpadne Afrike. O prilikli otvoritve pristanišča, katerega zgradba je bila 20 milij