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## Komentarji

življenje, če je vredno. —  
Sanje o nebesih  
Meakins iz Kanade je pred  
nami na nekem zboru  
ameriških zdravnikov, da  
odnjih petdesetih letih, bc  
ki "ima kaj razuma ir  
e volje", lahko živel sto  
pedesetih let so raču  
vprečno starost človeka  
deset let, danes pa je več  
deset.

umnih ljudi z "odločno vo  
tem daje dr. Meakins  
st. je bilo zmirom dovolj  
se, da se taki ljudje naj  
izpravo, ker so navadni  
vnejsi. Edino s sredst  
hitro in popolnoma na  
izprano energijo, si bo  
vni ljudje mogli podaljša  
enje.

Klerikalni histerik ponovno blufa, kakor da je bila SNPJ ob  
svojem začetku drugačna kot je danes, recimo dobra — "posta  
vili so jo čisto drugačni ljudje" — toda danes je strašansko zanje.  
Zakaj histerični pisek ne pogleda v letnike jolietskega Amer. Slo  
venca iz let 1904, 1905, 1906 itd., ko so vodili SNPJ tisti "čisto  
drugačni ljudje", da bi videl, kako so jo župniki prav tako nesramno  
napadali in lagali o njej kakor delajo še danes? Cemu se hliniti,  
da je bila jednota prva leta drugačna, ko pa imamo črno na bele  
da je bila vseh trideset let slovenskim klerikalcem v Ameriki naj  
večji trn v peti? — In to ve tudi mladina, katero smo že infor  
mireni! —

Najlepša cvetka klerikalnega napada na SNPJ je pa v temle  
stavku: "Ne zapisujte hudiču svoje lastne krvi!" — V tem se  
zrcali višek katoliško-vraževerne kulturnosti in izobraženosti! Ka  
kor da ima baba opraviti s šestletnimi otroci, katerim kaže golo  
čeljust in jim grozi: "Če ne greste hitro spat in ne potegnete  
plahte čez glavo, pride parkeljek in vas požre!" — In to ob  
koncu prve tretjine dvajsetega stoletja!

Ni nam treba dokazovati, koliko dajo slovenski delavci v Amer  
iki na to babjo grožnjo — kakor nam ni treba dosti odgovarjati  
na absurdno "vprašanje", koliko je SNPJ koristila našemu na  
rodu v tej deželi. Dokazi so dejstva, ki jih vsakdo vidi, kdor ni  
totalno slep in med temi so pisači A. S., ki vidi le svojo stran.

SNPJ je še vedno največja, najsolidnejša, najsolventnejša,  
najcenejša in najgeneroznejša podpora organizacija med vsemi  
slovenskimi v Ameriki. To je en dokaz, da nima slabe uprave,  
slabega vodstva in slabega sistema; to je dokaz, zakaj je že davo  
no prerašla vse druge, tudi najstarejše katoliške organizacije.

Mladinski oddelek SNPJ je še vedno največji (danes okrog  
15,000) in letos bo še večji. Dokaz, da babja grožnja s "hudičem"  
ne plasi več naših ljudi.

SNPJ je v 30 letih svojega obstanka izplačala nad ŠTIRI  
NAJST MILIJONOV dolarjev v podporah svojim članom. Nov  
dokaz, da je SNPJ najkoristnejša in najgeneroznejša jednota  
med našim narodom v Ameriki!

SNPJ je kot prva demokratična organizacija prisilila v teku  
let druge jednote, da so se morale reformirati in posnemati našo  
jednoto. Nov dokaz koristnosti SNPJ!

Socialistično vodstvo pri SNPJ, ki pa ni bilo nikdar stod  
stotno, je staro 22 let — in baš v tem času je SNPJ prerasla vse  
druge jednote in stopila v vseh ozirih na prvo mesto. Nov dokaz  
da gre temu vodstvu le nekaj zasluge, čeprav ne vsa.

SNPJ je s svojimi svobodomiselnimi principi koristila svojim  
tisočerim članom tudi s tem, ker jim je prihranila ogromne tiso  
čake, da jih niso darovali na dlan "mrte roke" — cerkev. To je  
tudi nekaj vredno!

Vse to so dejstva. Ni treba nič bluffanja. Naši člani to vedo;  
tisoči drugih rojakov to vedo. Zato SNPJ letos spet raste in bo  
še rasla!

To vedo tudi klerikaci, zato njihov histerični krik in strah.  
Bratje in sestre, naprej! Mladino v naše vrste! Živila zdra  
va kri! —

## "Father" Coughlin kupil William Green vidi manj dela po Ameriki

V marcu je bilo brez dela skoraj 11 milijonov oseb

Miglaj iz Washingtona o pre  
iskavi razgalil radiopridigarja

Detroit, Mich. — Rev. Chas. A. Coughlin, znani radiopridigar in veliko zagovornik srebrne valute poleg zlate, je investiral \$20,000 v srebrno kovino. Za to vsoto je kupil pol milijona unč srebra v upanju, da se srebro podraži, ako se cene dvignejo na stopnjo leta 1926, kar je Rooseveltova želja. Investicija je bila narejena v imenu "Radio lige male rožice" in kot kupec je podpisana Amy Collins, tajnica in blagajnica te lige, katere ustavitelj in vodja je župnik Coughlin.

Ta transakcija s srebrom, ki diši močno po špekulaciji, je zadnje dni izvala slabe komentarje v Washingtonu; federalni zakladnik Morgenthau je nekaj omenil, da ta reč potrebuje preiskavo. To je razkačilo Coughlinovo in objavil je oster odgovor na naslov federalnega zakladnika s "pojasnilom", da radio liga investuje le začasno in kupuje le blago, ne pa papirjev na botni.

Te številke pokazujejo, da je za uporabo brezposelnih potrebo na nekaj več ko zvišanje bizniških aktivnosti. Jasno je, da se podjetniki bolj zanimajo za zvišanje produktivnosti na delavca, kakor pa za kreiranje dela," pravi Green.

V aprilu je bilo 20.8% orga  
niziranih delavcev brez dela, v februarju pa 21.3%.

## STAVKE V CLEVE- LANDU KLJUČ DO NOVIH BOJEV

Zmagi avtih in gasolinskih delavcev bodo sledile stavke v drugih mestih. Magnatje se zavedajo položaja

Cleveland, O. — (FP) — V dolgi verigi stavk, ki so zadnji teden paralizirale to mesto, sta najvažnejši stavki pri Fisher Body kompaniji in boj gasolinskih delavcev. Stavki nista le lokalnega, ampak tudi splošnega pomena, ker sta ključ do novih bojev v avtih industriji in prodaji gasolina.

Ce izpadajo te stavke ugodno za stavkarje, ni nobenega dvo  
ma, da jim bodo sledili delavci tudi v drugih mestih. Tega se

dobro zavedajo avtih in oljni magnati. Da preprečijo kapitu  
lacija tukajnjih ravnateljev,

so velike oljne družbe postale

semkaj svoje "mogule", visoke

uradnike, tudi iz New Yorka.

Slično tudi Fisher Body.

Gasolinskim družbam se do  
zdeva, da bodo imele opraviti s

slično stavko tudi v drugih mestih, če kapitulirajo pred clev  
landskimi delavci, ki zahtevajo

priznanje unije in višje plače.

Na gasolinskih postajah delajo

večinoma mladi delavci, gradu  
ranci srednjih in višjih šol.

Zahtevajo klub temu pa le od \$60

do \$90 na mesec.

Clevelandsko gasolinsko stavko opazujejo posebno gasolinski delavci v Detroitu, Akronu in v nekaterih drugih mestih, ki tu  
di govore o stavki. Ce zmagajo  
njih clevelandski tovarši, ne bo dolgo, ko bodo tudi druga mesta  
stala pred "gasolinsko sušo", ce se bodo družje upirale priznati  
unijo in druge zahteve.

Voditelji Ameriške delavske federacije, pod katero spada u  
nija gasolinskih delavcev, ki ima federalni čarter, očividno niso

naklonjeni stavki. Od tajnika

Morrisona so prejeli brzojav, v

katerem jih urgira, naj prene  
hajo s stavko, kar pa so delavci

zavrgli.

Bolj diplomatično je Greenovo stališče glede stavke pri Fisher Body. Tej stavki on očividno ne  
naspodbuja, ampak so delavci najbrž "odglasovali zanjo, ker so nezadovoljni s takto avtne  
ga delavskega odbora."

Za avtne delavce je ta stavka velike važnosti, prav tako tudi za magnate. "Ce jo ne zadužimo v povojih, se lahko zgodi, da bo prizadeta vsa dežela," je re  
kel L. E. Scarf, ravnatelj tukaj  
njene Fisher Bodyjeve tovarne.

Da bo prizadeta vsa proizvodnja Chevrolet modelov, je gotovo, ker bodo morale prenehati vse Chevrolet tovarne, če cleveland  
ska tovarna Fisher Body ne za  
obratuje. V tej tovarni ima družba namreč "master dies" ali velike žige za avtne ogrodja

Chevrolet modela.

Stavkarji zahtevajo od voditeljev ADF za avtne industrije, da pokličejo na stavko delavce tudi v drugih tovarnah Fisher Body in Chevrolet, predvsem v Detroitu in Pontiacu, Mich. Pri voditeljih ta zahteva ni takoj našla odmeva, vendar pa prihaja iz drugih centrov vse o mož  
nosti splošne stavke pri tej družbi.

Tukajnji delavci zahtevajo priznanje unije in zvišanje plače za 30%. Gotovo je to, da stavka izpada ugodno za tukajnje delavce, bo Fisher Body imela na rokah tudi stavko v drugih mestih. Za Rooseveltovo "soci  
alno inženirstvo", s katerim je zadnji preprečil splošno stavko v avtih industriji z znanim ča  
rovniškim kompromisom, je ta stavka prva večja klofuta. Rooseveltov kompromis sploh ni mogel roditi drugega, ker raz  
vraženje rešeno.

Zatiranje katoliških listov v Nemčiji

Berlin, 30. apr. — Nacistička

policija je zaplenila katoliški cer  
kveni tednik v Berlinu in usta  
vila dva druga lista na deželi. Do

danes so nacisti zatrali pet katoli  
ških listov v Nemčiji.

## Proslave 30 letnice S. N. P. J.

Sledče federacije in društva SNPJ so doslej naznane svoje proslave tridesetletnice naše jednote. Vse proslave federacij in več društev skupaj bodo imele bogat program in govorike iz gl  
odbora SNPJ:

DRUŠTVO DELAVEC št. 8 SNPJ v So. Chicagu, Ill., prosla  
vi svojo 30-letnico 6. maja.

DRUŠTVO št. 21 SNPJ, Pueblo, Colo., 6. maja.

DRUŠTVO 153 SNPJ, Youngstown, O., 12. maja.

DRUŠTVO št. 104 SNPJ, W. Allis, Wis., 26. maja.

DRUŠTVO št. 54 SNPJ, Glencoe, O., 26. maja.

DRUŠTVO št. 353, Warwood, W. Va., 30. maja.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v westmorelandskem okraju v Pensylvaniji dne 30. maja v West Newtonu, Pa.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v zapadni Pensylvaniji in društvo št. 6 SNPJ na Syganu, Pa., 30. maja.

DRUŠTVO št. 49 in 64 SNPJ v Girardu, O., 9. junija.

DRUŠTVO št. 317 SNPJ, Export, Pa., piknik 9. junija.

DRUŠTVO NAPREJ št. 5 SNPJ v Clevelandu, O., proslavi svojo tridesetletnico s piknikom dne 10. junija.

DRUŠTVA 20, 108, 268 in 636 SNPJ, Ely, Minn., piknik 10. junija.

FEDERACIJA SNPJ v Detroitu, Mich., piknik 17. junija.

FEDERACIJA za vzhodno Pensylvanijo v Forest Cityju, Pa., 30. junija in v Luzernu, Pa., 1. julija.

DRUŠTVO št. 358 SNPJ, Power Point, O., 4. julija.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v severovzhodnem Ohiu (Bar  
berton etc.) 4. julija.

DRUŠTVI št. 117 in 729 SNPJ v Yukonu, Pa., dne 4. julija.

DRUŠTVO št. 106 SNPJ, Imperial, Pa., (kratki s 25-letnico dru  
štva) 4. julija.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v severovzhodnem Ohiu, pik  
nik 4. julija v Barbertonu.

DRUŠTVA 3, 44, 82, 168, 254, 448, 600, 684 in 712 SNPJ v Johnstownu, Pa., in okolici, piknik 15. julija v Morrelvillu.

DRUŠTVO št. 115 SNPJ, Joliet, Ill., (kratki 25-letnico dru  
štva) 22. julija.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v Minnesoti v Evelethu, Minn., dne 22. julija.

DRUŠTVI 325 in 728 SNPJ, Gowanda, N. Y., 28. in 29. julija.

DRUŠTVO 36 SNPJ, Wilcock, Pa., piknik 29. julija.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v severni Californiji v San Franciscu v septembру.

DRUŠTVA 107, 659 in 679 SNPJ, St. Louis, Mo., piknik 2. septembra.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v srednjem Illinoisu v Spring  
fieldu, 14. oktobra.

## Domač drobiž

### Obisk

Chicago, — Fr. Petava iz Little Fallsa, N. Y., je zadnje dni obiskal urad SNPJ in uredništvo Prosvešt.

Minnesotski kandidati

## DRUŠTVENE VESTI

Naznani do društva št. 36

Wilcock, Pa.—Člane društva št. 36 pozivam, da se udeležte redne seje dne 13. maja v polnem številu. Ta seja je zelo važna, ker bomo ukrepali glede piknika, katerega namerava prirediti naše društvo v proslavo tridesetletnice SNPJ v nedeljo, 29. julija.

Na tem mestu opozarjam tiste člane, ki so vedno prepozni z asemenom, naj se bolj pridno udeležujejo sej. S tem boste dobili več zanimanja za društvo in ne boste pozabili, kdaj je treba plačevati asement. To je važno posebno sedaj, ko društvo ima sredstev za zaloganje asementa. Vesakina, ki ne bo plačal asementa v določenem času, bom moral suspendirati.—John Dolenc, tajnik.

Iz urada društva št. 244

Kaylor, Pa.—Pozivam člane društva št. 244, da se v polnem številu udeležte prihodnje seje dne 20. maja. Na dnevem redu bodo važne stvari, katero bo treba rešiti. V tem letu, ko SNPJ praznuje svojo tridesetletnico, je treba, da gremo vsi na delo in ji pridobimo veliko novih članov, ker bo v našo lastno korist.

Opozarjam tisti pasivni člane, katerim je 1. maja potekla pasivnost, da postanejo aktivni, kajti tajnik mora upoštevati peto točko 32. člena pravil. Postanite aktivni in pridejte na prihodnjo sejo.—Anton Žagar, tajnik.

Smrtna kosa

Milwaukee, Wis.—Dne 15. aprila je umrl Frank Jersin, pasivni član društva Bratoljub št. 234 SNPJ, v starosti 44 let. Doma je bil iz Hrastnika in kolikor je mneni znano zapuščal nekje v Wyomingu enega brata.

V poročilu, ki ga je objavil Obzor dne 19. aprila, je pomota. Za pasivnimi člani se ne plača smrtnine, za katero so zavarovani v času pasivnosti. Ker uniji tudi ni plačeval mesečnih prisapecov, ni bil tudi tam deležen smrtnine. Toliko v pojasnilo zaradi njegove zavarovalnine v znesku \$360.

Na tem mestu se zahvaljujem pogrebniku Fr. Ermencu za njegov trud in dobrošrnost, ker je uredil pogreb, kajti drugače bi ga moral občina pokopati. Društvo št. 234 je na kratko položilo venec rož kot zadnji pozdrav pokojniku. Pokojnika smo pokopali dne 17. aprila na pokopališču Good Hope. Naj mirno počiva v črni zemlji.

Ker je to prvi slučaj pri našem društvu, da smo izgubili pasivnega člana, apeliram na vse pasivne člane in tiste, ki nameravajo postati pasivni, da skrbno prečitate točko o pasivnosti, da bodo vedeli, da so samo aktivni člani deležni vseh ugodnosti, ki jih daje SNPJ.—Jos. Chokel, tajnik.

Iz urada društva 387

Traunick, Mich.—Naznanim člancem društva Tabor št. 387 SNPJ, da asementa ne bom ved poibral na poti in ne v prodajalni. Pobiral ga bom eno uro pred sejo in pa vsak dan na domu. Upoštevajte to. Obenem tudi priporočam, da vzamete v roke pravila in jih prečitate, pa bo vsak vedel kako plačuje v koliko plačuje. Poglejte v pravila na 66. strani, točka 44. Toliko v pojasnilo prizadetim.

Max Knaus, tajnik.

Dvojna proslava v Calumetu

Calumet, Mich.—Društva in federacije pridno proslavljajo 30 letnico SNPJ, tako je tudi naše društvo Bratyska Sloga št. 62 SNPJ sklenilo na prošli seji, da proslavi jednotno 30 letnico in svojo 27 letnico. (Potrabilo ste navesti datum slavlja.—Ured.) Naše društvo je povabilo vse okoliška jednotna društva, da bi skupno nastopila na tej proslavi. Uverjeni smo, da se bodo odzvala in se udeležila našega slavlja. O podrobnostih bomo poročali pozneje.

Obenem opominjam člane in članice, da se udeležijo prihodnje seje, da naredimo načrt, kako bi bolj uspešno proslavili društvo in jednotno občinstvo. Naše društvo je bilo ustavljeno 29. aprila 1907 in njegov prvi tajnik je bil hr. Leo Jusk, sedaj tajnik društva št. 121 SNPJ v Detroitu. Valedi tega prosim br. Junka da bi poročal v Prosveti o ustanovitvi našega društva, kajti takratni župnik nismo bili popolni, zeleni pa bi bolj natančnih podatkov ob naši proslavi. John Mukavec, tajnik.

Plesna veselica 12. maja

Canton, O.—Društvo št. 315 pride v plesno veselico v soboto, dne 12. maja, ob 7. zvezri v korist svoje blagajne. Vrši se v Madiarskem domu na 2302 Fifteenth st. in Edwards ave., N. E. Canton, O. Vstopnina 15c. Na veselicu uljudno vabimo člane našega društva in člane sosednjih društev, tukaj tudi prijatelje in znance, da se udeleži v velikem številu. Imeli bomo izvrstno saljivo godbo. Postreha in vse druge, kar spada zraven, bo taka, da bo lahko vsak zadovoljen.

Na svidenje 12. maja!

Frank Guna, tajnik.

Naše dvojne slavje 26. maja

West Allis, Wis.—Društvo št. 104 SNPJ se pridno pripravlja, da proslavi svojo 12 letnico in jednotno 30 letnico dne 26. maja. Nekateri člani, ki so vseli pri ali deset vstopnic, so jih že razprodali in prihajajo po druge. Upamo, da bo naše dvojne slavje imelo tak uspeh kot smo ga načrtaли na seji, na kateri smo odobrili to prireditve, to je: moralni, agitacijski in gmočni uspehi.

Člani in članice, delajmo za stvar vsi tako, kot da bi bili vsi v pripravljalnem odboru, kajti vsi smo v tem smislu enakopravni, enako deležni in enako plačani. Skupajno kolikor možemo posnemati omenjene prodajalce vstopnic. Skupajno prinesi na pri-

poučen, kaj se dogaja v društvu in kaj je treba ukreniti, da bo društvo napredovalo. Treba je delati sporazumno in usajemo, in uspehi ne bodo izostali.

Noben član ne bi smel govoriti, da ne ve, kaj se dela pri društvu. Taka izjava ni na mestu, ker vsak lahko pride na sejo. Prihajajte na sejo in tam izrazite svoje mnenje o vseh problemih, da jih bomo lahko skupno reševali zadovoljstvo vseh.

Razni dogodki nam kažejo, da je lojalnost potreba in koristna društvu in jednoti. Pokazimo torej dobro voljo, žrtvujmo par ur časa vsak mesec in prihajajmo na seje kot pravi bratje in sestre. Na sejah imamo najlepšo priliko, da svobodno izrazimo naše želje in povemo naše težnje. Bodimo odkritosrčni in nastopajmo povsed kot pravi bratje. Poštenjak odkrito izraža svoje misli in to je njegov ponos, neodkritosrčna dejanja pa vodijo v zlo in škodijo organizaciji.

Vsi člani in članice ste vabiljeni na prihodnjo sejo, ki se vrši dne 18. maja ob navadnem času in v navadnem prostoru—Sons of Herman Hall. Na dnevem redu bomo imeli velike probleme, katere bo treba rešiti.

Na prošli aprilski seji je bilo sklenjeno, da vsak član plača eden dolar izrednega asementa v društveno blagajno. To vsoto lahko plačate načrkat, ali pa vsak mesec nekoliko, tako da bo ta vsota plačana do meseca decembra. Zato se opominjajo člani, da redno prihajajo na društvene seje, ako ne bodo, se bo z njimi postopalo po pravilih. Toliko v vedenost vsem.—John Beck, tajnik.

Važno za člane društva 505

Monessen, Pa.—Iz urada društva št. 505. Zadnje čase je več članov zanemarilo svoje dolžnosti s tem, da ne plačujejo redno svojih mesečnih prisapecov in da ne prihajajo na seje, zato pa tudi ne vedo kaj se v njihovem društvu godi.

Na prošli aprilski seji je bilo sklenjeno, da vsak član plača eden dolar izrednega asementa v društveno blagajno. To vsoto lahko plačate načrkat, ali pa vsak mesec nekoliko, tako da bo ta vsota plačana do meseca decembra. Zato se opominjajo člani, da redno prihajajo na društvene seje, ako ne bodo, se bo z njimi postopalo po pravilih. Toliko v vedenost vsem.—John Beck, tajnik.

Seje društva 447 dopoldne

Nanticoke, Pa.—Društvo št. 447 je sklenilo na seji dne 8. aprila, da se bodo njegove seje v bodoče vršile ob 10. dopoldne, mesto ob 2. popoldne. Člani naj to upoštevajo, da bodo vedeli kdaj priti na sejo.

Michael Ferlin, tajnik.

Slavje 30 letnico sijajen uspeh

Girard, O.—Naše proslava 30 letnico SNPJ in 6 letnico društva št. 643 SNPJ, ki se je vršila 7. aprila, je sijajno uspela. Dvorana je bila polna občinstva, načrkat, največ našega članstva. Glavni govornik je bil br. Vincent Cainkar, predsednik SNPJ, ki je govoril v angleščini in nam povedal mnogo zanimivega iz zgodovine naše jednotne ter podrobno raztombnil razlike med našo jednotno in zavarovalninskim društvom. Usam, da bo naše mladinci na tem resno razmisljala in sem gotov, da bo tudi prišla do spoznanja, da bomo ob 30. maju, pritekel ob 7:30 zvezri. Vstopnina za odrasle je 25 centov, za otroke pod 16 letom pa 15 centov.

To je izredna slavnost, zato vabi mož sedaj vse bližnjih in oddaljenih društva, da nas posetijo v velikem številu. Imeli bomo vse dovolj, tako da se bo lahko vsak in vsaka zavabila. Na člane in članice, pričakujem, da bomo storili vse kar je v naši moći, da bodo posetniki pravljenci zadovoljni.

Na tem mestu se zahvaljujem pogrebniku Fr. Ermencu za njegov trud in dobrošrnost, ker je uredil pogreb, kajti drugače bi ga moral občina pokopati. Društvo št. 234 je na kratko položilo venec rož kot zadnji pozdrav pokojniku. Pokojnika smo pokopali dne 17. aprila na pokopališču Good Hope. Naj mirno počiva v črni zemlji.

Ker je to prvi slučaj pri našem društvu, da smo izgubili pasivnega člana, apeliram na vse pasivne člane in tiste, ki nameravajo postati pasivni, da skrbno prečitate točko o pasivnosti, da bodo vedeli, da so samo aktivni člani deležni vseh ugodnosti, ki jih daje SNPJ.—Jos. Chokel, tajnik.

Jacob Dermota, tajnik.

Naznalo in vabilo

umirajo in skrbeti moramo, da dobimo čim več novih članov v jednoto.

Zahvaljujem se vsem odbornikom, ki so delali na naši proslavi in prijatelje in prijateljicam, ki so nas obiskali. Na našo zavabje je prišla tudi sestra Božica Rusič s svojim moškom, članica društva št. 462. Veselilo jo je, ko je videla, da naše društvo dobro napreduje.

Boljše naznjanje, da smo na seji

našega društva sprejeli sklep, da predimo piknik. Datuma še nismo določili, toda to bomo storili v kratek, na kar že sedaj opozarjam naše prijatelje.

Na tem pikniku bomo imeli pleš, petje, tamburaš in druge zabave, poleg tega pa se bodo dodelile tudi nagrade.

Pričakujemo, da bo ta piknik največ v naši naselbini.

Frank M. Grachan, tajnik.

Slavje 30-letnica 10. julija

Ely, Minn.—Tukšnjena skupna društva prizdrojila veliko proslavo 30-letnico SNPJ dne 10. julija s piknikom, na katerem bomo imeli tudi par dobroih govornikov v angleščini in slovenskem jesiku. Slavje se bo vršilo na Centry Pointu pri Sagawa jeseru.

Joseph Mavetz, 268.

Vsi na sejo 6. maja!

Bentleyville, Pa.—Opozarjam člane in članice društva 240, da se vsi udeležijo seje dne 6. maja. Tako je bilo sklenjeno na aprilski seji. Tudi mi bomo raspravljali, kako in kdaj proslavimo 30-letnico SNPJ. Ne pozabite tudi na kampanjo, ki je sedaj v teku. Pridobimo mnogo novih članov v naši oddelki, posebno pa imamo lepo priloknost, da jih mnogo dobimo v mladiški oddelki. Jednota plada za vsakega mladiškega novega člana dva meseca asement in da druge ugodnosti.

Vsi na sejo 6. maja!

Frances Humar, tajnica.

30-letnica SNPJ 12. maja

Youngstown, O.—Društvo 153 prizdrojilo jednotino 30-letnico v starem posloju Litvinske dvorane na Franklin ave. dne 12. maja, pritekel ob 7. zvezri. Vstopnina 25c. Uljudno vabilo vse člane in članice, prijatelje in znanke vse okolice, da se udeležijo v velikem številu. Imeli bomo vse dovolj, tako da se bo lahko vsak in vsaka zavabila. Na člane in članice, pričakujem, da bomo storili vse kar je v naši moći, da bodo posetniki pravljenci zadovoljni.

Frank Novak, tajnik.

Iz urada društva št. 6

Morgan, Pa.—Člane društva št. 6 pozivam, da se udeležte redne seje dne 6. maja, ker bo več vaših stvari na dnevnem redu.

Izvoliti je treba namreč odbor, ki bo našo redno delavje za prihodnjo prireditve, ki se vrši 30. maja.

Kot je vsem znano, smo se združili s federacijo SNPJ—zapadne

Penne, da skupno proslavimo 30-letnico obstoja jednotne naše društva.

Ker nam je federacija prepuštila vso ureditev iste, se moramo posvetiti, da bomo storili vse kar je v naši moći, da bodo posetniki pravljenci zadovoljni.

To je izredna slavnost, zato vabi mož sedaj vse bližnjih in oddaljenih društva, da nas posetijo v velikem številu.

Na programu bodo posetniki v slovenskem in angleščinem jesiku.

Glavni govornik bo Frank Zaitz iz Chicagoa,

posetilo pa nas bo tudi pesvski društvo iz Canonsburga. Podrobnosti programa bodo objavljene v Prosveti pozneje.

Upamo, da nas bo posetil tudi br. Vincent Cainkar, predsednik SNPJ, ki se bo v istem času nahajjal v naši bližini.

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# Federacije S. N. P. J.

Kampanja čikaške federacije  
SNPJ

Chicago. — Komitej čikaške federacije SNPJ je določil vso do \$25, ki se potroši za nagrade poleg nagrad, ki jih je razdelila jednota v sedanjem kampanji. Te nagrade so določene samo na društva, ki so včlanjeni v federaciji.

Omenjena vsota se razdeli tako:

Društvo \$60, novim članom \$5 in predlagateljem \$75. Ostatki se porabili za kritje strokovnih kampanj.

SNPJ nudi v tej kampanji naslednje ugodnosti:

1. Prosta zdravniška preiskava na kandidate v obo oddelka, vrste in mladinskega oddelka.

2. Dvamesečni prosti asesment nove člane mladinskega oddelka.

3. Znajanje pristopnine \$1 za nove člane odraslega oddelka.

Poleg tega je jednota razpisala dodatne nagrade za pridobivanje novega člana:

Mladinski oddelek. Za posamezega člana do 4 se plača \$25; za pet članov \$2.50, za 10 \$5, za 20 \$10, za 20 \$15, za 25 \$20. —

Čisti oddelek. Za vsakega člana v starosti od 16. do 21. leta \$1; kadar pridobi 25 članov, doboli poleg označene nagrada \$10.

Čikaška federacija daje poleg nagrad, katere je razpisala jednoto, še naslednje:

1. Prva nagrada \$20 za najboljšo število novoprstolih članov v starosti od enega leta do 16. (Dva člana mladinskega oddelka se štejejo za enega oddelka). Druga nagrada je \$15, tretja \$9, četrta \$7, peta \$5, šesta \$4. Kampanja traja od marca do 31. decembra 1934.

2. Za nove člane (a): Prvih novih kandidatov po 1. maju dobilo 50 centov popusta pri razpolini, (b) Vsak nov član mladinskega oddelka bo prostovarina za nadaljnji mesec.

3. Za predlagatelje (a): Nagrada 50 centov za vsakega predlagatelja kandidata, ki postane član mladinskega oddelka.

Novi člani naj plačajo regulino pristopno in vsota jim je povrnjena ob zaključku kampanje.

Vsi zastopniki federacije najujejo v kampanji kot vodje in izberejo iz svoje srede nadzornika.

Ta načrt je bil predložen in oboren dne 26. aprila 1934.

Frank Alesh, Blaž Novak, Božidar Rak, Christine Turpin, Donald J. Lotrich, člani kampanjega komiteja.

Vzhodnoohijska federacija

Bellaire, O. — Kratek izčerkpelj zapisnik vzhodnoohijske in zasebe W. Va. federacije SNPJ dne 22. aprila. Predseduje br. Rebol. Zastopniki so navozili. Zapisnik prejšnje seje je sprejet. Zapisnik izredne seje dne 11. marca, glede Adamiča, je sprejet v celoti.

Zastopana so sledenja društva: 22, 258, 333, 353, 425, 536 in 537, mrs. Mary Dernac kot gost.

4. Tajnik poda obširno poročilo, ki je sprejet, istotako sprejela poročila ostalih oddelkov in zastopnikov.

Ponemanjajo vredno je poročilo zastopnika društva 353 br. Franka Kolence; njihovo društvo raste v obeh oddelkih in za nadaljnjo sejo imajo spet več novih članov.

Daljša razprava o pristopu 15. člena društva 353, Warwood, W. Va., ki se vrši dne 30. maja. Vsi zastopniki društva nismo bili na jasnum, kako je pričela raven njihove pristopne v federacijo, se sklene, da federacijev tajnik v imenu iste pozove v Preveti vsa bližnja društva.

Filip Godina. Pridite vsi in pridelite svoje prijatelje in znance. Po seji se bo serviral prigrizek s pijačo.

Joseph Oblak.

## DRUŠTVENE VESTI

Proslava 20-letnice društva št. 210

McKees Rocks, Pa. — Društvo št. 210 bo pravljalo svojo dvajsetletnico in tridesetletnico SNPJ v soboto, 12. maja, z veselico, ki se prične ob 8. zvečer v Srbskem domu, Munson in Ells st. Vstopnina je 25 centov, člani in članice so prosti, toda vsak bo moral plačati v maju 25 centov v društveno blagajno, če se pravljave udeležki ali ne.

Na to pravljavo vabimo posameznike in člane sodnih društev. Pridite v velikem številu, da bomo skupno pravljali dvajsetletnico našega društva in tridesetletnico SNPJ. Imeli bomo izvrstni orkester, da se bomo lahko imenito zabavali. Za dobro postrežbo bo skrbel odbor.

George Ozanich, tajnik.

## Važna seja društva št. 5

Cleveland, O. — Članstvo društva Naprej št. 5 je prav ujedino vabilno, da se v velikem številu udeleži seja, ki se vrši 5. maja v novem poslopju S. N. D. ob 9. dopoldne. Na tej seji bomo poleg drugih važnih zadev imeli razpravo o programu društvene pravljave 30 letnice, katera se bo vršila, kot je bilo že poročano, v nedeljo, 10. junija, na Pintarjevi farmi, ob kateri prilik se bo razvila druga društvena zastava. Na tej seji se bodo priglasili tudi člani, ki so pripravljeni delati na tej pravljavi; razpoložljivih 8400 delavcev.

Louis Pavlinich, tajnik.

## Seja klubu brezposebnih

Chicago. — Seja klubu brezposebnih se vrši 3. maja ob 8. zvečer v dvorani SNPJ. Predaval bo

bimo precej delavcev, da bomo program dobro izvedli. Od št. N. D. se bo vršila tudi parada z avti in godbo Bled na čelu. Radi varnosti se bo poskrbelo tudi za policijsko spremstvo. Člani, ki imajo svoje automobile in so voljni se udeležiti in pridružiti tej paradi, so proseni, da to sporočijo tajniku do 20. maja, da se bo vedelo koliko bo udeležba.

Ne pozabite, da je sedaj v teku kampanja za pridobivanje novih članov ob pravljavi 30 letnega obstoja naše jednote. Razpisane so lepe nagrade. Pripeljite na sejo nove kandidate za odrasli oddelki ali pa vpišite otroke v mladinski oddelki. V nedeljo vse na sejo!

L. Medveshek, tajnik.

## Ustrelil katoliškega župnika

New York. — Rev. Julius Moscati, italijanski župnik, je bil v nedeljo ustreljen v svojem farovcu, njegova svakinja Christine. V clevelandski tovarni je ujetna. Policeja je arretirala tesarškega pogodbena Dominika Marro, ki je bil zadnji pri župniku.

## Stavka v Fisherjevi tovarni v Clevelandu končana

Cleveland, O. — Stavkarji pri Fisher Body Co., avtini tovarni, so v nedeljo z večino odglasovali, da se v pondeljek vrnejo na delo. Med tem se nadaljujejo pogajanja v Detroitu in drugih mestih, kjer ima ta družba svoje tovarne. V Clevelandski tovarni je uposlenih 8400 delavcev.

## Pet milijonov ruskega mlečnega v vojaškem vožbanju

Liga mladih komunistov militarizirana

Moskva, 30. apr. — Sovjetska vlada je odredila, da se Liga mladih komunistov, ki šteje pet milijonov članov in članic v starosti od 16. do 24. leta, podvrže vojaškemu vožbanju. Dečki in dekle se imajo vaditi v strelnju, aviatični tehniki in fizični kulturi. Vežbanje bo trajalo tri mesece in v prihodnjem avgustu bodo morali "komsomole" (člani komunistične mladinske lige) pokazati, koliko so se naučili.

## Oblastem se ni posrečilo omreženje

Dallas, Tex. — L. C. Keel, Indianec in organizator brezposelnih, je bil v nevarnosti omreženja. Oblasti so mu na pritisk podjetniških interesov skušale pod takniti oropanje državne orodjarne, iz katere je bilo vzeti več pušk in municije. Ta rop so mu skušali obesiti na rame, češ, da hoče oborožiti brezposelne, ki so organizirani v Workers Cooperative lige pod Keelovim vodstvom.

Poskus za omreženje je pa po-

nesrečil, ker so neki gangeži priznali, da je orožarno oropal desperado Raymond Hamilton, ki je gangež oborožil. "Keela bomo dobili pa na kakšen drug način", je sentiment šerifa in njegovih ljudi. Keel je namreč dokazal, da je bil usodno noč, ko je bil izvršen rop, v Houstonu.

## Stavkarji se niso dali provocirati

Los Angeles. — Mission Mills, tekstilna družba, je šla v North Carolina po stavkarje, jih naložila v bus, pripeljala v Los Angeles ter nastanila v hotelu. Z namenom, da provokira stavkarje, ki se bore za višje meze, je skebe s pomočjo policejne uvristila v linijo ter jih marširala mimo piketne straže. Stavkarji so obdržali hladno kri in se niso dali provocirati.

## Cestni departement še na počitnice

Phoenix, Ariz. — Cestni departement okraja Maricopa je suspendiral vse delo in še na počitnice za dva meseca in pol, ker je zmanjšalo denarja v blagajni. Ob delu je 180 delavcev. Okraj mora nekje dobiti \$100,000 za obresti od cestnih bondov ali pa defaltirati, kar je vzrok "počitnic".

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zato boste spoznali, da se Luckies ne izsuše

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polno nabasane v vsako Lucky — tako okrogla, tako čvrsta, brez zrahljih koncov. Zato se Luckies dobro drže — zato boste spoznali, da se Luckies ne izsuše, kar je večna točka za vsakega kadilca. Vidite, vedno v vseh ozirih — so Luckies prijazne vašemu grlu.

"It's toasted"

✓ Luckies so vedno prijazne vašemu grlu



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## Glasovi iz naselbin

## Zanimive beležke iz raznih krajev

## Vprašanje združenja

Cleveland, Ohio. — Tukaj se veliko govori o nepravilnosti nakazanja bolniških podpor Slovenske dobrodelne zveze, ker smatramo, da je glavni tajnik izvršil poneverbo. Največ govorijo napredni in radikalni člani te zveze. Mnogo se tudi sliši o posojilu cerkvi — \$125,000 — za gradnjo iste.

Ne vem, zakaj bi se napredni in radikalno misleči elementi jekili na to, kar se dogaja v metropoli. Kdor vsaj malo misli, čita in zasleduje tukajšnje dogodek, bi moral vedeti, kaj se vse lahko prijeti tam, kjer je gotova "glica", ki "vkup štriba" in ki si je svesta kontrole nadzadnjškega sistema.

To pa ni glavno vprašanje današnjega sistema društev in jednot. Ampak to, čemu potrebujemo toliko teh jednot, da se zavarujemo? Koliko jih treba? Odgovor: Sedaj samo dve! Katoliško za katolike, ki se bojijo, če bi bili zavarovani pri napredni jednoti, pekla, in pa napredno jednoti za one, ki se zavedajo potrebe zavarovalnine, v kakšnih slučajih jo rabijo, da so lahko svobodomislici, če se jim zdi potreba, in se družijo z naprednimi, kulturnimi, unijaskimi, socialno mislečimi rojaki.

Vzemimo rojaka, ki je član treh društev. Pri vsakem društvu je morda zavarovan za dolar bolniške podpore in \$500 posmrtnine, pri vsakem društvu mora plačevati posebej za: dvorano, za seje, uradnike, pisalne potrebščine, razne podpore, ki jih deli društvo, ali na kratko rečeno: društveni asesment. Poleg udeleževanja raznih predstav. Potem pridejo na vrsto trije glavni uradi, koje mora pomagati vzdrževati član treh jednot. Le pomislite na nepotrebne stroške, ki jih ima "trijednot" brat z brati.

Cemu je vsega tega treba med tem malim narodom? Le zato je treba, da se vzdržuje več predsednikov in tajnikov, da nakazujejo podpore. Ako ima vaša jednota razrede po črkah kot je to SDZ, za dolar C, za dva dollarja B, se prav lahko prigodi, da se ponaredi C za B. In to v prid onega, ki je ponaredil.

Ako bi mi imeli samo eno veliko napredno jednoto, bi mi lahko vzdrževali razrede, ki bi odgovarjali za one, ki želijo biti zavarovani za višje vsote, da bi manj plačevali za isto, za kar so zavarovani pri treh, pri eni jednoti. To bi se lahko zgodilo.

Torej člani vseh naprednih jednot! Za nas je najboljše, ako delujemo za združitev vseh jednot, s kojimi se napredni Slovenci lahko združimo. Pred nam je seveda to: če bomo prepuščali taka vprašanja glavnim uradnikom, da oni odločujejo, potem do take združitve nikoli ne pride. To mora članstvo samo pretresati in presojati, jeли potrebno ali ne. In ko pride do zaključka, da je, zahtevati združitev. Pri Slovenski narodni podporni jednoti bi priporočal brata Alesha, ker ima skošnje v tem oziru, pri drugih organizacijah pa tudi člane, ki so mu sorodni v teh slučajih. Na primer pri SSPZ brata Antona Zeala, Forest City. Pol ducata takih rojakov, pa bi imeli kmalu eno "Veliko slovensko jednoto".

Mi se lahko učimo od rudarjev. Dokler so imeli samo eno organizacijo, je še nekam šlo, ko jih je nastalo več, se je situacija postlabšala za rudarje. V tem oziru bi se mi morali učiti, ali saj vzeti za vzugled — kapitaliste. Kadar oni vidijo, da jih bo združenje z drugim prinašalo dobček, oni "potegnejo" in "držijo" skupaj. V tem slučaju bi se mi morali zediniti.

## Pojasnilo

Milwaukee, Wis. — Tukajšnji list Obzor je dne 19. aprila poročal o smrti Franca Jeršina, ki je umrl v St. Mary bolnišnici dne 15. aprila. Na koncu natančila je bilo zapisano nekaj, kar se nam zdi, da ne spada v časopis, posebno ne, če pisec ni gotov, kar piše. Tam je rečeno,

Glede dela je tukaj vse po starem, tako kot je bilo prošlo jesen. Vsi, ki so delali za CWA, so že en mesec doma. No, pa saj sedaj lahko regrat jemo, če ne bodo še tega obdavčili.

Anna Zele, zapisnikarica.

Kdo je bil član društva Za-

vedni Sosedje št. 158 SNPJ je

bilo zelo potrto, ko se je raznesla vest, da je med nas posegla smrt, in to tja, kjer bi najmanj pričakovali. Sosestra Louise Ja-

pel se je odpravila, da gre na-

birat regrat, pa jo je dohitela

smrt v garaži. Moje iskreno

sožalje njeni družini!

Naš društveni tajnik je zbolel in se moral podati v bolnišnico. Želimo mu hitrega okrevanja.

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FOR MEMBERS OF SLOVENE NATIONAL BENEFIT SOCIETY AND AMERICAN SLOVENES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 1934

## The Campaign Goes On!

Our Jubilee Membership Campaign marches on! It is gaining momentum with each successive week, as more and more units show vigorous interest and enthusiasm for its ultimate success.

Further proof that more and more individual members, lodges and federation groups are vitally interested in the campaign work is amply evidenced by various local campaign provisions and prize awards for procuring new members. But the biggest and most generous single campaign appropriation comes from the Chicago district federation which recently allotted a neat sum of \$225.00 exclusively for the campaign purposes.

The official report and announcement of the Chicago federation follows:

### CHICAGO DISTRICT FEDERATION OF SNPJ MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

(For the Lodges of the Federation only)

The Committee designated a flat sum of \$225.00 to be expended and added to the 1934 campaign awards.

Money to be divided three ways, as follows: 1, lodges \$60.00, 2, new members \$45.00 and 3, proposers \$75.00. The balance to be used as expense money for the campaign.

The SNPJ offers the following prizes:

1—Free medical examination for both adult and Juvenile applicants.

2—Two months free dues for the juveniles.

3—\$1.00 reduction in initiation fees for adults.

4—Also, the following cash awards to those proposing new applicants.

#### JUVENILE

1 to 4 members	\$ 0.25 each
6 "	2.50 total
10 "	5.00
15 "	10.00
20 "	15.00
25 "	20.00

#### ADULT

\$1.00 for each new member (age limit 16 to 35)

25 members \$10.00 additional.

The following Federation Prizes are in addition to the SNPJ Prizes.

1—LODGE PRIZES—For largest number of new members initiated.

1st prize	\$20.00
2nd prize	15.00
3rd prize	9.00
4th prize	7.00
5th prize	5.00
6th prize	4.00

Age, 1—40 years.

2 Juveniles equal 1 Adult.

Duration of Campaign: MARCH 1, TO DECEMBER 31, 1934.

2—TO NEW MEMBERS:

(a)—The first 50 new applicants, after May 1st, will receive 50 cents allowance on their initiation fee.

(b)—Every juvenile will receive one additional month's dues free.

3—TO PROPOSERS:

(a)—An award of 50 cents for each adult member initiated.

(b)—An award of 25 cents for each juvenile member initiated.

Note:—New members should pay their regular initiation and the refunds shall be made at the conclusion of the campaign.

All Representatives to the Federation should act as drive CAPTAINS and pick from amongst them a SUPERVISOR.

Submitted and approved April 26, 1934.

CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE:  
FRANK ALESH, BLAS NOVAK,  
JOHN RAK, CHRISTINE TURPIN,  
DONALD J. LOTRICH.

## SNPJ 30th Anniversary Celebrations

The following Federations and Lodges of the SNPJ will observe the Thirtieth Anniversary of the Slovene National Benefit Society with fitting Jubilee Programs

Lodge 8, So. Chicago, Ill., observes its own 30th birthday on Sunday, May 6, at the Croatian hall.

Lodge 21, Pueblo, Colo., SNPJ 30th anniversary Sunday, May 6, at Orel hall.

Lodge 104, West Allis, Wis., observes SNPJ 30th anniversary Saturday, May 26.

Lodge 54, Glencoe, Ohio, Saturday, May 26.

The Eastern Ohio Federation, Lodge 353, Warwood, W. Va., May 30.

The Westmoreland Federation at West Newton, Pa., May 30.

The Western Penna Federation and Lodge 6 at Sygan, Pa., May 30.

Attend these jubilee affairs whenever possible and add to their importance by your presence. Help make them real manifestations of the true spirit of the Slovene National Benefit Society.

## Screenings

Springfield, Ill.—At our Lincolnite meeting we were pleased to accept Brothers Albin Shuster and Martin Banich into our adult department. Hearty welcome, Brothers! That's the way to keep our membership growing. We must stay in the Big Ten among English-speaking lodges, Links.

By the way, Why not try to bring more juveniles into our Lodge? Only four-cents a week now. Can you beat it? It is not necessary that one or both parents be in our SNPJ any longer, before children can be accepted!

The Illinois State Socialist convention held in Staunton some weeks ago saw a militant, and clarifying program laid out and approved. A swell executive committee was elected to carry on. Three mass-meetings were held Saturday nite by the Party, one each in Staunton, Hillsboro and Gillespie. I attended the one in Gillespie and found Slovenes and Scotch in the majority, taking in the meeting. After the speaking, free dancing and free eats, furnished by the Gillespie comrades. This, coupled with the Pavlich kindness, who took me in overnight, caused me to wish I was a big man, with two stomachs.

A week ago Sunday, the Central Illinois SNPJ Federation met in Virden and the big decision was to celebrate the Thirtieth Anniversary of our Society in Springfield in the Dom, Oct. 14, with some national Slovene figures present. We also passed resolutions, calling for old age pensions and unemployment insurance. The second resolution protests against the shooting of workers and Socialists in Austria by the Dolifus fascists.

After the meeting a meal (feast), and singing at Kavics, and what a reunion, I mean time. But what were we celebrating? The next time we're in Virden, let's place a monument, or plant a tree, in memory of April 22, at Kavics.

"The Strange Case of Tom Mooney" is now showing at the Tivoli theater, due to the efforts of the

#### FRIENDLY CITY NEWS

Johnstown, Pa.—The Entertainment Committee of Lodge 684 plans somethin' for our May 13 meeting; a surprise. Any member coming to the next meeting will receive a slip of paper with a number and there will be separate numbers for the girls and boys, so that means that the girls will receive a present. Another thing they discussed is that each member will be given the privilege of inviting a friend to attend. Cake and coffee will be served after the meeting.

Don't forget the combined picnic of all SNPJ lodges in Johnstown, July 15, at Faith's Grove, in observance of the 60th anniversary of the SNPJ. (Friendly City will observe their fifth anniversary in August.)

We received a transferred member in April, Mary Gasser, from Conemaugh, Pa., formerly of Lodge 168, Conemaugh. We offer our congratulations to the LODGE 712 on their fourth anniversary. Anna Bricey.

Lincolnite Lodge in cooperation with the Movie Operators' union. It is showing April 29, thru Thursday. We hope thousands of people will see it, including all local Prosveta readers.

May Day! Speeches, show and dancing at Dom tonite, auspices Jugoslav Socialist branch 47. May Day demonstration Tuesday, with all groups uniting except the Stalinites.

Joe G. Brinocar, Lodge 667.

#### MILWAUKEE NEWS

Milwaukee, Wis.—Saturday nite, May 5, is the day you all have been waiting for. The Badgers Monsterous May Ball comes off at that time, which will take place at the South Side Turner Hall. Tony Yank and his proteges, with their nine piece orchestra, will afford the music.

## Loyalties News

Cleveland, Ohio—On Friday evening, May 6, the Loyalties will hold their regular monthly meeting and, following the meeting, a social. All the neighboring lodges and their friends are cordially invited to attend. Music will be furnished by two very popular and well-known lads in our locality. Admission will be 10¢, which will also entitle a person admitted to two refreshment tickets. The last couple of meetings have shown an increased attendance and I am hoping to see more new faces at our next meeting. I am urging all you members Loyalties and others to attend.

Frank Zadell, Lodge 690.

#### NOTICE YOUNG AMERICAN BALL PLAYERS

Detroit.—The Young Americans will enter another year of baseball and will hold practices twice a week. Every Wednesday we practice at Wallace Field, next to Chrysler H. P. Plant, at 5 p. m. On Saturday, at 3 p. m., we practice at Ives Field on Hamilton and Pilgrim. All desiring tryouts please report to the above mentioned places.

Ray Travnik, Manager,

Lodge 564.

#### LODGE NO. 292

Avella, Pa.—Our Lodge will celebrate the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ Sept. 3 at the Slovene hall here.

Edward Potocan, Sec'y.

## FLASHES By Incognito

Chicago.—Here you are, folks! Added prize money for the grand membership campaign: The Chicago District Federation of SNPJ has authorized \$225.00 TO BE EXPENDED IN promoting the present membership drive. This money is available to the lodges of the Federation and those which may join yet. A special campaign committee consisting of all of the representatives to the Federation and all of the officers of each of the participating lodges will meet jointly to map out the plans of attacking the vast field of non-members. The Federation has thrown its hat in the ring for new members. We are now out to do big things and to gain many new members.

In addition to the membership campaign, the regular monthly meeting of the Federation, held last Thursday, received and approved the splendid reports of our 30th anniversary celebration and made definite arrangements for a travelling meeting in May. We will all go to South Chicago on Thursday, May 31, 1934, where we will hold the regular May meeting and where we will be the guests of Lodge Delavee at a social. We intend to invite all of the administrative officers to this meeting and hold a sort of pep meeting to which the general membership will be invited also. The Federation has some splendid plans and is hiking rapidly in its course.

What about indoor baseball, Pioneers? How many of you care to play ball this year with the Pioneers? Only a few years ago we had some swell teams. Can't we gather our girls and our boys together and form two teams which would carry the Pioneer name? Come on, you athletes, let's get together. Let's show them that you can play ball. Come to a meeting on Thursday, May 10, 1934, at the offices of Proletarec, 3639 W. 26th st., at 8 p. m. Every prospective player is invited.

Attend the Slovene Unemployed Club meeting Thursday, May 3, and hear Phillip Godina relate the way out of unemployment and insecurity. We always manage to have tasty refreshments after every meeting of the unemployed club. We invite you to attend and be with us.

The date of the Pioneer Social is practically here. Tickets have been mailed to all members and it's due time that we start agitating and advertising for a good attendance. Sis, Zupanic and Bro. Beniger are training the young people of our juvenile school for a short program. So, be sure to invite the old folks to the Lawndale Masonic Temple on Saturday, May 12.

May Day is the universal holiday of class conscious workers. Splendid May Day manifestations were held throughout the nation under the auspices of the Socialist Party. Some of them had great attendances. The workers of the world use this one medium to demonstrate their solidarity. Bigger and better May Day celebrations were held in many communities than has been the case for many, many years. That shows that the workers are awakening.

## Spirit-O-Grams

By Whoosit

St. Louis, Mo.—Seven new members were initiated at our April meeting, which was well attended. The lunch was prepared by sisters Tillie Sach, Mary Chaperlo and Bro. Albert Kacin.

The Spirit of St. Louis and Leader are giving a novelty May Dance at the Chaperlo Tavern, 1812 No. 62nd St., Washington Park, Ill. Music by the lone Prairie Ramblers. Let us all be out there.

Slovene "Spirits" Singing Society gave a selection of songs at the Lodge 107 SNPJ 25th anniversary, April 25. Spirit of St. Louis congratulated the Strugglers on their 7th anniversary and 30th anniversary of SNPJ.

## Strugglers

#### STRUGGLERS' NEWS-FLASH

Cleveland, O., April 30, '34.—STRUGGLERS CELEBRATION APRIL 29 BROKE ALL RECORDS FOR ATTENDANCE. APPROXIMATELY TWO THOUSAND PEOPLE WITNESSED THE CELEBRATION. TWENTY-ONE ENGLISH SPEAKING LODGES REPRESENTED. LARGEST SLOVENE GATHERING IN STRUGGLERS HISTORY AND ONE OF THE LARGEST TO EVER ASSEMBLE IN CLEVELAND. NOW FOR THE MEMBERS. WATCH THIS PAGE NEXT WEEK FOR DETAILS.

John "Lindy" Lokar,  
Chairman, Lodge 614.

quite a reputation for themselves, have selected two plays, "Grobovi bo do izpregovorili" and "Zivelia zdrava kri," which will be very entertaining and educational.

Following the two plays there will be an address given by our Supreme President Vincent Cainkar. There will also be a program of singing, and music will be interspersed throughout the program. At 6 p. m. and continuing for the remainder of the day, Leo Zornick's popular orchestra will furnish the dance tunes.

The admission for this program will be only 50¢. (Lodges that will receive these tickets are asked to make their returns of same May 30.) All Westmoreland County lodges are asked to attend the great Federation Celebration to be held in West Newton (Collinsburg, Pa.) on Wed., May 30.

Frank Stern.

## Working Men and Working W-

Let us raise the banner of international brotherhood against the danger of a new War. Let us raise the flag of peace, launch a mighty demonstration for bread and work for all. Let us proclaim our eternal opposition to a system that has made outcasts of forty million people in the United States. Let us prepare the way for a world of peace and plenty for all who toil.

#### THE WORKERS OF AMERICA SAY SPECIAL GREETINGS

To all workers, political prisoners and tyrs of the labor movement in the concentration camps and dungeons of fascism.

To Tom Mooney and all other political prisoners jailed in this country for fighting battles.

On International May Day, 1934, we call upon the workers to assemble in one place.

Against fascism and war.

Against company unionism and the shop.

Against starvation and degradation.

For the six-hour day and five-day week.

For employment relief and social insurance.

For international solidarity of the working class.

For bread, for work, for peace.

For a Workers' World!

—May Day Manifesto

## The Reveliers' Column

Ambridge, Pa.—The May 6 dance, marking the tenth anniversary of the newly opened Ambridge club rooms, promises to be quite a sociable affair. The cooperation of all the local Slovene lodges has been assured for this affair, the Naš Dom and the Croatian Hall and will get under way at 8 p. m. Ernie Vagias and his orchestra of eleven will be the music.

I admit the present Revelier membership is certainly far more successful than was expected. That is to the credit of those who are actually responsible.

# Pennsy News

Jane Fradel Visits Metropolis

Lakeview, Pa.—On April 14, a group of members of Lodge Torch were heading towards Cleveland where we were greeted at the home of the Spik family and met Joseph, Max, Margie and Frances, also Pauline and Frances in whose company I was later shown the Slovener metropolis. One could hear Slovener everywhere—in the streets, trolley cars, in stores, etc. Even at night one hears Slovener on the streets below. What a contrast from the little town, LaFerriere, in the foothills of the Alleghenies. The Slovener community of Cleveland on St. Clair street is really and truly Slovener in all its impressiveness.

At the Beacon's dance I had the pleasure of meeting a number of interesting personages well-known in the SNPJ world. We spent the evening greeting old friends and meeting new ones. And the "Bees" were busy initiating new members into their club; they intend to invade the Pennsy hills some of these days, I heard. Welcome!

The next day we attended a concert sponsored by the singing society who were assisted by the solo singers of the soc. klub 27. The concert was enjoyed by everyone present. We met many old friends (Graudales, Strugglers, Beacons) and also to John Krebel, the Poljan, Louis Zorko, F. Franciscin, J. John Lokar Sr., Bro. Jarco Bro. Hribar, etc.

Among those we met in the metropolis: Pauline Spik, a beautician;

Jane Fradel, Lodge 725.

# Your Health

## Goiter

Goiter is a condition where there is a chronic enlargement of the whole or a portion of the thyroid gland of short or prolonged duration.

The thyroid gland is a ductless gland lying in front of the upper part of the windpipe, extending laterally to both sides of the neck. It makes an internal secretion for the body. It has influence upon metabolism or tissue change or chemical changes whereby the function of body tissue is affected.

There are different types of goiter. One of the most common type of goiter is a simple or colloid goiter, characterized by an extended enlargement of the gland, usually appearing at the age of puberty, especially in girls. This goiter is caused by excessive deposit of colloid or glue-like material brought about by the lack of iodine in water food. There are usually no physical disturbances present and often appears spontaneously from ten to twenty years. In these cases small doses of sodium or potassium iodide are given for two weeks, twice a year. This treatment often prevents the development of simple goiter in growing children.

Adenomatous goiter—made up of solid glandular epithelium cells—appears in children with enlargement of the thyroid gland, or later in life may be nodular (knob-like) and a non-resistent tumor mass. On examination this goiter is smooth, firm, and tender. There may be no physical disturbances present from ten to twenty years. Iodine should be given internally for this type of goiter.

Exophthalmic (hyperthyroidism) is a chronic disease caused by sensitive, probably abnormal, thyroid function and is characterized by enlargement of the thyroid gland, bulging eyes, rapid heart action, nervous excitability, vomiting, diarrhea, and increased rate of basal metabolism. This disease most frequently occurs in children with enlargement of the thyroid gland, or later in life it may be nodular (knob-like) and a non-resistent tumor mass. On examination this goiter is smooth, firm, and tender. There may be no physical disturbances present from ten to twenty years. Iodine should be given internally for this type of goiter.

John J. Zavertnik, M. D.

# STALWARTS

Kenosha, Wis.—Did you miss the card and bunco party which was held April 11? We had a large attendance and they are already asking for another party. Just keep your eyes open for an announcement may soon appear that we shall sponsor another.

I must congratulate the members on the good attendance at our last meeting which was held at Brother and Sister Niemi's home. After the business part of the meeting we were surprised to find out that we also have some good radio artists in our lodge. Under the able direction of our announcer, Brother Arthur Niemi, we had a chance to "broadcast" a program through the Enbeesee. Here is our program in full.

Ladies and gentlemen: The Enbeesee has graciously given us the air for an hour commemorating the 8th anniversary of Stalwarts. The Proud, Virtuous and Gallant name of Stalwarts shall herewith be brazened thru the air on these ether waves of magic.

Our program opened with two numbers by the "Mystery Singer"—Molly Raunick. Now following our vocalist comes our most respected Brother and President, none other than good ole Gasper Turk, who spoke on "Wine, Women and Song." Brava, Gas, it sure was a wonderful speech.

Next on the program is "Banjo" Joe Kozin, playing "Goofus." Two beautiful girls, coming up to the mike, They tell us that they are going to sing "Did You Ever See a Dream Walkin'."—Ann Hiavacek and Molly Raunick. We also have an orator, Mrs. Mary Czakowski who gave her version of Puss in the Boots. A reading on "Da Leetle Boy" was given by Mary Moyl. Our talented comedian, Joe Presteri, was next in line. Sister Ann Moyl spoke on the "Family Menagerie." The Child Prodigies, who

are known to be more sensitive to the disease than adults. The female is more frequently affected than the male. Goiter patients are unaware of the until the symptoms appear. Symptoms occur only when the patient has become sufficiently large to interfere with the functions of the breathing structures and their supply. Shortness of breath or difficult respiration is a prominent symptom of goiter. When it has reached sufficient size it interferes directly with respiratory and circulatory systems of the neck, and the blood vessels of the neck.

Editor's Note:—The omitted paragraphs will appear next week.

Publicity Committee.

gifted by birth with musical ability will play two numbers on her accordion. She is Little Julia Moyl. Little Marjorie Niemi gave us a vocal solo. Our program ended with a group of Slovener folk songs sung by the members. After the entertainment luncheon was served.

Our new entertainment committee consists of Mary Moyle, Art Niemi and Gasper Turk.

Mary Moyl, Lodge 608.

## Forest City News

Forest City, Pa.—One new member was accepted at our last meeting, Edmond Suponec. Welcome into our ranks, Edmond.

Through the courtesy of John Rak, we have received the Chicago District Federation's Souvenir Journal and Jubilee Program. A well prepared journal and program, we think.

Thanks, Jane. It is also gratifying to see your column in Prosverta. We miss the interesting articles by Anthony Pierce from up Waukegan way. Dip that pen, Anthony.

### SNPJ Thirtieth Anniversary

In addition to the six lodges of the Anthracite Federation, three non-member lodges—Nos. 45, 372, and 656—have joined hands for the purpose of celebrating the Thirtieth Anniversary of the SNPJ. This group of nine lodges represents a combined total membership of about a thousand members, all working together with a common purpose in mind as it should be. We members of Lodge No. 124 will be celebrating our twenty-fifth anniversary at that time making it a double celebration for our lodge.

Two picnics will be sponsored by the Federation. One will be in Forest City on June 30, and the other in Luzerne on July 1.

The following committee has charge of the local affair: J. Drasler, chairman; F. Rataic, sec.; L. Sasso, treas.; of Lodge 124. Committeemen: J. Mydlic, A. Mennard, of Lodge 45; M. Komoen, L. Vedows, of Lodge 372; J. Taglar, F. Volk, of Lodge 656.

Lukus Grove, which is the largest and best situated grove within our reach, has been secured. Music will be furnished by Gershel's orchestra. The president of the SNPJ, Bro. Vincent Cainkar, will address the audience. Tickets are now being distributed among the different lodges and everyone is asked to work hard at changing them into cash.

The wide field in which Prosverta Matica, JSF, is carrying on its useful work of distributing literature, plays, etc., can be judged by the fact that its membership in the past year was composed of 108 different organizations. Among these were 84 SNPJ lodges, 15 cultural clubs and 9 JSF clubs.

Joseph Drasler, Lodge 124.

## Little Fort Lodge News

Waukegan, Ill.—The Little Fort has purchased "The Native's Return" by Louis Adamic. Bro. Vic Gantar is in charge of the book and any member wishing to read it please register with Vic at the shoe store.

Plans are being made for our annual picnic to be held on July 1. The committee has not yet been selected but will be at our next meeting. The next meeting will be very interesting so be sure to attend. A program is being planned with all the members participating. Refreshments to be served by Mayme Stritar, Frances Mesec, and Mary Mesec.

Joseph Golob is our latest candidate for membership.

The Sports Club is to be disbanded and all important matters will be settled at the next meeting on May 11. Since the Sports Club is disbanded, the Youth League will sponsor the girls' and boys' indoor team. Alberna Bartel has been elected captain of the girls' and Iggie Mesec captain of the boys' team.

Any girls wishing to join the newly organized Singing Club report at the Slovene Home on May 3.

### Personals

Vincent Pink is back in town and we hope we see a lot of him.—What's happened to Foxey, Pezdir, Buzz, Gus, and the rest of the gang?—The Assay Club will hold its meeting next Friday.—Now that Josephine and Richie are back from Florida we'll have two more members at our meetings.

Tillie and Rusty.

### LODGE NO. 589

Canonsburg, Pa.—A dance is to be sponsored by our mushball teams at the Slovene Hall on May 12. Many tickets have been sold for the Universal iron that is to be given away at the May dance. If you haven't got your tickets to sell or need more, just take a little walk up the hill and get them from Frances Tomasic.

The Easter dance went over with a big success, and everyone seemed to be having a grand old time.

A couple of young fellows from Midway were also present. Glad to have you among our crowd and would like to see you at our next dance.

They tell us that they are going to sing "Did You Ever See a Dream Walkin'?"—Ann Hiavacek and Molly Raunick.

We also have an orator, Mrs. Mary Czakowski who gave her version of Puss in the Boots. A reading on "Da Leetle Boy" was given by Mary Moyl. Our talented comedian, Joe Presteri, was next in line. Sister Ann Moyl spoke on the "Family Menagerie." The Child Prodigies, who

Publicity Committee.

## Universal Comets

Universal, Pa.—The Comets' Spring Dance was a complete success. We owe our success to the representation of 10 lodges. It was a genuine pleasure to meet the out-of-town visitors and we hope to meet them at some future time to help them celebrate their affairs. The crowd as a whole gave us the impression that a good time was had by all.

Every member has already learned of the membership campaign which is now in progress. Are you aware of the fact that during our Jubilee Campaign you can fatten your pocketbook and increase your lodge membership to a desirable number? You are now given the opportunity and there are many young men and women and children in your community eligible for admittance into our Society. Now is the time to go out and talk to the young people, get them interested, tell them of the benefits they will receive, backed up with a 100% guarantee. For the time allotted a lot can be accomplished.

The first provision that every workingman and woman should make is a guaranteed fund which may be used to pay doctor and hospital bills, burial costs, and all the numerous expenses arising out of the last sickness and death. If you haven't an insurance fund of this sort, where will the money come from to pay these bills? If you want to enjoy the peace of mind and a contented feeling—join the SNPJ for these benefits as a means of protection. Join now!

For a bigger SNPJ,  
Joseph Caesar.

## Progressive Patches

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### By the Busy Bees

Euclid, O.—The Beacon Blue Hour, Strugglers Anniversary, and New Era dances are gone but not forgotten, and yet to come is Progressives Card Party and Dance to be held Tuesday, May 8th, at 8 p. m. at the Slovene Society Home on Recher ave. From 8 to 9:30 p. m. Cards and Bunco will be played. And then from 9:30 to 10 refreshments will be served and also a surprise is in store known only by the three "Busy Bees" which I am sure will be enjoyed by all. Later dancing will follow. So far we have heard from the Five Beacons Girls, President of the Commodores and the Comrades Crooner that they will be there. Last but not least we will have Door and Table Prizes. Everyone is invited to attend. Tickets can be had from any one of the Progressives or bought at the door.

But we mustn't forget our greatest affair of the year, our "Sixth Anniversary" to be held on Saturday, May 26, at Slovene Hall on Recher. Music will be furnished by "Jackie Zore." The adm. will be only 35¢ and Checking fre. More details later from the "Bees."

We, the Progressive Girls, now take the opportunity to apologize to the Progressive fellows for what was said and done by us about you three years ago, and we hope that you accept our humble apology. We thank you and hope to see you all at our future meeting and dances.

What's the matter with the rest of the Progressive writers? Why don't you write any more? Come on gang, let's get started again!

Progressive Girls.

## Integrity News

Chicago.—The regular monthly meeting of the Integrity Lodge, No. 631, SNPJ, will be held Tuesday, May 8, at 8 p. m. Entertainment and refreshment will follow. Don't fail to attend the meeting. Bring the good old spirit back again by attending 100%.

The race is on for the English Speaking lodges. It's up to us to fight and fight hard to put the name of Integrity at the top of the list. Let's do our best. Let everyone of us determine now to get at least one member a month from now to the end of the campaign. During the next few months let the membership come in such a deluge that we will reach the top so far ahead of our nearest competitor that we will stay there for all time (at least in Chicago). Help the Integrity to win (and for yourself) one of the prizes offered by the SNPJ. Let us hesitate no longer. Start the ball a rolling now. Just one member a month by every individual member from now until the close of the campaign.

Everybody loves a winner so let us all be winners, you Integrity and me. Bring in your new member and have several nominations, at our next meeting. All the rest of the lodges are taking advantage of the campaign and if we don't watch out we will be left out of place during meetings or social functions.

Good idea this, "after meeting refreshments." Here's hoping every one keeps attending the meetings. Our meetings are getting bigger and better.

## With Comrades

### COMRADE MEDITATIONS

Cleveland, Ohio.—All of the SNPJ English speaking lodges here, since the beginning of the year, have been very active. Looking back we recall the Commodores Initial Dance, where we met a few out-of-town visitors—and shall always remember the affair as a social success. Then the Comrades' dance held, previous to the Commodores' dance, following the Federation program and dance on April 8 and a week later the Beacons dance on April 14. Right here we wish to mention that we thank the Beacons for the nice time they showed us and we also thank Johnnie Aynik for the lovely carnations. On that same night we had the pleasure of having with us Jane Fradel of the Torch of Liberty Lodge and her folks. We were glad to have you and hope you come and visit with us again.

The Nite of the Beacon Dance, the ever active Miss Fradel, again brought into existence the "Bees." The following are now members of the "Bees"—Marian Konchan and Marie Zeita of the Commodores; Vic Mezgec, Mary Dieureko and Anne Traven of the Beacons, Jean Centa, Dorothy Kerze, and Annette Trebeck of the Progressives. We, the members of the "Bees" in Cleveland, hope some day to become acquainted with the "Bees" in Pennsy.

Odds and Ends

With great pleasure we noticed where one lodge, the Montana Stars—had had a 100% attendance at their meeting. Isn't that something to brag about? Wonder what lodge will be next? Sorry that we can never get out to the Commodores meeting, but we'll drop in sometime. The Progressives are staging a bunco and card party after their next meeting.

Our April meeting last. We really expected a much large crowd since we're the second largest lodge in the country and the first in Cleveland. We had a great number of guests from the Loyalties, Beacons, Progressives and Commodores. The Comrades wish to thank these friends and you can rest assured that at your next affair, you will surely see a Comrade.

To President Fifolt: Pauline Spik is sorry but she will not be able to

Saint and Sinner.

## Lodge News Notes

### MOHAWKS' 8TH ANNIVERSARY

La Salle, Ill.—The Eighth Anniversary celebration of the Mohawk Lodge will get under way at 7 p. m. on May 6 at the Slovene Dom. Inasmuch as the Mohawks have so generously contributed so much time to the success of other programs sponsored for the benefit of the Dom and the Thirtieth Anniversary celebration of the SNPJ, a record crowd of appreciative persons is expected. Not only for the foregoing reason is so large a turnout expected, but for the reason that the Mohawks have proven themselves capable of presenting a program most enjoyable to its audience.

The program this year features a three-act farce entitled "OH PROFESSOR." Dancing in both halls, beer and lunch in abundance. Only 25¢ in advance, at the door 35¢. The last meeting was well attended. Two comical skits were offered by Olga Trdin and Margaret Perc, and Walter Zera and Frank Mahnich. They were very well received. Sisters Amelia Jakse and Rose Novak furnished the hungry mob with delicious refreshments.

The Four News-Hawks.

### WOLVERINE LODGE

Detroit.—Lodge No. 677. Our next meeting will be held Sunday, May 6. There are several subjects to be discussed and a few members to be initiated. You will find things rather interesting, so make it an appointment.

G. G.

### LODGE NO. 279

Ramsey, O.—Our Lodge is sponsoring a dance on May 26 for the benefit of the treasury. It will be held in the New Social hall at Long Run, O., at 7:30 p. m. Admission 35¢ and 25¢. Neighboring lodges are cordially invited. Good music.

Mary Kosenina.

### LODGE 743

Los Angeles, Calif.—During our first quarterly meeting we had the pleasure of introducing two new members into our Lodge, Miss Victoria Paso and Mr. Geo. Baker. Miss Paso is well known to most of the members, being present during some of our previous meetings. Mr. Baker, known more through the older members, will in no time acquaint himself with the younger members.

Most of our office holders are young and will see to it that it will be not hard for anyone new to be left out of place during meetings or social functions.

Good idea this, "after meeting refreshments." Here's hoping every one keeps attending the meetings. Our meetings are getting bigger and better.

Vince Chadez, Lodge 743.

### PENNSY PIONEERS

# About This and That

## DETROIT—SYMBOLIC OF YOUTH

Detroit.—Detroit has felt the sudden upturn in business quite as quickly as it did the rapid decline in 1930. It seems to be sort of sensitive child, as eager in one direction as it is in the other. It has the complete aspects of modern youth. Let us briefly examine the case and see why.

It will be remembered by all observers that the auto industry has boasted, and still does, that they were the reason for the great epoch of prosperity during the post-war period. We must grant them that point insofar as we admit that it was the greatest agent of that boom. We may also observe the fact that it was the auto industry which felt the blow of the crash first and hardest, and it was the auto industry, which was the first and quickest to revive. In other words, we can gather from this that Detroit and its auto industries are vital factors in the country's economical stability. Its great antennae reach out and feel throbbing of the nation. When the pulse is fast, automobiles are in great demand; and when it weakens, there is no demand. Thus the so-called captains of industry take the fullest advantage of these sudden upturns and declines. They work their plants at full capacity and their employees to the limit of high production and efficiency. That is the reason they are so utterly opposed to the unionization of their plants. Unions would prevent this inhuman exploitation. In order to keep a market and to insure a predicted number of salgs each year as well as a preventive from annihilation by competitors, the automotive experimental laboratories are constantly bringing out new and marked improvements in the construction and designs of cars.

I may add, these are not for the convenience of the buyer, but merely as new and improved selling points. What they want to say is, "Turn in your old 'jelly' on something new and better." But with all of their master minds, they have not as yet figured out a way to keep their own employees employed the year round. And what is more, I doubt if they care much whether they do or not. Men are merely tools in their hands. When they are worn out, they cast them to charity organizations and to the government with a mere, "Here, you take care of them, we don't need them anymore. They're too old." They remember that there are plenty of men waiting outside to take their places. But now I am getting beside the point.

We can compare the automotive industry in the capitalistic system as a huge surging wave on a seacoast, and the others of the nation's industries as break-waters of the port of capitalistic economical stability. This automotive wave comes rushing in on us at comparatively regular intervals. The other industries...and businesses or break-waters allow this surge to slowly sift through as mere ripples. These ripples last for some time after the retirement of the wave. They are the indicators which show that industry is still alive. They say, "Stand by, you fools! Another wave is coming." But personally I am afraid that more break-waters are being built from day to day beyond the immediate coastal ones. They are breaking the gigantic wave of the past too far off shore. The waves themselves are becoming mere ripples.

I do not mean to imply that the auto industry is the key to the whole situation, although I do mean that it is an important one. Industries are interdependent. The world is becoming too specialized to make any one independent of the others. The same holds for individuals. The days of rugged individualism have faded with the past.

But let us go on with our companion of the youthfulness of Detroit. Detroit's industries are impulsive and eager to go forward. They have big ideas and are eager to put them over. Their passion for the "latest thing out" is predominant in their modernism in a conservative and worn out system. (Note this in our new airflow car by Chrysler or in one of General Motors' cars resting on its knees by some curb.) The madness of youth is apparent in that killing speed with which they go to work, in the exhausting manner in which they do things, and in the final let up when they stop as suddenly as they began. To them, they had finished their task. Their passions have cooled. What are they to do next? They have dissipated their life in one mad fling and now have nothing to do but sit around and think of something bigger and better to do next. When the opportunity comes, they go at it just as feverishly again until once more they fall prostrate. Is this not characteristic of the youth of today? Eager, energetic, radical, conservative, bumbling, unthinking, ruthless and sympathetic, and most of all the making of tomorrow, the progressors of the world!

Detroit seems to have its share of youthful industries which have matured into powerful overlords. They have been trained in the school of capitalism. Even in their stubbornness to yield, they have yielded to the mold of time. They make changes and give in just enough to keep up with the demands and to preserve that system upon which they have been weaned and raised to their present status. We must congratu-

late them upon their achievements. They do know how to handle the whip. I wonder how long Detroit and the rest of the country will let this go on? What do you think?

Now, here in this Detroit, in this god-head of youthful modernism and this turmoil of instability, some eight years ago sprung forth from its forebears an organization and lodge called the Young Americans and since that time recognized by that word of Youthfulness. We were born from our parents, the Slovene lodges of the SNPJ. We were raised upon the principle on which that organization was founded 30 years ago, and taught in the school of hard knocks and unpleasant experiences. We live in that environment which I had characterized as being Detroit, and have always held the principles of the workingman foremost in our hearts.

We, the Young Americans and the Wolverines, are the Slovene youth groups of Detroit. We have been energetic and shall continue to be so. Detroit has influenced us in its ways. To others in the Slovene groups throughout the country, we may have appeared at times to be too radical and eager for changes. But we do not feel that way. We are proud of that fact. We want to keep that spark of our predecessors alive and full of spirit. We want the SNPJ to grow and continue to do its good work for its people. Those fundamental principles upon which it was founded and for which our pioneers struggled so desperately must be stressed to the youth. We must not keep them only to ourselves, but we must spread them to the world. Our future and that of mankind rests as much in our hands as it does in those of others.

This is the thirtieth anniversary of the SNPJ. The Slovene Youth of Detroit recognize the greatness of the work of our founders. We pay homage to the living and dead who have sacrificed and who have given their talent and energy that such a great and influential as well as beneficial organization be possible for us.

It is our duty to go forth with all of our energy in this jubilee. We must carry on that work which those before us have begun. They are passing and we are coming! Let us not shirk at our new responsibilities! Don't depend on the other fellow to do it all! He'll do his part. See to it that you do yours. Let's all go out and see these eligible young people. Let's make them members! All aboard for the good ship "Jubilee"! Let's bring back a worthy cargo! And so we say, "Bon voyage" and Good Luck!

Fraternally,  
Henry Kavacic, President,  
Young Americans Lodge 564.

## MOHAWKS

La Salle, Ill.—(Pinch-hitting for a News-Hawk.)—Wanted, a man, or a woman, one who is not a wind vane, not a water gauge, not a self-appointed pedagog, a mere slave to his friends, but a man, who is a combination of heart, head, and one who has sense enough to favor circumstances. One who has that enthusiasm that never calculates its sacrifices, and is willing to endure all things, good and bad. Good things are sometimes harder to take than bad.

Wanted, a man who loves his work; who throws his whole heart into it; who makes it his constant companion, waking and sleeping; who can, therefore, see more in his work than can any other, and who, therefore, finds in it possibilities that bring his whole nature into play; who catches from its very barreness of outlook an inspiration that quickens the blood in his veins; one who inspires inspiration; one who faces the difficulties with an indomitable temper. One who feels if the badge is not progressing that it is largely his fault. One who can change, on a minute's notice, from a care-free devil-may-care person into a serious, responsible man. One who can change a majority of our younger set into people of firm, definite, well-ordered participants of lodge activities. A man who can build from a spark a huge bonfire; one who has infinite patience and pity for the weak; who will not suffer them to be crowded to the wall, one who believes there is more glory in the salvation of a weaker brother than "stringing" along with the one who needs no master. One who in all this will do little more, after all; than help the fellow who is down, help himself. Above all other things, one who feels that as a man, he is a born leader of men, and who does not propose to be degraded by jealous outside interests or contrary factions, and a man who has still got that feeling that he still can be told he is wrong, in other words a broadminded person.

Give me a person who can fill all these requirements (and I don't fee I'm asking too much), and I'll show you the man who can lead any organization to the top.

Mohawks, our duty is to find that man. And I may state here that that man will not be one with ambitions pointed to life other than city or organized life. Societies, such as ours are forms of organized life, so my point can be readily understood.

Remember, Mohawks and neighbor-

## Telegram Paging Mohawks:

I'm in favor of more lodge activities dealing with sports. A very good source for inter-lodge activities. It should be encouraged. Brings together the athletic elements of lodges as well as the scholastic elements. Our after-meeting entertainment is going to be both educational and entertaining, it seems. We have had one hot battle already, more to follow. Hope to see more members at our next meeting. Nice work, "Teamster," you're coming along like a big leaguer. Seen at the basketball games, Mary Mahnich, Rose Novak, Julia Mahnich, and Babe, all waiting to see our star, Joe Jakse, get into the game; sorry, girls, but, he's barred from league competition, seems he played professional ball somewhere, which is a league violation. John Strell Jr., Lodge 575.

## JOHNSTOWN'S LODGE AFFAIRS

Johnstown, Pa.—Regardless of the depression hanging heavily over us here in Johnstown, the SNPJ lodges are not forgetting to celebrate their anniversaries and the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ.

Lodge Flood City celebrated their fourth anniversary and the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ on April 7 and 8. The affairs certainly were very successful. An exceptionally large crowd attended the dance and the well rendered program the following day, where our local lodge representatives and guest speakers emphasized the great value of our SNPJ organization and congratulated the lodge on its excellent progress during the four years of its existence, remembering that the depression was a hindrance.

In addition to the good speakers there were various kinds of musical selections, and a two-act comedy,

"Now Adolph," which was rendered without any criticism whatever. Besides all this each patron was presented with a souvenir booklet which was printed through the courtesy of our local business men.

April 14 was a big day for Lodge 14 SNPJ, which celebrated the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ with a dance and play. Our Slovene Dom hasn't held such an enormous large crowd for a long time. That shows that every member wants to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ. The play being a two-act comedy entitled "Two Vagabonds" (Dva potepuh), it contributed the audience with abundance of laughter, and was presented skillfully by local SNPJ members.

Also a very good speech was delivered by the president of the lodge mentioned. He discussed the jubilee campaign which is now the greatest event of the organization, and urged all members of the SNPJ to try their best in getting more good members for the organization. It was the cooperation of the lodges that have helped to acquire these successes.

So now next on the program is "Naša Sloga," Lodge No. 600, SNPJ, which will entertain in the Mox. Slov. Dom, May 19, with a play and dance. The play, a three-act drama "Wedding Night" (Poročna noč), with a prologue will be presented. Frank Seibert's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing. Let's cooperate and make this celebration a success.

Mary Konchan,  
Sec'y. Lodge 600.

## PIONEERS OF CANONSBURG

Strabane, Pa.—The Pioneers' mush-ball team is preparing for the Mush-ball dance to be held May 12 at the SNPJ Hall with Joe Pape's orchestra furnishing the music. Also there will be a "universal iron" given away.

Any lodges wishing to play Mush-ball with the Pioneers please write to the Brooking Manager Frank Progar, Strabane, Pa., box 251, and he will answer your request.

The boys' team is taking part in the Federation league and City league, which is composed of ten teams; they started to play April 23.

Manager Frank Rosmon is working hard to put the boys in shape for the season; they are expecting to win the championship in both leagues. The pitchers: John Podboy, Tony Progar and Albert Floranic; the catchers: John and Sam Dellarso and Frank Progar. The others will be as following: Frank and August Podboy, Jack Chescic, Frank Tomasic, Joe Delost, Joe Holasy, John Progar, Joe Krutz, George Gnatovich, and Frank Sterle with Joseph Koklich taking the part at waterboy. Any other members wishing to take a tryout please notify the Manager Frank Rosmon.

The Pioneers are anxiously waiting the time to play J. Z. Jrs., which has promised the Pioneers a defeat of 15 to 0.

A group of Pioneers boys are planning to take a trip to Cleveland and visit some of the SNPJ lodges. The date has not as yet been set.

The Pioneers have been going to different SNPJ dances, and reported on having a very good time. We would like to see some of the lodges of this vicinity attending our dance May 12 as we will promise everyone a good time.

The next meeting will be held May 6, at SNPJ Hall. We would like to see more members attending the meetings.

"We Three."

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## Proud to Belong to SNPJ

Auburn, Ill.—While reading through the weekly Prosleta and noticing how many of the English Speaking lodges, as well as the Senior lodges are working for the SNPJ's 30th Anniversary and agitating for a better and bigger SNPJ, it certainly makes one feel proud to think that he belongs to such a great Fraternal Society. An Organization which has prospered more since its origination thirty years ago, than has any other

### Important

Time and place—Slovene Workers' Home, Saturday, April 14 (not April 4, as mentioned in last week's issue of the Prosleta). The play starts at 8 p. m.

we know of. This Fraternal Society treats all of her members equally and comes to their assistance when necessary, helping them out when their needs are greatest. This, then, is the reason why the SNPJ has been progressing so rapidly. Since the members know how the SNPJ has helped them when they needed help, they have advised others to become members so that they too, may have these opportunities which are granted by the SNPJ. Therefore, YOU, who are not yet members, wake up and join the biggest and best organization—the SNPJ.

The motto, "Every member brings in a new member," is an excellent one. It should aid greatly in enlarging our Society and bringing in new members who will be a benefit to the individual lodge as well as to the Organization itself. And of course, the SNPJ will always be at hand ready to help the members just as she has helped thousands of others.

The Prosleta also deserves much praise. Just think what we would do without this paper. Why, we wouldn't know anything about our Society, sister lodges, new items, etc. The Prosleta is a newspaper which is very interesting and beneficial to everyone. Through it we grasp new ideas and are taught new problems just as we were taught new problems in school. We can then say that the Prosleta is a means of education right at home, sitting in your easy chair. Through the Prosleta we also become acquainted with our Fraternal brothers and sisters. Even though we may not be personally acquainted with them it seems that by reading their interesting articles week after week we really know them real well.

But now, we can live in pleasant Slovenia; we can exchange gossip with the peasantry. We can enjoy the peaceful rural life through the medium of "The Native's Return." In the book, the country, the people are real, startlingly real. Is it because Adamic compares its natural beauty with the artificially angular and powerful New York, or is it that it is so wonderfully different than his thoughts had depicted it? We can dimly guess at the author's hesitancy to tell the country of his birth, his uneasiness. We can perceive how his interest is awakened and spurred by the family, the country, and the people. His natural ability asserts itself and he records his impressions. His description of the Galachian colony in its barren mountain fastnesses drips with the romance of their struggle for life, their boundless courage and faithfulness for home. His description of Montenegrin life bears the burden of the hard struggle for life, of their strength against privations.

Therefore we should work hard to get new subscriptions for the Prosleta so that it may too, in later years, come to us a larger paper. Maybe we could them have four or five English pages. Wouldn't that be wonderful?

Now let us all work more then we have ever done before to make our SNPJ still bigger; so that when she celebrates her 40th Anniversary she will still shine out as brightly as she has in the past.

Yours for a bigger and better SNPJ,

Frances Homez, Lodge 335.

## Fraternal Protection

(Written in honor of present membership drive.)

Cleveland.—To sell fraternal protection, requires a limited amount of knowledge and a good deal of patience. It isn't necessary to be a windjammer. Remember that you can never influence a prospect by a ceaseless flow of language. The average man knows very little about the real value of protection offered by our Society.

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Sec'y. Lodge 600.

We find that in the insurance field some of the most successful agents are those who talk little and impress deeply. Success comes to a man who is willing to be self-made through his own efforts and not the efforts of some one else. During these untiring times we need men and women of vision, with will-power and determination to go forth and dig up those new members.

You must make plans for the future that will assure permanency and progress in your lodge, and the best way to do it is—be willing to carry on even in the face of defeat. Future welfare and prosperity depends upon our youth—our English Lodge movement. We must be able to conquer difficulties regardless of what type of opposition we run into. This is our big anniversary year which signifies that our Society has been through many a battle and with all the opposition, etc., it has reached the age of 30 years of existence. This is our big anniversary year which signifies that our Society has been through many a battle and with all the opposition, etc., it has reached the age of 30 years of existence.

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A few days ago she came in and told the cashier, in a small voice, "I'm afraid I can't make these payments anymore." "What is the matter?" the cashier asked her. "Well," answered the little old lady, "it's the hard times and all. There isn't as much work for me as there used to be, and my husband doesn't contribute anything anymore—he's been dead for three years."

While the little old lady wept the cashier looked this matter up and found that it was true. He was dead but no beneficiary was named, the death benefit remaining in the company's hands until legally released. For three years the little old lady was paying her husband's premium and for three years the company accepted it.

Think it over, folks, and work for the SNPJ!

Submitted by  
John ("Lindy") Lokar,  
Lodge 614.

## On Adamic's "Return"

Pueblo, Colo.—Interesting and intriguing beyond compare is the word description of Yugoslavia by Louis Adamic. In this, his latest, he has outdone himself in writing. His descriptions are vivid, the people live and breathe; the whole book gives an air of vital strength, stolid stoicism, a certain "do or die" atmosphere.

To us—those who have been born in America from Slovene stock—Yugoslavia is synonymous with the "old country." A place vague and dim, but interesting, to be sure. It is a place where all are farmers, with the Alpine crests shooting into the sky. Interesting, yes, but too distant, too incomprehensible to us who have known nothing but the modern trend of speed, and mixed peoples, where each is for himself, and the devil take the hindmost. We listen with little attention, or none at all, to the tales of Yugoslavia the old folks have to tell. It is meaningless jargon to us.

But now, we can live in pleasant Slovenia; we can exchange gossip with the peasantry. We can enjoy the peaceful rural life through the medium of "The Native's Return." In the book, the country, the people are real, startlingly real. Is it because Adamic compares its natural beauty with the artificially angular and powerful New York, or is it that it is so wonderfully different than his thoughts had depicted it? We can dimly guess at the author's hesitancy to tell the country of his