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Kabinet odobril oljne sankcije proti Italiji

DEZERTACIJE IZ ITALIJANSKE ARMADE

London, 3. dec. — Zaradi kritične situacije, ki prevladuje v Evropi, se je Velika Britanija odločila za ojačanje obrambe svoje prestolice proti možnemu sovražnemu napadu iz zraka.

Naznanila je takojšnje reorganiziranje obrambne sile in mobilizirala divizijo štirih grup ter ji poverila nalogo obrambe Londona proti letalskim napadom. Vsaka teh grup bo imela svoj glavni stan v kraju, od koder bo najlagljje sodelovala z letalsko armoado, ki je bila v zadnjem času povečana.

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Ta odločitev je dokaz, da se angleška vlada ne boji Mussolinijevih pretanj glede napada na britsko bojno brodovje v Sredozemskem morju, če bo med druge produkte, katerih izvor v Italiji je Liga narodov prepovedala, ukujučeno tudi

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Milwauška federacija za svobodnomiselno šolo!

Federacija društev SNPJ v Milwaukeeju, Wis., je na svoji, seji zadnji teden vzela v pretres sugestijo uredništva Prosvete glede svobodnomiselnih šole za mladinski oddelki SNPJ in jo soglasno odobrila.

Uredništvo Prosvete z veseljem pozdravlja ta korak milwauške federacije.

To je prva akcija v tem oziru s strani kakega društva ali federacije naše jednote. Uredništvo je v dveh člankih predvsem apeliralo na posamezne člane, naj povede svoje mnenje; kakega apeleja od nas na društva in federacije še ni bilo.

Zdaj pa pričakujemo, da idejo naše šole vzamejo v pretres posamezna društva in federacije SNPJ tudi drugod. Poudariti je treba, da o tej zadevi ni še nobenega oficilnega predloga in nobenega konkretnega načrta. Vsa stvar je še samo gola ideja, katero je uredništvo Prosvete sprožilo na svojo odgovornost iz razloga, da izve, kakšno mnenje ima članstvo SNPJ o tej ideji naceroma. Če bo odziv ugoden, bo nedvomno sledila resna razprava.

Več o tem v članku na četrti strani današnje Prosvete.

Domače vesti

Tretji radioprogram Francisco Ferrera

Chicago. — Priboljno soboto, 7. decembra, ob 3.30 popoldne bo z radioposte WGES (1360 k.) spet oddajan program v zvezi s proslavo 25-letnice društva Francisa Ferrera 181 SNPJ, katera se vrši prihodnjo nedeljo v dvorani SNPJ. Zadnjo soboto je v tem programu nastopil nekaj pesmi, prihodnjo soboto pa bosta nastopili sestri Prelesnik, članici Ferrera, v duetu. Vsi člani SNPJ v Chicagu, kakor tudi ostali rojaki, se opozarjajo na radiogram.

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Veliki orientalist in egiptolog

Chicago. — Dne 2. t. m. je v bolnišnici v New Yorku umrl dr. James Henry Breasted, ki je bil 40 let profesor zgodovine na češki univerzi in kot direktor inštituta za orient je bil znan po vsem znanstvenem svetu. Star je bil 70 let. Dr. Breasted je zbolel na parniku, ko se je vrnil iz Male Azije, kjer je vodil več arheoloških ekspedicij. Prehladil se je in vnebo se mu je grlo. Ob prihodu v New York so ga hitro odpreljali v bolnišnico, toda zdravnik mu niso mogli več rešiti življenske.

Dr. Breasted so je proslavil s svojimi tolmačenji staroegipčanskih slikopisov, s pomočjo katerih je odkril dejstveno stanje velega dela zgodovine Egipta pred štirimi in petimi tisočletji. Raziskaval je tudi ostanke mest in primitivne civilizacije v davni Perziji in drugod po Mali Aziji. Ko je bil dr. Breasted še majhen deček, je bila "zgodovina" pred starim Rimom in Grčijo v večjem delu le zbirka pravljic, ki so se ohranile v grški in rimski mitologiji ter v biblijskih spisih.

Pravo zgodovino je še bilo treba izkopati iz na debelo pokritih razvalin, kar je znano izigrala v drugi polovici 19. stoletja. Prvi delu je dr. Breasted sodeloval v obdobju, v kateri po trditvi cerkevih "učenjakov" v 18. stoletju — svet še ni bil ustvarjen. S temi svojimi odkritji in dobrobitjo je dr. Breasted nemalo prinesel novi navskriž s teologijo, toda ni umaknil pred njimi ne za las, kajti imel je dokaze. Spisal je veliko število knjig, v katerih je raztolmačil svoja odkritja in te njegove knjige so še danes učne knjige v večini ameriških višjih šol.

Italijanski lesni baron umrl

med preiskavo

Milan, Italija, 3. dec. — Carlo Feltrinelli, veliki lesni magnat in multimilijonar, ki je imel okrog 800 milijonov lir kapitala v švicarskih bankah in v gozdovih v Jugoslaviji in Čehoslovakinji, je včeraj umrl med začiščanjem pred fašističnim svetom. Zadela ga je sršna kap. Feltrinelli je bil obtožen, da je prekril določbe proti sankcijam, kar je odločno tajil. Tedaj je pa nastopil urednik, ki je izjavil, da je Feltrinelli obtožen, da je prekril določbe proti sankcijam, kar je odločno tajil. Tedaj je pa nastopil urednik, ki je izjavil, da je Feltrinelli ponudil 60 milijonov lir, če se stvar na lepem poravnava. Ob tej izjavi se je magnat zgrudil mrtev na tla.

Slovenski inženir delegat PAIG

Eveleth, Minn. — Joseph P. Lovšin, slovenski inženir, ki je v federalni zemljemerški službi, je bil zadnje tedne na obisku pri svojih starših v Evelethu. V zadnjem oktobru se je inženir Lovšin udeležil kot delegat zborovanja Pan American Institute of Geography. Zadnje leto je bil Lovšin v službi v Gwatemali v centralni Ameriki.

Novi grob v starem kraju

So. Burgettstown, Pa. — Jakob Leskovc, član društva 287 SNPJ je prejel falostno vest, da je v Godoviču pri Idriji je umrl njegova mati v starosti 80 let. V Ameriki zapušča enega sina, v starci domovini pa moža v starosti 88 let, dva sinova in eno hčer, enega sina pa v Franciji.

Trgovska pogajanja med Kanado in Rusijo

Ottawa, Kanada. — Kanadska vlada je namignila, da bo sledila zgledu Anglije in v kratkem pričela s pogajanjem glede obnovitve trgovinskih odnosa s Sovjetsko Rusijo. Po početku iz zanesljivih virov bo kanadska vlada preklicala embargo za uvoz ruskega blaga, ki ga je uveljavil Bennettov režim pred petimi leti. Imenovala bo tudi trgovskega komisarja in ga poslala v Moskvo. Vlada bo nasprotno časopisje naglašala, da je prav za prav sedanjem premierom Mackenzie King odgovoren za prelom trgovinskih odnosa s Sovjetsko Rusijo. Po početku iz zanesljivih virov bo kanadska vlada preklicala embargo za uvoz ruskega blaga, ki ga je uveljavil Bennettov režim pred petimi leti. Imenovala bo tudi trgovskega komisarja in ga poslala v Moskvo. Vlada bo nasprotno časopisje naglašala, da je prav za prav sedanjem premierom Mackenzie King odgovoren za prelom trgovinskih odnosa s Sovjetsko Rusijo. 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Uradne vesti društva SNPJ

Iz urada društva 104

West Allis, Wis. — Na novembarski seji društva 104 je bila razprava glede glavne ali decembrske seje, ali naj se vse člane z opozicijo obvestili ali se to storiti potom naznali v glasilu. Sklenjeno je bilo, da se jih obvesti v glasilu, da je letna seja važna. Volitev urednikov je tako važna stvar, posebno če se izvoli povsem nove. Pri nas bo treba to storiti vsaj kar se tiče tajništva, kajti stari tajnik pravi, da ne bo več tega urada prevzel. Baš tajništvo je tako važen urad pri vsakem društvu.

Nadalje je vprašanje zdravnika, kar je tudi važna zadeva, posebno kadar je uravnan pri nas. Tretja stvar je doklada 25c, ki jo bo moral v januarju plačati vsak član v društveno blagajno, v kateri je precejšnja dejstva.

V januarju priredi naše društvo svojo plesno veselico. Vstopnina bo 25c, a člani bodo prosti vstopnine. Po zadnjih treh sejah smo imeli vselej obilo zabave v dobrim pivom. Na naši prošli seji smo imeli neko posebnost. Naš podpredsednik ni le obetal činko, kakor je storil Hoover, temveč jih je kar naročil, tako smo jih bili deležni vsej. Zato bi ga bilo treba izvoliti za predstavnika Združenih držav, kajti on izpolni, kar obljubi.

Na decembrski seji bomo spet imeli neko posebnost, o kateri pa vam sedaj ne bom povedal, ker upam, da boste itak vse člani in članice navzoči, tako da se boste lahko sami prepričali, da zadnje čase na lep način zaključujemo naše seje. Imeli bomo tudi par novoprstnih članov in članic, tako tudi nekaj novoprestolnih. Vsekakor se nam torej dne 13. dec. obljubuje spet zanimiva seja! Na svrdenje! Zadanes naj zadostuje, oglašiti pa se nameravam še prihodnji teden.

Anton Yersin tajnik.

Zahvala za sodelovanje

Johnstown, Pa. — V imenu društva Naša sloga št. 600 se iskreno zahvaljujem vsem, ki ste na kakršenkoli način pripomogli k uspehu slavja devetletnice našega društva in pri uprizoritvi drame "Rdeče rože" dne 16. nov. Posebna zahvala gre integralcem, mlašim članom društva Friendly City, ki so vselej pripravljeni nam pomagati. Iskrena zahvala pevskemu zboru Jugoslavija za lepo petje, profesorju Roemerju, pevovodji Jugoslavije, ki je zaigral več lepih komadov na piano. Hvala tudi našim članicam za brezplačno delo na prireditvi in za darila na prireditvi in partiji za igralce. Končno se zahvaljujemo vsem cenjenemu občinstvu za obilno udeležbo, ker nam je s tem pripomoglo do krasnega uspeha. Topla zahvala za vse in vsem skupaj!

Zahvala za društvo 600 SNPJ.

Bodoče prireditve

Chicago, Ill. — V nedeljo 8. decembra bo društvo Francisco Ferrer št. 131 SNPJ praznovalo svojo 25 letnico s programom in plesom v dvorani SNPJ. Člane društva Slavija pozavaram, da si nabavijo vstopnice pri meni, ker te vstopnice bo moralno društvo itak plačati po sklepku predzadnje seje. Za našo vinsko trgovatev in ples sem prodal čez 30 vstopnic članom društva Ferrer.

Federacija čikaških društev priredi božičnico za otroke v dvorani SNPJ v nedeljo dne 22. decembra. Tudi teh vstopnic imam se precej na razpolago. Bratje in sestre, sezite po teh vstopnicah, ker s tem prihranite nekaj tudi društveni blagajni. Pravilno in potrebno je pa tudi, da se člani ene organizacije udeležujejo svojih priredb ter da puste druge zabave na stran na dan kakih tudi prireditve.

Anton Trojar, zapisnikar društva Slavija.

Proslava z igro

Johnstown, Pa. — Proslava 27 letnice društva Triglav št. 82 se bo vrnila na 14. dec. Izvajal se bo zanimiv program in uprizorjava na igra "Anarhist". Ta igra predstavlja občinsko sejo, in Martinek, občinski sluga, vam bo zanimiv način povedal, kako je rešil domovino. Potem pride na vrsto sam Anarhist, ki ga go občinski odborniki vjeli in so gotovi, da bodo dobili zanj nagrado. Kako se bo zgodilo potem, boste videli sami na omenjeni večer.

Društvo Triglav uljudno vabi vse občinstvo. Pridite vse. Vem, da onim, ki ne marajo žensk, se bo ta igra dopadla, posebno pečljarem. Vsi na proslavo 27 letnice našega društva! Vstopnina 25c za osebo. Za ples bo igral fin orkester. V spodnjih prostorih budi obilo zabave. Na veselo sviranje 14. dec. zvečer!

Zahvala za društvo 600 SNPJ.

Teresia Glavach.

potrebno skupno sodelovanje za obči napredek društva.

Naša kampanja gre h koncu. Bratje in sestre! Stopimo vse na plan, vse na delo, da storimo vsak svojo dolžnost v zadnjih štirih tednih kampanje! Se imamo dovolj časa in lepo priliko, da pomognimo naše članstvo! Storimo tako za našo vrolo organizacijo SNPJ, potem si bomo lahko voščili veselo novo leto!

Frank Gorenc, član.

Pojasnilo

Berberton, O. — V zapisniku severnovzhodne ohijske federacije z dne 27. nov. se je vrnila pomota v tem, da se bi moralno glasiti, da uro, ki je bila oddana na pikniku 11. avg., je podaril blagajnik Fidel, ne pa da jo je on dobil. Že v zapisniku z dne 28. julija se bi moralno glasiti, "n a b a v i se ura, ki ne sme presegati vsote \$6." Torej uro, ki je bila oddana na pikniku 11. avg., je podaril br. Fidel. Toliko v pojasnilo. (Poštni zakon strogo prepoveduje, da se bi v listih omenjala zrehanja, kjer se plača vstopnina.) Ured.) Josip Sustarsic, zapisnikar.

Kdo sme voliti?

Cleveland, O. — Gornje vprašanje je bilo pred par leti naboljeno name. Voliti smoje člani, ki se smatrajo za dobrostoječe. In dobrostoječi člani so oni, ki plačajo svoj asesment in le oni imajo pravico voliti. Kdor je bil suspendiran prejšnji mesec, kdor je bil že črtan in pa pa všiv člani nimajo pravice voliti. Suspendirani in črtani člani lahko volijo le takrat, ko pojavijo s tajnikom svoj asesment, in to predno pride na dnevnih red točka o volitvah. — Pri unijah mora vsak član pokazati kartu predno dobi volilni listek. Pri nas, ako ste opazili, že je bil v novembetu član označen za suspendiranega ali črtanega, da imate pravico prepričati se, če je poravnal zaostali asesment predno so prišle na dnevnih red.

To naj služi v pojasnilo le v toliko, da ne bo spet sličnih vprašanj. Ko je napaka storjena, se po nej težko popravi.

Frank Barbic, član porotnega odseka SNPJ.

Bodoče prireditve

Chicago, Ill. — V nedeljo 8. decembra bo društvo Francisco Ferrer št. 131 SNPJ praznovalo svojo 25 letnico s programom in plesom v dvorani SNPJ. Člane društva Slavija pozavaram, da si nabavijo vstopnice pri meni, ker te vstopnice bo moralno društvo itak plačati po sklepku predzadnje seje. Za našo vinsko trgovatev in ples sem prodal čez 30 vstopnic članom društva Ferrer.

Federacija čikaških društev priredi božičnico za otroke v dvorani SNPJ v nedeljo dne 22. decembra. Tudi teh vstopnic imam se precej na razpolago. Bratje in sestre, sezite po teh vstopnicah, ker s tem prihranite nekaj tudi društveni blagajni. Pravilno in potrebno je pa tudi, da se člani ene organizacije udeležujejo svojih priredb ter da puste druge zabave na stran na dan kakih tudi prireditve.

Anton Trojar, zapisnikar društva Slavija.

Proslava z igro

Johnstown, Pa. — Proslava 27 letnice društva Triglav št. 82 se bo vrnila na 14. dec. Izvajal se bo zanimiv program in uprizorjava na igra "Anarhist". Ta igra predstavlja občinsko sejo, in Martinek, občinski sluga, vam bo zanimiv način povedal, kako je rešil domovino. Potem pride na vrsto sam Anarhist, ki ga go občinski odborniki vjeli in so gotovi, da bodo dobili zanj nagrado. Kako se bo zgodilo potem, boste videli sami na omenjeni večer.

Društvo Triglav uljudno vabi vse občinstvo. Pridite vse. Vem, da onim, ki ne marajo žensk, se bo ta igra dopadla, posebno pečljarem. Vsi na proslavo 27 letnice našega društva! Vstopnina 25c za osebo. Za ples bo igral fin orkester. V spodnjih prostorih budi obilo zabave. Na veselo sviranje 14. dec. zvečer!

Zahvala za društvo 600 SNPJ.

Teresia Glavach.

Kaj je s kampanjo?

Milwaukee, Wis. — Iz urada društva Sloga št. 16. — Da, kaj je s kampanjo? Koliko kandidatov imate za prihodnjo sejo? Prijetje jih bodisi v oddelki odprtih ali pa v mladiščki. Pomnite, da so za to na razpolago nagrade. Kampanja traja le do 31. dec.

J. F. Terbian, 14707 Hale av.

vilo novih članov in članic ter po seji bo nekoliko proste zabave. Zastopnikom federacije se priporoča, da se udeležijo te seje, da jim da vzpodbuda za agilnejše delovanje. Vabilo je tudi ostanalo članstvo, posebno pa so sedanjih društev, da se udeleži. Ta seja se bo vrnila v petek večer 20. dec. v JDD na West Parku. Vstopnina prosta. Posebno se priporoča članstvu angleško poslujočih društev, da se udeleži te seje.

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Bil je zelo suh in ni imel nobene apetite; nič več nisem vedela kaj mi je storiti.

Materje pravijo, Trinerjevo grenko vino je ravno pravo zdravilo za suhe podhranjeni otroki. Njega vsebina so najboljše snovi, ki jih je zdravstvena veda iznajti mogla za opravno zaprtnice, slabega apetita, glavobola, zgube spanca, plinov, slabega diha, nečiste kože in sitnosti v zvezi z prebavnimi nerodnostmi. Prijazno za prebavnimi nerodnosti. Prijazno za vse v dobré zanesljivo družinsko zdravilo. V vseh lekarnah.

DRUŠTVO "FRANCISCO FERRER"

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Srebrno slavje društva Francisa Ferrera

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani)
slavkarjem v Calumetu, Mich.,
57.

Najbolj se je pa društvo Francisco Ferrer proslavilo s svojimi izjemnimi pravili ali — skakor smo to reč nazvali — statutom, ki je bil šest ali sedem let predmet marsikaterje pikre.

Ne morem se spominjati, kdo je prvi sprožil idejo tega statuta. Zdi se mi, da je prišla spontano in nas objela vse hkrat. O tej ideji smo razpravljali privatno takoj po ustanovitvi društva, prva razprava na društveni seji je pa bila mesec junija 1910. Vsi navzoči so pozdravili to idejo in tajniku je bilo naloženo, da spise statut in ga predloži na prihodnji seji v končno potrditev.

Statut sem špisal in ga lepo pretipkal v stroju. Na seji meseca julija 1910 sem ga prečital in sprejet je bil soglasno. Sklenjeno je tudi bilo, da se društveni statut dene v okvir in vse mora pod sliko Francisco Ferrera v društveni dvorani.

Besedilo statuta je bilo:

IZJEMNO PRAVILO ALI STATUT,
teljenav za društvo Francisco Ferrer
št. 131 SNPJ

V svrhu trdne solidarnosti in prave harmonije med članji v dosega resnicega napredka, ki je mogoč le teži, ako so člani in članice kakega društva enega prepranja, dočela društvo "Francisco Ferrer" št. 131 SNPJ v Chicagu, Ill., za svoje člane in članice sledče pravilo ali statut:

1. a) Društvo Francisco Ferrer št. 131 SNPJ v Chicagu, Ill., je izključno svobodomiselnino društvo.

b) V smislu te "načelne izjave" matrajo člani in članice tega društva na svojo dolžnost, da ne sprejmejo v društvo nobenega člana ali članice, ali člana ali članice s prestopnim listom, kateri ozirkoma katera ob času, ko zaprosi za vstop ali prestop, pričada javno ali na skrivnem v kateri tervki in jo moralno ali materialno podpira.

c) O prestope v društvo vsakega novega prisilnika ali prisilke, ali prisilki ali prisilke s prestopnim listom, mora društvo glasovati z listki. Ako se pet glasov glasi "ne", tedaj mora biti proučena določitvena prisilka ali prisilki, absolutno odločenja: "ce se na glasi "ne" manj kot pet članov, tedaj se izvoli poseben odbor treh članov. Ta odbor se mora sniti z onimi člani, ki so glasovali "ne" in oni člani morajo temu odboru pojasniti, zakaj so glasovali proti določitvenemu proučevanju prisilki. Na podlagi pojasnila protivnih članov odbor potem po svoji prvidnosti odloči, da se prešteje določitvena prisilka ali prisilke sprejmejo ali zavrije. Svoj sklep mora odbor pojasniti članom društva na prvi redni društveni seji.

2. Društvo Francisco Ferrer št. 131 SNPJ nadalje ne sprejme za svojega člana nobenega novega prisilnika ali prisilke s prestopnim listom, ki je postihnil ali saloonkeeper in kateri deli, upravlja ali poseduje saloon v mejavi—city limits—mesta Chicaga.

3. Ta statut se more v smislu vseh dodati, toda spremeni ali zatrepi se pa sme le tedaj, če vsi člani in članice društva Francisco Ferrer sklenijo glasovati za to.

Ta statut je bil soglasno sprejet na redni seji društva Francisco Ferrer št. 131, 17. julija 1910 in dne 18. julija 1910 je postal veljavlen.

Ivan Molek.

O sporednu jubileju društva Francisco Ferrera št. 131

V dvorani SNPJ bo v nedeljo 8. decembra t. l. velika proslava 25-letnice obstanka društva Francisco Ferrera št. 131 SNPJ. Pripravljajni odbor je neumorno na delu že zadnjih par mesecev in se trudi, da bo prireditev v resnicu nekaj imenitnega v vredna svojega menama.

Doba 25 let ni kdovskaj v vesoljstvu, — komaj kapljica v morje, — ali v društvenem življenu pa pomeni precej, ker potrebitno je mnogo dela in truda ter nesebično požrtvovanosti, da se društvo vzdrži in napreduje kolikor mu je v danih razmerah mogoče. Kakor monoga druga društva in ustavnove, tako je tudi društvo Francisco Ferrer imelo tekoča dobre razne potežkoča, katere pa je vse prečelo, in sedaj je prišel čas, da bo proslavljalo spomin ustavnove, spomin dela in truda tekom dolgih 25 let svojega obstanka.

"Kako in zakaj se je ustavnovo društvo Francisco Ferrer", vam bo na dan proslave razložil br. Ivan Molek, gl. urednik Prospective in ustavnovitelj tega društva, katerega so včasi nazivali "cvet SNPJ" društva v Chicagu", in to po vsej pravici. Povedal vam bo, kakšni so bili

cije ni bilo, ker je vsak novi prisilec ali član s prestopnim listom izjavil pred vsemi člani na seji, da se strinja s statutom.

Statut pa ni imel ničesar proti starim članom društva, ki se izneverejo svobodomiselnim načelom društva. Na to nismo pomisili, ker smo verjeli, da bo vsak član zvest svoji izjavi.

In po pravilih bi se ga tudi ne mogli izneneti, če bi nam hotel nagajati in ostati pri nas! To smo izkusili eno ali dve leti kasneje, ko se je naš član in celo društveni zapisnikar E. D. sel poročil v cerkev. Storil je to pod vplivom svoje neveste, kajti o njem samem smo bili prepričani, da ni dal nič na cerkev. Klub tem je bil kaznovan. Ko je društvene člane povabil na svatbo, se ni niti eden odzval.

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Na naš zadnji članek o ideji slobodnomiselne šole SNPJ se je doseglo oglasilo več članov z dopisom, v katerih v načelu podpirajo to sugestijo uredništva. Pričakujemo, da se oglašajo še drugi in povedo svoje iskreno mnenje. Sugestija slobodnomiselne šole SNPJ za otroke našega mladinskega oddeleka je bila najprvo predložena v glasilišču, da slišimo mnenje našega članstva, onega članstva, ki se živo zanimalo za vsestranski napredek SNPJ in katero želi, da naš naračaj dosledno hodi po poti svojih očetov, ki so ustanovili našo jednotno.

Ni pa dovolj, da dopisniki soglašajo z uredništvom. Uredništvo želi, da člani in članice, ki podpirajo to idejo, tudi sugestirajo tak ali tak načrt za praktično izvedbo te ideje. Mi smo sugestirali le nekaj točk, namreč da bi bila naša šola centralizirana, to je pod vodstvom posebnega direktorja v gl. uradu, kateremu bi bili lokalni učitelji odgovorni in kateri bi nadzoroval vse šolski sistem pri društvi. Tako je pa treba povedati, da uredništvo nima v mislih absolutno nikogar, ki bi prevzel to dolžnost v primeru, da je ta ideja realizirana; to je treba povedati zato, da ne bodo nasprotniki te ideje mislili, da gre tu le za službo te ali one osebe. Iskreno izjavljamo, da mi predlagamo le idejo, zadnjo besedo pa prepričamo konvenciji.

Finančne strani te ideje se nismo dotaknili. Mislimo, da je v jednoti dovolj praktičnih članov, ki lahko spregovore o tem. Razume se, da bodo stroški, toda vprašanje je, kako pokriti te stroške, da ne bo treba nobenega zvišanja asesmenta. Da bi pa naložili vse stroške društvo, ne smemo misliti na to. Otroci morajo imeti popolnoma prost pouk. Morda dobimo v tem oziru kakšen dober nasvet od gl. odbornikov, ki imajo opraviti s financami jednote, toda naša želja je, da gl. odborniki prej slišijo mnenje članstva, če sploh hoče to šolo za našo mladino. Ako članstvo hoče, se bodo sredstva že naša.

Najprvo se moramo zediniti glede vprašanja: ali je naši jednotni takšna šola potrebna? Ali je ta ideja dobra in zdrava?

Pričrani smo, da vsi oni člani, ki so slobodnomiselne mišljene in ki žele, da jednota ostane slobodnomiselna tudi v bodočem, nam bodo pritrdirli, da je šola potrebna. Otroci slobodnomiselnih staršev se v velikem odstotku izgubljajo; ne vti, toda v večini stvari. Marškateri starši ne morejo tega preprečiti, toda SNPJ bi z organiziranim naporom lahko to preprečila. In po našem mnenju je danes baš to ena največjih dolžnosti naše jednote, če si hoče obdržati mladino v svojih vrstah! Danes je prišlo do tega, da si mora SNPJ sama vzgojiti svoje bodoče člane!

Da nam je jednotna šola zelo potrebna, imamo si jasen dokaz. Ta dokaz so naši načelniki nasprotniki! Naša ideja šole je dobila tulej odmev — skoro prej ko iz vrst našega članstva — v revolversko-klerikalnem glasili v Clevelandu. Ta list, ki je sam glasilo podprtne organizacije, se bolj briga za notranje zadeve SNPJ kakor za svojo organizacijo. Ta list je tako nesramen, da hoče diktirati članstvu SNPJ, kaj naj dela. Po fasistični logiki tega lista članstvo SNPJ ne ve, česa mu je treba in on je poklican, da daje navodila našim članom! Radio vedni smo, kaj bo napredno članstvo SNPJ — sploh vsak član in članica naše jednote, ki ima še kolikaj samostojnosti v misljenju in človeškega ponosa — odgovoril na to nesramnost.

Naši načelniki nasprotniki, ki so v glavnem klerikalci, že desetletja stvarjujejo svoje privatne šole in mi pri SNPJ nismo še nikdar omenili njihovih šol. Ker verujemo v ravnino demokracijo, pravimo, naj imajo svoje šole in naše njihove šole — kakor vse ostale notranje zadeve njih organizacij — ne brigajo. Lahko imamo svoje mnenje o teh njihovih šolah, priznamo jih pa pravico, da svoje otroke lahko vzgajajo kakor hočejo. Ali nam oni priznavajo isto pravico? Ne! Ideja se je komaj pokazala v javnosti in zbirajo onemogoč jezo in smrad na nj! Oni lahko imajo svoje šole, toda mi jih ne smemo imeti!

Cas je že, da se tudi naši mladični člani, namreč oni, ki imajo tako in tako predsedke proti uredništvu Prosvete, zdramijo iz spanja, in spoznajo, kdo so njihovi največji sovražniki.

Nasa jednota je čez 30 let eksistirala brez klerikalnih diktatorjev od zunanj in je v tem času prerasla vse klerikalne organizacije torej lahko je eksistira brez njih!

Glasovi iz naselbin

Kdor ni z nami je proti nam!

Chicago. — Dogodki zadnjih 30 dni nam pričajo, kako so načelno in principielsko nasproti SNPJ na delu. Po zadnji konferenci ESL so radostno vzkliknili slovenski nazadnjaški časopisi, da pri SNPJ bije zadnja ura naprednjakom in socialistom. Rekli so: naša mladina kreko stopa in bo spodbila na slovenskemu naprednjaštvu, ki je zadnjih 30 let kontroliralo slovensko javno življenje v Ameriki.

Naivni bi morali biti, ako bi hoteli prezreti ta pojav, in še bolj, ako bi vse skupaj hoteli omalovaževali. Radi ali neradi bomo primerni priznati neljubo dejstvo, da te reakcije, ki se pojavlja, ne smemo primerjati z reakcijo, s katero smo imeli opraviti pred 30 leti. Računati moramo sedaj s tem, da imamo boj z dobro organizirano falango slovenskih frančiškanov v Ameriki.

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Zato je za nas nesmiselno v teh kritičnih časih, da bi se učitali praznim iluzijam slobodnomiselne šole za našo mladino. Po uredništvu zamenjšeni načrt, ki je bil ponovno objavljen v Prosveti dne 13. nov. t. l., ne smemo omalovaževati, da je zaenkrat v očigledem sedanjim razmeram preobsežno zasnovan in za hip v celoti neizvedljiv. S tem pa ni rečeno, naj se ta zadeva enostavno na stran porine in v celoti zavrže. V to diskuzijo bi bil že posegel, toda znano mi je, da ima naša jednota cel "štab" glavnih uradnikov in vse polno aspirantov za delegacijo bodoče konvencije, kateri bodo tudi večinoma skušali z vsemi možnostmi biti izvoljeni v glavnem urad SNPJ. Vse tukaj navedenih je prava in glavna dolžnost, nastopiti v tej in drugih sorodnih diskuzijah. Tem mogočem sem imel namen prepustiti prvenstvo, zato muju zamuda.

Omenil sem že in to še zatrjujem — da po uredništvu zasnovani program glede slobodnomiselne šole je vsaj za pričetek preobsežen. Primeren bi bil za Chicago in mogoče še za par drugih mest, kot je naveden. Toda računati moramo z dejstvom, da jednotin naračaj ni koncentriran v par mestih, ampak po vsej deželi. Na način, kot ima uredništvo zamisljeno šolo, če razumem prav, bi ob istem koristil le gotovi odstotek članstva, stroške pa naj bi plačevali vse. Po mojem mišljenju bi bila to piškava demokracija. Morda bo kdo rekel, da bi nastanili potovalec učitelja, kateri bi obiskoval tudi manjše naselbine v svetu podružnic.

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Tukaj naj navedem v pojasnilo odlomek iz zgodovine SNPJ, ko je jednota nastanila potovanega agenta za združevanje staršev v otroci. Vsa posamezna načela se gotovo še spominjajo, kako je dotični nastavljene zdrževal otroke s starši na Pikes Peaku gori v Coloradu, posiljal mastne račune jednoti za stanovanja, pijačo in vožnje, tudi za slučajne, kjer so isto načeli dobroti rojaki vse brezplačno dali. Otroci so po tej turi našega združevalnega agenta bili staršem bolj odstueni, kjer so dobiti začeli prej, jednota je pa plačala za vse do velik — račun. Kajli mislite jih je med člani, ki želeli jednoti se kaj slikega?

Če je kdo, ki želi ponovno nekaj enakega, tedaj je to oni, ki se hoče okoristiti na naše stroške. Nadalje, poglejmo v osnovno slobodnomiselne šole. Sugestija uredništva Prosvete je, naj se nastavijo instruktorji, Cleveland kot slovenska metropola bi gotovo dobil nekakšno šolo na jednotine stroške. Kdo naj bi bil tam instruktor naše slobodnomiselne šole? Po vseh jednotnih odnosnih in pravilih bi mesto instruktorja pripadol "Lindiju," kot 2. glavnemu podpredsedniku, on pa bi v svoji šoli pripovedoval o cerkvenih porokah in drugih sličnih stvari, kot je baje v Chicago na konferenci; in njegov tovarš Becek iz Penne bi najbrž tudi ne bil zapostavljen kot instruktor. Le ti bi učili "moderno" slobodnomiselnost, ne pa tako, kot jo poznajo nekateri starci člani jednote.

Ali so tudi tako pisali ob smrti pokojnega Jožeta Zavertnika? Ne, rekli so: že je bil nesebeno v boju za načela SNPJ in neizproso v boju za zatirane in

pogažene. V duhu smo takrat rekli, da bomo nadaljevali ta boj in vzposobili za boj našo mladino, da bo nadaljevala, ko leži v grob poslednjem pionir SNPJ.

Da, dosegli bomo cilj, le ako damo oporo mladini, ki je pokazala prav na zadnji konferenci toliko odločnosti za principe SNPJ. Mi vemo, da so naši nasproti na delu, in so javno dali priznanje njihovim pristašem za napad na zadnji konferenci na principu načela SNPJ. To nam naj bo signal, da je sovražnik odločen in je potreben odločen nastop.

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mora člani SNPJ imeli za načelna nasproti svobodnomiselne šole. Temu pa ni tako. Jaz nisem za to, da bi se o tej stvari debatiralo do prihodnje konvencije, potem pa zoper odložilo za naslednjo konvencijo. Sem za takojšnjo akcijo, ker vidim v tej zadevi nujno potrebo. Domišljam si, da je moja sugestija, ki jo bom tu navedel, za začetek dobra in jo je mogoče tudi takoj preizkusiti.

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gando. Zato se vabi vse napredno misleče na prireditev. Uspeh delavskih pridobitev je mogoč le tam, kjer so močne delavskie politične organizacije. To se je izkazalo pri prošli volitvah v Evropi in v nekaterih ameriških mestih.

Sodružni in somišljeniki! Naše

delenje se še pričenja. Ako hočemo imeti boljšo, človeško družbo,

strinjamo se skupaj ter sodelujmo s skupino, katera stremi za odpravo mizerije. Naša dolžnost je, da delujemo sedaj, ne pa odložiti naše delo na prihodnjo generacijo.

Kam so nas priveli kapitalistične stranke, to bi moral sedaj že vsak videti. Kljub temu se še najdejo celo med Slovenci, ki skošajo ustavljati pohod delavstva ter jih vedoma zapeljati v kapitalistični tabor. Taki ljudje so izdajice slovenskega 99 odstotno delavskega naroda.

Veliko je tudi še takih, ki nimač pojma, kolike važnosti za nas lokalni delavski zastopniki, ki so vedno na strani delavstva ter protektirajo njihove pravice, posebno ob času stavki.

Fr. Matkovich.

Seja kluba brezposelnih

Chicago. — Slovenski klub brezposelnih bo imel redno mesečno sejo prihodnji pondeljak 9. decembra ob 7.30 zvečer v spodnji dvorani SNPJ. Seja bi se imela vršiti ta četrtek 5. decembra, a je bila preložena, ker na ta dan ima naša organizacija Workers Alliance javno zaslišanje o brezposelnosti podprtih in javnih delih WPA. To zaslišanje je važno, ker da priliko, da se prinese pred javnost resnični položaj preverilke doza. V Hamburgu so pred kratkim natančne preiskave stvar in se je izkazalo, da vročki ne tičijo samo v preverilki doza, temveč ga lahko zauživa kačor vsako drugo zdravilo. Ljudstvo je že v starih časih čislalo fižolove lupine kot pomoček zoper delavsko bolezni. Pred kratkim so jih strokovnjaki preiskali, in res so na njih — sintalin.

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All remittances of money and business concerning judges and members other than the
supreme should be addressed to secretary's office.

Matters of sick benefit should be addressed to the assistant secretary.

Financial matters under the jurisdiction of the treasurer's office should be taken up
with him.

Complaints concerning the work of the executive board should be addressed to Frank

Zaitz, chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

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Nakazana dne 26. novembra 1935.

REPORT OF SICK BENEFIT PAYMENT
Payments of November 26, 1935

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5 Frank Mahnic \$5.50.

9 Johana Papes \$14. Mary Lenassi \$14.

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40 Anne Mead \$15. Frank Groselj \$25.

47 Valentijn Kribhaj \$14. John Ocepek \$28.

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126 Julia Frank \$11. Frank Sumrada \$25.

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Young Americans Celebrate 10th Anniversary

Second E. S. Lodge Observes Its Birthday As First Decade Terminates With Success

Will Hold Banquet and Dance Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 7 & 8, in Detroit

The Young American Lodge 564, SNPJE, which was the second English speaking lodge of the SNPJE to organize and set out on its own, is commemorating its tenth birthday this week-end with a fitting anniversary program and dance Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 7 and 8, at the Slovene Workers' Home, 437 S. Livernois Ave., Detroit, Mich.

The lodge will observe its 10th anniversary in a manner as befits a progressive group of young men and women organized in a workers' fraternal organization. They have prepared a program for this occasion which will truly be worthy of their progressive labor character and deed. The Young Americans have always been among the first to offer moral and material support to any labor cause at all time. In spite of the adverse economic conditions, this lodge has managed to maintain its ranks strong and sound.

The older generation in Detroit has always been in the front lines in the labor movement in the past and it is now; they have been the exponents of workers' rights, championing the labor cause for the past thirty years. This humble tribute is due them on this occasion when the young Detroit generation of Slovene workers is observing the first decade of its fraternal and labor activity. And we are very happy and proud that the younger generation in Detroit is following and marching on in the footsteps of their elders. Both generations on more than one occasion have shown how deeply they understand the true meaning of Fraternalism and Workers' Cooperation.

We trust that in the future these young members of Lodge 564 even more than in the past will be staunch and loyal workers and defenders of the Slovene National Benefit Society and its progressive labor principles.

Let them carry on the Fraternal message and Labor culture even on a greater plan in the future! Let the older generation go hand in hand with the younger generation for the advancement of our common purpose!

Sidewalks of Detroit

By Herman Rugel

Detroit, Mich.—It was March, 1928, when I first decided to make Detroit my home. To find work there was much easier than I had anticipated. Jobs were available everywhere. Money was in reality plentiful.

My first problem was to make my living. No longer could I put my feet under the table, like back home, without any obligation. I was now on my own feet, no one to fall back on, if humanly possible.

I was interested in Fraternalism. Mainly in the Slovenska Narodna Podpora Jedinota. It was the only fraternal Society! I had my mind set on the Young American Lodge 564. That, in my opinion, was a progressive Lodge, full of life. Upon my transfer, I immediately became acquainted with a live group of young people who, in my humble opinion, were squandering money, spending it lavishly in all shapes, forms, and ways. We were all young, well, younger than we are today, anyway. I came from a section where lodge expenses were covered by regular special assessments. Here different forms of entertainment brought in money to cover all expenses and some luxuries. Back home, jobs were scarce, wages meager. Here jobs were plentiful, wages "too" high. Money came easy, and left much easier.

The Lodge was getting new members. The energetic young men and women from coal-mining and farming regions were migrating to cities. Those young people who had plenty of intestinal fortitude, left while the leaving was good. I speak of SNPJE members and those interested in fraternalism only. So that many transfers and new members were coming in. In other words, the lodges of large cities were increasing while sapping small community lodges.

Our First Dance

COLUMBIA, UTAH.—Lodge 532 will present its First Dance on Dec. 14 at the Columbia Amusement hall. Good music. Admission: 35c a couple, 10c for ladies. Come one, come all and have a real good time.

ROSE LOTRICH, Sec'y.

News From West Coast

Oakland, Calif.—On my way West, I had a stopover at Red Lodge, Mont., where I stayed for a few days, and also saw the destruction in Helena caused by the last earthquake.

At Red Lodge I visited with my parents. It was my first visit there in about 15 years. It was in this town that I joined the SNPJE, Lodge 81. I've met some of the old-timers and had a very interesting talk with Erznoznik who is still a very active member, and with others. I think an English speaking lodge there would do wonders.

We in Oakland were very unfortunate recently when we lost a very good and loyal member, Bro. Jack Skorjanc, who was born in 1889 in Spodnja Stajerska in Yugoslavia. He helped organize our Branch 594 and served as its first secretary which office he held for three years. He passed away Nov. 15. He made his home with the Miller family. Our Lodge took care of the funeral arrangements. I wish to express my appreciation to all who sent floral tributes. Friends of Grass Valley, Sacramento, El Verano, Crockett, Martinez, Alameda, San Francisco and Oakland attended. Many thanks to all.

Frank Slaby, Sec'y., Lodge 594.

P. S.—Lodges affiliated with the Northern California SNPJE Federation, do not forget to elect delegates to the Federation at your December meeting. It is of the utmost importance that you do, since the coming year will have a lot in store for us out here on the West Coast. F. S.

Gowanda Boosters

Gowanda, N. Y.—Another meeting has gone by for Gowanda Boosters. And what a meeting it was! Some 70% of our members attended, including juveniles. We have one transfer member with us, Sister Frances Straus, two applications were approved and eleven new applicants were proposed. It took our entertaining committee consisting of Brothers John Staklassa, Joe Zumer and Louis Klucki, to attract members to meeting with a "Turkey Supper" after the meeting, and it was early next morning when some of us got home.

Many times we call attention to E. S. lodges during our Tenth Anniversary, that we are in the race with them for new membership. So far this year we were able to secure seventeen adult and twenty-one juvenile members, four members also came to our lodge with transfers. Just before the E. S. conference, which was held in Chicago Nov. 2, this writer called the delegates to conference, to pledge themselves to get at least ten new members and with that pay our Society back what it spent on us to come to the conference. Did you do it? If not, there is still time. Yours truly did it, and you could if you only tried. The campaign is closing and by no means will the Boosters go out of the race yet. And listen to that! Did you E. S. members know that out of 82 lodges existing in our E. S. rank, some of them in big cities, and the Gowanda Boosters Juvenile department become second to Chicago Pioneers? What's wrong with you members in big Slovene localities? Maybe not enough politics or too much?

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Another "chain letter" idea struck

some of our lodges, so they are sending out letters for ads in their booklets, asking for ads from 25c to \$2 and up. If we are to build our local treasury, we will not be able to support such ventures. Our Lodge in its five years of existence did not ask any single E. S. or senior lodge for any ads, or send out a single ticket for admission to dances. We are building our treasury ourselves, and other lodges should do the same.

Please, save time and postal stamps, and don't send us such letters, because we will not give any financial support for such ideas.

John Matekovich, Lodge 728.

Westmoreland Federation News

White Valley, Pa.—We attended

the Westmoreland County Federation

meeting of E. S. L. and Senior Lodges at the Slovene Hall in Herminie, Pa. Sister Fr. Bohinc and I as delegates of Lodge 320 were welcomed into their midst. The Federation consists of good, active members with the real SNPJE spirit in them. I certainly would like to see all the delegates and the members of Wmnd. Co. Federation have the good SNPJE spirit in them and show it up at the Lodge meetings.

Sis. Fradel, a very intelligent and

an active Torch of Liberty, certainly

does her part for the good SNPJE.

She has the real Slovene blood in her. Here's to a big and better success for your future.

Bro. M. Urana, secretary of the

popular Keystonians and delegate to

the E. S. L. conference, certainly

knows how things should be carried

out at meetings.

Martin Serro and Frank Gercher,

two musical Keystonians, are very

interested in pleasing people with

their good melodies.

Mary E. Galicic, President, Lodge 320.

To Further Clarify Some Points

By Ivan Molek, Editor

A word about "censorship" which is mentioned in the Reveliers' Column of this issue by our friend Kosela. In many quarters a notion somehow exists that the editor deliberately suppresses a communication or portions of it, or makes changes in it according to his own will. Such is not the case. Read the by-laws in regard to the editor's duties and the rules about our organ. The SNPJE by-laws are the Prosvera's only censor—if we must use this ugly word. True censorship exists only when and where a government controls the press.

The Prosvera publishes any positive criticism based on facts and aimed to improve objects under criticism. The by-laws do not permit to publish any personal abuse of a member, any accusation subject to the Society's trial system, or any matter contrary to the SNPJE principles (favoring any religion), in addition to a few other specifications. Members should know this, and not how about "censorship".

Let it be emphasized once more that there is no "Chicago front" in a sense as there is no "Ambridge front" or "Cleveland front," although controversies may arise from each of these or from some other town. If Bro. Kosela is inclined to blame somebody or something for this flare-up, let him put the blame where it belongs—on those members, himself included, who incorrectly interpret the by-laws and decisions of the SNPJE conventions and pervert their meaning. Perhaps he is right in saying that the young members of the ESL were not adequately acquainted with the proper details of the history of our Society, although an English summary, "The Rise of the SNPJE," has appeared not long ago in these columns. As far as I know, the resolution laying down the socialist policy for the Prosvera has not as yet been translated into English. This is a regrettable omission; it should be corrected as soon as possible. This resolution and section 3, article 16, of the SNPJE by-laws are in complete accord; the words "social and industrial democracy" in the by-laws can be properly interpreted only in the light and substance of said resolution.

Let us have a clear understanding once and for all. Any member who wishes to draw proper conclusions must arrange facts (and all facts!) logically. He cannot say that the Prosvera has not changed its views, inferring at the same time that they cannot be changed. Anyone who is not open to conviction admits a case of rank stubbornness with which time and space will not permit us to cope.

Now for the nonsensical terminology, "half-bakedness" on the part of our Society, being half-fraternal and half-political. Basically, we are a fraternal (cooperative insurance) society. But pure fraternalism is a myth. There is no such thing in reality. Every society leans on some kind of ideology. Even the "complete neutrality" professed by some societies is a covered principle of a certain sort. Our fraternal purpose (benefits) comes first. This is enlivened with a working class ideology—in our Society visible only in the Prosvera and insofar as the individual lodges voluntarily aid some worthy cultural and educational effort, and this only after their fraternal needs are satisfied. Is this, in a true sense, politics? Is prayer at meetings of Catholic lodges politics? We don't pray at our meetings; instead we occasionally subscribe for some worthy cause—good books, social plays, or a dollar or two for the Tom Mooney defense. Would you call this politics? Suppose our lodges subscribed for hymns, prayer books, and biblical literature. Would that, in mind of our friend Kosela, also be classified as politics? Prosvera's editorials and most of the other articles have in a greater measure interpreted socialism from an educational rather than a political standpoint. Of late we write very little of Socialist party politics except as news, which tends to show that we are less interested in a political socialism than in a scientific one.

Factional strife that arises from time to time in the Society, especially at the conventions, have nothing to do with politics. In the so-called "scandals"—most of them imaginary—that have cropped up at some of our conventions (other societies have them, too) no lines can be drawn. There have been scandals in our Society that implicated certain individuals who were strongly against what our friend now calls the "Chicago front." What significance has this reference to some past "scandal" on our present controversy?

Neither Bro. Kosela nor anybody else has yet proposed anything BETTER for our ideal of Social Justice. Why criticize and waste so much time and space without offering a concrete and constructive plan?

Spirit-o-Grams

By Whoozit

St. Louis, Mo.—Spirits wish to congratulate Bro. Frank Mahnkin in his ever ready step to secure new members. At our meeting, Nov. 8, Josephine Rauker was our newly initiated member, and we are sure she will become one of our most outstanding members. Bro. Al Kacina proposed several applicants for membership. (Whoozit regrets very much, in failing to get their names.) S. A. S.—Bro. Gasparich sends call to Bro. Spiller. He claims he needs assistance in persuading Mrs. Gasparich to join the Spirits. Now, it's up to you, John.

Nearing the close of the year, we are reminding all members to be present at our last regular meeting of this year, Dec. 13.

The Tuesday following our regular meeting, we are having election of officers, and immediately after the meeting a party will be held with everything free. We are going to drink and dance to the success and progress we are wishing to the newly elected officers.

For the juvenile members of our Annual Christmas party will take place on Dec. 22. There is a great big surprise in store for them. A committee was appointed to take charge. We are very happy to mention that we have now among us, one very talented little girl, who has become one of the Spirits juveniles, Viola Ivanetich. Come on, let's give her a big hand!

We are just wondering what happened to the Singing Club?

Reminding our regular meeting date, Dec. 13, 8 p. m. Please be prompt.

Jolly Allis Lodge

West Allis, Wis.—Just a reminder that our December meeting is next Wednesday, December 11. Come prepared to elect or reelect those whom you think will be the best to guide the destinies during the next year, to finish off all the old business so we can enter the new year without any of this year's cobwebs hanging on, and also to finish off all the cakes, sandwiches, and beer.

At the Federation meeting last week plans were discussed for their big Shrovetide dance. Music will be furnished by Anton Martinek and his band. Prizes will be awarded to those who have the best costumes. We also voted in favor of Bro. Molek's suggestion of educating the SNPJE members according to the by-laws and principles.

We are already on the last lap of the campaign. Like all good athletes let's put on a breath-taking finish and come out winners. Everyone who gets a new member is a winner, so let's all be winners. Go out to your prospects and give them the final pep talk. Talk to them with the enthusiasm of a true SNPJE member and you cannot fail.

Congratulations to Bro. Truden for his stand on athletics. Probably, if he would get his Federation to pass the resolution as ours has, they would not be bothered with outsiders breaking in on their sports. The resolution is that any SNPJE money can be used only for the benefit of SNPJE members or forfeit their right to ever receive any money from the SNPJE again. In this way we have SNPJE athletics for SNPJE athletes.

Something hard to understand is how can Bro. Lokar, a member of the Supreme board, who has sworn to uphold the by-laws and principles around and congratulate a person who attacks those principles.

A group of our members traveled to Chicago to the Integrity dance on Nov. 23. We all had a swell time and regret we could not accept many invitations to stay overnight.

I'll second "The Lone Eagle" suggestion as to a straw vote on the political situation.

Our lodge is holding their Valentine dance on Feb. 8, 1936, at Labor hall. Be sure to put this date on your new 1936 date book. Don't forget the meeting.

Adolph Yersin, Lodge 631.

Integrity Broadcast

Chicago, Ill.—The Integrity's 8th Annual Fall Dance on Nov. 23, held at Pilsen park, was a financial and moral success. The attendance was large. The following lodges were well represented: Pioneers, Calumet Sentinels, Jolly Allis, Little Forts, Francisco Ferrer, Lodge 86 and Lodge 1. We thank you for your cooperation. A good time was had by all.

It was wonderful cooperation on the part of our Integrity members who gave the lodge undivided support at the Nov. 23 affair. I can safely say that never before to my experience in the lodge affairs has there been shown such cooperation. The girls and boys worked hard from start to finish. Their donations helped much. May this be a proof that when you work hand in hand you can have success without fail. Let's keep this up in the future.

All sold and unsold tickets for the Nov. 23 affair must be settled as soon as possible.

Please attend the special meeting Friday, Dec. 6, at the Secretary's home. All officers and committee for this year should be present as this is the last special meeting for this year, and there are some final matters to be taken up before the end of the year.

Secretary, Lodge 631.

Michael Fleischacker.

Wall Calendars

Lodge secretaries are hereby advised that small and large SNPJE wall calendars were sent to them. In case any lodge has failed to receive their supply, kindly advise the headquarters at once.

You are further informed that due to a limited number of SMALL CALENDARS shipped, you may communicate with the headquarters for an additional supply if there is a shortage at any lodge and we shall try to accommodate you. You are also requested to distribute all the calendars among the members and if any remain, to other Slovene public, as this is the only way to accomplish the purpose for which they were made, which is advertising the SNPJE.

F. A. VIDER, Supreme Sec'y.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—The year 1936 is drawing to a close, which means election of officers for the year 1937. The Morning Star Lodge will hold its last meeting of the year on Sunday, December 8, 1935, at 10:30 a. m. sharp. Each and every member must attend this meeting without fail. Everybody out!

Adolph Miklavic, Sec'y., Lodge 631.

MORNING STAR LODGE 631

STRUGGLERS

Cleveland, O.—Much has been written by a few disgruntled individuals who were sorry that an English speaking conference was ever held. To me and the majority of the delegates it was the most successful thing ever sponsored by the SNPJ. I am fully in accord with the article written by Bro. Kosela a few weeks ago; in fact, I think it was a bit too mild. Bro. Kosela has been one of Penny's leading workers in the SNPJ and has a perfect right to express his opinions. The by-laws permit him to do that. While on the other hand, I know of no section in the by-laws that states that if any member expresses his opinions that he should be insulted in the official organ. Bro. Kosela's work has been the bright light in Western Penna. Although Bro. Kosela has been of different political and religious belief than your writer, I have always admired his stand regarding our Society's work and I will be one to stand by him 100% regardless of what Chicago thinks. The SNPJ has several Koselas in its ranks, and believe me, it was these Koselas who have kept the ESL in the lead.

It is a known fact that wherever there was a hard-working member in our ranks who did not concede to what certain individuals in Chicago wanted him to be and do, they soon began to take so-called pot shots at him (or her) and in a short time drive him from the ranks as a leader. Why? This to me is not true fraternalism. Of my past experience in pushing door bells to secure new members for our Society, a lot could be written, and due to the fact that I will try to remain non-personal, I would rather that such matters never appear in print. There isn't one member in the English speaking lodge movement that is a capitalist, and if there were any such they never would be in our Society. Neither is there any individual who will ever attempt to destroy section 1 of the by-laws. I am a firm believer of assuring every member personal, political, religious or ethical creed and belief. This section is not followed, but is being interpreted entirely differently, as it was told to us at the ESLC.

Bro. Molek writes, "Let's talk it over," and in the same article he deliberately insults the intelligence of certain member delegates who are of a different religious or political belief than he is. This type of articles hurts our Society in many ways. We must remember that there are other people who read our Prosvesa, it is the leaders in the front line trenches that get this thrown right into their face when they seek advertisement or members for their lodges. We must learn to respect our fellow men that are the backbone of our Society. We must not judge them by their political affiliations or religious beliefs. So state the by-laws. (I think that Bro. Molek and Bro. Lotrich would gain many friends if they would look at the above remarks.)

The present generation will not let even their mothers and fathers tell them what to do when they are compelled to do certain things. Then why should we tell our workers to what political party or to what religious belief they must belong. After all, are we all not common workers, working for only one cause and that is to make and keep our Society bigger and better. The sooner we learn to respect our Society's workers, the better off we and the Society will be. Let each member believe what he or she thinks is best. Let's put our shoulder to the wheel of progress and we will remain in

FLOOD CITY

Official Notice!

Johnstown, Pa.—Members not attending the yearly meeting will be fined. The meeting will be held in the Moxham Slovenc Hall at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 8. Officers will be elected for the following year and important matters will be discussed. Also, don't forget our New Year's Dance on December 28.

John Langerhole Jr., Sec'y, Lodge 712.

Montana Stars Lodge 730

Butte, Mont.—The Montana Stars held their regular meeting Nov. 10, with half-a-dozen quorum attending the meeting. On December 8th will be our last meeting of this year and the most important of the year, as election of officers is to be held and discussion of our fifth anniversary is to be the topic of the day. Any member not answering the roll call will be subject to penalties provided in the by-laws.

Brothers and Sisters, it will be years since the Montana Stars Lodge's inception. In January, Bro. Anton Molek and our Lodge 207 got out to organize the English speaking branch of SNPJ in Butte, Montana. All

why can't some of the few members we have try and give some suggestions. In campaigning we use the

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SNPJ principles as a background. Be explicit with them. A slogan of honor and loyalty: Always a good word for the SNPJ, its lodges and members, abolition of prejudice, more and better social harmony and better cooperation of lodges.

Note to readers: These are only suggestions and I believe if practiced will be beneficial to all concerned.

John Perusich, Lodge 730.

Buckeyes' Bits

By Oh

Barberton, Ohio—Dear Members:—Since none of you ever received a letter from me personally, you're s'posta consider this as such. And, ya know, everyone reads all the letters they get so I'm countin' on your doin' the same.

And if this isn't Friday, Dec. 6, let's pretend it is on account of I want to get an answer to this tonite at our last meeting of this year. Of course, you'll all be there and then you won't have to pay the 50¢ fine.

We'll have to elect new officers at this meeting and I hope you have picked capable persons and cast your vote accordingly. But then, so many of you decline to accept a position and therein lies a reason for comment. If you are nominated for a certain position and honestly feel you can't carry it out, then decline! Otherwise, accept and consider it an honor to hold down your post.

Would ya like to attend a dance in Canton on Dec. 16? One of the McKinleys extended an invitation.

Congrats, Jean Smrekar, you fooled us all. Another scribe that should uncover in the "Lone Eagle" of Sydny, Dec. 20. Refreshments will be free, so will dancing. The one and only former Bro. Joe Sainkar who was one of Cleveland's best and most loyal workers has come back into the fold. Congratulations, Jee. We need you. It is the duty of every loyal SNPJ member to attend this opening event and give New Era a boost. Let every lodge be represented, what say?

Pioneer News

WINTER SPORTS With the Pioneers

Chicago.—Well, they did it! It's been quite a long time—to tell the truth, it has never been the occasion to give a favorable report in bowling the Milwaukee Badgers, and here it is:

Pioneers 2660—Milwaukee Badgers 2650.

Yes, folks—the Pioneers are off. In an up-hill battle, replete with thrills galore, the bowling team of the Lodge defeated the "beer-town" boys in a match game last Sunday. Of course the boys give most of the credit for the victory to the very conspicuous presence of our loyal girls, whose cheering instilled that good old "never-give-up" spirit into the team:

The Score:
Y. Olshick 150 189 168 — 567
W. Romic 165 185 151 — 481
J. Olshick 155 202 151 — 508
A. Olshick 191 144 217 — 556
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For match games with the Pioneers, get in touch with the undersigned at 4823 W. 22nd Pl., Cicero, Ill. Louis Kramer, Capt.

though Brother Molek was our leader, he only stayed with us a short time and transferred back, but his work was not in vain and Lodge 207 should be proud of their endeavor. Although we had close to 40 members at the first meeting, we had about 25 new members of whom most went back on account of friction over lodge affairs. We have abolished this friction to a minimum; in fact, it's extinct at present, and we hope to keep it this way as friction means prejudice and prejudice is an item of danger. Let us at all times avoid prejudice. It not only undermines the work of generations, but blinds and hinders the future.

As Brother George Bench, charter member of Lodge 207, told us at our first meeting: "You young people have a rocky road ahead, but don't let that discourage you. You have undreamed obstacles to overcome. Always keep the SNPJ and its principles in mind and work together; then, and then only can you succeed." He told us of the trials and tribulations they had in organizing Lodge 207, which at present has a membership of over two hundred. It's too bad that we did not write some of the quotations down as there were some priceless ideas in the different talks given by the Senior lodge members.

Why can't some of the few members we have try and give some suggestions. In campaigning we use the

Doings of Calumet Sentinels

So. Chicago, Ill.—I can truthfully state that one of the most successful meetings of the year was held on November 18. The attendance was not exactly what we anticipated, but aside from that, many vital problems were discussed. The delegate questioned the lodge's pleasure in postponing a complete report of the ESL conference until the annual meeting, due to the fact that a larger percent of our membership will be present. The request was approved, only a partial report was submitted—merely a brief resume of most important topics.

Just a little word of warning—"If any of you members feel in a very charitable mood, just miss our December meeting, and donate 25¢ toward the benefit of the "Calumet Sentinels"—please don't misunderstand me by thinking that our object in levying this special assessment was for the purpose of increasing our treasury—it is merely an inducement to get all of our members together to at least one meeting this year. It really is a catastrophe when you concentrate on the fact that there are members that have never attended one solitary meeting since their initiation! Come on, one and all for a grand get-together and let's all get acquainted. I'm sure you won't be very disappointed.

Congratulation, Integrity members, on your 8th anniversary! May success be yours in the future, as it was in the past, and many thanks to you all for a wonderful evening spent in your midst—it wasn't until the wee, wee hours of the morning when a tired but happy group of "Calumet Sentinels" finally left for home.

The old saying, "13 is an unlucky number" proved only too true in this instance. The Waukegan Little Forts were our "jinx," by walking away with the beautiful cake given to the lodge having the largest percentage in regards to members represented (we had only one point less on the percentage basis). The only way you can square things with us, Little Forts, is by attending our winter frolic on Jan. 25. The music will be furnished by the "Original Gay Dons"—a popular orchestra, that is constantly gaining fame and recognition in and around Chicago. Incidentally, this will serve as a reminder to any lodge in Chicago or nearby vicinity to reserve that date for us—if any affair is scheduled for that particular evening, it would be greatly appreciated if you will please notify us, so matters can be adjusted accordingly.

Referring to the afore-mentioned fact that members do not attend any of the meetings, reminds me of an incident which occurred Saturday evening—while homeward bound from the Integrity celebration. Two very charming young ladies were in our company discussing the fine time we all had, etc. Noting the interest that was displayed, brought to my mind the idea of soliciting for new members, so I lightly suggested that they join our lodge, and they greatly surprised me by saying they did

again.

Through our delegate we received the Pioneer souvenir booklet, a fine piece of work. I enjoy reading the Pioneer Bulletin, also.

All members are urged to attend the final meeting of the year.

Mary Yannik, Lodge 739.

FRIENDLY CITY MEMBERS

Johnstown, Pa.—All members of Lodge 618 must be present at Friendly City's yearly meeting Dec. 12 at the Moxham Slovenc Home at 7:30 p.m.

Anna Bricely, Sec'y.

Badgerland News

Milwaukee, Wis.—It takes the Badgers to bring the circus to town! Did you see all the horses, elephants, airplanes, butterflies, birdies, and swans there? (Don't get excited, I mean the pins given out at the door!) If you didn't attend the Badgers' Ninth Annual Dance, you can be sure you missed one of the best affairs the Badgers have had for a long time. I'm still combing confetti out of my hair, and my ears are still deaf from the noise of broken balloons.

Did you notice our guests from out of town? I saw quite a few Pioneers. I understand that two carloads of them came up for the affair. Sheboygan was represented, and we had visitors all the way from West Allis! Thank you all for your patronage. We sure do appreciate it.

On behalf of the Badgers, I would like to thank first of all the Committee for their whole-hearted cooperation and their well-arranged plans, and second of all, the Badgers who volunteered to help. The dance who ran smoothly and I'm sure everyone did his best to make the affair a success.

Jingle bells! Jingle bells! Christmas is coming and so is the Badgers' final meeting of this year. This is your last chance to make your voice count for you know that with the final meeting comes the election of officers for next year. The entertainment committee promises a good time after the meeting. It's your duty as a Badger to attend this final meeting, so let's all be there.

News Flashes:

Who got the dollar out of the lucky balloon?

The Pioneers are bowling the Badgers the Sunday after the dance.

Well, we all had a good time, the orchestra was "tops," and everyone was in the "pink."

Our latest hunter, Tony Pekl, goes hunting with a baseball bat. I hear he killed a rabbit with the wrong end of a gun.

Two Badgerettes are looking for an escort on New Year's eve. No qualifications are necessary. See the Publicity Committee.

Your writer takes time out to humbly beg the Badgers' pardon for last week's article.

See you all at the meeting.

Vera D. Sostarich, Lodge 584.

New Y. A. Officers

We are in receipt of the following telegram from Lodge Young Americans 564, SNPJ, Detroit, Mich.:

The following members were elected as officers for the Young American Lodge 564: Anton Jurec, president; Margaret Grum, vice-president; Raymond Travnik, secretary; William Traunik, treasurer; Caroline Jaklich, recording secretary. Auditors: Matthew Klarich, chairman; Max Klarich and Joseph Mihelich, assistants.

Raymond Travnik."

We wish to add that this Lodge is celebrating its 10th anniversary Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 7 and 8, with a banquet and dance, respectively. They are an ever active and progressive group with over 200 on their lodge roster. They are promised to have one of the largest delegations at their two-day anniversary affair.

Philip Payash, Sec'y.

YEARLY MEETING

Lafferty, O.—The Lafferty Lodge 664 will hold its yearly meeting on Dec. 8 in the usual meeting place.

The election of officers will take place, also other important matters to be transacted. Every member is requested to be present. Those not having good excuse shall be subject to a fine.

Philip Payash, Sec'y.

ANNUAL SESSION

Manville, N. J.—Lodge 687 will have their yearly meeting on Dec. 15 at 2 p.m. at Liberty hall. I would like to see all members attend this important meeting.

John Dubish, Sec'y.

Banquet and Dance following

Saturday, December 7, 1935 - 7:00 P.M.

Y. A. Dance - Sunday, December 8, 1935

Admission to Banquet \$1.00

To Dance Gents 50c, Ladies 35c

Both Affairs Will Be Held At

Slovene Workers' Home

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Lodge Letters

Brief Notes Concerning Activities of Local Lodges

FRONT PORCH NEWS

Canton, O.—That Dec. 14 dance that the McKinley Lodge is sponsoring is already gaining a good bit of attention. To those who have not heard about it as yet—Lodge McKinley is holding its annual Christmas dance on that night in the lower Bondy Hall located at 1218 Belden Avenue, N. E., Canton, Ohio. The Massillon Harmony Jacks, who are so popular with the Slovenes and young folks will play for us on that night. We are assured of a large Massillon and Barberton attendance. —Will you all come?

We note:—A remark made some time ago in this column, although intended for only one party, fitted the circumstances of three different ones. And was the writer in for some information that wasn't even suspected? All of the Prosveta writers had a lesson on "bosh" at the conference but we wonder what good it'll do. Then there are some readers who believe that the Front Porch News should appear more often. We wonder if they are punishing themselves by letting us know; we might take them up on it. *Mick 'n Lee.*

MEMBERS OF LODGE 521

Washington, Pa.—One year has passed since the election of our present officers. All of them have faithfully tried to meet the responsibilities placed on their shoulders by the members. They believe that they have done their work quite efficiently. But now the time has come when again it is the duty of the members to elect new officers.

If you don't think that any of the present officers have filled their positions very satisfactorily, now is the time to come forward and have your say as to who should run things during the forthcoming year. Our yearly meeting, combined with our monthly meeting, is to be held Dec. 15, 1935, for the purpose of electing new officers and to transact any such business as may come before us.

Again, urgently requesting every member to be present at our next meeting, Dec. 15.

*Stephen A. Dudash,
Sec'y., Lodge 521.*

LODGE 280

Delmont, Pa.—Members of Lodge 280, please take notice. Our annual meeting will be held on Dec. 8 at the usual place. This being the last meeting of the year it will include the election of officers for the coming year. Attend this all important meeting and select your leaders for the year of 1936. The last meeting was not very well attended, so please do not fail to attend the next and last meeting of the year.

*Anne Gredence Sec'y.,
Lodge 280.*

PATHFINDERS TO HOLD WHIST PARTY

San Francisco, Calif.—Here's a message from the Pathfinders Lodge 681, SNPJ, to all whist players in San Francisco and vicinity! By all means, reserve Saturday evening, December 14, for the grand Whist Party to be held at the Slovene Progressive Home, 2101 Mariposa street.

The committee plans to make this an enjoyable evening for both young and old so don't hesitate to come.

The writer was given a "peek" at some of the prizes to be given away and goes on record right now to say that from the looks and number of prizes, practically every whist player will go home with a happy smile on his face and a prize tucked under

his arm. Really, any one of the prizes are worth having!

Between times, when you're not debating whether or not to trump your partner's ace, you can enjoy visits and "chats" with your friends (you can be certain they'll all be there) or you can satisfy your thirst or appetite with refreshments.

After the cards, bingo games will demand your attention and, since there will be prizes given as well as cash, pray that you're lucky that night! The drawing for the winner of the \$5.00 prize will also be held at the Whist Party. Make sure you have a few tickets.

Don't forget! Saturday evening, December 14. Meet your friends—win some prizes—enjoy yourself. Be there and—you will have a SWELL time!

Henry Shobar, Lodge 681.

ON TO DETROIT!

Cleveland.—Brothers and sisters! All out for the Young American 10th anniversary celebration to be held in Detroit, Sat., Dec. 7.

Taking the word of the Young American's persistent publicity committee, an exceptionally entertaining week-end awaits us on our arrival in Detroit. They promise us a banquet, with Frances Rak and Donald J. Lotrich scheduled as principal speakers; lodge talent will be given a chance of expression in a program to follow the banquet. Sunday, another dance will be held; it wouldn't be surprising if this dance should turn out to be a continuance of the affair held the night before—get the idea?

All this, and the realization of keeping a close contact with our sister lodges, should be incentive enough for us to attend this gala affair. There is nothing like these convivial trips to create in all the participants a feeling of solidarity and of well-being. And, this on the side: The Detroiters have been to Cleveland time and again. Their last trip vowed not to come to Cleveland till we reciprocated. Do you blame them? And, supposing they stick to their word—h'm, not so good! Frankly, it would be a good tactic on our part to pay the Detroiters a visit long over-due.

For those who are interested in going to Detroit: The New York Central Train will leave at 12:00 Saturday, arriving in Detroit at 4:00. Sunday, those homeward bound can catch any return train. The excursion fare is \$3.25, round trip.

*Betty Bogatay,
Lodge Comrades No. 566.*

P. S.:—All those attending the Detroit affair will be given honorable mention in the Comrade Bulletin.

B. B.

COLORADO ROCKIES PREVIEW

Denver, Colo.—The November meeting was held on the 19th and was very well attended. Brother Gosar, our delegate to the conference, gave a very impressive report.

Our next meeting will be held Dec. 17, which is the most important one of the year as our leaders for the ensuing year are to be elected. (I would suggest that you all draw a circle around that date as a reminder.) The success of our lodge depends upon the selection of our commanding force in December. If you are interested in your lodge you will attend the meetings every month, and scrap the old saying "Let the officers do it," but will assist them in making their duties and undertakings easier.

As our meeting is to be held one week before Christmas, it has been

suggested that every one bring a present not over 25c. Names will be drawn at the meeting. Bring something that can be given to boys and girls.

We are certainly glad to see that Bro. Malovrh is getting along fine. How many new members will we have at the meeting?

Pauline Marinsek, Lodge 645.

ANNUAL MEETING

Neffs, Ohio.—All members of Lodge 4 are requested to attend the regular meeting Sunday, Dec. 8, at 10 a. m. at Romich Hall.

Hoping that all of the members who have been absent will attend. Election of officers and other important business will be transacted.

Frank Zajc Jr., Sec'y.

LODGE 319

Cuddy, Pa.—Are you all planning to attend the performance of Cap, Andy and Flip on Dec. 6? Well, let's at least hope you are. The program will be held in the South Fayette High school auditorium at Morgan, Pa. The admission price is just the small sum of 15 and 25 cents. So don't forget, friends, we'll be seeing you all Dec. 6 at 8:15 p. m. Molly.

APPRECIATION

Eveleth, Minn.—I wish to thank the Pioneer Lodge 550, SNPJ, for the \$25 check in payment of the first prize which I won at their 10th anniversary celebration Nov. 3.

Katie Lusin.

INCOMPETENCY

Roundup, Mont.—If we examine some of the difficulties confronting our United States, we can say that our troubles have all arisen from Incompetency. This applies to all branches of business, law, engineering, government and lodges. If the business man had been competent, he would not have failed to support an honest candidate for public office, rather than one who would award him a contract for paving a street or a parking concession. If the lawyer had been competent he would not have drafted bills fundamentally unconstitutional, and thereby contribute to the collapse of his own business. If the engineer had been competent, he would have been interested in the uses to which his inventions might be put rather than to construct anything good or bad providing he was paid by a financier without morals. If government officials had been competent, and not merely the hirelings of others or personal axe grinders in their own behalf, then many difficulties we have faced might have been avoided. If the lodge officials were not competent, the membership as a whole would drift apart because the nucleus is weak. In fact, the nucleus of any matter must be adhesive.

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LODGE 447

Nanticoke, Pa.—Our annual meeting will be held Dec. 8 and every member is invited to be present. We will have election of officers for 1936 and other important business will take place. *Michael Ferlin, Sec'y.*

The Y. A. Lodge has run its first

Golden Eagles

Girard, O.—I will not go into detail in regards to the conference, as there have been numerous comments about it. In my opinion it was a successful undertaking, it being the first of its kind ever held. The topics were all very good, altho the time was restrained for prolonged and detailed discussion. If certain delegates would omit politics, as before-hand suggested, and refrained from attempting to tear down the principles of the SNPJ, the time wasted in arguing could have been used to a better advantage concerning the Society in general.

As the President of the Young American Lodge of Detroit, I say—

Welcome all!

ten years of life. We are not the largest, but we are sincere. In closing I'll say we invite you, we want you present, we need all of you.

The admission to the banquet is one dollar in advance; \$1.25 at the door. We don't want anyone to pay \$1.25 at the door if humanly possible. For that reason we submit three convenient phone numbers, where you can reserve your banquet seats. To 62769, To 4279, and To 76181. Remember, it is positively necessary to reserve all seats or else be compelled to pay the higher price.

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WEST VIRGINIA MOUNTAINEERS

Thomas, W. Va.—For the benefit of our members who might attend the next meeting. Our annual meeting will be held on Dec. 8 and don't forget that this is election month. Be sure and come to cast your vote for the most capable officers for the oncoming year. Every member should do his duty and be present at this meeting.

Not saying much about our Thanksgiving dance. Quite a few of our members weren't present at our dance. I wonder what happened to Fan and Rose. Also the Senior Lodge 29 didn't show up as was expected.

A number of new applicants were proposed and accepted. Now, members, let's see if each one of us can't have at least one proposal for our December meeting.

Now the most important thing confronting us is the yearly meeting, which takes place Dec. 9 at 7:30. It is the duty and privilege of every member to be present, in order to elect efficient officers for 1936. In addition to this it was decided that we have a social after the business session is over. I'm sure none of you want to miss for there will be plenty of eats, drinks and music. So be on hand Dec. 9 at 7:30 sharp.

Frank Verbie, Lodge 643.

VERONA NEWS

Verona, Pa.—After being absent from the columns of the Prosveta for a time, the Veronians are back in print again. The picture of the delegates in the Prosveta was very elegantly photographed, and it certainly does a fellow good to see some familiar faces again.

In this article I should be thanking the neighboring lodges for their cooperation in helping us put over this dance, but I'm afraid we have no thanks to spare.

Here's hoping you Senior Lodge members get more interested in this young lodge and try to attend our dances as we do yours.

Rose Helmick, Sec'y., Lodge 736.

At the last convention I should be thanking the neighboring lodges for their cooperation in helping us put over this dance, but I'm afraid we have no thanks to spare.

Michael Lipsky is convalescing in the St. Margaret's hospital from a very severe operation. Streams of friends flowing in to see him every day.—After being employed in the rubber city for a few months, Miss Fannie Luzen will come home to stay after "turkey day."

Albert Jakovac, Lodge 680.

Loyalite News

Cleveland, O.—The annual meeting of Lodge Loyalites 500, SNPJ, will be held Dec. 11. This meeting will be the most important of the year as election of officers will be held and other important matter will be transacted. Your attendance and cooperation will mean a great deal in restoring the prestige of the Loyalites.

Through the unselfishness of a few despite the criticism heaped on them, they have held together and are bringing the Lodge back slowly, but I am sure with the cooperation of some of our members we can make a full recovery.

Every now and then we acquire a new member, and we expect to have some members to transfer into our Lodge regardless of opposition from various sources.

We need "new blood," new faces, and we shall get them! Those of us who tried to do our best are going to continue this work, I am sure. With a little help I am sure we can "go places and do things."

Dancing after our annual meeting.

Admission free. And don't forget—

Every member bring a member. The meeting starts at 7:15 p. m.—Dec. 11.

Frank Zadell, Lodge 590.

(Editor's Note.—Limited space and time demand the postponement of your discourse for a later date.)

There are a lot of things I could not state in one article. And I'm not assuring any reader of continuance in my criticisms. Other things occupy much of my time. But what I stated in my column last week still goes. Editor Molek has not presented complete reasons why I should change my views.

Another thing: I dislike the "red-

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herrings" the Chicago Front is so ready to throw across its critics. trails. I mean those items that allege insinuations about Catholicizing the SNPJ, capitalizing for selfish political ends, etc. I've argued some what against a semi-political, semi-fraternal society. I've taken my stand against being a half-baked Socialist and a half-baked fraternalist. The SNPJ cannot very well, in view of its democratic principles, serve both equally well. And primarily its principles are democratic, before they are those exclusively of the Chicago Front.

Before I finish I should state some of the opinions I hold in opposition to the Chicago politics. Editor Molek's words to the contrary, our society does have politics. And it does discriminate against those opposing the Chicago group. Let me illustrate: Prior to the last convention, I believe I was the first to spring views that Supreme board members should be denied the right to vote at conventions. First, I mean among the E. S. members. Such views were not allowed to be published in the Prosveta. On the convention floor I talked in favor not letting the Supreme board exercise such a privilege. Incidentally, that speech made me welcome in the ranks of our Communist members. Secondly, Chicago politics foisted the rule in our by-laws that only one Federation could exist in a district. The Chicago Front had a personal axe to grind with the Union of SNPJ lodges in Chicago, who did not see eye to eye with our most adroit Chicago politicians. I listened, at the convention, through hours of sickening talks denying participation in some sort of a scandal connected with an excursion to Yugoslavia years ago. Our Chicago brethren were the defendants in this third item. Again, there was read a letter on the convention floor about the convention, I suppose asking for cooperation, that was mailed before the convention. It is not far-fetched to assume that "lining-ups" were planned in advance with letters to delegates who would "amen" to the Chicago Front. Again, the force that operated with the best political strategy was that headed by the Chicago Front. The best Republican or Democratic political maneuvers were copied—meetings and rallies, secret and otherwise, and sheets with candidates for office endorsed by the Chicago Front were freely distributed. In fact, the selfish desire for office was just as apparent in our highly idealistic brothers as it was in the coalition group.

More could be said, but let's call it a day.

Louis Kocela, Lodge 699.

25th Anniversary Celebration of Lodge 131

Chicago.—Another event in the history of the SNPJ will be held Sunday, December 8, 1935, when SNPJ Lodge 131, "Francisco Ferrer" will celebrate its 25th birthday with a program and dance at the SNPJ Auditorium, 2657 So. Lawndale av.

The program will begin at 3 p. m. and will consist of speeches and a variety of musical numbers, also singing by "Preseren" and other added attractions that will go to make this affair one that will be long remembered by every one who attends this celebration. Dancing in both halls. Johnny and his Merry makers will furnish the music in the upper hall; in the lower hall there will be music for the old folks. Admission is only 35c in advance, 40c at door. SNPJ members and their friends are invited to attend and help make this twenty-fifth anniversary a great success. Remember a good time is assured every one.

Louis Zagar, Lodge 131.

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