

Komentarji

Nasle privaatno in kruhoborsko časopisje

Nasle podporne, politične in kulturne organizacije, ki odpravljajo in brez sramu izpovedujejo zagovarjajo načela socialne in industrijske demokracije, točrečno delavska načela, so od svojega začetka v konstantni zdati s tem in zdaj z onim hkrati v več časopisih, ki zagovarjajo nasprotna načela ali se brez načel. Ti listi so večinoma privatna last. Prav ta so glasila naših organizacij, ki so obenem lastnina teh organizacij, neprestana tarča izsilniških in napadov; prav tako posejani odborniki teh organizacij in uredniki njih glasil, ki se ne omenjajo listi, zdaj in zdaj oni, zaletavajo in jih kritično ali indirektno obrežujejo.

Značilno pri teh listih je to, da dosledno skušajo narediti "afere" pri naših organizacijah, kakšno "senzacijo", ki afera in senzacija sploh ni, kjer jih oni iščejo. In to je temu, da so dotični listi privatna glasila nekkih organizacij, pri katerih včasih tudi ni v redu. Ta stvar gre pa tako: ako tajnik neke organizacije poveri denar, tedaj privatno glasilo dotične organizacije pojasni, da je to pač "zakleten dogodek, ki ga ne bi bilo mogoče" — in s tem je vse povedano in poravnano. Naj bi se zgodilo, da bi recimo tajnik SNPJ poveril denar. To bi bil več žalosten dogodek, kakor socialističen škandal! Tajnik je poveril denar za namen tega, ker je socialist in dobromislilec!

Ker pa je tajnik SNPJ pošten in ne poveri denarja, ga treba vseeno oblatiti — brez tega povoda! — v privatnem glasilu tiste organizacije, pri kateri je tajnik res poveril denar. Treba ga je narediti vaj za zloduha in nevednega! V ta namen zadostuje vsak mahanosten sporček, vsaka nesmišljiva osebnost, ki rada pade med temperamentnimi ljudmi — pade povsod, ne samo pri meni. Pomeni pa silno veliko pri onih majhnih ljudeh, ki so lastniki privatnih listov in ki bodo imeli "afere" pri drugih političnih organizacijah in političnih ljudeh!

Odkod ta bolezen za fabriciranje afer? Odgovor je enostaven: business! Privatni listi imajo sicer platforme za vero in narod, za narod, so "neodvisno delavski" itd., v resnici pa izhajajo samo zaradi tega, da prinašajo dohodek lastniku ali grupici lastnikov. Te vrste časopisja — ki je ob volitvah na prodajni kandidati vseh strank! — izvira največ "afere" in drugih "senzacij" na račun naših delavskih organizacij in posameznikov, ki so aktivni v teh organizacijah. Če afera ni, jih treba narediti za namigavateljem, da bo kaj pisati in da bo pri ljudeh, ki radi čitajo "sund in bajke vsake vrste". Dokler bo živel sistem privatnega dobička, bodo živele tudi kruhoborski listi in lističi. Zavidamo jim te priljubljenosti, kaj žive — naj "kvekarijo" in prodajajo bluff — ne bomo pa trmasti, da bodo ti novičarski kramarji fabricirali "afere" pri naših organizacijah in deli iz silnice slona.

Pri nas je mušica samo mušica in nič drugega. Ako se pa primeri, da k nam zaide slon, nam sam izkopljemo jamo, da se vanjo — ne čakamo na kramarje.

Prospektivnih gasilcev ne primanjkuje

New York. — Nad 11,000 mladim fantov je vročilo prošnje za gasilsko službo, katero bo dobilo je par sto aplikantov,

Če hočete, da bo vaše plačevanje kaj zaleglo...

Tu in tam še vedno slišimo opazko—posebno med onimi nezadovoljnimi, ki so od bratskih podpornih organizacij že veliko prejeli—češ, da so zavarovalne družbe (insurance companies) boljše, toda ne zdi se jim potrebno, da bi to trditev podprli s konkretnim dokazom.

Če bi se ljudje na splošno vsaj nekoliko poglobili v gospodarska vprašanja bratskih podpornih organizacij in zavarovalnih družb, posebno zadnje čase, je dvomljivo, če bi bil še kateri delavec tako naiven, da bi zadnjim še nosil denar.

Zavarovalne družbe so večinoma v rokah ljudi, ki so pred krizo spekulirali in še danes spekulirajo z različnimi vrednostnimi papirji (delnicami in bondi) za svoj zasebni dobiček. Denar onih, ki so se zavarovali pri teh družbah, so ti spekulanti je navadno investirali v malovredne bonde; to investiranje se je dogajalo zaradi nesposobnosti odgovornih faktorjev, v največ slučajih pa so odgovorni uradniki sami izdali dotične bonde za svoja privatna podjetja, ki so v teku krize propadla in z njimi vred so propadle tudi investicije zavarovalnih družb.

Depresija je razgalila mnogo vzornih (?) zavarovalnih družb, da niso bile drugo ko sredstvo za pridobivanje denarja, navaden lov na dolarje z vsemi mogočimi pustolovčinami, toda mnogo delavcev še danes tega ne vidi in ne razume.

Da je ta trditev resnična, nam potrjuje dejstvo, da je v zadnjih petih letih, odkar je izbruhnila kriza—od oktobra 1929 do maja 1934—popolnoma propadlo 31 zavarovalnih družb v Združenih državah, 43 družb se je moralo združiti z močnejšimi, ker drugače bi bile tudi te propadle, in 90 se jih je reorganiziralo, da so se na ta način rešile pogina.

Koliko bratskih podpornih organizacij je pa propadlo v tem času?

Na to vprašanje naj odgovore oni, ki še vedno zagovarjajo privatne zavarovalne družbe.

Naši delavci—in ameriški delavci v splošnem—se bodo morali počasi sprijazniti z dejstvom, da so privatna podjetja v Ameriki obsojena na razpad in vsled tega jim ni vredno zaupati težko prisluženega denarja. Instinkt po spekuliranju bo živel toliko časa, dokler bo sistem privatnega profita dajal priliko za spekuliranje; spekuliranje pa postaja vedno bolj hazardno, zato bodo privatna podjetja vedno večja igra za obstoj.

Sistem, po katerem poslujejo bratske podporne organizacije, je odprta knjiga za vse. Noben posameznik v teh organizacijah ne more kovati privatnega dobička iz njih. Ves dobiček je rezerviran in služi koristi vseh članov, vsled tega pa je zavarovanje pri bratski organizaciji veliko varnejše. Vse, kar potrebujemo, je nekoliko več pažnje pri investicijah, pa bomo uspešno preboleli krizo.

Zadnje čase so agenti privatnih "inšurencov" izredno aktivni med ljudmi in tudi med našimi člani, zlasti med mladino. Zleteti je, da bi ti naši člani pazno prečitati te vrstice.

Naša kampanja ob jubileju 30-letnice SNPJ gre h koncu. Koliko je še rojakov, ki lahko plačujejo majhne mesečne prispevke pa še niso pri nas, mi ni znano, prepičam pa sem, da jih je še nekaj. Tem priporočam v njih lastno korist, da pridejo v SNPJ, katera je gospodarsko SOLIDNA, načelno DELAVSKA in NAJMOČNEJŠA slovenska podporna organizacija.

Olajšave za prístup k SNPJ so PREČEŠNJE V TEJ KAMPANJI, kar je važno, da si zapomnite. Tudi otroci imajo zdaj IZREDNE UGODNOSTI za prístup, ko pa odrasejo in prestopijo v oddelek odraslih, so upravičeni do KREDITA ZA ASESMENT na podlagi starosti pristopa.

Bratje in sestre! Če storimo vsi svojo bratsko dolžnost v tej kampanji, nam je uspeh ZAGOTOVLJEN.

F. A. VIDER, gl. tajnik.

Klerofašisti strmo glaviili Zborovanje Jugoslovanske bratske federacije

Španska republika v vedno večji krizi; reakcija zahteva diktaturo

Madrid, 2. okt.—Španska vlada, kateri je predsedoval Ricardo Samper, je po petih mesecih svojega življenja podala ostavko. Strmoglaviili so jo klerikalni fašisti-monarhisti v zbornici, ko se je španski parlament sešel včeraj po počitnicah. Klerikalni fašisti, katerih vodja je Rikalo Maria Gil Robles, španski Dollfuss, so takoj po odprtju zbornice napadli vlado zaradi katalonskega vprašanja in ker ni nobena večinska skupina podprla vlade, je ta resignirala.

Kriza v Španiji ni več politična, temveč gre za vprašanje, če bo republika sploh ostala pri življenju. Civilna vojna ni izključena. Predsednik Zamora bo morda skušal rešiti krizo s tem, da razpusti parlament in razpiše nove volitve — nihče pa ne ve, kaj prinesejo volitve v teh burnih časih.

Injunkcija proti injunkciji

Chicago. — Sodnik John Prystalski je v pondeljek odbrzdal injunkcijo, katero je dobila Chicago Motor Coach Co., proti stavkujočim avtobusnim nameščencem, obenem je pa izdal novo injunkcijo v prid uniji stavkujočih nameščencev. Protiinjunkcija določa, da družba ne sme oirati mirnega piketiranja stavkarjev.

Chicago. — Ta mesec bodo spet zborovali zastopniki slovenskih, hrvaških in srbskih podpornih organizacij, ki tvorijo Jugoslovansko bratsko federacijo v Ameriki. Zborovanje se vrši v Slovenskem narodnem domu, 6209 St. Clair Ave. v Clevelandu, O. Začne se v petek, dne 19. oktobra, in traja bo dva dni, v nedeljo bo pa pod avspicijami federacije SNPJ velik javni shod v isti dvorani.

Mussolini sili otroke v ženitev!

Rim, 2. okt.—V Italiji je zdaj v silnem razmahu kampanja za ženitve. Vlada je dala razne olajšave v svrhu, da se Italijani lahko ženijo mladi. Dekleta se lahko poročijo s 16. letom brez dovoljenja staršev in vlada izplača vsaki revni nevesti "doto" v obliki darila v gotovini.

Registracija za volitve v Chicago prihodnji tork

Chicago. — Prihodnji tork, dne 9. oktobra, bo edini dan registriranja volilcev v Chicago in nekaterih predmestjih. Vsi novi volilci in vsi oni stari volilci, ki so se preselili v nova stanovanja, se morajo tega dne registrirati, če hočejo voliti v novembru.

Letalo padlo v kanal; sedem mrtvih

London, 2. okt.—Šest potnikov in pilot je utonil, ko je potniško letalo na poletu iz Anglije v Francijo padlo v angleški kanal.

NAČRT 'PREMIRIJA' IZZVAL KONFLIKT

Magnatje pozivajo Roosevelta, naj uvede diktaturo za delavce, dočim ADF opozarja magnate, naj se drže zakona in ustave

Washington, D. C., 2. okt.—Miss Frances Perkins, tajnica delavskega departamenta, je danes odpovala v San Francisco na konvencijo Ameriške delavske federacije, kjer bo razpravljala z voditelji federacije Rooseveltova načrt "industrijskega premirja".

Washington, D. C., 2. okt.—Rooseveltova zahteva za "industrijsko premirje" ali z drugimi besedami za suspenzijo stavk in izporov je izzvala veliko veselje med kapitalisti. Ameriška zveza tovarnarjev (National Manufacturers' Association) je takoj brozjavila Rooseveltu, da sprejme njegov načrt s pogojem, če Roosevelt takoj proklamira takšno premirje na temelju zdaj obstoječih delovnih pogojev. To se pravi, v dobi določenega premirja se ne smejo meze in delovni čas nič spremeniti. To premirje pa mora predsednik diktirati delavcem!

Ta nesramna zahteva velikih magnatov — s katero so se šele dokraja razgalili — je takoj izzvala odgovor Ameriške delavske federacije. Iz San Franciscu, kjer je zdaj v teku letna konvencija federacije, je William Green, predsednik federacije, sporočil sledeče:

"Zahteva organizacije ameriških tovarnarjev je demagogija. Tovarnarji hočejo premirje po svojih pogojih in zahtevajo, da se delavci enostavno uklonijo. Naj rajši najprvo javno izjavijo, da se bodo pokorili sklepom ustatnih in zakonitih oblasti. To je želja predsednika Roosevelta".

Zahteva kapitalistov, naj Roosevelt enostavno proklamira "premirje" po njihovih pogojih, je prišla v obliki dolgega telegrama. Jedro tega telegrama je, da delodajalci so vedno bili in so tudi danes pripravljeni na takšno premirje, ampak oni ne zaupajo delavskim unijam, da bi držale pogodbo premirja. Iz tega razloga, če hoče vlada, da bo premirje v industrijah res kaj vredno, naj ga enostavno proklamira in prisili delavske unije k miru...

Novo društvo SNPJ

Little Falls, N. Y. — Novo angleško poslujoče društvo SNPJ je bilo ustanovljeno zadnji teden v Little Fallsu. Organiziral ga je Frank Drasler iz Forest Cityja, Pa.

Podržaj ne bo poslan v Ameriko!

Dunaj, 2. okt.—Avstrijsko sodišče je včeraj z "obžalovanjem" odklonilo zahtevo ameriškega sodišča za izročitev Ivana Podržaja, ki je obtožen krive prispege v New Yorku in zvezi z ženitvijo bogate ameriške odvetnice Agnes Tufersonove, katero je nekaj tednov po poroki misteriozno izginila, medtem ko je Podržaj odpoval v Anglijo. Avstrija je pojasnila, da njena pogodba z Združenimi državami za izročanje ubežnih zločincev izključuje navadne krivoprispežnike. Podržaj, Slovenec po narodnosti, bo zdaj izpuščen in lahko gre s svojo ženo Suzano Ferrand kamor hoče, dočim je afera izginule Američanke ostala nepojasnjena.

Rudarji v zlatih rojih zagrozili s stavko

Jackson, Cal.—Rudarji v tukajšnjih zlatih rudnikih so prišli v zgodovini tega mesta odglasovali za štrajk, če ne dobe priznanje unije za zvišanje mezd.

Proslave 30 letnice S. N. P. J.

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

DRUŠTVI 408 in 690 SNPJ, Kansas City, Kans., skupni banket 7. oktobra.

FEDERACIJA društev SNPJ v srednjem Illinoisu v Springfieldu, 14. oktobra.

DRUŠTVI št. 462 in št. 615 SNPJ, Los Angeles, Calif., 14. oktobra.

DRUŠTVO Bled 17 SNPJ, Lorain, O., 14. oktobra.

DRUŠTVA 142, 312 in 590, Cleveland, O., v Slovenskem domu, Holmes ave., Collinwood, 21. oktobra.

DRUŠTVO 118 SNPJ, Pittsburgh, Pa. (hkrati svojo 25 letnico) z banketom in plesom 27. oktobra.

DRUŠTVO 19, West Mineral, Kans., 28. oktobra.

DRUŠTVO 569 SNPJ, Fontana, Calif., v oktobru.

DRUŠTVI 158 in 641 SNPJ, Euclid, O., 3. novembra.

DRUŠTVA 49, 321 in 481, Warren, O., 10. novembra.

DRUŠTVO 544 SNPJ, Cleveland, O., 18. novembra.

DRUŠTVO 88 SNPJ, Moon Run, Pa., 29. novembra.

Konvencija Ameriške delavske federacije kaže novo življenje

Poštni departament se spravi nad unijo

Potlačil bi rad nezadovoljnost z "disciplinarno akcijo". Unija za civilne svobodščine obljublja pomoč

New York. — (FP) — Poštne oblasti bi rade potlačile med klerki vsako organizirano protestno akcijo, pravi Ameriška unija za civilne svobodščine, ki je Williamu F. Hillu, predsedniku krajevne unije nadomestnih poštних uslužbencev v St. Louisu, ponudila legalno pomoč, ker je bil odalovljen radi objave kritičnega pisma v nekem tamkajšnjem časopisu.

Več sličnih slučajev je bilo prijavljenih uniji za civilne svobodščine tudi v New Yorku. Ti slučajni se nanašajo na "discipliniranje" poštних uslužbencev radi pritožb proti razmeram. "Disciplinarna akcija" gre za potlačitvenjem unije.

"Da imajo vladni uslužbeni pravico do organizacije, je bilo dovolj jasno povedano v odloku narodnega delavskega odbora v zadevi Johna Donovanana", pravi A. C. I. U.

Hill je napravil ta prestop, da je v pismu rekel, da je poštna služba v procesu razpadanja radi "ekonomije", medtem ko mora vlada podpirati brezposelnost uslužbence z relifom.

Japonski militaristi zahtevajo fašistično diktaturo

Izdali so brošuro, v kateri zahtevajo 3000 novih bojnih letal

Tokio, 2. okt.—General Senjuro Hajaši, ki je obenem vojni minister, je včeraj razširil pamflet, ki je povzročil silno senzacijo. Militaristična stranka, ki jo vodi vojni minister, zahteva v tem pamfletu, da parlament takoj dovoli gradnjo 3000 novih bojnih letal, da se bo Japonska "lahko kosala z Rusijo, Ameriko in Kitajsko v zraku, kajti vojna je nezogibna z eno od teh treh sil ali z vsemi tremi". Tiskanih je bilo 160,000 izvodov tega pamfleta, ki obenem piše, da "forma nacionalsnega socializma po zgledu v Nemčiji je najboljša forma vlade".

Pamflet se začneja z besedami: "Vojna je oče stvarstva in mati civilizacije", nakar pripoveduje med drugim, da Sovjetska unija in Združene države imata vsaka po 3000 bojnih letal in Kitajska jih ima 500, skupaj 6500 proti 1000, kolikor jih ima Japonska danes. Japonci potrebujejo takoj še 3000 letal.

Einstein ostane v Ameriki

Westerly, R. I. — Profesor Albert Einstein, izgnan iz Nemčije, se ne vrne več v Evropo. Einstein je dobil službo profesorja na univerzi Princeton v New Jerseyju.

Grupiranje delegacije obeta živahno zborovanje. Konflikt med gradbenimi unijami razburil Greena

San Francisco, Calif., 2. okt.—Redna letna konvencija Ameriške delavske federacije je bila včeraj odprta s klicem, "da mora biti dovolj dela za vse, ki so sposobni in hočejo delati." Ta klic je zagnal William Green, predsednik federacije, ki je odprl konvencijo in delegatje, okrog 2000 po številu, so mu burno ploskali.

Green je dejal, da največja naloga, ki stoji danes pred federacijo, je odprava brezposelnosti v Združenih državah in to bo doseženo, če se delovnik v vseh industrijah skrajša na 30 ur v tednu. Bojni klic Ameriške delavske federacije zdaj je: Trideseturnik za vse!

Govornik je tudi rekel, da je Rooseveltova administracija "veliko storila za odpravo brezposelnosti; a vse to še ni dovolj"; še vedno je deset milijonov brezposelnih delavcev v Združenih državah, če se pa uvede splošen trideseturnik, bo takoj šest do sedem milijonov delavcev dobilo delo.

San Francisco. — (FP)—Karkršni bodo že zaključki 54. konvencije Ameriške delavske federacije, je vseeno že sedaj razvidno, da bo to ena najživahnijših konvencij federacije. Živahna obeta biti vsled številnih diferenc in različnih tokov ter političnih nazorov, katerih propovedniki so se pričeli grupirati že pred konvencijo. Soditi po teh sapicah bo črta med militantni, progresivni in konservativnim elementom ostro potegnjena.

Največja sporna vprašanja so: konflikt med gradbenimi unijami, povečanje eksekutive federacije, industrijski unionizem in delavska stranka. Poleg tega je še več drugih zadev, o katerih se lahko vname boj, na primer cenuriranje Greena radi njegovega stališča napram generalni stavki in San Franciscu. Militanti obetajo priti s to zadevo direktno pred konvencijo.

Konflikt med gradbenimi unijami je privrel nenadno na dan na konvenciji gradbenega departamenta, ki se je vršila zadnji teden. Deloma so zanj odgovorni jurisdikcijski spori in deloma politične ambicije voditeljev prizadetih unij. In če konvencija ne izravna tega spora, se obetajo še hujši jurisdikcijski boji med gradbenimi delavci.

Konvencija tega departamenta je odredila zopetno pridružitve tesarski, zidarski in električarski uniji, ki imajo okrog 400,000 članov. Zidarska unija je odstopila iz departamenta 1927, tesarska 1929 in električarska dve leti pozneje, vse radi jurisdikcijskih diferenc. Eksekutiva federacije je na zadnji seji zaključila, da se te unije zopet sprejmejo nazaj v gradbeni departament.

(Daje na 3. strani.)

DRUŠTVENE VESTI

Ostane naj po starem

Collinwood, O.—Društvo "Mir" št. 142 SNPJ je na redni mesečni seji dne 19. septembra obširno razpravljalo o iniciativi društva "Delavec" št. 267 SNPJ in po končani debati prišlo do zaključka, da je ne upošteva in ne podpira. Inicijativa nima podlage, da bi bila uvidelna spremeni sedanjo 4. točko 1. člana pravi (konvencija), koj priporoča društvo 267. Nikakega važnega pomena n v tem za društva, ki se v času konvencij združujejo v svrhu izvolitve delegatov. Društva, ki se v ta namen združujejo, pridejo prav tako lahko v konflikt, če se sama združujejo ali če jih bi gl. predsednik združil. Društvo "Mir" je enostavno proti iniciativi tvnemu predlogu. Člani prizadejli društvu naj v času združenja ne bodo osebni, ampak preudarni, pa ste lahko prepričani, da bo vselej prišlo do pravega sporazuma.

Louis Mrmolya, tajnik.

Sprememba redne seje

Buffalo, N. Y.—Društvo št. 405 SNPJ naznanja vsem članom in članicam, da se prične prihodnja mesečna redna seja ob 2. popoldne, ne topoldne. Društveni odbor nadalje opominja vse člane (ice), da se bolj pogosto udeležujejo mesečnih sej, drugače se boste morali zagovarjati radi kršenja društvenih pravil. Društvena pravila namreč zahtevajo, da se mora vsak član udeležiti najmanj vsake tretje seje v letu.

Bratje in sestre, upoštevajte to obvestilo in pridite vsi na sejo. Čim več nas bo, tem lepše bo seja uspela. Ne pozabite pregovorov, ki pravi, da v slogi je moč!—F. Susman.

Vabilo na društveno veselico

East Pittsburgh, Pa.—Društvo št. 629 SNPJ priredi plesno veselico dne 13. oktobra v Jugoslovanskem delavskem domu na Electric in North ave., E. Pittsburgh. Pričetek ob 7.30 zvečer.—Uljudno vabimo vse člane in članice in ves jugoslovanski življenj v mestu in okolici. Tudi prosimo vsa okoliška društva, da ne prirejejo na 13. oktobra svojih zabav, kar bi končno škodovalo nam in vam.—Naš pripravljani odbor bo preskrbel dobro godbo in postrežbo za lačne in žejne. Na svidenje na veselici!

D. Brnčić, zapisnikar.

Obvestilo o seji

Conemaugh, Pa.—Obveščam vse člane društva št. 44 SNPJ, da se bodo odsedaj naprej naše seje vršile v Alojzijevi dvorani ob navadnem času in dnevu (2. nedeljo v mesecu ob 2. pop.) v spodnjih prostorih imenovane dvorane.—Frank Podboy, tajnik.

Proti iniciativi

Peoria, Ill.—Naše društvo št. 489 SNPJ je na seji dne 16. septembra obširno razpravljalo o iniciativi društva št. 257 SNPJ in smo prišli do zaključka, da je ne podpiramo. Naše mnenje je, da je mnogo boljše, da se društva sama združujejo v svrhu izvolitve delegata po svoji volji, kot so se dosedaj. Kajti, ako bi jih upravni odsek združeval, bi v gotovih slučajih imel težave z združevanjem in bilo bi veliko manj zadovoljstva med člani. Vsaled tega so člani našega društva soglasno odglasovali proti iniciativi.

Mrs. Anna Matelko, tajnica.

Iz urada društva št. 3

Johnstown, Pa.—Na redni seji dne 9. sept. je društvo št. 3 razpravljalo o iniciativi, katero je predložilo društvo št. 257. Prišli smo do zaključka, da naše društvo ne podpira omenjene iniciative, prvič, ker smatramo, da so sedanja jednotna pravila dovolj jasna, pravična in demokratična glede volitve delegatov, drugič pa vsako splošno glasovanje prinese gotove stroške in te bi naredili brez potrebe. Vsako društvo ali društva, kjer se gre radi osebne mržnje drug do drugega, bodo imeli zadostno stevilo dobrostojećih članov ob času volitve delegatov. Ako se pod sedanji pogoji ne bodo mogli sporazumeti, da izberejo delegata, taka društva niso vredna zastopstva na konvenciji in krivdo lahko sama sebi pripišejo.

Ni treba misliti, da naše članstvo

te zaupa gl. odboru. Gl. izvrševalni oz. upravni odbor je vreden svoje časti in v tem oziru je vse prav. Naše članstvo je smatra, da bi izgledalo nekoliko diktatorično, ako bi imel kdo drugi moč diktirati društvom, kako naj se združujejo za izvolitve delegatov na konvencijo.

Mislimo, da je najbolje, da tozalevna točka ostane nespremenjena, da se pusti prosta volja društvom, da v tem oziru delajo po svoji želji. Združujejo naj se z društvom kakor smatrajo, da je najbolj demokratično in pravilno. S tem bomo nekaj stotakov prihranili jednotlivim blagajni.

Za društvo št. 3, I. Bubalo.

Dvojno slavlje je uspelo

Manville, N. J.—Petletnico društva št. 687 SNPJ in 30 letnico SNPJ smo praznovali s piknikom, ki se je dovro obnesel, četudi je v tej okolici le malo Slovencev. Volja je bila dobra, pa smo šli na delo, da se je naše dvojno slavlje lepo završilo in uspelo. Br. F. Bombač je pridno pekel jagrnje, sestri Francetič in Bombač sta stregli posetnikom z okusnimi sendviči, natakariji pa so se pridno sukali okrog pijače. Predsednik John Rupnik je skrbel, da je šlo vse v redu naprej. Prišli so rojaki iz raznih krajev in se z nami veselili. Treba je bilo več pomoči, pa je soproga Johna Rupnika priskočila na pomoč. Udeležba je bila velika in vsi posetniki so bili zadovoljni. Društvo se iskreno zahvaljuje vsem delavcem na tem pikniku in posetnikom, ki so prispomogli do uspeha. Posebna zahvala gre članom društva št. 540 SNPJ v Elizabethu, N. J.—Z delom se ne moremo pohvaliti. Vsa dan delavce odslajljajo, zato pa za bodočo slabo izgleda.—Louis Miklačić, tajnik.

Članstvu društva 254

Bon Air, Pa.—Naznanjam članom društva št. 254 SNPJ, da odsedaj naprej se bodo naše seje vršile vsako drugo nedeljo v mesecu točno ob 2. popoldne. Člani se prosijo, da to upoštevajo in pridejo na sejo v velikem številu. Morda bomo kaj ukrenili glede veselice.—Sezona piknikov je odšla, tako se počasi vse bliža h koncu, tudi naše zdravje, za njim pa tudi življenje. Nikar ne puščajte društva, ker nihče ne ve kdaj za zadene nesreča ali bolezen. Plačajte svoj assessment, mesto da porabite denar za kakšno nekoristno stvar. Jednota je že mnogim pomagala in bo tudi vam, kadar jo boste potrebovali.—Letos smo imeli v naši naselbini le en piknik. Članstvu se moramo zahvaliti, ker ga je dovolj dobro posetilo, četudi je stiska za denar. Pa le na ta način se lahko iznebimo društvene doklade.—Jos. Widmar, tajnik.

Članstvu društva 198

Willard, Wis.—Naznanjam članom društva 198, kateri plačujejo svoj assessment z bančnimi čeki, da priložijo 10c za izmenjavo istega, ako se ne glasi vloga na Farmers & Merchants banko v Greenwoodu. Kdor pa ima svojo vlogo v imenovan banki, mu ni treba priložiti označene pristojbine, ampak le tekoči assessment. Prosim, da to obvestilo upoštevate, ali pa pošljite assessment po poštni nakaznici (postal money order).

Mike Krultz, tajnik.

25 letnica društva 108

Ely, Minn.—Društvo "Jutrarnja Zora" št. 108 SNPJ bo praznovalo svojo 25 letnico z domačo zabavo dne 13. oktobra ob 8. zvečer v Narodnem domu. Uljudno vabimo ustanoviteljice, ker imamo pripravljeno lepo darilo zanje ob 25 letnici. Dolžnost vseh članic je, da se gotovo udeležijo proslave in pripeljejo svoje može s seboj, tako da nas bo več. Uljudno se vabijo sploh vsi rojaki, da nas posetijo ta večer. Na razpolago bomo imele okusen prigrizek, godbo in govornika. Na svidenje!

Frances Perushek, tajnica.

Vabilo na banket

Kansas City, Kans.—Društvo št. 408 in 690 SNPJ priredita velik banket z veselico in proslavo jednotine 30-letnice dne 7. oktobra ob 6. zvečer v Hrvaško-slovenskem domu na 6th in Elizabeth. Glavni govornik bo predsednik Vincent Cankar. Opozarjamo člane obeh društev, da se gotovo udeležijo te prireditve, na kateri bo nastopil naš gl. predsednik. Obenem vabimo vse ostale Jugoslovane in soseda društva. Postrežba bo izborna. Vsi na to prireditve!

Odbor.

Vabilo na sejo

Verona, Pa.—Člani društva št. 216 SNPJ se pozivajo na inkorp. sejo, ki se bo vršila v Narodnem domu na 7. oktobra ob 2. pop. Rešiti moramo važne stvari.—Paul Belin, tajnik N. D.

Hoan vetiral resolucijo proti komunistom

Milwaukee. — Socialistični župan Hoan je vetiral resolucijo, katero je sprejela "nestrankarska" večina mestne zbornice proti komunistom. Z njo jim je skušala vzeti pravico do zborovanja v Red Arrow parku, ki je posvečen neki vojni diviziji. Socialisti so jo pobijali v zbornici, češ, da so proti pokrivanju patriotizma s hipokritstvom. Hoan jo je pa vetiral, ker dela diskriminacijo napram gotovi skupini. Pravi, da mora park služiti vsem ali pa nikomur.

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Frank Verbee, predsednik.

Članstvu društva 540

Elizabeth, N. J.—Vabim vse člane društva 540 SNPJ, da se gotovo udeležite prihodnje seje. Na tej seji pride na dnevni red veselica ali vinska trgatev in druge važne stvari. Obenem naznanjam vsem tistim članom, kateri mi pošljate assessment po pošti in mi pošljete money order. Za money order \$2.50 je 6c, za \$5.00 je 8c in jaz, ko money order unovčim, moram ravno tako plačati kakor vi, ki ga pošljete. Recimo, da vaš assessment znaša \$2.90, morate poslati od sedaj naprej \$2.98; ako pošljete \$6.59, odsedaj naprej morate poslati \$6.70. Ako hočete se kaj več pojasniti, pridite na društ. sejo, ker bilo je sklenjeno na zadnji redni seji, da vsak član sam trpi, ako mora več poslati za assessment, ne pa društ. blagajna. Prosim vas, da to upoštevate in pridite na sejo dne 14. oktobra ob 10. dopoldne.

J. Pasarič, tajnik.

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Čikaška razstava: Indijanska princesa "Mala zarja" iz Arizone.

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INICIATIVA

Cleveland, O. (West Park.)—Društvo Delavcev št. 257 SNPJ na redni seji dne 17. junija običajno razpravljalo o I. členu konvencije (konvencija) ter prišlo do zaključka, da je zelo potrebno, da se v celoti spremeni 4. točka tega člena, tako da bo v splošnem ustrezno vsem društvom glede zastopstva na prihodnji konvenciji.

Sedanji I. člen (konvencija) 4. točka se glasi: "Vsako društvo, ki šteje prvega januarja konvencionalnega leta sto ali več dobrostojećih članov, sme poslati enega delegata; društva, ki šteje dvestopetdeset ali več članov, sme poslati dva delegata; društva, ki imajo manj kot sto članov, pa se smejo združiti v drugo društvo, ki imajo enega delegata. Nobeno društvo pa ne more poslati več kot dva delegata in nobena skupina združenih društev več enega delegata. Društva, ki ne postojijo polne štiri mesece ob času volitev delegatov, nimajo pravice do zastopstva na konvenciji. Dobrostojećie člane se smatra le one, ki imajo točno članov zasment in druge družbene ali jednotine prispevke".

Naslednje društvo predlaga, da se 4. točka I. člena spremeni ali razširi, da se bo v bodoče glasila: "Vsako društvo, ki šteje prvega januarja konvencionalnega leta sto ali več dobrostojećih članov, sme poslati enega delegata; društva, ki šteje dvestopetdeset ali več članov, sme poslati dva delegata; društva, ki imajo manj kot sto članov, pa gl. izvrševalni odbor združi v dosego potrebne števila članov, da izvolijo enega delegata. Nobeno društvo pa ne more poslati več kot dva delegata, in nobena skupina združenih društev več kot enega delegata. Društva, ki ne postojijo polne štiri mesece ob času volitev delegatov, nimajo pravice do zastopstva na konvenciji. Dobrostojećie člane se smatra le one, ki imajo točno plačan zasment in druge družbene ali jednotine prispevke".

Razlogi: — Članstvo našega društva smatra, da sedanji sistem volitev delegatov nikakor ni pravičen. Vzemimo na primer, naše društvo šteje ob času volitev delegatov le nekaj manj kot sto članov. V istem času gl. predsednik pozove društva, naj se združijo v svrhu izvolitve delegatov. Naše društvo se odzove in stopi v akcijo, da se združi z bližnjim društvom, da doseže zahtevano število članov, kot zahtevajo sedanja pravila. Ker se pa mora pravilno združenje izvršiti le na rednih ali izrednih sejah, to odvisno od članstva, če se združi za združenje ali proti. Ker je naše društvo večje v članstvu od onega, s katerim se želimo združiti, se mnogokrat zgodi, da tako društvo glasuje proti združenju. In rezultat tega je, da ostanejo obe društvi brez zastopstva.

Na tega razloga je torej pripomočljivo, da gl. izvrševalni odbor, kot gl. predsednik, izvrši združenje. Nikakega dvoma ni, da ne bi bilo tako združenje pravično ali demokratično. Naše društvo je prepričano, ako si omožimo ta sistem volitev delegatov, da bomo izvršili koristno delo, kajti s to izpremembo bodo vsa društva zastopana na prihodnji konvenciji. S to izpremembo se bodo tudi odpravile potežkoče združenja lokalnih društev, obenem pa se bo tudi prihranilo mnogo časa glede nepravilnih poverilnic, kar se je še vedno dogajalo na prejšnjih konvencijah.

Naslednje društvo vidi, da ta izprememba je potrebna in demokratična. Kajti ako društva (mala ali velika) plačujejo sorazmerno v konvenciji sklad, so torej upravičena, da imajo svoje zastopnike na skupnih zborovanih oziroma konvencijah. Iz teh razlogov in namena, da pomagamo izboljšati sistem pri naši organizaciji, predlaga naše društvo gori omenjeno iniciativo in prosi, da se splošna krajevna društva zapjo zanimajo in našo iniciativo zadostno podpro, da bo lahko šla tudi na splošno glasovanje.

Frank Mlakar, predsednik, Math Bizyak, tajnik, Mary Knafele, blagajnica.

Komentar glavnega odbora.—Glavni odbor, zborujoč na polletni seji, je potrdil iniciativni predlog društva št. 257 za splošno glasovanje, ne more pa priporočati društvom, da ga podpisajo in ne članstvu, da za istega voli, četudi smatramo, da je namen iniciativnega predloga predvsem koristiti interesom jednote.

Razlog je v tem, ker se resno dvomi, da bi predlog, ki ga je imenovano društvo iniciativno, dosegel zaželjeni uspeh boljšega sporazuma glede združenja društev za izvolitev delegata. Pri združenju bližnjih društev, ki imajo dovolj članov za svojega delegata in ki imajo priložno enako število članstva, bi imel v gotovih slučajih iste težave upravni odbor, kakor jih imajo sedanja društva, ki se v to svrhu sama združujejo. Če je združenje za izvolitev delegata dovolj članom prizadetih društev, je postranski pomen, kdo jih združi, v nasprotnem pa, če se eno ali drugo društvo proti združenju z njim nasprotno skupino, ne bo zadovoljstva, pa naj združenje izvrši kdor hoče.

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F. A. Vider, za gl. odbor.

Konservativni vodje ADF postajajo konfuzni

Težkoče imajo pri zbiranju "prijateljev in sovražnikov"

San Francisco. — (FP)—Konservativni unijski voditelji imajo letos v Kaliforniji bolj težko stališče pri izvajanju tradicionalne politike Ameriške delavske federacije. Pri izbiranju "prijateljev" namreč postajajo konfuzni.

Organizirano delavstvo na splošno podpira Sinclairja in v manjši meri socialiste in komuniste. Timothy A. Beardon od plumberske unije in direktor delavskega departamenta je pa na konvenciji kovinarske sekcije ADF toplo priporočal izvolitev governerja Merriama, češ, da se je "izkazal dobrega delavskega prijatelja" — nad stavkarje v

San Francisco in drugod je poslal milico in endorsiral kampa-njo proti "rdečkarjem". Tudi predsednik tesarjev W. L. Hutchinson se je izrekel za "stare dealerje". "Če bi bil Hoover predsednik, bi bilo vse okej", pravi on.

Pristanišni odbor končal zaslišanje

Zdaj bo študiral, predno izreče razsodbo o zahtevah delavcev

San Francisco. — (FP)—Pristanišni delavski odbor je končno zaključil zaslišanje v zadevi velike stavke pristanišnih delavcev in mornarjev na zapadni obali. Zaslišanje je vršil od generalne stavke v San Franciscu in je nagromadil 3000 strani materiala.

Svojega odloka o zahtevah delavcev še ni podal—in ga najbrž še ne bo kmalu. Zadnje je razvidno iz izjave odvetnika O. K. Cushinga, člana odbora, ki je rekel, da bo prej preštudiral "vsako vrstico". Poleg Cushinga sta v odboru nadškof Edward J. Hanna in pomožni delavski tajnik McGrady.

Glavna zahteva delavcev je unijska kontrola nad pristanišnimi uposlevalnicami, ki so po stavki deloma pod nadzorstvom delavskega departamenta.

KONVENCIJA FEDERACIJE KAŽE NOVO ŽIVLJENJE

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani.)

ment, kar je pa konvencija na priporočilo departamente eksekutive odklonila. Pri razpravi o tem so z obeh strani letele vroče besede.

Greena je ta konflikt izredno presenetil. Njegovo brzojavno pletiranje za poravnavo ni nič izdalo. Če se mu osebno ne posreči izravnanje tega spora predno pride pred konvencijo, bo njegov prestiž bolj trpel.

Povečanje eksekutive ne zahteva le mlajši in bolj progresiven element, nego tudi nekateri konservativni voditelji, na primer John L. Lewis. Smatrajo, da je vodstvo federacije preveč koncentrirano v rokah male skupine in zahtevajo, da se odgovornost raztegne na večje število pridruženih unij. Vsekakor bo ta zahteva dobila širši odmev na konvenciji kakor pa vprašanje industrijskega unionizma.

Socialistična delegacija je bila od delavskega odbora stranke urgirana, naj aktivno podpira vse progresivne resolucije. Na prvem mestu socialistični zahtev je ustanovitev delavske stranke, potem združenje poklicnih unij v industrijske in spojitve federalnih unij v industrijske organizacije. Boj proti fašizmu doma in v tujini. Za generalno stavko v slučaju vojne.

Nadalje za pridruženje organiziranih brezposelnih k federaciji. Za nizko pristopnino in znižanje zasementa. Za znižanje visokih plač unijskim voditeljem — če prejema več kot pet tisoč na leto. Za boj proti zahtevi reakcije, da se brezposelnim odvzame volilna pravica ter odprava vsake davčne limitacije te pravice in proti rasnim ter političnim diskriminacijam v unijah.

Ali ste naročeni na dnevniki "Prosveta"? Podpirajte svoj list!

ZAPISNIK SEJE GL. UPRAVNEGA ODBEKA

z dne 19. sept. 1934

Predsednik odpre sejo ob 1. uri pop. Navzoči so vsi člani upravnega odbeka.

Prvo se čita zapisnik upravne seje z dne 5. septembra, ki je odobren.

Temu sledi čitanje pisma od društva št. 17, Lorain, O., ki poroča, da bodo dne 14. okt. proslavljali 30 letnico jednote ter prosijo, da bi jim dovolili Matt Petrovicha iz Clevelanda za slavnostnega govornika.—Sklenjeno, da se jim ustreže.

Nato se čita pismo preglednega odbora organizacije Home Owners Loan Corp. za državo Wisconsin, ki poroča, da na posestvo Sam Sulnarja, katerega je jednota posodila denar in ga je potem prepisal na jednoto, ki ni mogel plačevati, sedaj pa prosi za vladno posojilo, da bi dobil posestvo nazaj, ne morejo dati posojila. Kot vzrok navajajo, da je v veliki stanju, da sploh ni vredno popravila. K temu poroča še br. Vider, da si je, ko se je svoječasnno mudil v Milwaukeeju, posestvo ogledal in da je bil zelo iznenaden, da se je na tako reč riskiralo jednotin denar. Na vprašanje, kako je prišlo do tega in kdo je odgovoren, se mu je pojasnilo, da je br. Aleah, takratni predsednik gospodarskega odbeka, bil na to opozorjen, pa so vseeno dovolili posojilo. — Pismo in poročilo se vzame na znanje in sklenjeno je, da se o tem obvesti gospodarski odbor.

Št. 187—Društvo priporoča sestro Anno Beranič za izredno podporo, ki ni zavarovana za boln. podporo. Bila je operirana in ima velike stroške ter veliko družino v revščini.—Sklenjeno, da se ji daruje \$25.

Št. 91—Sestra Helena Cempre je bila bolna, pa se ni javila za boln. podporo. V družini je velika revščina in društvo prosi, da se ji kaj pomaga iz sklada za izredne podpore.—Dovoljeno \$15.

Št. 371—John Urbanc, ki je na pasivni listi, prosi, da se ga zopet vključi za aktivnega člana in da jednota plača zanj zasment, on bi pa zapisal smrtnino na jednoto.—Ker ima ženo in sorodnike, se v smislu pravil ne more vpoštevat.

Št. 419—Šestletna Mildred Vrtačnik, članica mladinskega oddelka, si je zlomila roko, vsled česar je morala biti operirana in so nastali stroški. Družina je v revščini in imeli so še druge nesreče, zato društvo prosi, da bi se jim kaj pomagalo iz izrednega sklada.—Sklenjeno, da se daruje \$25.

Št. 16—Br. John Androjna je vložil prošnjo za izplačilo odpravnine; prošnja odobrena od br. gl. zdravnik; po pravilih je upravičen do \$157.40. Prosi pa, da bi mu jednota izplačala \$250.00, da bi lahko odšel v staro domovino. Društvo priporoča.—Sklenjeno, da se prošnja odobri v toliko, da se mu izplača odpravnina v vsoti, do kolike je upravičen v smislu pravil.

Št. 85—Predložena je prošnja br. A. Kovačiča, ki je bil pasiven, a mu je vrhovni zdravnik znižal smrtnino, ko je postal zopet aktiven, to pa iz zdravstvenih razlogov. Prosi, da se ga vključi za prejšnjo zavarovalnino. — Na razna pojasnila se vpošteva odlok vrhovnega zdravnika.

Št. 347—Predložena je stara zadeva br. Matija Piccačiča, ki se pritožuje, da je bil prikrajšan za bolniško podporo, in da se je njegovo bolezen napačno tolmačilo. V to svrhu pošilja dodatne zdravniške listine.—Po vsestranskem premetovanju zadeve je sklenjeno, da se stvar ponovno predloži jednotnemu razsodišču.

Nato so še predložene sledeče prošnje za izredno podporo in posojilo za zasment:

Prošnje za posojilo za zasment

Št. 1—Andrej Blagich, Frank in Rose Rakovec, tri mesece.

Št. 16—John Androjna in Joseph Mavri, tri mesece.

Št. 21—Adolf Lovšin, Frank in Rose Križman, tri mesece.

Št. 27—John in Fanny Prisan in Frank Krajael, tri mesece.

Št. 29—John Škerjanc, en mesec.

Št. 50—Marko Kerkes in Mike Halko, dva meseca.

Frank, Johanna in John Rotins, tri mesece.

Št. 58—Tony Medved, tri mesece.

Št. 62—Martin Bučar, tri mesece.

Št. 64—Bernard Potočnik, tri mesece.

Št. 75—John, Mary in George Gasparich, John Maynarich, Mike Baričevich, Josephine in Joe Bolf, tri mesece.

Št. 85—Kata Jurčič, John Capuder, Frank Mijak, Anton Mlinar, Frank, John in Joe Reven, Janko Jurčič, dva meseca.

Št. 87—John Kapelar, tri mesece.

Št. 88—Matija Maček, tri mesece.

Št. 91—Karl Zorc, Matt in Jerica Hrovatic, Frank Steh, Andrew Černuta, August Grgrich, John Jakovac, Stefan Macek, George Fite in Peter Glad, tri mesece.

Št. 95—George Schmiegtatz, tri mesece.

Št. 123—Jozef Moše, tri mesece.

Št. 144—John in Lena Udovich, Fred Poderžaj, tri mesece.

Št. 163—Paul in Kristina Črnič, en mesec.

Št. 163—Helen Borich, tri mesece.

Št. 168—Josephine, John in Antonija Brezovec, tri mesece.

Št. 173—John Urbanich in Steve Butina, tri mesece.

Št. 204—Paul Sperlić, tri mesece.

Št. 207—Frances Rozan, Matt Klarich, John Sedja in Anton Konda, en mesec. John Petrić in Katherine Petritz, dva meseca.

Št. 240—Paul Velikan, en mesec.

Št. 269—Rudolph in Christine Kramer, Anton Maurin, Marko Rodman, Anna Povech, Anna in Peter Pincolich, Frank in Mary Kovace, Mike Bukovac, tri mesece.

Št. 277—Josephine in Abraham Sutton, Matilda in Aleks Penich, dva meseca.

Št. 291—Joe Ivanec tri mesece.

Št. 300—Mary, Mike, William in Polly Knafele, en mesec; Anton Bankovich in Frank Knafele, dva meseca.

Št. 326—Mary, John E. in John Ribich, John Basich, Margaretha in Frank Yartz, Frank in Alojzija Kozlins, tri mesece.

Št. 333—Louise Androjna, tri mesece.

Št. 347—Andrew Budinčak in Matija Pinačich, dva meseca.

Št. 405—Josephine in Frank Susman in Mary Matijaš, tri mesece.

Št. 432—Peter Marinich in George Vuckovich, tri mesece.

Št. 482—Mary Kinko, Andrej Makarovich, Mitro Kinko, Nick Kulesh, Sergey Zelensky.—Prošnja za zasment za mesec september.—Se uprči.

Št. 629—Matthew Persin dva meseca; Nelly Schuck tri mesece.

Prošnje za izredno podporo:

Št. 1—John Keatnar dva meseca zasment; John Jurčič tri mesece zasment.

Št. 6—Elizabeth Hoesch \$20.

Št. 12—Peter Chufar izredno podporo za svojo hčer, \$15.

Št. 16—Rose Grashitz \$25.

Št. 24—Anton Logaj \$15.

Št. 53—Virginia Bučar tri mesece zasment; Josephine Fiddler \$15.

Št. 59—Frank Vogrich tri mesece zasment.

Št. 62—Steve Sitter \$15.

Št. 85—Frank Gramc dva meseca zasment.

Št. 117—Frank Gombalich tri mesece zasment.

Št. 118—Frank Grlovich tri mesece zasment.

Št. 220—Frank in Mary Tratnik tri mesece zasment.

Št. 221—George Salomon tri mesece zasment.

Št. 223—Joseph Plevelič dva meseca zasment.

Št. 262—Anton Zidanek tri mesece zasment.

Št. 267—Branislava Turley \$30.

Št. 269—Matija in Mary Jakšič tri mesece zasment.

Št. 282—Joseph Pečjak \$15.

Št. 292—Frank Peternel \$20.

Št. 313—Jennie Dolenc \$20.

Št. 318—Louis in Terezija Matko \$20.

Št. 427—Joseph Bukovac \$15.

S tem je dnevi red iscrpan in predsednik zaključi sejo ob 4. pop.

Vincent Cainkar, preds. Philip Godina, zapis.

KREDIT ČLANOM MLADINSKEGA ODBEKA

za zasment v septembru ob prestopu v oddelek odraslih

CREDIT FOR JUVENILE MEMBERS FOR ASSESSMENT IN SEPT. WHEN TRANSFERRING INTO ADULT DEPARTMENT

Št. društva in ime člana	Ček prejeli tajnik	Vredn.
League No. and Name	Check received	Amount
1 Julia Mersel	Joe Wornhky, taj.	7.50
2 Rose Urbanich	Fred Malgal, taj.	2.00
5 Anna Keršanik	Ludvik Medvedoch, taj.	5.00
7 Matthew Garvas	Mike Baloh, taj.	4.00
14 Andy Blajak	John Artach, taj.	4.00
22 Anton Plesha	Ludvik Pintar, taj.	5.00
29 Anton Koren	John Potokar, taj.	5.00
49 Edward Prevec	John Tanec, taj.	1.00
55 Viktor Koslek	Anton Brelih, taj.	10.50
62 Paulina Staudohar		5.00
Peter Kobo		2.00
	John Mukavec, taj.	10.00
70 Besie Yacovich	Matt Kausarich, taj.	3.00
81 August Krivta	Charles Zakoty, taj.	10.50
88 Frank Rasputnik		5.25
Elizabeth M. Ambrose		10.50
	Rudolf Gorjup, taj.	10.75
97 Anna Verbovnik	Rudolph Marrotti, taj.	1.00
104 John Kupan	Anton Jerab, taj.	9.00
106 Rose Progar		10.50
Emma Kerin		8.50
	Jacob Eliko, taj.	10.00
110 Rosie Vidmar		10.50
Josephine Levatic		7.00
	Frank Klun, taj.	17.50
111 Tony Bavdek	Julia Modets, taj.	8.00
112 Edward Kastellia	Louis Ambrosich, taj.	7.50
114 Edward Pirta	Frank Gruden, taj.	10.50
124 John Marek		10.50
Jerry Marek		10.50
	Frank Hatain, taj.	21.00
129 John Zagro		10.50
John Coen		10.00
137 Angela Sever	Antoinette Simič, taj.	10.50
138 Stanley Berzogh		9.50
Mary Lauso		10.50
John Udovich		10.50
	John Troha, taj.	20.50
147 Olga Uschenik		8.00
Victoria E. Spile		4.00
	Leonard Poljak, taj.	13.00
175 Anna Perko	John Malavalič, taj.	10.50
182 Joseph L. Muhvic	Jacob Muhvich, taj.	4.00
203 Joseph Stefan	Anton Masin, taj.	10.50
207 Mary Lovchin	Frank E. Jeniker, taj.	8.50
218 Joseph A. King	George Rafar, taj.	7.00
216 Rudolph Hodnik	Tony Kresovich, taj.	10.00
218 Frank Mihovec	John Ambrošič, taj.	10.50
231 Joseph Kalan	F. Maček, taj.	10.50
232 Mary Polh		10.50
Ursula Polh		10.50
	Andrew Bugataj, taj.	21.00
235 John Orozen	Louis Pietotnik, taj.	10.50
245 John Saffo	Louis Yankovich, taj.	2.00
262 Albert Zagar	Frank Stambal, taj.	10.00
265 Christine Urbincseh	John Johar, taj.	10.50
266 Theresa Dolinsek	Anton Pavlin, taj.	10.50
267 Adolph Turk	John Krasenik, taj.	9.00
287 Anna Korubats	Frank Laurich, taj.	8.00
297 Charles Starobovich	Joe Radovcich, taj.	8.00
Peter Verbič	George Stiglic, taj.	10.00
300 Frances Mattick		9.50
Louis Korpas		10.00
Frank Kucic		10.50
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306 John Yankulic	Tony Kausic, taj.	8.00
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313 Mary Struckie	Jennie Dolenc, taj.	6.00
314 Angela Martz	Rudolph Korvach, taj.	3.00
316 Mary Zidarich	Agnes Sebati, taj.	6.00
317 Mary Dokmanovich	Jacob Belle, taj.	2.00
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	Anton Mahnich, taj.	10.75
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August Podboy		10.50
	Mary Podboy, taj.	20.50
609 John Kopmayer	Mary Gurec, taj.	9.00
614 Mildred Trabant	Frank J. Kone, taj.	4.00
683 Mary Janic		10.50
John Fotherbach		8.00
	Frank Jovan, taj.	12.50
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Društvo Edinost ima številne zasluge. V tem društvu se je porodila ideja za zgraditev Slovenskega narodnega doma v La Salle. Leta 1914 si je izbralo Narodni Vestnik (Duluth, Minn.) za svoje glasilo. Pri tem društvu se je tudi sprožila ideja za ustanovitev zveze tukajšnjih slovenskih podpornih društev. Svoječasno je društvo štelo 175 članov, katerih precejšnje število je živelo v naselbin Oglesby, kjer zastopnik in ustanovni član tega društva, Frank Jerina st., naša stara korenina, še danes živi.

Pri društvu in na njegovih sejah vlada lepa sloga in mir. Društvo plačuje sedem dolarjev tedenske bolniške podpore, sto dolarjev za pogrebne stroške in pet in dvajset dolarjev za operacijske stroške. V pokritje teh izplačil plačujejo njegovi člani dolar mesečnih prispevkov ali a-seasment. Društvo šteje danes 82 članov in v blagajni ima \$3.328.00.—Odbor.

Vinska trgatve 14. okt.

San Francisco, Calif. — Spet je zatonilo poletje in zašlo v preteklost, kakor že na tisoče in tisoče drugih pred njim. Kmet se veseli zlate jeseni, kadar so mu bili vremenski bogovi mili akoz poletje, kajti v jeseni žanje in pospravlja sad svojega dela celega leta. Ko je vse pospravljen, se z veseljem ozira nazaj in pričakuje prihajajočo zimo.

V starem kraju, na Dolenjskem, je stara navada, da se praznuje trgatve grozdja. In to navado imamo tudi mi tukaj v solnčni Californiji. Naš klub "Slovenija" prireja letne trgatvene zabave že osmo leto. Tako je tudi letos odbor izobraževalnega in dramskega kluba "Slovenija" na delu, da priredi vinsko trgatve na kar najbolj zanimiv način, da bo prekašala vse prejšnje. Trgatve se bo vršila 14. oktobra v S. N. D.

Lahko z gotovostjo trdim, da bo na popoldanski predstavi sleherni zadovoljen. Zvečer se pa vrši vinska trgatve, trgatve grozdja, s katerim bo dvorana Slovenskega naprednega doma preobložena. Vršila se bo tudi šaljiva ženitev, sodnik bo sodil vsak prestopnik pri trgatvi in bo vsakemu nezadovoljnejšu za borih 10c razvozljal poročni voz in ga tako rešil zakonskega jarma. Zabava bo izvrstna, zato uljudno vabimo vse jugoslovanske prebivalce v San Francisco in okolici. Posetite nas na ta dan, saj trgatve se vrši le enkrat v letu! Letošnja bo na 14. oktobra!

Starokrajski pregovor pravi: mal položi dar oltaru na altar. Klub "Slovenija" ne prosí miločin, ampak vas le vabi k trgatveni proslavi, kjer boste deležni obilnega užitka v raznih oblikah. Čisti dobiček gre v izobraževalne namene našega naroda. Naš klub kupuje vedno najnovejše in dobre knjige in brošure, ki so na razpolago

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Val Laharnar.

Piknik in Harvest Dance

Joliet, Ill. — Velike priprave za letni piknik Zveze jolietških društev, ki se je imel vršiti 2. septembra, so bile zaman, ker se piknik vsled dežja ni mogel vršiti. Iskrena zahvala, vsem za trud in prispevke. Društvo št. 115 SNPJ, ustanovni član lepo napredujoče Zveze, se iskreno zahvaljuje Prosveti za priobčene reklamnne vesti v njenih kolonah.

Sli smo na delo in priredili bomo jesenski piknik v nedeljo 7. oktobra v Rivals parku. V soboto popoldne in zvečer, 6. okt., bo v parku pregled in v dvorani zabava. Imeli bomo domače okrepitvo in godbo. V nedeljo 7. oktobra se vrši piknik, pričetek popoldne, ob 7. zvečer pa Harvest Dance, ki bo trajal do 1. polnoči. Ob 8. zvečer se bo vršilo "kronanje slovenske kraljice" za ta večer. Dekleta se trudijo na vso moč za dosego prvenstva. V tem kontestu so: Mary Pirc, Helen Vesel, Elizabeth Petric in Mary Setina. Dekleta, le korajžno naprej do zmage!

Prva nagrada, ki jo dobi "kraljica", bo zelo lep diamantni prstan, ostale nagrade so pa tudi izredno lepe. Pripravljena bo najboljša pijača, prigrizek in godba za ples. Igrali bodo Dajčmanovi in Zlogarjevi bratje. Ne zamudite tega piknika in harvestnega festivala dne 7. oktobra! Vabim vse člane društev, ki spadajo k Zvezi, tako tudi vse ostale Jugoslovane tukaj in v okolici, da nas posetite v velikem številu. Obenem prosim zastopnike in zastopnice društev, da mi vrnejo prodane in neprodane vstupnice najkasneje do prihodnje sobote popoldne.

John Nemanich, zvezin tajnik.

Brezposelni, organizirajte se!

Chicago, Ill. — Slovenski klub brezposelnih je imel prošlo soboto zabavo v dvorani SNPJ, katere se je udeležilo mnogo članov in prijateljev. Ako ne bi bilo zvečer nalivov, bi bila udeležba še večja. Poseben odbor našega kluba agitira med vsemi rojaki, ki so brezposelni, v prigravarjanju, da se nam pridružijo — in to v njihovo korist. Klub je pridružen organizaciji Workers' Committee on Unemployment, ki se poteguje za pravice brezposelnih v uradih reliefa in kjerkoli. Prihodnja seja se vrši v četrtek 4. oktobra v spodnji dvorani SNPJ. Pričakujemo, da z novimi člani, ki pristopijo na tej seji, bo naš klub štel že nad sto članov. Po končanem dnevnem redu bo predaval Frank Zaitz o predmetu "Kako odpraviti brezposelnost in bedo".

J. Oblak, tajnik.

Piknik kluba št. 21 JSZ

Arma, Kans. — Sezona piknikov je pri kraju, ampak predno se zaključi, priredi svoj piknik še socialistični klub št. 21 JSZ iz Arme. Sploh bo to splošni soc. piknik za ves okraj Crawford. Vrši se v nedeljo popoldne 7. oktobra na znani Štefaničevi farmi. V slučaju slabega vremena pa gremo v bližnjo dvorano v Cockerill. Na programu bo dovolj zabave. Nastopijo tudi razni soc. kandidati kot govorniki. Apeliramo na vse zavedne in napredne člane SNPJ iz okoliških naselbin in sploh na vse napredno delavstvo, da pridete na ta piknik. Ves eventuelni prebitek je namenjen za letošnjo soc. volilno kampanjo in drugo

organizatorično delo, ki je potrebno, ako si hočemo kdaj priboriti boljše razmere.

Vsi na ta piknik. Pokažite, da naprednost in borba za delavske interese vam nista le prazni besede. Vstopnina prosta.

Soc. klub št. 21 je tudi zaključil, da priredi več soc. shodov v naših naselbinah kakršnih že nismo imeli več let. Datumi in druge podrobnosti bodo objavljene pozneje.—A. Šular.

30 letnica društva št. 19

Mineral, Kans. — Vsa kansaska društva SNPJ se opozarjajo na 30 letnico društva "Oreol" št. 19 SNPJ v Mineralu, ki se vrši 28. oktobra v veliki novi dvorani v Caroni. Ker letos tudi naša jednota praznuje svojo 30 letnico, bomo ob enem praznovali tudi ta jubilej.

Društvo št. 19 je eno izmed pionirskih društev SNPJ ter je vselej stalo za načela naprednega delavstva, na podlagi katerih je bila naša jednota ustanovljena.

Na seji kansaska federacije, ki se je vršila 23. septembra v Frontenacu, je bilo z navdušenjem vzeto na znanje poročilo našega društva glede nameravane 30 letnice. Federacija je po svojih zastopnikih obljubila v polni meri sodelovati z nami, da bo ta proslava toliko večja in uspešnejša.

Upamo, da bodo člani vseh ostalih kansaskih društev posetili to našo prošlavo. Nudili bomo lep in zanimiv program kakršne malokdaj vidite po naših naselbinah. Na programu bo lepo slovensko petje, dobri govorniki, godba in druge zanimive stvari, ki spadajo k taki slavnosti.

Zagotovo torej pričakujemo, da nas posetite omenjeni dan. Cesta je dobra v vsakem vremenu. Velika nova dvorana pa ima dovolj sedežev, kakor tudi miz za družine. Podrobnejši program bo objavljen pozneje v listih in na letakih.

Odbor.

Pojasnilo

Cleveland, Ohio. — Kot razvidno iz Prosvete od zadnje srede v poročilu clev. federacije, v katerem je podan tudi račun od skupne prireditve in proslave od 8. aprila 1934, mi je tiskarski skrat pritisnil \$50.00 več ko sem poročal, ali pa me želi pokazati javnosti, da neznam odšteti. Moje poročilo se je glasilo: "Dohodki prireditve \$362.75.— Stroški prireditve \$456.62. Ker so bile 4 vstupnice po 25c vrnjene, potem ko so bili že račun odobreni na seji federacije, je potrebno, da se odšteje \$1.00. Torej čisti preostanek od te prireditve je \$405.13, ne 455.13.

J. F. Terbizan,

tajnik clev. federacije.

Pripomba ured.: V rokopisu je vsota označena za \$455.13. Pomota je torej na vaši strani.

Odgovor in pojasnilo

Johnstown, Pa. — Na redni mesečni seji društva št. 600 SNPJ dne 26. avgusta 1934 je bilo predlagano, podpirano in sprejeto, da se izjava glede siljenja članic od našega društva priobči v Prosveti zaeno z ono, ki je bila spisana pred par leti in hranjena v zapisniku. Niti ena članica na dotični seji ni bila proti zadevnemu predlogu. Če pa izjava ni bila drugače (zahtevano) podpisana, to ni moja krivda.

Nobena oseba niti društvo se ni omenjalo. Želim tudi pojasniti, da društvo št. 82 ni bilo nič prizadeto; njega številka ni bila omenjena na seji, ko se je predlog sprejemal. Če se pa br. J. Langerhole počuti užaljen, naj me obtoži. On pravi, da mladina spada mladinskemu društvu. Naj mu pojasnem, da ne silijo le mladine k drugim društvom, ampak tudi ženske. Jaz pa trdim, da bi ženske obdržale pri ženskem društvu.

Dalje želim pojasniti br. Langerholcu, da ni res, da so tri četrtine članice našega društva pristopile od društva št. 82. Še danes je polovica naših članic, ki so pristopile k našemu društvu kot nove članice. Je pa že nekaj članic, ki so bile novopristopile članice in so prestopile k drugim društvom. Omenjena izjava pa se je tikala tistih, ki so to delo povzročili.

Mary Konchan, tajnica.

Federacije S. N. P. J.

Shod 21. oktobra

Cleveland, Ohio. — Gotovo še ni vsemu članstvu v Clevelandu in okolici znano, da se vrši zborovanje Jugoslovanske bratske federacije 19. in 20. oktobra v Clevelandu v S. N. D. na St. Clair ave. in da se bo ob tej priliki vršil shod skupnega članstva SNPJ, SSPZ, JSKJ in drugih bratskih organizacij, ki so včlanjene v J. B. F. Clevelandška federacija SNPJ, skupna društva SSPZ in ohajska federacija JSKJ. so podvzele korake za ta shod in skupno sodelovanje.

Te tri skupine so prišle do zaključka, da je priporočljivo, ko se bodo nahajali predstavniki naših bratskih organizacij — in ker se je že na zadnjem zborovanju J. B. F. v Milwaukeeju priporočilo — da ob prilikah kot je ta, se vrše shodi, na katerih naj se pojasi skupnemu članstvu pomen J. B. F., propagira skupno delovanje v namen združenja in izboljšanja naših lastnih organizacij.

V tem pomenu se bo vršil ta shod v S. N. D. na St. Clair ave. v spodnji dvorani ob 7.30 zvečer 21. oktobra. Po shodu se vrši prosta zabava za stare in mlade. Članstvo se opozarja, da se udeleži tega shoda, na katerem bo podano različno mnenje in priporočila glede naših bratskih organizacij. Posebno se opozarjajo društveni uradniki, da so gotovo navzoči, ker je njihova dolžnost, kot predstavniki društva, da so navzoči. Enako se priporoča društ. uradnikom, da opozorijo članstvo svojega društva na ta shod ter jim priporočajo, da se udeleže v čim večjem številu. Posebno predstavniki angleško poslujočih društev so prošeni, da so navzoči, ker zanje bo nekaj posebnega.

Nadaljnje podrobnosti bom poročal prihodnji teden in pozneje. Za danes naj samo še omenim, da je naša dolžnost, da pokažemo, kako se zavedamo in koliko smo za napredek naših ožroma naše organizacije SNPJ.

Na svidenje 21. oktobra ob 7.30 v S. N. D.!

J. F. Terbizan, taj. federacije.

Delovanje čikaške federacije

Chicago, Ill. — Prošla seja čikaške federacije dne 27. septembra je bila zelo dobro obiskana.

Važen sklep za pridružena društva je, da bo letos federacija sama financirala božičnico za člane mladinskega oddelka. Prejšnja leta so društva prispevala vsoto za nakup daril, letos pa bo tudi to obveznost prevzela federacija.

Delegati društva št. 8 v So. Chicagu so obljubili predlagati svojemu društvu, da se za člane njihovega mladinskega oddelka najame bus in se jih pripeje na to prireditve, ki bo v nedeljo 23. decembra v dvorani SNPJ. V odbor za program so bili izvoljeni Frank Alesh, Vera Levec, Donald J. Lotrich, Frances Vider in Angela Zaitz. Nalogo oskrbeti darila sta prevzeli Minka Alesh in Pavla Skvavich. V sporu bodo nastopili člani mladinskega oddelka. Najeti bosta godbi v obe dvorani. Otroci bodo tudi postreženi, kot običajno na božičnicah naše federacije.

Tajnik Frank Alesh je poročal, da je bilo meseca avgusta \$11.80 dohodkov. To vsoto je plačala Sylvia Hometz, ki je imela v oskrbi razdajanje vstopnic obračun večinoma že izvršila. Z omenjenimi dohodki in prenosom iz julija znaša skupna vsota \$976.16. Stroškov v avgustu je bilo \$16.83, od tega \$10 za predujem, ki smo ga dali pri najemu dvorane za božičnico.

Imovina federacije v gotovini dne 30. avgusta je znašala \$959.33, ki je vsa v Lawndale National banki, razen ročne blagajne, ki znaša \$4.52.

Dalje je Fr. Alesh poročal, da so bili agitacijski letaki tiskani in razdani društvom, da jih člani ter članice razširijo

med ljudstvo. Letak, ki je angleški, vabi rojake na pristop v SNPJ in jim tolmači ugodnosti, ki jih nudi jednota. Stanejo nas \$25. Ta račun bo med izdatki v septembru.

D. J. Lotrich je poročal, da je Woodlawn pokopališče ponudilo za Slovence večjo parcelo lot, ki jih dobe z 20% popusta. Tudi je pokopališčna družba pripravljena urediti ta del tako, kakor bi ji svetovala naša organizacija. Naj bo še dodano, da Woodlawn pokopališče ne dovoljuje nagrobnih spomenikov, nego le bronaste plošče pri tleh, ker hoče, da je slično parku. Vsi, ki so bili na njem, izjavljajo, da je vzorno in ob enem vsled bližine res priporočljivo za Slovence na zapadni strani. Woodlawn pokopališče ni versko, toda pogrebni obredi so lahko civilni ali verski, kakor npr. na češkem Narodnem pokopališču. Anton Udovich je svetoval, naj bi se federacija dogovorila v ta namen z drugimi naprednimi organizacijami, da bi bilo to pokopališče, oziroma določeni del, res slovensko. Svetovano je bilo tudi, da se povabi na skupni dogovor federacijo SSPZ.

Br. Gorenc, zastopnik društva št. 8 iz S. Chicaga, je poročal, da je sentiment v drugih društvih SNPJ na južni strani federaciji ugoden, priporoča pa, da bi se članstvu v informacijo navedlo, koliko je čikaška federacija storila od početka do zdaj. To še posebno priporoča tajnik društva Joe Kosich. Podpisani je bila dana ta naloga. Pregled podam v Prosveti prihodnjo sredo.

Angela Zaitz, zapisničarica.

Sodišče v New Jerseyju zahteva Hauptmanna

New York. — Sodnijski oblastniki države New Jersey obljubejo na to, da se Bruno Richard Hauptmann izroči njim in sodišču v New Yorku naj počaka s svojo obravnavo proti njemu. Postopanje proti Hauptmannu se razteza na dve državi. Ker je bila odkupnina za Lindberghovega otroka izplačana v New Yorku, je bil tamkaj izvršen zločin izsiljenja odkupnine, toda zločin ugrabljenja in umora otroka je bil izvršen v državi New Jersey. Oblastniki obeh držav se bodo vsekakor sporazumeli še te dni, kje naj se vrši prva obravnavna.

Pub. odsej

Deveti letni festival društva "Pioneer"

Chicago. — Prvo angleško poslujoče društvo Slovenske narodne podporne jednote, ki je bilo ustanovljeno pred devetimi leti v Chicagu, je ob enem tudi prvo društvo te vrste med vsemi podpornimi organizacijami v Ameriki, ki posluje v neangleških jezikih. To je društvo "Pioneer" št. 559 SNPJ, ki je pionirsko društvo naše mladine po imenu in delu, na katerem beleži nenaadne uspehe v vsestranskih aktivnostih in prednjači med vsemi ostalimi s svojimi številnimi udejstvanji.

Društvo Pioneer št. 559 SNPJ praznuje letos svojo 9 letnico; prihodnje leto bo slavilo svojo deseto obletnico, za katero so pripravne že sedaj v teku. Po članstvu je eno najmočnejših med društvi Slovenske narodne podporne jednote in je največje angleško poslujoče društvo med vsemi sličnimi ustanovami tudi drugih bratskih organizacij. Nobena druga naša bratska organizacija se ne more ponašati s tako močnim, aktivnim in delavsko naprednim društvom kot se naša s svojim prvim angleško poslujočim društvom naših mladih Pionirjev.

Letos, dne 6. oktobra, se vrši deveta letna jesenska veselica društva Pioneer. Običajno privabijo Pionirjeve letne veselice ogromne množice občinstva. Letošnja pa obljubljajo nadkriliti vse ostale, kajti mladi Pionirji so za svojo letošnjo jesensko veselico aranžirali prvovrstni orkester, ki ga vodi dirigent Corry Lynn, znani orkestracijski mojster, ki slovi po svoji kakovosti v muziki moderne in klasične inter-



Čikaška razstava: Rak voziček, ki je najvratolomnejša zabava na razstavišču.

NAŠI ODR

"Rdeče rože" v Chicagu

Chicago. — V nedeljo, dne oktobra, kakor že znano, so odgrnili zastor na odru dvoje ČSPS, na katerem boste v kosček življenja delavca-trajne njegove družine in njegovih delavcev, pa tudi dobrši ko hinavščine, pohote in krivice.

To boste videli v drami "Če rože", ki jo omenjena uprizorijo dramski odsek kluba 1 JSZ. Jože Moškrič, delavski pisatelj, ki je napisal to dramo, ji je vdahnil vsebino iz vsega življenja sedanosti. deli boste v njej krutosti danjega sistema, krivico, ki jo rajo prenašati industrijski lavci in njihove družine. V boste podlosti tovarnskega sa, ki ne pozna nobenih me svojih nakanah, da si osv željene namene, četudi pah lavce v obup, trpljenje in s

Dne 21. oktobra pridite predat to dramo vsi, ki se zame za življenske drame, drki predstavljajo resnično drsko življenje, njega trpljz mrote in krivice ter končnk svobodi... Vstopnice v prodaji so 40c. Med dejanj po programu bo igral Kochejev orkester. Pridite!

Pub. odsej

Ob 30 letnici SNPJ NEKAJ NAVODIL IN POJASNIL GLEDE KAMPANJE

Po zaključku gl. odbora, zbranega na letni seji v februarju, se prične jubilejna kampanja za nove člane obeh oddelkov in traja do 31. decembra. To pomeni, da novi člani, kateri so v gl. uradu priznani kot sprejeti v jednoto 1. marca, so že deležni ugodnosti te kampanje, kakor tudi agitatorji do nagrad, ki so razpisane kot sledi:

- MLADINSKI ODDLEK
Za posameznega člana do 4 se plača 25c
Kdor pridobi 5 članov, se mu plača.....\$ 2.50
Kdor pridobi 10 članov, se mu plača..... 5.00
Kdor pridobi 15 članov, se mu plača..... 10.00
Kdor pridobi 20 članov, se mu plača..... 15.00
Kdor pridobi 25 članov, se mu plača..... 20.00

Razumljivo naj bo to, da nagrada je razpisana kot tu navedeno in se tudi plača samo za tu določene nagrade. (To omenjamo zato, da se izognemo nepotrebnim korespondencam z vprašanji: "Koliko sem upravičen, ker sem dobil, recimo 8 ali 12 članov?") Člani mladinskega oddelka, ki pristopijo v času kampanje, so pa prosti dveh mesečnih assessmentov in jednota plača zdravniško preiskavo do vsote 50c.

ODDELEK ODRASLIH
Za vsakega novopridobljenega člana med 16. in 35. letom plača jednota agitatorju, ki ga pridobi, \$1.00 nagrade. Agitatorji ali društva, ki se bodo udeležili kampanje—kar morajo naznaniti v gl. urad—in ki pridobijo 25 ali več članov za časa kampanje, so poleg že omenjene nagrade upravičeni še do posebne nagrade \$10.00.

Za vse novopristopile v času te kampanje in navedene starosti jednota plača zdravniško preiskavo do vsote \$2.00 in oproščeni so do \$1.00 pristopnine v stavbinski sklad, kar pomeni, da plača vsak kandidat \$1.00 pristopnine in pristopnino za bolniško zavarovalnino kot jo določajo pravila. Dalje je bilo tudi zaključeno, da vsi oni člani, ki so sedaj zavarovani za \$600 smrtne in želijo prestopiti v razred "B" ali "C", lahko to storijo in se smejo zavarovati za prejšnjo zavarovalnino, toda ta izjema je bila napravljena samo za one, ki so zavarovani za \$600. Druhih razredov se ne upošteva, to je, da se morajo zavarovati v razrede kot pravila predpisujejo.

NA DELO BRATJE IN SESTRE SNPJ!
Posvetimo nekaj časa za agitacijo naši lastni organizaciji v tem letu, ko obhajamo 30-letnico njenega obstoja in pomnožimo naše članstvo, kar bo najdostojnejša proslava tega jubileja!
Fred A. Vider, gl. tajnik SNPJ.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Address. Lists names like 67 Wilhelmina Pucel 111, John Valentin 115, 68 Stanley Primovich 87, Paulina Kosorok 121, etc.

IZPLAČILA IZ SMRTNINSKEGA SKLADA
DISBURSEMENTS FROM THE MORTUARY FUND
during the month of August, 1934

Table with 4 columns: Name of dec'd Member, Vrh. Stev. No., Član društva—Member of Lodge, Vesta Amount. Lists members like Anton Erčič, Jakob Drobn, Frank Bandel, etc.

IZPLAČILA IZ ODŠKODNINSKEGA SKLADA
DISBURSEMENTS FROM THE DISABILITY FUND
during the month of September, 1934

Table with 4 columns: Name of Member, Član društva—Member of Lodge, Vesta Amount. Lists members like Martin Humlan, Anton Sinkovic, Marian Radnić, etc.

POBOČILO O NAKAZANI BOLNIŠKI PODPORI

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Lists names like 1 Frank Ferencak \$40, Anton Pintar \$17.50, Martin Humlan \$22, Louis Macerl \$96, etc.

Podporna Jednota
Inštopr. 17. Junija 1907
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Predsednik... 414 W. Hay St., Springfield, Ill.
Tajnik... Box 27, Arma, Kans.

RAZPIS SLUŽBE
Razpisuje se služba za pisarstvo in za tajništvo. Prošnjo za to službo v smislu pravil—lahko predložijo le člani jednote in najkasneje do 10. oktobra t. l.

IZPLAČILA IZ ODŠKODNINSKEGA SKLADA
meseca avgusta 1934

Operacije, odškodnine in odpravnine
DISBURSEMENTS—DISABILITY FUND
during the month of August, 1934

Table with 4 columns: Name of Member, Član društva—Member of Lodge, Vesta Amount. Lists members like 25594 5 Cleveland, O., 59916 5 Cleveland, O., 83187 8 Chicago, Ill., etc.

FRED A. VIDER, gl. tajnik—Sup.

Cleveland S. N. P. J. Federation Launches Own Membership Drive

Offers Cash Awards to Winners.—Comrade Harvest Dance.—Labor Education

Comrade Activities

Cleveland, Ohio.—Comrade Lodge is holding its annual Harvest Dance Oct. 6 at SNH. The dance will last till the early hour of 1 o'clock. Music will be furnished by Bill Connolly and his orchestra. We will have refreshments, and souvenirs will be given to all those who attend. We expect to see the following SNPJ lodges in Cleveland represented in great numbers, Commodores, Beacons, Progressives, Loyalties, New Eras and Strugglers. We would like to see many outside lodges represented also. Forward to the Comrades' annual Harvest Dance.

The Cleveland Federation of the SNPJ held their meeting Sept. 23. The following subject was broached: Whether to agree or not on the new English speaking federation. It was agreed upon that it be a Subbranch of the Cleveland Federation.

A discussion started on a drive for new members and the following plans were laid out. Lodges that receive 25 or more members are entitled to \$15. The second will be \$10 for getting 15 or more members, third prize for getting 10 or more members will be \$5, fourth prize for getting 6 or more members will be \$5, fifth prize for getting 4 or more members will be \$3. Individual members who get 15 or more members receive \$10, second prize 8 or more members will receive \$5. This membership drive is for all the SNPJ lodges in Cleveland. Applicants must not be over 45 years of age. Let us go ahead working and striving and see who will be first in reaching the goal. Full speed ahead in organizing a bigger and better SNPJ.

Labor Ready to Train Leaders

The Workers' Educational Council of Cleveland now is ready to open classes in a unique field of pedagogics here—the training of labor leaders. John Newton Thurber of the teachers' union is director of the work to which the Cleveland Federation of Labor voted unanimous support. Eight teachers will comprise the faculty of the school, classes of which will be conducted in union labor halls, community centers and Y. W. and Y. M. C. A.'s.

Cites Need of Schooling

"The labor movement here is particularly aware of the need of an extensive effort in workers' education," Mr. Thurber told the federation delegates. "The thousands of new members enlisted in the last year have hardly had time to learn what the intention of their joining may be." He listed among the subjects to be

taught public speaking, parliamentary law, labor economics, current events, history of the British and American labor movement, labor law and philosophy. "We are now getting the true realization of what form the concentrated attack on labor and social legislation will take," said Max S. Hayes, editor of the Cleveland Citizen. "And it proves the vital necessity for these workers' classes. You have read the newspaper stories of the 100 great industrialists who met recently to plan the smashing of the New Deal."

"No Decent Solution"

"These men spend their time in figuring ways to scuttle every move to bring us out of this mess. None of them has advanced a decent solution for the problem of unemployment. Labor needs more and better leaders to help combat the reactionaries."

The English Section of branch No. 27 is trying to arrange for one of these classes in the Socialist Club room on 64th and St. Clair ave. Members of the English speaking lodges in Cleveland who are interested can give their names to Ludwig Jartz, member of the Comrade lodge, or John Vehar, Rose Sumrada, Frank Kerzjanik or any other member of the branch No. 27, JSF.

"The Three Brain-trusts."

Loyalite News

Cleveland.—After a rather conspicuous absence of nearly eight months the Loyalites will again resume activity during the fall and winter season. The first event to take place will be a Social after our regular meeting Wednesday, October 3. Local lodges are urged to cooperate and make this initial enterprise of our lodge a success. So don't forget October 3, we'll be seeing you. A small charge will be made to defray expenses; the customary refreshments will also be served. There will be dancing, of course.

Due to lack of sufficient funds the Loyalites will be unable to place a basketball team in the Interlodge League this winter. But since the fans have come to expect the Loyalites in some field of athletic endeavor a bowling team has been organized. This was made possible by the transfer of several members of outstanding ability from our senior lodge No. 142. So keep an eye on the Loyalites.

Don't forget October 3. More news later. August Prusnik, Sec'y. Loyalites.

The Reveliers' Column

Ambridge, Pa.—The editorial of last week, entitled "Vacant Chairs," is one worthy of additional comment all up on down the line of our lodges. It tends to show one defect that may be current in the life of some lodge; yet the probable fault for the lack of interest on the part of most lodge members is not of one classification. The attack to be made on that indifference and inattentiveness of members for meetings must be made along various fronts. The start has been made but it must be continued—continued until each local unit joins the brigade to reawaken interest in attending regular lodge sessions.

To allow the membership of this society to drift that aimless, careless path of non-attendance at meetings can be the fore-runner of much destruction; it can produce much loss of ground that will later be so much more difficult to recover.

It will be well to publicize the importance of the lodge meetings, in that such meetings are the primary place to embark on lodge activities. Activities of all sorts within the jurisdiction of each branch can be, at meetings, originated and carried to a successful conclusion. As much interest (and the promotion of that interest) as the membership shows in its local units so much will it gain. There can be no successful result of a lodge's existence unless it invests time, thought and action in its own behalf. And the important factor to appreciate is the knowledge that each lodge's regular meetings are the central point where activity originates and progresses.

There are some lodges which may have excellent attendance at meetings, though usually such lodges are of small number. Yet it is current knowledge among the active followers of SNPJ affairs that the lack of meeting attendances society-wide in our branches. A remedy to overcome that wrong habit, because of its future attendant evils, must

be found. That portion of the membership who are now stay-aways from meetings must be brought back to realize that lodge meetings are for necessary society existence and activities.

I believe there is a stipulation in the by-laws that calls for members' compulsory attendance at least once in three months at meetings. This can be enforced unless adequate reasons for non-attendance is given. In spite of that ruling I believe a great percentage of members still continues to stay away from sessions. And the society cannot, advisedly, enforce expulsion of these recalcitrant ones. That by-law is perhaps the most flouted of all.

The problem is one that the SNPJ should study. It must develop an interest in the ranks to attend regular meetings. The society must encourage the active individuals to carry on in order not to increase the list of the inactive within the branches. There is good timber for local lodge services among the number now inactive; these must be stimulated into becoming useful cogs in the society. Rightfully agitated the problem can become the harbinger of good for the entire organization.

A swell time is in store for all those who will attend the Annual Fall Dance of the Reveliers on Oct. 13 at the Croatian Hall. This event will swing the Reveliers into their fall activities. Locally there is displayed an enthusiastic interest that was not noticeable lately. All in all it means that everyone is going to put a lot of zip and zest in promoting the affair, in providing good entertainment and, generally, in seeing that everybody has a good time of it. Anthony Camp and his orchestra of ten will provide the music for the dancers from 8 p. m. to midnight.

On Friday evening, Oct. 5, all Reveliers interested in joining the lodge

bowling league are urged to be present at a special meeting at the Slovene Hall. The meeting will start at 6:30 p. m. Rules for the league will be adopted; team members selected. Anyone unable to attend and desiring to bowl must notify the league of his intentions as no additions may be made later. The bowling league will swing into action at 7:30 that same night, probably at the Pike alleys. Twenty boys have already signed up for the league, perhaps enough for six teams will respond at this meeting. No word of the girls' intentions have been heard as to bowling to date.

Every year, since the organization of the Reveliers, a large group journeyed to the fall dances held by Lodge 89 of Midway. The Harvest Dance on Oct. 6 should again interest a goodly number in taking the trip. As always in the past, another good time is in store for those making the trip.

Until again, so long. Louis Kosela.

Progressive Palookas

Euclid, Ohio.—A special meeting was held by Sis. Centa, Bro. Fende and Sezon, that after the regular monthly meeting, which is Oct. 9, they plan to have a chicken dinner. We take this opportunity to invite Beacons, Comrades, Commodores, Strugglers, Loyalties, Eras, and friends. We also hope this will be a big reunion of all SNPJ English Speaking Lodges of Cleveland. Following will be dancing, music furnished by Bro. Fende and Petrich. Do you remember the old dances we used to hold including broom dance, square dance and the others? We will have them all again Tues., Oct. 9. Come one, come all and spend a pleasant evening with us. Please make your reservations early as we can only seat 150. Call Bro. Sezon, Ken. 0515, or Bro. Trebec, Ken. 2480, or drop a card to Sis. Kerzic, 600 E. 200 St., Euclid.

Our boys are back in basketball again. Here's wishing them the best of luck. We'll be there rooting for them. What's wrong with the girls? Where's their team?

Onward to the Comrades' Annual Harvest Dance Oct. 6! How many Progressives will attend? Will you be there? Talking about dancing we are also having a combined dance with our senior lodge Zavedni Sosjedje to be held Nov. 3. This is to be held at Rechar ave. Admission 25c. This is also for the celebration of the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ. (We are very sorry we could not get another day to hold our dance as the hall was not available, that it had to fall on the same day as Commodores. Sorry, Commodores, here's wishing you success.)

Spying

Why don't Pals Inc. get together again, and where is Sugar? More members should attend meetings and cooperate to put us at the top again. Why don't our vice-president attend meetings anymore? Who is he? Why don't the Smoothies write anymore? What happened to the Busy Bees? Every member should attend the next meeting, Oct. 9.

The Pest.

Spirit-o-Grains

By Whoozit

St. Louis, Mo.—Next Friday, Oct. 5, at 8 o'clock, the Spirits Singing Society will again meet and everyone is urged to attend. We are informed that the opera "Baron Trenk," which will be staged Nov. 4, is well on its way to the finishing stages. It is said that more girls are needed for the opera.

The Spirits' Birthday Party, which will be held in October, is a wonderful time for the members to meet each other, especially the new members. For details of this affair read this column.

Don't forget the singing.

SNPJ 30th Anniversary Celebrations

The following Lodges and Federations of the SNPJ will observe the Thirtieth Anniversary of the Society with fitting Jubilee Programs in October:

Lodge Badgers 584, Milwaukee, Wis., at the S. S. Turn hall, Oct. 13.

The Illinois Federation in Springfield, Ill., Oct. 14.

Lodges 462 and 615 SNPJ, Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 14.

Lodge Bled 17, Lorain, O., Oct. 14.

Lodge 118, Pittsburgh, Pa. (together with its 25th anniversary), banquet an dance, October 27.

Lodge 19 SNPJ, West Mineral, Kansas, October 28.

Lodge 569, Fontana, Calif., in October.

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.

Pioneers' Ninth Anniversary Dance and Fall Festival Saturday, Oct.

Screenings

Springfield, Ill.—The thing that is around the corner for us here is the SNPJ's 30th Anniversary Demonstration in the Dom, October 14, afternoon and evening, sponsored by the Central Illinois Federation.

A varied program in the afternoon, including singing and speaking. President Vincent Cankar is billed as the main speaker of the day. The program continues in the evening with a Slovene play. Dancing will follow to Gorsek's five-piece orchestra.

And speaking of singing, songsters on the program had an inspiring rehearsal, when they met around the bar, after the Sunday Domača Zabava. Others joined in. Donald Lotrich (1st) joined in about 12:30 a. m. (He and some of the SEC of Illinois Socialist Party, came early—morning.) The best bar-room singing I ever heard, says I. And furthermore, everyone at the Zabava had one good time, all being good mixers.

But looking forward now to Oct. 14, let me say that there has been a good demand for tickets in Gillespie area. Springfield is yet slow. But it will come across the finish line with banners flying, we may be sure. To those wishing to sell tickets, let me remind you the three best sellers get three valuable prizes. Of course you must work to win! (More next week.) Joe G. Brinocar, Lodge 567.

Jolly Allis Lodge

W. Allis, Wis.—Attention, everyone! No doubt you have read about the coming anniversary dance sponsored by the Jolly Allis Lodge. If you haven't, here are all the details: On October 27, at Castle Hall, 7338 West Greenfield avenue, Badger Orioles will play at our Anniversary dance, held once every year, which provides entertainment for young and old, married or single. We are having souvenirs, confetti, streamers and what not. Beautiful girls and handsome young men.

The street car strike is over, gasoline has come down, the refreshing cool weather has come, so there is no reason why you can't attend this dance and have a good time.

Remember, all you neighboring lodges, we extend this invitation to everyone. West Allis is a nice place to come to, we will make you very much at home, so let's make it a real party and say "When old friends meet new friends."

Brothers and Sisters, let's all attend our next monthly meeting. A cash prize will go to the lucky member present. Vacations are over, so let's settle down and get to work—taking more interest in Lodge affairs, attending meetings more regularly and last but not least, remember the campaign. We need new members. The Jolly Member.

Buffalo Big Four

Buffalo, N. Y.—A Harvest Dance will be given by the Buffalo Big Four, Lodge 710, on Saturday night, October 20, at the Slovene Hall, Palmer street, Gowanda, New York.

A good orchestra has been secured and dancing will start at 8 o'clock. There will be plenty of refreshments.

This is the first event we are undertaking on our fall calendar and we are looking for a big turnout.

Anna Kranyc has become a member of our organization. We also received Charles Edward Kren as a member. Welcome to the SNPJ and we hope you will become good and loyal members. Mary Kranyc has been proposed as a new member and we hope she will soon be in our folds. Barbara Novak is well on the road to recovery after being sick for over four months; hope to see her at our meetings again.

Jennie Kosmerl, Financial Secretary.

Correy Lynn's Popular Big-Time Orchestra Will Play Entertain

Chicago.—One of the numerous proverbial sayings of is that "time flies." In relating historical occurrences and hearsals on this momentous stage (the earth) of ours we hear people say:

"Yes, you're right, time does fly." And though we are correct conventionally sometimes I am inclined to accept the side of one of our poets who said it in language somewhat different, like this:

"Time flies, you say?
No! Time stays;
We go."

It is but nine years since the Pioneers were formed and since we began to propel our social functions. Nine long years in which much has taken place, in which the complexion of things has changed materially, in which life has played its game with us and we a big stretch of time. And yet, the stretch, though measured by time, is not time at all, but measured by our lives.

Nothing in the course of the past nine years stands before us now to embarrass us. Nothing for which we need offer apologies. We carried on industriously and conscientiously and expanded as we gained greater knowledge of life and its complexities. What was big time stuff for us in 1925, we have learned, could not possibly justify its existence in 1934.



CORREY LYNN

We grew older, more mature; we have learned to plan and to assume responsibilities. And just as individuals mature so do fraternal groups which are led properly. As we go

down the line of record upon of achievements of the Pioneers find vast improvements both in quantity and tempo of their social life. For the Ninth Anniversary which will usher in the 1934-35 season in our community the Pioneers have advanced another big stepward in providing wholesome entertainment for our many members. We will have big-time music for the first time in our history popular and modest Correy Lynn coming to us thru the Music Commission of America for a stipend price which would start nine years ago. He is bringing him a fine group of young men can play, sing and amuse patrons as well as the best chieftains. prominent lady with a reputation unexcelled for personality and jolliness will accompany the orchestra.

"Voices of the night" is the theme song coming over the radio hooks from Chicago days and Correy Lynn's plays it. The song was written by a member of the band. Correy played at the Wisconsin Delta, Shore Country Club, Oh Hen and more recently at the Tri-State world's most beautiful ballroom plays a peculiar rhythm that attracted a great charm and fascination about his music; his having combinations are rather and perplexing with 'most an ferred tone dominating. He light tuneful melodies such found in Student Prince, the of Rose Marie and Carmel "Stardust." He enjoys playing quest numbers.

We cannot possibly elaborate more. The dance is Saturday, Oct. 10, at the Sokol Havlicek (now Lawndale) Hall. Time, 8:30. The Pioneers are doing ever within reason to make this a event. We hope our friends respond and thereby begin a new of Pioneer dances.—We want to hear Correy Lynn, so we you. And, all you Pioneers make a good account of your We look forward to seeing Sat., Oct. 6.

Time flies, indeed, but for our stays, we go. To the ninth dance. P.P.C.—

Commodores' Log

Cleveland, O.—More news about our First Anniversary Dance, Nov. 3. Keep that date in mind. The Dance committee after much ado, finally selected the popular Ellis Brothers, who are quite prominent around town, furnishing the music for dancing in the upstairs hall, and the well-known Hoyer Trio will furnish the polkas downstairs. The place? Sachsenhelm Hall, 7001 Denison ave. Tickets have been printed and will be distributed before the ink gets dry on the press. Let's go, Commodores, let's make this a BIG affair, let's make this a GALA nite.

Side-lining It

Pres. Fifolt of Comrades says now that the hot summer months are over, our absent members will come straggling in to the meeting like naughty schoolboys. Well, let's hope they do and are just chock full of good ideas. Will the Commodores' new club room soon be found? Members know that it is impossible to have entertainment and refreshments at our meeting room so give this subject some consideration and if you find a convenient and appropriate place, let's hear about it. I wonder how many Commodores could bring in new members if they really tried. Don't forget, members, if we are to have souvenir booklets, we must have a sufficient numbers of ads, so send in your three or four. Here's to the out-of-state visitors who will help make our Anniversary Dance something you can treasure in your memoirs and will bring smiles whenever reminiscing. Looks like I've forgotten about our neighboring lodges, but we've already had promised from the Beacons, Comrades, New Eras and Strugglers that they will attend. How about the Progressives, Loyalties, Golden Eagles, Zippers, and Buckeyes? Are you going to visit us Nov. 3? Now let's ramble over to the—

Tid Bit Counter

Have you seen the beautiful stand for the baseball which has been photographed by every one of the members of the winning Detroit Tigers, and which is to be "given away" at the dance? The stand was made by Bro. Zarnick and we thank him for

his interest and help... Bro. will have to change his headline can't bat them out in the wind! What Commodore did Ursula Moon Run put under the table last visit? Pres. Ewalski be able to furnish our music according, if some one scouts hall soon, and Pete Zarowski company him with his... Basketball players should watch for the first practice. It will be plenty tough going while... Bro. Jarc of the rades who, by the way, ended in the Inter-Lodge Baseball must have a sore arm not to write anymore... Tony Kr very amiably transporting Federation representatives (femmes) St. Clair and Newburgh... new reporters write this byzmn, those being Felix Weavum, those being Felix Weavum, Peter Zarowski. O. K. news start getting your dope early. Ivancic brothers have been the last few meetings... has it that we will have two leagues, which gives the girls... The Comrades can be that we will attend their 6th Harvest Dance on October 6 number... Dot 'n' Marian their airplane is repaired in they'll be in Chicago to attend Pioneer dance Oct. 6... Non the Reveliers are holding a Oct. 13. Good luck, Revs... der the girl scribes need a have had a hard time collecting news... Don't forget, come see the town Nov. 3, and we'll it any color you like. Jas. Kuchan, Lodge

Now E. S. L. in New Y

The Prosveta is in receipt of following brief telegram: Little Falls, N. Y., Sept. Prosveta, 2657 S. Lawrence Chicago, Ill. Have succeeded in organizing New English Speaking Lodge of the Slovene National Benefit Society at Little Falls, New York. Frank Drask

Integrity Broadcast

Chicago.—The membership campaign drive for 1934 is coming to a close. We have just three more months in which to secure new members for our lodge in this special drive. The lodge initiated three more members at our September meeting. The members of our lodge have been doing splendid work towards securing a higher membership, and we have given a vote of thanks. In times like the present, it is almost impossible to obtain new members, yet Integrity Lodge has not failed to fulfill her duty, and by the time that December rolls along, Integrity will have greatly increased its percentage in membership.

The plans for Lodge Integrity's Fall Dance celebrating the 30th anniversary of the SNPJ are about completed. We still have a few months in which to complete the plans for our dance to be held on Nov. 3, at the SNPJ Auditorium. To the readers of Prosveta, I would like to read last week's article, allow me to state again, that there will be a contest for the most popular home "queen" and the award shall be 5 dollars to each "queen." Beautiful bouquets of flowers shall be given the first and third place winners. Also in addition to the contests, a beautiful hand-made quilt (now on display

at Bergers, and donated by Augusta Alich) shall be "given away" at the dance. Music will be furnished by Johnny Kochevar and his Merry-makers, the dancers can readily be assured of a wonderful evening. There will also be dancing in the lower part of the SNPJ Auditorium. The price of admission to this wonderful event will be 30 cents with a complimentary ticket, and 35 cents without, so do not fail to reserve this date to an evening of pleasant entertainment and much merry-making.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the Perchins and Koroshetz family for our pleasant stay while vacationing in Johnstown, Pa. Brother Marty Abram, Sister Jennie Drzich, of Lodge 86, and the writer had the honor and pleasure of attending Flood City's monthly meeting. There we became acquainted with Sultan Frank Perchin, their president, Frances, Mary, and Frank Langerholc, Olive Chuchek and many others. All in all the meeting was a pleasant and most interesting one and the entertainment following the meeting was just grand. We hope to visit you again soon, Flood City.

Remember, members, friends, and readers, reserve Nov. 3 on your calendar for Integrity's Dance.
Julius Abram, Lodge 631.

again? Come to the Friendly City Halloween Dance October 13 at the Moxham Slovane Home, dancing from 8:30 to 12 o'clock. Vern Palmer's orchestra will furnish the music. Plenty of beer and plenty to eat. I hope that the older people will patronize us again as they did at our Anniversary dance. There will be prizes for the best costumes.

Here is something everybody will be glad to hear about. Friendly City will present two plays, either in Nov. or Dec., both plays will be comedies, one in English and one in Slovene. Watch the Prosveta for the dates.

The October 11 meeting will be held at the Conemaugh Slovane Home. All members are requested to attend. There will be dancing after the meeting.—Anna Bricely.

Yough Valley Knights

West Newton, Pa.—It appears that step by step the spirit of enthusiasm is finding its way back to our membership and from all indications it will eventually be restored to the same level it attained several years ago. Our past has been very dark and trying, just as it has been for everyone else, but gradually we are overcoming those obstacles that stood in our way and are concerning ourselves with what the future might have in store for us.

Dan Cupid

Since the last appearance of any news in these columns from our lodge, two of our Sisters have been made the victims of Dan Cupid. They are Sisters Frances Likar and Angeline Povirk. Through these means we all extend to them our best wishes—may the future bring them success, happiness and contentment.

Thanks

Credit should be given to Sis. Louise Uster for her wonderful article which appeared several weeks ago in these columns. She is one of our real active members and we regret that her work, as well as the work of her sisters Rose and Sophie and Jean Powirk, keeps them separated from the rest of us so much. Thanks, Louise, for the nice write-up; keep up your work and let us hear from you again.

Oct 6-7

But what about October 6? Guess what! Well, here it goes. On Saturday, October 6, the Yough Valley Knights are going to hold a dance in the Slovane Hall at Collinsburg (1 mile from West Newton, Pa.) The admission price will be very reasonable and refreshments of all kinds will be available to take care of your hunger and thirst. Dancing will be from 8 p. m. to ?

Albert Mousse, who broadcasts every Monday over station, WWSW, Pittsburgh, Pa., will furnish the music for the occasion. So there you are, folks, both young and old. Forget your troubles for that evening and come to spend an enjoyable evening with us. We assure you all a very nice evening, as there will be music that you all can dance to—polkas, modern music or anything you wish.

How about it, Brownsville? You'll be there, won't you? Remember that promise? We'll be looking for you. Pa se kako!

We'll be also looking for you, Delmont, Export, White Valley, Yukon, Herminie; in fact, for all of you, also Johnstown. So don't forget, Johnnie, Frances and the rest of the family.

Don't forget the time, date and place. AT COLLINSBURG, SLOVENE HALL, OCTOBER 6, at 8 p. m. A. Knight, Lodge 739.

Strabane Pioneers

Canonsburg, Pa.—What goes towards making a good write-up, and what can we do to have news in this paper each week? It seems to be a difficult job for Lodge 589 to stay in the news although we manage to get in occasionally. If anyone has any good suggestions to make on the above question, kindly notify the lodge officials so that they may act upon it.

October 7, the monthly lodge meeting will be held in the afternoon, most of the members having found it inconvenient to attend the morning sessions. Now that we are back on our old schedule we should all try to be in attendance.

From all the whisperings floating around we have managed to gather in the news that this meeting will have important topics up for discussion, such as, our being hosts for the Federation meeting October 21, the settling of a definite date for the Halloween Dance, many being in favor of October 21, continuation of the Xmas dance plans, also on the topic of the bowling tournament that is to be sponsored by the federation.

There, you see, is a variety of discussions in which you may participate. Come prepared and don't hesitate to present your plans and suggestions. They may be just the thing that is needed.

What attraction is there in Strabane for Aliquippa and vice-versa? Everyone eager to attend their affair October 27. Whisperings around that the Victory Banquet in Pittsburgh is attracting the attention of not only our lodge members but others as well. We hope that someone else will manage to put some news in the PROSVETA for next week's issue.

Secure New Subscribers for the "PROSVETA"

All-Americans, Lodge 589

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Just a short time left, during which time you can get rid of your dance tickets. Another month has gone by on greased wings—or is it skids. Time flies, nearer and nearer the day set for N. Y. All Americans' annual dance. In case you have unintentionally forgotten let me refresh your memory—the day is Oct. 20, 1934—the time 8 p. m. and the place—New Ridgewood Casino, 180 Irving avenue, corner Stanhope street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Members, have you done your share? Did you do your duty as a Lodge member? The Committee has been hard at work making the necessary arrangements in order that you and your friends may enjoy that evening. We feel sure that they will not be disappointed. They have no control over the disappointment part—that is left up to us to see that they are NOT disappointed. We can do this in only one way. Sell your share of tickets. They cannot do everything themselves. It would be good if they could do everything! Yes? You bet. It is up to you. The committee prepares and makes all arrangements for the dance, the rest, chiefly the selling of tickets, is up to you. Climb upon the band wagon—now I didn't say water wagon—and help the committee make this affair a success. It takes more than a committee to make any affair a success. That is where co-operation comes in. Za dost!

The lodge has been very lenient to its members, by taxing every one with only one ticket. Of course, those members who are not in a position to purchase any tickets—the lodge has taken appropriate measures to provide them with tickets. (You see now, if you had attended this particular meeting I would not have to tell you all about it.) Show your appreciation and loyalty, besides good sportsmanship by doing all in your power to help make this dance the outstanding success of this year. The Lodge has dealt fairly with each and every member and all it asks in return is a little—not a whole lot—but just a little assistance. It may surprise you to know how much that little amounts to when the band has gone home and the addition is started.

Fortunately we have enrolled as members some who are keen enough to look further than the ends of their noses. They are the mainstays. Betray their faith and you have ruin; Uphold them—back them up and there is no telling of the achievements they are capable of accomplishing. Take your cue from them. Put your finger in the pie.

Come on, members and friends, give us a hand—I mean lend a hand. Without the friends of the Lodge—that we can boast of—there most certainly would be no dances or anything else. The backbone of any affair is the kind patronage of a spirited public, who come to be entertained and enjoy themselves.

Now that we have back with us that delicious amber colored fluid—commonly known as beer—there can be no excuses such as—"I like my home-brew," or "Who wants to guzzle that dish-water." Can you picture some of this—beer, gurgling down your throat to quaff your thirst and loosen your tongue, that has been sticking to the roof of your mouth? Perhaps loosen it enough for you to join that quartet over in the corner. There will be plenty of them.

You might even feel frisky enough to dance with that young lady over there. You know the one you have been eyeing all evening and she would not give you a tumble, because she thought you were fresh. There will be plenty of young ladies there ready to test that second wind you have been bragging about. If your legs fail you there are plenty of chairs, where you can rest yourself and enjoy a liquid refreshment and also a sandwich or two, and there will be plenty of that.

Remember that there are less than two weeks left during which time you are expected to solicit your allotment of tickets. Do not wait for tomorrow—start today! Tomorrow is still around that famous corner! Tomorrow is the day of the dance—just around the corner. Be as foresighted as the gent who says—"Hello, how was your tomorrow?"

The committee assures us of a good time. In case there is any doubt about that—well, the doors will be opened at 8 p. m., the big mat with "Welcome" on it is already itching to be walked upon, so come up and convince yourself. Enter only those who wish to enjoy themselves.

To our neighboring Lodges and Sister Lodges—to you we are pleased to extend a most cordial invitation to attend our Annual Dance. We would be pleased if you would identify yourselves at the door. It would accord us a great pleasure to greet and meet you.

Members residing in Ridgewood, for that matter Maspeth too, are reminded not to forget their "passports," as you may be detained at the border. I know how it is travelling from one "foreign" country to another.

But—seriously—don't forget Saturday evening, October 20, 1934, at New Ridgewood Casino, 180 Irving avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., a dance given by N. Y. All Americans, Lodge 589, SNPJ, for their members, their friends and their friends' friends.

And another thing—very vulgar of this guy Kramarsich to speak of at a time like this, quite rude. Yes, I know—but we are having a meeting

for ALL the members of Lodge 589—not ten or fifteen—but ALL. This happens to fall on a Tuesday evening, Oct. 9, also at 8 p. m. We might—I say—we might even have some refreshments. I believe I might close now and say—until Oct. 9, 8 p. m.: Adios.

Felix H. Kramarsich Jr.,
President Lodge 589.

Kansas City, Mo.—A banquet commemorating the 30th Anniversary of the SNPJ will be held by the Lodges "Future" and the "Hearts of America," Sunday, October 7, at 6 p. m. at the Croat-Slovene Nat'l. Home, 402 No. 5th st., Kansas City, Kan.

We are indeed happy that Brother

FLASHES By Incognito

Chicago.—We are on the threshold of the largest Pioneer social undertaking in our history. Never before have we contracted to pay so much for an orchestra. Never before have we spent so much money for advertising any of our affairs. Never before have we placed so much confidence into our members. We have had big and great affairs. We have had little and big successes and we are prepared to reap our biggest harvest Saturday, Oct. 6.

The West Side News carried a swell story of the ninth anniversary dance of the Pioneers and about Correy Lynn's great band which will play for us. It told about the part the Pioneers are playing in the Lawndale-Crawford community and retold of our athletic achievements. They said that the Pioneers are a popular group of young people and are an asset to the community. The Pioneers are well known particularly on the west side of Chicago. We therefore anticipate a large attendance at our dance.

Some of our Pioneers have done some splendid work in advertising this great affair. Anne Golub has arranged for radio announcements for the dance. Paul Vidogar, Leo Komuchar and Joseph Sajovic have taken additional placards and Ignace Yencich has put in a hurried call for added tickets. Doris Collesell, too, is among the many Pioneers who have taken more tickets. It's a real big job requiring the united and concerted efforts of all of you Pioneers and we hope that you will be equal to the task, as in the past.

Josephine Klancnik, a former Pioneer, has been operated upon for appendicitis. She is recovering satisfactorily.

A committee of five, consisting of Vera Levec, Frances Vider, Frank Alesh, Angeline Zalts and Donald J. Lotrich, has been selected to prepare the Juvenile Xmas program for the Chicago District Federation of SNPJ at their meeting last Thursday night. Minka Alesh and Paula Skavich have been delegated to purchase gifts for the children. These gifts will be paid for by the Federation for its affiliated lodges unlike other years. Formerly, the lodges paid for these gifts. The meeting was lengthy and in addition decided to accept the Woodlawn Memorial Park for a Slovane burial place. It had been agreed, however, to interest other Slovane groups in Chicago. We have also decided to make a concerted drive to get other Chicago SNPJ lodges to affiliate with the Federation.

On Friday, Oct. 12, Nada, Lodge 102, SNPJ, will hold a bunco and card party at the West Side Hall, 4218 W. 20th st., and we have been asked to invite the Pioneers to attend. The ladies promise many valuable prizes, so, go.

Frank Sodnik, one of our hustling Pioneers, is back home in Sunflowerland vacationing. He writes that they have plenty of rain now. We also learned that John Rak and Sylvia Gomez have spent short vacations at their respective homes in Nokomis and Auburn, Ill.—And you will be interested in knowing that Joseph Brincor, a regular guy and scribe for these pages, who has led the Lincolnites from their inception, has been elected secretary of the Socialist Party of Illinois. Congratulations, Joe.

Donald J. Lotrich reports a visit to Springfield over the past weekend. He attended the meeting of the State Executive Committee of the Socialist Party of Illinois. He also reports of the visit to the Slovane Dom for their dance, where the gang got together and sang and had a good time. Because of the split in the ranks of the miners, the U. M. W. of A. and the P. M. of A., some of our brothers eye one another very unfriendly-like and certainly unbrotherly-like. Of course, our brothers are not responsible for the split, for two miners' unions. Hence, they should not blame one another because of their affiliations. They should not wage hostility against one another. They should analyze the situation and realize that the only one who benefits from the split in the ranks of labor is the capitalist. Only a change in the system can remedy the ills of the rotten conditions which make one worker fight another.

Lodge News Notes

JOLLY ALLIS NEWS

West Allis, Wis.—Our Lodge, Jolly Allis, No. 686, are going to celebrate the fifth anniversary by giving a dance on Sat., Oct. 27, at Castle Hall, 7338 W. Greenfield ave. This hall is a new one to most of us, but a wonderful location for everyone to reach. Don't forget, folks, to keep this date open.

We are not having a new orchestra, but one that is well liked, the Badger Orioles. They will play both modern and old-time pieces.

Our admission is very reasonable, 25c. This is a reasonable way to enjoy an evening.

We are inviting all our neighboring lodges to attend our anniversary dance.

Remember, members, our monthly meeting will be held Oct. 9. We have a number of things to discuss for this coming dance. We need all members' help to put our dance over successfully.

FALL DANCE

Squirrel Hill, Pa.—"Come home, come home, girls," is all we get in our letters for the past two weeks. The Yough Valley Knights are having a Fall Dance on Oct. 6, and it's really the talk of Collinsburg to Sq. Hill (which is quite a distance). It's none other than Al Mousse and his famous accordion (going wild with his polkas and fox-trots). You've probably heard him on WWSW every Mon. And I'm sure a lot of you saw him play or either danced to his music as he played at many lodge affairs.

A large crowd in attendance is looked forward to, and a special invitation is extended to all nearby lodges in Yukon, Herminie, White Valley, Export, Claridge and everybody—you-too. "Jaz pa ti pa zidana marelca!" Sunshine.

BANQUET AND DANCE

Kansas City, Mo.—A banquet commemorating the 30th Anniversary of the SNPJ will be held by the Lodges "Future" and the "Hearts of America," Sunday, October 7, at 6 p. m. at the Croat-Slovene Nat'l. Home, 402 No. 5th st., Kansas City, Kan.

We are indeed happy that Brother

for ALL the members of Lodge 589—not ten or fifteen—but ALL. This happens to fall on a Tuesday evening, Oct. 9, also at 8 p. m. We might—I say—we might even have some refreshments. I believe I might close now and say—until Oct. 9, 8 p. m.: Adios.

Felix H. Kramarsich Jr.,
President Lodge 589.

Mohawks

La Salle, Ill.—"Hello, again." This is Jack Benny, but one of the Mohawks on the job, giving you some dope on the Mohawks.

Have you heard about the dance we are planning? Yes, sir, we are having our season of entertainment Oct. 14 with a dance, and what a one it will be! We have engaged the Pyzner's orchestra for the occasion, one of the finest orchestras in this locality. As for the price, it is ridiculously low: Gents, 35c; Ladies, 10c.

In the past the Mohawks always presented a play in conjunction with the dance, but this year we can't seem to find anyone who is willing to present a play. The two directors we did have, left our ranks. Mrs. Mahnich has been married and is now residing in Minnesota. John Strell is attending the University of Illinois. There are other members who have the ability but it is persuaded to undertake the job just yet. However, we feel confident in our assurance that the Mohawks will be in a position to present a play in the near future.

STRUGGLERS

By Lindy

Cleveland.—Once again the Strugglers will entice the public spotlight in the annual Halloween dance under way. The date is Oct. 27 at the Slovane Workingmen's Home and the huge 30th Anniversary dance took place last April. Eddie and his group of knockout girls will furnish the music. Door prizes will be given and a good time will be had.

The Cleveland English speaking group knowing that the SNPJ program is not what it should be, have formed a group which is composed of various lodge representatives and in the order of an English speaking group and to be operated as such to improve the lodge activities locally. The group will be wholeheartedly active in sports events. It's been long in the making, but such a movement had to be had here if lodge progress is to continue.

Finally, after many sessions, the group has been realized and the league with a bowling schedule soon. Details to follow. Watch for the group and boost the movement wherever you go.

Don't forget Oct. 27.

Friendly City News

Johnstown, Pa.—Another year has passed for the Friendly City members, and this year we celebrated the fifth anniversary at the Moxham Slovane Home in Lorain Boro August, 1934. I believe that it was one of the largest affairs sponsored by the Friendly City members. The hall was filled to capacity. Every table was present received a souvenir. The door prizes were won by Mrs. Anna Pucel and Mr. Anthony Gorp. Bro. Andrew Vidrich, our speaker for the evening, made a most interesting speech both in English and Slovene, and the Friendly City members wish to apologize for some of the young folks' unruly manners. At times it was impossible to hear Vidrich, for it seemed they had their mouths open at the same time. Bro. Vidrich, we hope, you don't feel hurt. We thank you with all our hearts for your speech.

Bro. Eddie McCloskey had a daughter and Virginia who delighted us. The two girls, McCloskey danced and sang. Mrs. Virginia Ward did one of the most beautiful dances for a young girl of six years ever seen in Johnstown. Everybody enjoyed the program. The only misfortune that

Comrades' Harvest Dance

The Comrades will hold their big fall dance Saturday evening, Oct. 6, at the Nat'l. Home on St. Clair ave. It is the duty of all those that have time to pay the Comrades a visit.

Congratulations

Our congratulations go to Miss Gerbec, prominent Canton SNPJ worker and former officer of lodge McKinley, upon her success in receiving her teaching degree and incidentally taking up her duties as such in one of the Canton (Ohio) schools.

Remember the Campaign

Did you all forget or are you all giving up? Don't you know that the SNPJ membership campaign for new members ends in Dec.? Don't you know that the prizes being offered are still waiting for? Now that you know this, why not go out and get that new member into your branch as soon as you can and participate in the big contest? Remember, besides the prizes from the supreme office, the Cleveland Federation of SNPJ is awarding cash prizes also. Get yours while the getting is hot!

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We had some visitors at our dance from Maryland: Miss Mary Beechie, John Beechie, John Beechie Sr., Olga and Elizabeth Beechie; from Pittsburgh: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gorp (Mrs. Gorp was at one time a F. City member); the two M'sses Gorp, and Ankey, the only name I know him by; from Detroit: Mr. and Mrs. Spindel, and Bobby Travnik. We were all glad to have you among us and we thank you for remembering us. I know that every one had a good time.

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CONDOLANCE

Denver, Colo.—The Colorado Rockies, Lodge 645, SNPJ, wish to extend their deepest and most sincere sympathy to the bereaved family of John Tegel.

ATTENTION!

Verona, Pa.—Members of Lodge 680, Our next N. H. corp. meeting will be held Sunday, Oct. 7, at the National Home at 2 p. m. Now that you are through playing mullsbull for the season, let's see how many of you can be present.

WANTED

It is hereby announced that a position in the office of the Supreme Secretary of the SNPJ is open, for which, in accordance with the by-laws, only members of the Society can apply. No applicant who lacks the necessary education, such as a knowledge of arithmetic, operating a typewriter at moderate speed, taking shorthand dictation, and knowing perfect English grammar, will be considered. It should also be stated that only one who actually proves the ability to perform the work which is required shall be accepted.

Those who consider themselves qualified for the position now open, may apply to the Supreme Secretary for necessary questionnaire which must be filled out by the applicant and returned to the Supreme Secretary with a letter of application not later than Oct. 10, 1934. Application shall be submitted to the Administrative Board for action.

FRED A. VIDER, Supreme Sec'y.

About This and That

BUCKEYES' BITS

By Oh

Barberton, Ohio.—Oct. 5 is the date for our next meeting at the Domovina Hall on 14th st. We would like to see all of our members present, so as to give the newcomers a royal welcome. And that isn't all either. We got wind of the fact that 3 more members will be proposed! Like music to mine ears!! Which reminds me that we have more discussions and assignments to make on our annual Fall Dance, which is to take place on November 17. So come on, everybody, let's get together and become our old selves again.

Did you read the editorial "Vacant Chairs" in last Wednesday's Prosveta? It wouldn't be a bad idea if you did. It deals with reasons why meetings are not well attended. One reason was that there is a lack of interest and another reason given was that a few have become selfish and absorbed in official duties leaving no time for social intermingling.

After thinking over these two reasons, what conclusion did you come to concerning our own lodge? There are a goodly number that really lack interest and then, to think of the second reason, some of you might think that the officers act like "the whole cheese." I have an argument with you if that is your idea. Since joining the Buckeyes a few years ago, I have attended every meeting and the others that attend will tell you that our officers are just like the rest of us. They mingle with us and everybody has a chance to say their piece. Of course, your views may be different, but everyone should do his share of being friendly. You can't just sit there and dare some one to please you. Well, "enuff" for now, but let's see everyone attend the next meeting.

We're sending a great big orchid to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zodnik of Cleveland, who are announcing the birth of a bouncing baby boy. Mrs. Zodnik is a Buckeye member, better known as "Mitz."

Soap Chips.—We know two young matrons who are going apartment hunting these days. Yes, they're Buckeyes. I'm angling for an invitation to dinner!—Glad to hear that Mrs. Jennie Kapity is recuperating from her late illness.—Why don't some of the Buckeye boys take a stab at writing the "Bits" column once? We're anxious to see something different. The "Commodores' Log" is going strong.—Yep, I'm an auntie these days.—B. C. N. U. at the next meeting. 'Twill begin at 7:30 sharp, because some members have business to attend to later. By-by.

KENOSHA STALWARTS

Kenosha, Wis.—The last few meetings of Lodge Stalwarts, No. 608, SNPJ, have been well attended. Keep it up, members. Let's add even more zest and spirit to our future meetings. What do you say, Publicity Committee? Let's get going the way we said we are going to.

Looks as though the gang doesn't know much about the "Ken-Osha Kitten" ball team. The team has been copping honors from all over country, such as the state and national honors, hanging up many pitching duel records. A game that has played in the National meet went nineteen innings, the pitcher fanning thirty-six batters. One of the pitchers on the team is "Lefty" Pienek, a former Stalwart, who also has a number of no-hit-no-run games. He sure has the zip.

Another member of our Lodge was the Cupid's victim, none other than Anna Hlavacek. Congratulations.

The next meeting will be held at Art Nemie's home. Let's all be there.

Joe L. Kazin.

INTEGRITY WEEK BY WEEK

Chicago.—Our Annual fall dance shall be held Nov. 3, 1934 at the SNPJ auditorium, where all that attend shall be wined, dined and entertained in the most glamorous manner. Ye entertainment committee, "to my knowledge," has decided to have two popularity contests. The first contest is to find the most popular girl in the Integrity lodge, the second who is the most popular girl from our neighboring lodges.

The "Highway Sailors" will hold the president of the Badgers responsible for the promise given to them in spring. How about it? Do you remember?

It seems to us that in the years gone by Tony and Curly from Little Ford, Daddy, Sugar and Gas from Stalwarts, Tex and Sparky from the Badgers, the Four Horsemen and the Podlogar brothers from Jolly Allis, Mandell & Co. from Joliet and many of our Mohawk Indian friends used to always be present at our doings. We hope that all those mentioned and all those too numerous to mention will come to the dance, for we wonder which lodge has the most beautiful and most popular girl.

The Labor day week-end was one of glee and laughter for some of Integrity's members. Three carloads of them started for a certain picnic in St. Louis. The first car contained Traylor & Co., the second Joan & Co. and the third Marilyn and Co. All agreed to stop at the McKees' in Nokomis and from there to go on to St. Louis, but due to bad weather they stayed at Nokomis and were shown a wonderful time by Mr. and Mrs. McKee.

Fellow members of Integrity, I have heard from an "underworld source" that the entertainment at the next meeting is to be something dif-

ferent, and I have also been informed that I should advise you not to wear your best clothes, but rather something old. Just what the entertainment committee of the meeting has in mind I do not know, but I have their promise that a good time will be had by all. I have also been asked to invite all those caring to come from the different lodges to join in on the fun.

The entertainment committee for the meeting will meet at 1921 Bissell st. Friday, Oct. 5, at 8:30 p. m.

We regret to hear that Brother Fred Knez has had an accident that will probably keep him out of college sports for the winter.

Mailiw Reaped.

YOUTH VALLEY KNIGHTS

West Newton, Pa.—Again we appear in this world. Due to a lack of time we are sorry that the announcement which follows was not in the Prosveta any sooner. But here it is: A dance will be held by the Y. V. Knights on Oct. 6, 1934, at Slovene Hall, Collinsburg (West Newton). The dance will be for both young and old with the music being furnished by the popular man of today—AL MOROUSE—famous accordionist of WROUSE, Pittsburgh, and his orchestra. The price of admission will be only 25c per person. Refreshments will be served and everyone present is assured of a good time. So let's make a date, with the Y. V. Knights on Oct. 6, 1934. We cordially invite all our neighboring lodges and by attending you will be helping us in our struggle.

Once again the particulars: Dance—Oct. 6, 1934—Slovene Home, Collinsburg.—Music by Al Morouse of WWSW.—Dancing 8—12.—Admission 25c per person. So come one and all, and let's have a good time.

Lawrence Merella, Sec'y., Rudolph Povirk, Rec. Sec.,

NINTH ANNUAL DANCE

Chicago.—Where are you going Saturday evening? Of course the answer is, "The Pioneers' Ninth Annual Dance." Why? Because people always have had a good time at Pioneer social events. And this year the Pioneers, through the Music Corporation of America, present CORREY LYNN and his orchestra, now alternating with Jan Garber at the Trianon Ballroom. Without a doubt this is the best dance music that the Pioneers have ever tried to procure and also the most expensive. Correy Lynn have a very entertaining band and a wonderful girl singer. We are sure that everybody will be satisfied by attending this dance.

The dance committee is doing everything to make this dance a success, with a little co-operation from the other members the hall should be packed with dancers as never before. Ten thousand courtesy tickets were printed for distribution, three hundred placards to be placed in windows of business houses and along the streets. A trailer at the Atlantic theater and announcements over radio station WHFC. The least the members could do would be to attend this dance and if you can spare a few moments, help out the people who are working and every one should have a good time and the dance should be a success.

The Comrades of Cleveland will have their dance the same evening; we hope their dance will be successful. The Commodores also are having the dance soon, and if Detroit Tigers win the world's championship, the baseball they are to give away will be a priceless treasure to everyone. Too bad Cleveland is so far away. We invite everyone who can possibly attend to our dance. We assure everyone a good time. So don't forget to attend the Pioneer 9th annual dance at the New Lawndale Hall, 2619 S. Lawndale ave., Saturday, Oct. 6.

GOWANDA BOOSTERS

Gowanda, N. Y.—Gowanda Boosters initiated one adult member at their last meeting, and one came in through transfer. We held a good meeting, and 15 new applicants have been proposed.

Thus we entered back into the new member-getting column again. But that's not all. You are going to hear from us again and it won't be longer than 30 days. Look out, Revs.

The Gowanda Boosters have secured 33 new members and 7 transfers, a total of forty new members. Brothers and Sisters! We are glad to have you with us!

At one of our meetings I made a motion that if we were to succeed in this jubilee campaign on the 37th anniversary of SNPJ and get at least thirty new members this year, we must have a contest between our members. The motion was as follows: Any member with largest number of new applicants and in good standing at the end of the year shall get \$5 from local treasury as a gift. Motion accepted.

Come on, members! Sister Rose Matekovich has 14 new applicants to her credit, and thinks that no one can take the lead away from her. Well, the campaign is not over yet. What will you members say about it? Sister Rose Andolsek is well again, after she underwent a serious operation on Aug. 14. We'll be glad to see her at our next meeting again.

Boosters, beware! The old Dan Cupid is in Boosterland. Sister Helen Naglich has been married secretly to a nice young man, whose name is still unknown to me.—Brother Lawrence

Oman also got married to a young lady, Blanche Close, Sep. 22. And now they tell me that Sister Lottie Koda is ready to say "I do" in short time. Congratulations to you, Brothers and Sisters. May your married life be a happy one.

Herman Preseren, well-known to Prosveta readers, remembered us with a card from Chicago. Thanks!

In my last article I called attention to Western N. Y. branches to organize a Federation of SNPJ. So far things look cool. Come on, members! Let's organize one.

Attention, "Buffalo Big Four" Lodge. What in the world makes you so quiet? Let's hear some good news from your branch. Fraternally, John Matekovich, 728.

OUR TRIP—A VAGUE MEMORY

Imperial, Pa.—Our trip to Power Point, Salem and Cleveland, is just a vague memory at present. The outstanding events were, the Beacons' picnic, JSF convention, besides the Ladies' Club meeting, sight-seeing tours, lawn-bowling and the concert sponsored by the junior singing society "Slavčki," under the direction of Mr. Louis Seme. What progress in such a short time!

The Beacon picnic was a celestial affair. John Aynik, Ann and Max Traven, the hard-working Beacons, doing their utmost for an enjoyable time and successful affair. It resulted in both, with the support of the seniors. Many notables were present from all sections of the country, among them Bros. Vider, Lotrich, Dot 'n' Marion, Ewalski, Lokar, Kosela, Lesser, and many others; "Lindy" Lokar centralizing the E. S. rally at the picnic. Had the pleasure of attending the Beacon meeting. Much discussion on different subjects. Is it possible that a Beacon male is one of the Beacon Bachelorettes? (Is Aynik's face red?)

Words can't express our gratitude toward your services in making our trip pleasant. We thank the Tusek family, Frank Saplatka and especially Mr. and Mrs. Anton Traven and family. Mary and Jo Yamnik.

P. S.—My hearty thanks to all hospitable and faithful SNPJ workers,—the Traven family—for my enjoyable three week vacation.

Jo Yamnik, Lodge 716.

NEWS FROM THE ROCKIES

Denver, Colo.—Hello, everybody! Again a message comes from the heart of the Golden West. True, they are few and far between, but nevertheless, unfailing and important.

This message brings to you one of the most important items of our lodge affairs. The membership drive. For every new member that you bring in we are going to—but then, come and find out for yourself.

Why not start this drive with a dance or entertainment of some nature? True, the depression may still be on and we may not make a profit, but let's look at the other side of the situation. Why not bend all our efforts toward making those who attend have a good time? Let them go away saying, "Gee, I haven't had so much fun in a long time. I'd like to belong to the 'Rockies.'" We can do it if we try. Let the "profit" take care of itself once. Of course, by that it isn't meant to go to extremes.

So, forget your petty grudges and come to our next meeting like a good sport. Help us plan. Help us build the "Rockies" into an organization of which we can all be proud.

In addition, let me say that there has been a rumor among the members of our lodge that President Cankar came through Denver on a business trip on or about Labor day. If this is true, we are wondering why he did not stop and see one of the officials, or a member of either lodge, as a representative from the main office. (He was in St. Louis, Mo., on Labor day.—Ed.)

Florence Rose Malovrh, Rec. Sec'y.

INTEGRITY'S BROADCAST

Chicago.—Don't forget to attend the Integrity regular monthly meeting Tuesday, Oct. 9, at the Aldine Hall, 911 Center st.

Every member should put his shoulder behind the Dance Committee and help to make the Integrity's Annual Fall Dance a success. This Dance will be held at the SNPJ AUDITORIUM, Nov. 3, '34.

De Paul University's frantic hunt for a fullback ran into a further complication because our Bro. Fred Knez, one of the three leading candidates, probably would be out of action for the season with a knee injury. He was hurt in an intensive scrimmage. The Integrity wishes him a speedy recovery that he may finish the season with victory.

Michael Fleischerhacker.

MIDWAY—OCT. 6

Midway, Pa.—On Oct. 6 Lodge 89, SNPJ, will hold a Harvest Dance in the Slovene Hall. All neighboring lodges are cordially invited to attend this dance which is the first we are holding in the past two years.

The committee has succeeded in obtaining Leo Spalla and his Campus Owls to furnish the rhythm that makes your feet restless and gives pep to the occasion. To add zest to the affair, the hall will be decorated from the entrance to the stage with delicious grapes, pears, apples, etc., hanging overhead within reach of all. The side lines will be patrolled by alert young members, whose duty it will be to catch those in the act of pilfering and lead them to the Judge.

Why not help us make this affair a success by attending. We promise one and all a grand time. So don't forget it's MIDWAY, Oct. 6.

Mary and Ann.

Rank and File Miners' Platform

Yukon, Pa.—Many of the readers of our paper are coal miners. At the same time the other readers of the paper are also interested in what is going on in the mining field of Western Penna. Because of this I will give a little report on the mining situation in and around our section.

We are organized in the United Mine Workers of America. All of the mines in Westmoreland county are in the UMW of A. This is now District 3 of the union. A good many of the miners are Slovenes, and certainly many of them are good fighters. In some places they are the leaders of the rank and file.

On Dec. 11, 1934, we are going to have an election in the union. So far John L. Lewis and a miner by the name of John F. Sloan, from Westville, Ill., are running for international president of the union. Most of us miners are going to vote for Sloan. He is a good rank and file fighter whose heart is with the miner and his family, and as for John L. Lewis, we all know what he is. We have quite a few locals in our district, and all of them pay dues. Our district officers tell us there are 42, and anywhere from 62 to 72 locals. Most of the miners know what this means.

We are known as a provisional district, and for that we cannot elect our own officers. John L. Lewis with his dictatorial power appoints them. We have a man for president of our district, by the name of Frank Hughes; he is from Illinois and was placed in office by John L. Lewis. There are other officers here and all appointed by Lewis.

There are about 30 districts in the United Mine Workers, and out of that number only about 5 or 6 have the right to elect their own officers. And the others? John L. Lewis appoints them. So this is the machine that the rank and file miners must break down in order to again build a powerful union in the UMW of A and a fearless leadership.

They are making a lot of noise in the newspapers about the "big" increase in our wages and about the 7 hour-day. When we got the wage increase to \$5 a day, it was just for the day men, or only about 10 per cent of the miners. The loaders only received a little more on the ton and work one hour less. Naturally, making less money in comparison with the living costs of today; it was actually a decrease.

All of the locals here had demanded a scale of \$6 a day, 6 hours a day and five days a week. But Lewis felt he was the dictator, and did not care what we demanded. In 1922 we also had a strike—John L. Lewis betrayed us. All of the miners know about this.

At the present time in some of the counties of Western Penna, the conditions of the miner and his family are unbearable. Miners in Washington and Fayette counties, who will not submit to the rule of the coal operators who are attempting to force them into company union "Brotherhoods," are being evicted wholesale from the company patches and forced to find shelter in abandoned coke ovens and other ramshacks of the district. Whole colonies of these oven dwellers have already been formed under the spreading wings of the Blue Eagle, where workers and their families make miserable shift against the rains and snows of the coming winter. Hundreds of company houses stand vacant while these victims of the New Deal huddle under the damp roofs of these earth covered hovels. While at other mining camps mines have curtailed production to only 1 and 2 days a week, many are closing down completely, and at other places companies are laying miners off by the hundreds, picking out and laying off the most militant fighters of the union, with excuses as "dirty coal" and so on. With these conditions existing among the miners they are striving to keep alive on the starvation relief orders dispensed grudgingly by the relief authorities who in many counties have been exposed in corruption and neglect of duty.

In the mining camp known as Bobtown, Pa., the mine closed down and with it also the company store. While the mine had been operating the miners had barely been existing, but as the shutdown of the mine came, the miners and their families had actually been starving, living on bread and water, till the newspapers began giving them publicity and petitioning the governor of the state before they received any relief. While these conditions are going on among the miners, our officials of the union, county or state, are doing nothing to alleviate the distress. So now the miners all over the state are beginning to rise and fight the damnable and intolerable conditions that are confronting them, and are going to fight for a Square Deal, out of the so-called New Deal, by beginning right in their organization. The rank and file miners are out to clean the misleaders out of their union. Many of the miners got together and drew up a slate to run against John L. Lewis and his machine. (Many of these miners throughout the districts are members of the SNPJ.) They also drew up a good program for the local miners.

The rank and file miners are holding mass meetings, one of which will be held at Export, Pa., Sunday, October 7, 1934, at 2 p. m., at the

old Race Tracks. Miners of District No. 3 are cordially invited to attend. The meeting will be very important for the miners of this district. Many good speakers from different districts of the UMW of A will speak.

The following is the Slate of Officers of the Rank and File miners and their program:

For President, John F. Sloan, Local Union 5509, District 12; Vice President, Oscar Guynn, Local Union 3917, District 6; Secretary-Treasurer, Geo. Green, Shenandoah, Pa.; for tellers: James Emery, Local Union 4252, Danville, Ill.; Tony Yelich, Local Union 5085, Coverdale, Pa. For auditors: Lee Grace, Local 1944, from Illinois; Harry Tracy, Local Union 5085, Coverdale, Pa. Delegates to the American Federation of Labor: John F. Sloan, Local 5509; Lee Grace, Local 1944; Harry Tracy, Local 5085; Geo. Green, Shenandoah, Pa.; Oscar Guynn, Local 3917; James Emery, Local 4252; Tony Yelich, Local 5085.

The Rank and File United Miners' Workers' program, adopted at a Rank and File meeting in Pittsburgh: For the \$6 day, 6 hour day and 5 day week, with the abolition of the differential between the North and South, for a national one year agreement and a miners' referendum on all agreements.

For the unity of the employed and unemployed and for support of the Workers' Unemployment and Social Insurance Bill—H R 7598.

For the right to strike against forced arbitration, abolition of the penalty clause and the withdrawal of all UMW officials from the NRA labor boards.

Against discrimination and for full rights for the Negro miners, against lynching and for support of the Negro Bill of Rights.

To sanction the organization of Women's Auxiliaries and Youth sections of the union and for equal pay for the young miners.

For the right of every local union and district to elect their own officers. For rank and file democracy and against appointive power. Any District or International officer can be elected for two terms; after that he can be used in an advisory capacity.

Against the use of armed forces in strikes and against WAR and FASCISM.

To reinstate all miners unjustly expelled from the UMW and to unite all of the miners driven from the UMW by the policy of John L. Lewis into one union of all coal miners.

Dan Jelovean, Member Lodge 117 SNPJ and Local Union 6558 UMW.

Birds of a Feather Wanted

The federal government spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to bring John Dillinger within gunshot of a squad of sharpshooters. It will spend thousands of dollars to run Baby Face Nelson to death. And only last week, when a gang of desperadoes held up an armored truck and stole \$427,000, the state police joined with the federal government in a nation-wide effort to bring the gangsters to an accounting.

Yet, in the final summing up of Dillinger's career, he was not able to accumulate a million dollars at the point of a gun before a blast of police guns brought him down. And the robbery in New York last week represented less than a half million dollars.

It was not so many months ago that a small group of Wall Street financiers garnered in \$12,000,000 in an oil pool that was as crooked as the trail of any scorpion. It was just a couple years ago that Samuel Insull's utility empire crashed with losses totalling more than two billion dollars. It is not likely that Insull will ever see the inside of a penitentiary, and all of the Wall Street gamblers who shared in the looting of the public in a \$12,000,000 oil stock pool are regarded as shrewd men, blessed with business foresight and a complete understanding of that remarkable law of supply and demand.

The only difference between the Dillingers and the Insulls is a mere matter of method. The former uses a gun and takes a change at having his body riddled with hot steel. The Insulls use a stock market ticker, a brokerage connection and a political pull that gives them immunity from such embarrassments as prison numbers, steel bars and big house stew.

But in the last analysis, they are all birds of a feather though they never flock together. Social customs forbid such minglings.—M. U. A.

Plain Talk on War Fascism

By William B. Spofford

Editor of "The Witness"

A lot of smart people are these days on the Choice Belt but it seems to me that few get down to brass tacks. They know that the world is in and that changes are inevitable most of them are looking easy way out.

As a well-known writer some people are willing to do anything the workers but get off their So today we find mild reformer cated by all sorts of people talking with one of them today. He was arguing in about the permanence of the economic order, slightly but ended the conversation ing, "Well, whatever happens. I bought a farm the of so that if things smash o I can raise potatoes and tur at least eat." That is the an confidence that he has in formed capitalism which he fending so belligerently.

The simple fact is that the order is washed up. There possible way for the present to maintain their power short tatorship, and capitalist diet means Fascism. And Fascism mean, fundamentally, Jew Negro-baiting, Black Shirts, Shirts, castor oil and all the the silly business that we see in the papers, as bad as these ary characteristics certainly means the limiting of produ the owners of the machines, starvation of the great m the people in order that the system may be maintained longer. It means even wor that—it means war, for part program is to seek export for the goods denied the millions.

Economically we have th nings of Fascism here in the States. Codes are limiting tion and the government is farmers to burn their whe under their cotton and kill the pigs. Why? Because people need of these things? Not a is because the profit system maintained only if there is a of goods, and the masters are ined that there shall be prof if it means starvation and for the vast majority.

We are suckers if we all to get away with it, and by mean everyone, for all-but few on top are going to suf and more as this thing d means, first of all, starva means further the suppressi liberties and the enslavement kind. The churches will be handmaid of the state, just have been made to buckle the Fascist countries of Eu who prize freedom must oppo ism. Educators are enslaved- what has happened to them many and Italy. Trade uni will be put out of business. Civi will most certainly be ruthi nized, with anyone daring to an opinion displeasing to t ters either killed or throw concentration camp or prison

DR. VAN ESSEN IN JOHN

Johnstown, Pa.—Branch JSF, which has recently been organized down in the Morrell tion, will have their chartered to them on Saturday October 6, at the Cyril-Meth Comrade Dr. William J. Van of Pittsburgh, will do the d after which he will present term slides of Vienna, with on "Vienna now and before war last February." Those who know this speaker and know that he is a very cap interesting person, who pre lectures in his becoming st esting ways. He has that quality as a speaker which will also say a few words in after which dancing will f some popular orchestra.

The admission is free with gram beginning at 7:30 p. ask that you all attend this show our comrades that we of them and their branch; you to also attend for the of seeing these pictures of which are very interesting and last, to get some know Socialism, which will have it after the lecture, in the form tions. We are looking for your attendance!

Frances Lang

YOUNG AMERICANS' SP

Detroit.—Due to the small ance at the last meeting held Young American girls' basketball manager was not elected. Plans made for playing basketball Another meeting will be held p. m., Oct. 5, Friday night, in John R. street. Members in playing basketball are to attend this meeting in order to out plans for the season. C out all you basketball fans!

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