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Litvinov ožigosal fašiste na seji Lige narodov

Fašizem in nacizem sta največja sovražnika civilizacije in delavcev. Sovjetska unija bo vodila opozicijo proti državam, katerih politični režimi slonijo na rasni in narodnostni neenakopravnosti, ako se bodo odločile za vstop v Ligo narodov.

Ženeva, 29. sept. — Maksim Litvinov, sovjetski komisar za zunanje zadeve, je v svojem odgovoru na nacistične obdolžitve, ki so bile izrečene na nacističnem kongresu, da je boljše svesto svetovni sovražnik št. 1, dejal, da sta nacizem in fašizem največja sovražnika civilizacije in delavcev. V svojem vitrioličnem napadu na seji Lige narodov ni omenil ne Hitlerja in ne Mussolinija po imenu, ožigosal pa je vse one, ki razširjajo nacistične in fašistične doktrine.

Sovjetska Rusija bo odločno nasprotovala vstopu vsake države, katerih režimi bazirajo na rasni in narodnostni neenakopravnosti, v Ligo narodov, je rekel Litvinov. "Nobena država, katero vlada človek, ki hoče podjarmiti tuje teritorije, ne sme biti sprejeta v Ligo narodov. Liga mora zlasti zapreti vrata tistim državam, katerih voditelji odprlo poudarjajo, da so pripravljene s silo oboroženo silo podjarmiti tuje teritorije."

Zadnji Litvinov stavek je bil odgovor na nedavno Hitlerjevo izjavo, "da bi se prosperiteta vrnila v Nemčijo, ako bi Nemčija dobila rusko Ukrajino." Litvinov je dalje rekel, da njegova vlada pripravljena skleniti dogovore tudi z najbolj agresivnimi državami, čeprav vodi opozicijo, da bi te države stopile v Ligo narodov. "Sovjetska vlada odločno odgovore na insulte, ne samo radi tega, ker ve, iz katerih virov insulti prihajajo, temveč tudi iz razloga, ker hoče, da drugi nosijo odgovornost za vse posledice, ki pridejo po kršenju osnovnih pravil obnašanja med državami," je rekel Litvinov.

Sovjetski zunanji komisar se je v svojem govoru dotaknil tudi civilne vojne v Španiji. "Neintervencija s strani evropskih veličin je polna nepreračunljivih posledic," je dejal Litvinov. "Sovjetski uniji je taka politika zoprna, ker se zaveda, da je to odločilna pomoč postavnih vlad." Ženeva, 29. sept. — Evidenca, ki jo podpirajo španske fašiste, je ustvarila nevarnost nove evropske krize. Te države nudijo pomoč španskim upornikom, čeprav so podpisale dogovor, da se ne bodo vmešavale v špansko civilno vojno.

Madridska vlada je predložila Ligi narodov dokaz, da so nemški in italijanski vojaški letalci metali bombe na Madrid in druga mesta, ki so pod kontrolo madridske vlade. Nekateri letalci, ki so se po pomoti spustili na tla na vladnem ozemlju, so priznali, da so jih poslale v Španijo militaristične avtoritete. Druge obdolžitve, ki jih je predložila madridska vlada, se glasejo, da je neki italijanski vojaški letalec vrzel večje število bomb na špansko bolniško ladjo, da Nemčija zalaga španske rebele z orožjem in municijo in da je na nemškem parniku Kamerun, katerega je španska bojna ladja ustavila v bližini španskega obzračja, nahajal bojni material. Nacistična vlada je po tem incidentu poslala oster protest madridski vladi, katerega je podprla tudi Anglija. Hitler je takrat zapretil, da bo rabil oboroženo silo, da prepreči silno akcijo Portugalska ni samo dovolila, temveč celo pomagala pri or-

ganiziranju španske rebelne sile na svojem ozemlju. Vsa ta evidenca je bila predložena tajništvo Lige narodov po španskem zunanjem ministru Vayu. Francija in Anglija se sedaj silno trudita, da preprečita objavo dokumentov, ki dokazujejo, da Nemčija, Italija in Portugalska podpirajo španske fašiste.

UNIJA STROJNIKOV OBSODILA LEWISOV ODBOR

Obdolžila ga je odgovornosti za razkol v ADF

LEWIS HOČE BITI DIKTATOR

Milwaukee, Wis. — (FP) — Na konvenciji Mednarodne zveze strojnikov je bil John L. Lewis, predsednik rudarske unije in načelnik Odbora za industrijsko organizacijo, predmet srditih napadov. Govorniki so ga ožigosal, da je namenoma izval razkol v vrstah organiziranega delavstva in postal izdajalec delavskih interesov. Iz masčevalnosti, ker ni bil izvoljen za predsednika Ameriške delavske federacije, je ustanovil dualno organizacijo, v kateri hoče biti diktator.

"Lewis mora obsoditi kot sovražnika organiziranega delavstva, ker je povzročil razkol v delavskem gibanju v momentu, ko imajo delavci priliko, da izvojujejo največje pridobitve," je dejal A. O. Wharton, predsednik Zveze strojnikov. "Lewis ni bil nikdar izvoljen za predsednika udarske unije, kar potrjujejo rekordi. On je bil imenovan na to pozicijo, ko je kot podpredsednik unije izpodrinil vse svoje nasprotnike. Ko je prišel na krmilo, je vrzel vsakega, ki se ni strinjal z njim, iz organizacije. Distriktnim unijam je odvzel volilno pravico in on je izbral in imenoval uradnike. Izmed 32 članov eksekutive rudarske unije jih je Lewis izbral 26. O demokraciji v rudarski uniji ne more biti govora. Konvencije rudarske unije kontrolira Lewis, čigar beseda je zakon. Vsak, ki mu nasprotuje, je vržen iz organizacije."

Delegatje so z veliko večino sprejeli resolucijo, s katero so odobrili akcijo eksekutive Ameriške delavske federacije, ko je suspendirala deset narodnih in mednarodnih unij na obtožbo revolte v unijemskem gibanju. William Green, predsednik ADF, ki je nastopil kot govornik na konvenciji, je dejal, da je rudarska unija prenehala plačevati članske prispevke v blagajno federacije že v aprilu in s tem se je sama suspendirala iz federacije. On je v svojem govoru tudi poudarjal, da razkol ni povzročil vprašanje poklicnega ali industrijskega unionizma, ker je za obe formi unionizma prostor v federaciji, temveč Lewisova taktika.

John P. Frey, predsednik kovinarskega departmeta ADF, je tudi krtačil Lewisa. Imenoval ga je pustolovca, političnega uskok, ki je potoval s predsedniškim vlakom Hardinga, Coolidge in Hoover, ker bi bil rad postal načelnik federalnega delavskega departmeta, sedaj pa se je prelevil v demokrata in podpiral Rooseveltovo administracijo. Frey je dalje rekel, da je Lewis izdajalec ameriških institucij in načel, na katerih je bilo zgrajeno gibanje organiziranega delavstva.

Delegatje so soglasno sprejeli resolucijo, da bodo podpirali Roosevelta, ki se je izkazal kot prijatelj delavstva, v sedanji volilni kampanji. Resolucija hvali predsednika Roosevelta, ker je aktivno pospeševal zakonodajo, da se zaščiti pravica delavcev do dela za 3. strani.)

Druga 'zapaga' španskih fašistov

V Toledu so okupirali razvaline, toda boj še traja

Madrid, 29. sept. — Afriški Maročani, katero je fašistični general Francisco Franco nagral v Toledo v nedeljo zvečer, še niso zavzeli vsa mesta. Večji del vladne opornice je umaknil na južni obrobni mesta, toda neko število brambovcev je ostalo v mestu in boj na ulicah se nadaljuje. Toledo je v večjem delu razvalina, ašisti pa trdnjava Alcazar, v kateri je bilo globoko pod zemljo še nekaj izstradanih fašistov, večinoma so pa Maročani tamkaj našli ranjence in mrljice.

V bojih za Toledo je padlo okrog 500 mož na strani vlade. (Fašistični viri pravijo, da je bilo ubitih 900 mož delavske milice.) Glavni faktor, ki je primoral delavske brambovce na umik iz mesta, so bili italijanski letalci; bombe iz italijanskih letal so padle ko toča na mesto, brambovci so pa imeli premalo letal, da bi jih bili odpodili. Kljub temu so pogrnali na tla tri velika, trimotorna italijanska letala.

Toledčani so se prej izpraznili mesto in se preselili drugam. Munijske tovarne, ki je bila tamkaj, so militarizirali. Vladni poveljniki so organizirali protiofenzivo na vsej južno-zapadni fronti.

Fašistični napadi na severnem obzračju Španije v smeri proti staniščnemu mestu Bilbao so bili odbiti z bombardiranjem obale po treh vladnih bojnih ladjah. Te ladje so tudi zavarovale prihod dveh škandinavskih tovornih parnikov, ki sta pripulila k obzračju in izkrcala orožje, strelivo in ha tone moke ter konzervirane mesa za španske ljudske brambovce.

Delavska stranka nastopi leta 1940

Milwaški župan vidi masno gibanje

New York, 29. sept. — Milwaški župan Daniel W. Hoan je večkrat izjavil, da po vseh znamenjih na srednjem zapadu, ki jih on vidi, bo velika farmarska in delavska stranka, katera bo imela socialističen program, organizirana in pripravljena za volilno bitko leta 1940. Župan Hoan se mudi v New Yorku na kampanjski turi za socialistične kandidate.

"Vsako večje, masno delavske gibanje mora imeti svoje korenine na zapadu in srednjem zapadu," je rekel Hoan. "Tam je že danes polno lokalnih gibanj, ki se usmerjajo na pot bodoče delavske stranke, ampak vsa ta neodvisna gibanja še vedno sledijo posameznim Mojzesom, ki s krikom in vikom kažejo na neko obljubljeno deželo in tja vlečejo svoje črede. To pa ni demokracija in Mojzesi ne morejo najti uspeha v Združenih državah. Delavci in farmarji sami se morajo najti in združiti, sami morajo sestaviti svoj program in sami voditi svojo stranko."

Socialisti osvojili poljsko mesto Lodz

Lodz, Poljska, 29. sept. — Pri večerajšnjih občinskih volitvah so socialisti osvojili 42 sedežev v mestnem svetu, kar je pretežna večina. Mestni svet ima 72 sedežev. Nacionalisti, ki so najbolj bobnali na antisemitizem, so bili poraženi.

KORPORACIJE SE PRIPRAVLJAJO NA KLANJE

Kopičenje orožja in municije v arzenalih

TRGOVINA Z BOMBAMI

Washington, D. C. — (FP) — Senatni odsek, kateremu nadzira senator Robert La Follette iz Wisconsinu in kateri vodi preiskavo stavkolomskih aktivnosti ter špionaže v industrijah, je dobil v roke dokumente, ki dokazujejo, da je veliko število korporacij napolnilo svoje arzenale s plinskimi bombami, strojnimi, puškami in drugim moralnim orožjem. To orožje je bilo namenjeno za razbijanje delavskih stavk.

Tri firme — Lake Erie Chemical Co., Federal Laboratories Inc. in Manville Mfg. Co. — so v zadnjih mesecih prodale korporacijam plinske bombe v vrednosti pol milijona dolarjev. Tiskovine teh koncernov, ki so bile zaplenjene, dokazujejo, da so bili vedno pripravljene netiti konflikt v industrijah, da tako povečajo svoj promet.

"Rad bi videl izbruh velike stavke," je rekel neki agent Lake Erie Chemical Co., agent neke druge firme pa je dejal, "da upa, da bo organizatorična kampanja med tekstilnimi delavci izvala stavko in da si od njega obeta velik dobiček."

Dalje je bila predložena evidenca, da agente teh družb vendirajo vsak teritorij, kjer preti izbruh stavke, da pripravijo delodajalce o potrebi naročil orožja in učinkovitosti plinskih bomb pri zatiranju delavskega odpora.

Odkrita evidenca kaže, da velike ameriške korporacije, ki stalno naglašajo, da ne morejo plačevati dostojnih mezd, trošijo milijone za financiranje špionaže med delavci. The Railway Audit & Inspection Co., stavkolomska agentura, je napravila več ko milijon dolarjev dobička v dveh letih, ko je dobavljala špione in stavkolomce korporacijam.

Francoski poslanci bodo plačani od seje

Pariz, 29. sept. — Pred francoskim parlamentom je zakonski načrt, ki določa, da se poslanci v bodoče plačujejo od seje, katere se udeležijo. Poslanec dobi za vsako sejo, katere se udeležijo, znak iz medenine, ki ga potem mesečno ali letno zmenja v gotovino. Kdor izostane od seje, ne dobi nič. Zdjaj so poslanci plačani letno brez ozira, če so na sejah ali ne. Načrt bo najbrže sprejet.

Ameriška zastava prepuščena v Rusiji privatnikom

Moskva, 29. sept. — Samo ameriški diplomatje, ki predstavljajo ameriško vlado, smejo v bodoče imeti ameriško zastavo na avtu po najnovejši odredbi sovjetskih oblasti. Ameriški časniki in turisti, ki imajo navado, da po sovjetski Rusiji kažejo ameriško zastavo, ne bodo več smeli delati tega.

Kanadske delavske unije v boju s komunisti

Montreal, 29. sept. — Tu se vrši zborovanje Kongresa delavskih strokovnih unij v Kanadi. Komunistična manjšina je izzvala oster spor na zborovanju in v teku so živahne debate, ni pa dvoma, da bo zmagala demokratska večina.

Francoska zbornica odobrila devaluacijo

Desničarji ljuto napadajo Blumovo vlado

Pariz, 29. sept. — Zakonski načrt glede devaluacije franka, ki vsebuje tudi določbe, ki naj bi preprečile špekulacije in navijanje cen življenjskim potrebščinam, da se tako zaščiti delavske sloje, je prodir pri prvi preizkušnji v nižji zbornici. Za načrt je glasovalo 365 poslancev, proti pa 248. Zbornica je porazila tudi predlog, naj se načrt vrne finančnemu odseku.

Blumova vlada je predmet hudih napadov s strani desničarjev in naletela je tudi na opozicijo pri komunistih, a je kljub temu uverjena, da bo zmagala, če se ne bo pripetilo kaj izrednega. Večina poslancev je sprejela devaluacijo franka kot nekaj neizbežnega, zaeno pa je dala priliko opoziciji za napade na vlado. Vlada je preprečena, da bo dobila precejšnjo, čeprav ne veliko večino, pri končnem glasovanju o devaluaciji franka.

Finančni odsek je odobril devaluacijski načrt z dvajsetimi proti dvanajstim glasovom, nakar je bil predložen zbornici. Komunisti so se vzdržali glasovanja, socialisti in socialni radikalci so se izrekli za načrt, proti pa so glasovali centristi in desničarji. Kaj bo storila višja zbornica, ko ji bo načrt predložen, še ni znano.

Porast cen življenjskim potrebščinam je prva posledica devaluacije franka; toda Blumova vlada je izjavila, da bo vodila vojno proti navijalcem cen do skrajnosti. Vsi prefekti vladnih departamentov so že dobili navodila, naj pazijo na špekulante.

Japonska si lasti severno Kitajsko

Bojazen pred oboroženim konfliktom narašča

Sanghaj, 29. sept. — Odnosaji med Japonsko in Kitajsko so se poostriili, ker se slednja zaveda, da ne bo mogla pristati na zahteve japonskih militaristov, ki hočejo dobiti kontrolo nad severno Kitajsko. General Kaišek, kitajski diktator, je večeraj dospel v Nančang na svoji poti v Nanking, toda njegova navzočnost ni ublažila situacije.

Umik japonskega civilnega prebivalstva iz Hankowa, kjer je bil neki japonski vojak ubit 19. septembra, ojačanje japonske oborožene sile v Sanghaju na 4000 mož in hujskajoči govor Hačiro Arite, japonskega zunanjega ministra v Tokiju, iz katerega je razvidno, da se Japonska pripravlja na vojno, je ustvarila paniko med prebivalstvom v Sanghaju.

Tokio, 29. sept. — Hačiro Arita, japonski zunanji minister, je večeraj izjavil, da je prelom odnosajev s Kitajsko neizbežen, če ne bo Kitajska ustavila protijaponske agitacije. "Kitajska stoji zdaj na križpotju," je rekel Arita, toda odklonil je odgovor, ko je bil vprašan, ali bo Japonska napovedala vojno Kitajski. "Beseda 'vojna' ni v besednjaku diplomata," je dejal Arita.

Denver zasut s snegom; promet paraliziran

Denver, Colo., 29. sept. — Silen sneženi vihar, kakršnih tukajšnji vremenski biro že dolgo ne pomni v septembru, je večeraj pokril Denver z debelimi zameti snega. Ulice in ceste so zasute in avtni promet je ponekod do celia ustavljen.

KANADSKO DELAVSTVO ZA SVETOVNI MIR

Zahteva podpravljenje munijske industrije

PODPIRA LEWISA

Montreal, Kanada. — Letna konvencija Kanadskega delavskega kongresa je ponovno naglasila pacifiistično stališče kanadskega delavstva. To stališče je naglasila v sprejeti resoluciji, ki se na vsej črti ogreva za ohranitev svetovnega miru, oziroma preprečenje vojne.

Kongres pravi, da so glavni instigatorji vojne mednarodni trgovci s smrtjo. Vsa tega zahteva podpravljenje munijske industrije in trgovine v vseh deželah. Kanadska vlada urgira, naj v tej smeri deluje v Ligi narodov, katera naj tudi izvaja kontrolo nad mednarodno munijsko trgovino.

Slično zahteva leto za leto tudi mednarodno strokovno in politično organizirano delavstvo, toda ta zahteva je ostala le glas vpljočega v puščavi. Potrebo tega naglašajo tudi dalekovidnejši državiki, ampak narodni so danes bolj oboroženi kakor kdaj prej. Podpravljenje te industrije in trgovine bi gotovo zmanjšalo vojno nevarnost, toda njen glavni instigator ali povzročitelj je ves kapitalistični sistem. Podpravljenje te industrije pod fašizmom prav nič ne zmanjšuje vojne nevarnosti. Ta bo izgubila šele z odpravo kapitalizma in z reorganiziranjem človeške družbe po načelih socializma.

Kanadski delavski kongres je v isti resoluciji udaril tudi po fašizmu in naglasil načelo, da izhod za delavstvo ni v diktaturi, marveč v demokraciji. Realistični ton v zvezi s tem vprašanjem je dal tudi kanadski delavski minister Norman Rogers, ki je rekel v svoji poslanici kongresu, ako hoče ljudstvo imeti demokracijo in svobodo, se mora zanjo stalno boriti.

Kontroverza med eksekutivno Ameriške delavske federacije in Odborom za industrijsko organizacijo je dobila velik odmev tudi med kanadskim delavstvom. Največ resolucij je bilo predloženih o tem sporu in akoraj vsa v prilog Lewisovemu odboru. Predsednik kongresa P. M. Draper pa ni dovolil nobene diskuzije o tem vprašanju. V zvezi z vprašanjem vojne je kongres zaključil, da vlada ne sme prej napovedati vojne, dokler se za to ne izreče ljudstvo pri splošnem glasovanju.

Ameriški mornar obsojen v zapor v Nemčiji

Berlin, 29. sept. — Ernest Simpson, ameriški mornar, ki je bil obtožen veleizdajstva zaradi komunistične propagande v nemškem pristanišču, je bil večeraj obsojen pred nacističnim sodiščem na tri leta zopora. Od te kazni se mu odšteje 14 mesecev, ki jih je že presedel v zaporu od časa aretacije.

Italijanska letala padajo; 13 ubitih

Rim, 29. sept. — Veliko trimotorno vojaško letalo je večeraj padlo v Civita Castellani in štiri osebe so bile ubite, med temi tudi urednik Voce D'Italia. — V Bengasiju v afriški koloniji Libiji je vojaško letalo tresčilo ob jambor na ladji v luki in padlo v morje z devetimi možmi, ki so vsi izgubili življenje. Letalo se je pravkar vrnilo iz Abesinije.

# Uradne vesti društev SNPJ

**Cuddy, Pa.** — Naznanjam članom društva 319 SNPJ, da je bilo sklenjeno na zadnji redni seji, da vsak član(ica) plača 50c društvene doklade za mesec oktober. Kdor ne plača društvene doklade, ne more plačati niti rednega assessmenta. Člane se prosil, da upoštevajo to obvestilo. **Tajnik.**

## Protest!

**Strabane, Pa.** — Društvo Postojnska jama št. 138 SNPJ je na svoji redni seji dne 20. sept. 1936 razmotrivalo o govoru Antona Grdina iz Clevelanda, O., ki je bil tu v Strabanu na Labor day pri otvoritvi novega doma društva št. 153 KSKJ. Nimamo nič za oporekati k postavitvi njih doma, če si ga želijo, ker bodo morali le oni skrbeti, da ga obdržijo ter da jim bo služil v njihove potrebe. Protestiramo pa proti govoru Grdine, ki ni mogel iti s svojim govorom preko Slovenske narodne podporne jednote in njenega glasila "Prosvete". Če misli Grdina, da nam je škoda a tem naredil, se moti, ker on je hotel s tem škodovati v prvi vrsti društvu št. 138 SNPJ in njegovi dvorani. Mi vemo, da se Grdina ne da civilizirati ter da propagira klerofašizem, odkar se kladi po tej deželi, ki mu daje obodo, po kateri on tepta s tem, da organizacijo kakor je SNPJ napada kjerkoli more. To je že pokazal povsod, tako tudi v Strabanu. Zato je naše društvo sklenilo, da se najodločneje protestira ter se mu pove pred slovensko demokratično javnostjo, naj ga bo sram! Ljudi pa, ki takega človeka dobe za govornika na tako pomembno slavnost kakor je otvoritev društvenega doma, pomilujemo. **John Koklich, predsednik, John Troha, tajnik, John Podboy, blag.**

## Cleveland, O.

Članstvo društva Vodnikov venec št. 147 SNPJ je pozivilo na važno mesečno sejo v nedeljo 4. oktobra ob 9.30 dopoldne. Pripraviti se moramo za društveno veselico, katera se vrši v soboto večer, 31. oktobra, v spodnji dvorani S. N. doma. Tozadnevni odbor je na delu s predpripravi in poda poročilo tej seji.

Člani in članice! Vsakega člana dolžnost je, da redno zahaja na društvene seje, kjer se seznanja z aktivnostmi društva, odloča o raznih društvenih problemih ter postane res živ član organizacije. Pri nas pa ne posečamo društvenih sej kot bi jih morali. Kaj je temu vzrok? Ali smo postali res tako mladni do vsega? Saj je bilo naše društvo vedno med prvimi, kadar je šlo za dobrobit naselbine. In tudi v bodoče nočemo zaostati. Sedaj ko se društvo pripravlja na svojo letno veselico, pridimo vsi na sejo, pokažimo, da hočemo se živeti, da smo za skupnost, za procvit SNPJ. Pripeljimo nove kandidate društvu. Zdravniška preiskava je prosta za oba oddelka, razpisane so še posebne nagrade. Torej ne pozabite v nedeljo, 4. oktobra, na sejo v novem poslopiju S. N. doma. **Leo Poljsak, tajnik.**

## Joliet, Ill.

Nekaj važnega za vse člane SNPJ, posebno pa za člane društva 115. — Kako pokažet, kakšen član ali članica si!

1. Ne udeležuj se društvenih sej, toda če se, pridi prepozno.
2. Ako se ne udeležiš seje, poišči napake, ki so jih naredili člani, ki so bili na seji.
3. Ako si na seji vprašan, da pomagaš na društveni veselici, reci: ja, misli pa obratno in delo prepusti onim, ki se že od nekdaj trudijo za dobrobit društva in jednote.
4. Ako si na seji vprašan, kaj je tvoje mnenje ali ideja, reci, da je za tebe dobro kakor napravijo, ali pa tiho bodi. Po seji pa govori, da to ali ono ni bilo prav sklenjeno, da si ti imel boljše ideje.
5. Ako ima tvoje društvo priredbo, reci, da nimaš denarja in ne moreš priti. Pojdi pa k drugim priredbam, če te to prav stane, in pokaži članom svojega društva, da si sam svoj boss in boljši kot so drugi člani.

## Milwaukee, Wis.

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6. Nikdar ne prevzemi društvenega urada, čeprav si sposoben. Voli drugega, o katerem veš, da ni sposoben za urad, potem ga pa kritiziraj, da ne zna to ali ono.

7. Ne pozabi biti ujaljen, ako nisi bil izvoljen v odbor. Ako pa si, tedaj pa se ni treba udeleževati sej in izvrševati dela, ki si ga bil prevzel.

8. Nikdar ne napravi za društvo kaj drugega kakor ono, kar si primoran. Ampak kadar drugi člani izjavljajo svoj čas in moči za korist društva, potem pa zopet kritiziraj, češ, ta in ta mora biti povsod zraven, čeprav bi brez njega lahko prebili.

9. Nikdar ne stori nobenega koraka, da bi pridobil novega člana društva. Reci, da se nobenega ne upaš vprašati, ali pa da nimaš časa.

10. Nikdar ne plačaj svojega assessmenta ob pravem času, ker so druge stvari bolj važne kakor je društvo. Ko pa vidiš, da te je tajnik suspendiral, tedaj pa kritiziraj, češ, kakšnega tajnika ima društvo! Se za tebe, starega člana, ni hotel založiti! Ignoriraj pravila, ki pravijo, da mora vsak član plačati assessment do 25. v mesecu. Glej, da se tajnik ravnava po pravih, toda vzroji, kadar kdo insistira, da so pravila za vse člane enaka, še bolj pa rebeliraj, če si kaznovan po pravih. Insistiraj, da si boljši član ko drugi in tolažiti pravila po svoje, oziroma jih sploh ne čitaj. Enostavno reci, da vse veš, kar je v njih.

Če komu paše ta čevlji, naj si ga obuje. Zamera gor ali dol. Upam, da ni nobenega, katerega bi pasal. **Zasledovalka društva 115.**

## Salem, O.

V imenu društva 476 se iskreno zahvaljujem vsem posetnikom piknika, ki so ga priredila tukajšnja štiri društva dne 7. sept. Udeležba je bila velika in uspeh dober. Za SNPJ je govoril br. M. Petrovič iz Clevelanda, kateremu se za njegove pomenljive besede toplo zahvaljujemo. **Viktor Omaitz, predsednik.**

## Cornwall, Pa.

Društvo Cornwallski Slovenci 528 SNPJ je na seji 20. septembra sklenilo, da priredi piknik in ples na 3. oktobra. Pričetek ob 6. uri zvečer. Članstvo naj ta sklep upošteva. Kdor se veselice ne udeleži, mora plačati en dolar v društveno blagajno. Vabimo tudi vsa sosednja društva — št. 666 SNPJ in št. 25 SSPZ iz Readinga. Ne pozabite na nas 3. oktobra. Za potrebo in za srbeče noge bo skrbel za to izvoljeni odbor. Veselica se bo vršila na Gossetownu v društveni dvorani. Na svidenje 3. oktobra zvečer. **Mary Simenc, tajnica.**

## Chiff Mine, Pa.

Zahvaljujem se vsem posetnikom piknika, ki se je vršil 7. septembra v proslavo 25-letnice obstanka društva Slavček 145 SNPJ. Piknik je izpadel povoljno finančno in moralno kljub mnogim priredbam v okolici. Navzoči so bili iz raznih naselbin. Tudi Cleveland je bil dobro zastopan, najbolj pa Imperial. Hvala vsem skupaj za poset in zabavo. Ob priliki vam vrnem. **Matt Vidmar, 145.**

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## Midway, Pa.

Društvo Glas Naroda št. 89 SNPJ priredi vinski trgatve in veselico dne 17. oktobra v lastni dvorani. Obenem bo to tudi letna veselica. Članstvo se prosil, da upošteva to naznanilo in vabilo ter da se vsi člani in članice udeležijo veselice. Vstopnina za moške 35c in za ženske 25c. To vstopnino je obvezen plačati vsak član in članica. Kdor se radi kakšnega vzroka ne more udeležiti, naj plača skupno z assessmentom za november. Upamo, da boste vsi navzoči ter da boste pripeljali tudi svoje prijatelje in znance, tako da se bomo vsi skupaj veselo zabavali v prijazni družbi na naši veselici. Vabljeni so tudi vsa sosednja društva in posamezniki, da nas posetijo v velikem številu. Četudi je letošnja trgatva pri nas bolj slaba v naših vinogradih, se zato ni treba prav nič bati, da ne bomo imeli kaj trgati. Kajti naš veselčni odbor se trudi, da bo pripravil vse potrebno kar je pač v njegovi moči, tako da se zadovolji vsem posetnikom naše zabave. In baš dobra, zdrava zabava nam je zelo potrebna. Na naših prireditvah pridemo skupaj, se veselimo in razgovorimo. Vedno poskrbimo, da zadovoljimo stare in mlade. Igrala bo izvrstna godba, ki navadno igra na radiopostaji WWSW v Pittsburghu. **John Sirc, predsednik.**

## Indianapolis, Ind.

Tukaj je umrl Martin Zakrajšek, član društva št. 34 SNPJ in doma iz vasi Runarsko nad Blokami na Notranjskem. V Ameriki je bil 26 let. Tukaj zapuščat ženo, sina in brata ter sestro Rozi Smole v Lorainu, O. Hvala tukajšnjim trem društvom (SNPJ, JSKJ in samostojnemu) za izkazano naklonjenost, tako tudi vsem rojakom, ki so pokojnika tolažili v njegovi dolgi bolezni ter ga obiskali pri mrtaškem odru. Iskrena hvala vsem za vence in gotovino namesto vencev, posebno pa rojakom za brezplačne avte pri pogrebu. Žalujoči ostali: Angela Zakrajšek, soproga, Frank, sin Jernej, brat. **Jernej Zakrajšek, 575.**

## Euclid, Ohio.

Članom društva "Cvetiči Noble" št. 450 SNPJ se naznanja, da se bodo od sedaj naprej vršile društvene seje v društvenem domu na Rehar ave. točno ob 9.30 dopoldne. Člani in članice ste naprosili, da ste bolj točni in ob določenem času na mestu. Vabimo vas, da se udeležite v velikem številu te seje, katera se bo vršila 11. okt. ob 9.30 dopoldne. Podani bodo trimesečni računi. **Frank Tegel, tajnik.**

## Eveleth, Minn.

Kot novoizvoljeni blagajnik društva št. 69 želim sporočiti, da smo kupili društveni dom skupno z ženskim in mladinskim društvom. Iskreno se zahvaljujemo jednoti, ker nam je priskočila na pomoč, katero smo z veseljem in hvaležnostjo sprejeli. Apeliram na naše članstvo — moške, ženske in mladiče — da nam priskočijo na pomoč ter da pomagajo z denarnimi prispevki. Sklenjeno je bilo, da bomo apelirali na vse člane in članice ter na mladino, da bi pomagali — po 25 dolarjev, da bi jim plačali. Želim in upam, da se bo članstvo vseh treh društev stoddostno odzvalo in prispevalo, da se bo dom plačal. Kar se doma tiče, bo sedaj kmalu gotov. Bilo je dosti dela in dosti članov se je irtvovalo ter mnogi so delali. Dosti članov in članic je že plačalo 25 dolarjev, želim pa, da bi še ostali tako storili in priskočili na pomoč, da bo dom plačan. Mislim, da je vsem znano, da smo si denar izposodili iz hranilnice in ne treba plačevati obresti, ako bomo imeli dolg. Če pa se bodo vsi skupaj zavzeli, moški, ženske in mladina, potem pa nam ne bo treba plačevati obresti. Kakor hitro pa bo denar na rokah, kdor bo prispeval, se mu bo takoj vrnilo, kakor je bilo sklenjeno.

## Sand Coulee, Mont.

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## Cleveland, O.

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## Imenik prireditev federacije društev S.N.P.J.

- zapadne Pennsylvanije v Pittsburgh, Pennsylvanias
- Članstvo jednote domače in bližnje okolice se vabi, da se udeleži teh prireditev.
- DRUŠTVO ŠT. 428 SNPJ v Clairton, Pa.** bo obhajalo 15-letnico obstanka društva dne 25. oktobra 1936. Ravne na ta dan se vrši tudi seja Federacije SNPJ; valed tega se uljudno vabi na obilno udeležbo.
- DRUŠTVO ŠT. 88 SNPJ v Moon Run, Pa.** priredi svojo letno veselico dne 26. novembra 1936 na "Zahvalni dan." Uljudno vabimo domače občinstvo, kakor tudi iz drugih naselbin, da nas posetite na ta dan.
- OPOMBA:** Tajništvo federacije SNPJ objavlja priredbe društev po enkrat na mesec. Ogled na društva, ki so vključena v federacijo, stane 50 centov in je v letu priobčen enkrat na mesec toliko časa, da se vrši prireditev.
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tako da se vsi ni treba nič bati, da ta izgubljeni. Vam, da so razmere zelo slabe. Dela ni in služka ni, za dolar se pa tudi jako malo dobi. Sedaj, ko smo se že toliko irtvovali, moramo naše delo nadaljevati. Dom bo kmalu gotov in odbor je sklenil, da se bo glavna otvoritev vršila v soboto na 17. oktobra. Članstvo se uljudno vabi in prosil, da se bi udeležilo v velikem številu, tako da se bomo skupno zabavali in razveselili v svojem lastnem domu. Apeliram tudi na vsa ostala društva na železnem okrožju, da se odzovejo našemu vabilu in pridejo na otvoritev našega doma dne 17. oktobra in mi jih bomo z veseljem sprejeli ter jim dobro postregli. Na venslo svideenje! **Frank Bentz, blagajnik.**

## Springfield, Ill.

Društvo "Illinois" št. 47 bo praznovalo 30 letnico svojega obstanka dne 25. oktobra v Slovenskem domu. Imeli bomo bogat program in obeta se nam obilo zabave. Vabljeni ste vsi člani in članice tega in vseh ostalih društev te okolice, da se udeležite v velikem številu. — Delavske razmere v tej okolici niso nič kaj povoljne za delavce. Brezposelnih je še mnogo. Tako bo tudi menda še ostalo, dokler se ne bo delavstvo zavedlo in si izvolilo svoje lastne zastopnike v javne urade, kateri bodo zastopali delavske interese. Na dan volitev volite vsi le delavske kandidate! **Jakob Bergovšek, 47.**

## Aurora, Minn.

Pozivam vse člane in članice društva "Aurora" št. 43 SNPJ, da se vsi udeležite prihodnje seje v nedeljo 4. okt. Začetek točno ob drugi uri popoldne. Na tej seji bodo jako važne stvari radi proslave 30 letnice našega društva, kako in kaj bomo imeli na programu. Že vse poletje smo na sejah malo reševali, in na zadnji seji je bilo sklenjeno, da trije člani izdelajo načrt za program in ga predložijo na seji, da se odobri ali zavrzje. Zato vsi na prihodnjo redno sejo, da ne bo potem pregovarjanja, češ, da to ni prav, kajti tako se večkrat zgodi. **John Modetz, tajnik.**

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Vsem zainteresentom naznanjam, da sem se vrnil z obiska v starem kraju ter da sem zopet stalno pri svojem delu.

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pa jih hoče več, naj se prijavi na seji.

Assesment se poleg na seji pobira tudi vsakega 25. v mesecu v Slov. domu od 7. do 9. ure zvečer. Uradnega kolektorja do sedaj še nimamo.

**Mary Peterlin, tajnica.**

## Chicago.

Kar se tiče nagrad, ki se bodo oddale na prireditvi vinskih trgatve društva Slavija št. 1 SNPJ dne 17. okt., je treba naznanilo od zadnje srede popraviti, ker je bilo napačno. Veselčni odbor je namreč zaključil, da se oddasta dve nagradi (tatovom grozdja. Prva nagrada \$2 se da onemu, kateri plača največ \$21. drugemu taču grozdja pa \$1. Za prodajo vstopnik ni torej nobene nagrade. Toliko v prijazno pojasnilo. **Joseph Wershey, tajnik.**

## Akron, O.

Za člane društva št. 170 je važno, da ne udeležijo seje dne 4. oktobra. Vršila se bo v starem prostoru na 932 E. Market st. in se bo pričela ob 9. dopoldne. Posebno naj pridejo člani, kateri se letos še niso udeležili nobene seje. Prečitajte pravila in se boste bolj zapimali za svoje društvo. Kolikor je vam sa društvo, toliko je društvu za vas. Tisti, ki še niste plačali 50c, ker se niste udeležili piknika, storite to takoj.

## Dne 19. sept.

Dne 19. sept. je društvo praznovalo svojo 25 letnico. Iskreno se zahvaljuje društvom št. 48 in št. 73 za poset. Od društva 535 so se udeležili br. Bregar, br. Anderliuh in br. Sober. Iskrena zahvala vsem. Tudi predsednica iz Magadore se je udeležila. Kaj pa člani društva št. 170? Ob tej priliki se zahvaljujemo tudi neznanim družini za prično delo.

Naša proslava je bila uspešna. Vse je bilo veselo, vsi skupaj ste pripomogli, da je bilo vse dobro. Posebno mnogo je pripomoglo

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## ELAINE SERDONER

katera je preminula 2. oktobra 1935

Minulo je leto dni od kar si, hčerka in sestrica, Ti ločila se od nas. Tugo, žalost in srčne nam rane, nezacejene si pustila za seboj. Kruta smrt je cvetoče življenje pokosila Tvoje. Sedaj grob Tvoj sveže cvetja odeva in solnce rumeno ga ogreva. Ti pa, nepozabna hčerka in sestrica naša, v hladni zemlji mirno spiš.—Žalujoči ostali: Albin in Anna Serdoner, stariša; Peter in Albin Jr., brata; Anna Jr. in Jessie, sestrici v Detroitu, Mich.

## VABILO K PROSLAV

# Moji vtisi s priredb v Penni

Poleg slavnosti dneva SNPJ, ki se je vršila ob praznikih Lander day ali točneje povedano 5., 6. in 7. septembra t. l. v Univerziteti v Pittsburghu, in o kateri smo poročali v Prosveti, je bila slavnostna priredba v Syganu najbolj impozantnih in najpomenljivejših, kar smo jih do zdaj videli v zapadni Pennsylvaniji. Društvo je namreč na praznikih obhajalo 25 letnico svojega obstanka, na katero sem bil povabljen s konferenco za atletiko, ki se je vršila isti dan v Pittsburghu. Že številka sama govori, da mora to biti eno od največjih priredb, ki so se združila v organizaciji in jednotin zasluge, ki jih kaže, da se je pridružil SNPJ dne 24. aprila 1904 v Pennsylvaniji in da si je dalo ime Bratstvo.

Kakor običajno ob priliki vsake svoje priredbe, tako je znalo društvo tudi za to slavnost zadržati široko množico ljudi ter izvesti slavnostni program z velikimi moralnimi in gromitni uspehi. In v tem oziru je res lahko gledati drugim. Dobro bi bilo marsikatero društvo, če bi moglo imeti Sygančane posnemati v tem oziru.

Priprave za slavnost je imel na čelu posebni odbor pod spretnim vodstvom društvenega tajnika J. Dermote, kateremu so članje pred kratkim priredili presenečenje ali "surprise party" za dvajsetletno nepretrgano tajništvo društva. Slavnostni program je otvoril društveni predstojnik F. Pustavrh s primernim govorom, nakar je predal vodstvo programa J. Kvartiču, ki je kmalu pokazal svojo izkušnost v takih rečeh. Kvartič nam je povedal tudi marsikaj zanimivega in nam jih čisto v pravih besedah pripovedoval, kako se je društvo razvijalo in kako se je pridruženost članov na novo napredno jednoto v njih časih, ko je bilo še toliko nevarnosti in miselne teme med nami rojaki ter kako so s potrpežljivostjo, vztrajnostjo in dobriimi trditvami vse to premagali in lepo uspeli. Povedali so nam tudi, kako so se po sedmih letih društvenega obstanka odločili, da si zgradijo svoje lastne prostore za zborovanje in druge potrebe društva in kako je postalo to poslopje ne samo dom društva, temveč dom in središče vse slovenske naselbine v Syganu in v drugih precej daleč naokrog. Br. Julius Lesjak je orisal dogodek, ko so pričeli graditi, kako so člani kopali za klet in pridno delali skup kamenje, les in druge potrebni material. Vsak je rad prostovoljno pomagal, kje in koliko je mogel in marljivo so bile pri tem tudi članice. Imeli so kajpada tudi denarne potežkoče in morali so čisto iskati pomoči. Toda z marljivostjo in složnostjo je bilo z gradnjo lepo naprej in z izstreljenimi močmi so si sčasoma ustvarili lep društveni dom, ki je pozneje izkazal zelo potrebnost in koristen njim in na katero so upravičeno ponosni vsi.

Društvenim govornikom so sledili zunanji govorniki, kakor John Terdelj, Maks Kumer, Oscar Godina in moja malenkost, vmes so pa deklamirali Julija Kramzar in Margareta Eržen slovensko ter Frank Dolinar angleško, pevsko društvo Prešeren v Pittsburghu pa je zapelo nekaj krasnih pesmi. Pa tudi izvrsten talent na harmoniko smo imeli priliki slišati, čigar ime pa si nisem zapomnil. Kumer in Godina sta iz mlade generacije in govorila sta angleško, toda njihovo izvajanje je pazno sledilo tudi slovensko občinstvo. Kajti oba sta v svojih govorih globoko posegla v naše probleme, ki se kažejo kakor staršev tako tudi naše mladine, kar sta dobro obdelala in zakar sta žela burno odobravanje od obojih. Sploh je občinstvo z velikim zanimanjem sledilo vsaki točki programa ter pazno poslušalo in se mirno zadrževalo ves čas, kar je med nami redkost in zakar, zasluži priznanje. Tudi v tem oziru bi se lahko drugi od naših Sygančanov naučili. Programu je sledila večerja, katero so nam med drugim pripravljale naše vrle

članice, tej pa prosta zabava in ples in veseljenje je trajalo pozno v noč, kakor je že običaj pri takih priredbah naših društev in kar tudi mora biti, saj delavci potrebujemo tudi veselja in smo upravičeni do razvedrila. In pošteno zaslužimo oboje!

Slavnost društva v Syganu je nudila veliko užitka vsem in je res pomembna in nekaj vredna za društvo in jednoto, in taka priredba v resnici zasluži, da se ji reče slavnost!

In društveni dom tudi pošteno zasluži to ime. Kajti ta dom ni bil zgrajen z namenom, da bo v glavnem le za pivnico, kakor se — žal — prečesto opaža drugod, pač jim je služil tudi kot delavška šola in izobraževalnica ter bil ves čas važno kulturno središče. Je to res pravi delavski dom, poznan kot tak daleč naokrog, kakor je društvo št. 6 poznano kot pravo delavsko Bratstvo, katero ime res zasluži!

Vincent Cankar,  
gl. predsednik.

# Glasovi iz naselbin

**Organizacija brezposelnih**  
Chicago. — Slovenski klub organizacije brezposelnih št. 61, Illinois Workers Alliance, ima sejo ta teden v četrtek zvečer v spodnjih prostorih dvorane SNPJ. Na tej seji moramo urediti vse potrebno za veselico, ki jo klub priredi prihodnji teden v soboto dne 10. oktobra. Tudi druge različne zadeve glede delovanja organizacije bo treba izvršiti. Seja bo torej važna, in člani se resno vabijo, da se je udeležijo.

**Organizacija brezposelnih, the Workers Alliance of America, je bila po dolgem prizadevanju priznana kot zastopnica delavcev na javnih delih, to je pri WPA. To priznanje je dobila od osrednje uprave javnih del, Works Progress Administration v Washingtonu. Da se tako priznanje napravi polnomočno v posameznih državah, je potreben sporazum med državno organizacijo brezposelnih in med državno upravo javnih del. Za čikaški okraj je bil tak sporazum že dosežen. Delavcem pri javnih delih se torej svetuje, da pristopijo v Illinois Workers Alliance, kjer bodo imeli zaslobo organizacije, ki bo delovala slično kot delujoče delavske unije za svoje člane.**

**Glede organiziranja delavcev pri javnih delih je treba omeniti, da Workers Alliance je skupna organizacija za brezposelne na podpori in tiste, ki so pri delih WPA. To je potrebno, kajti interesi obojih so v mnogih slučajih enaki. Plača \$65 na mesec v mnogih slučajih ne zadostuje. Treba se je boriti za dodatno podporo. Mnogo delazmožnih je še vedno na podpori. Organizacija se bori za delo za vsakega delazmožnega delavca. Nadalje, je kdaj odpuščen od dela, pri katerem je dobil \$55 mesečno, on nima prihrankov. Podpora je edino sredstvo, na katerega se more zanašati. Da se taka podpora zopet dobi, je mnogokrat potrebno posredovanje organizacije.**

**Končno naj bo omenjeno, da organizacija, kot je Workers Alliance, je odvisna od prispevkov od brezposelnih in delavcev z malimi plačami. Za kritje stroškov klubi prireajo razne veselice.**

**Slovenski klub priredi domačo zabavo v soboto 10. oktobra v spodnji dvorani SNPJ. Občinstvo se uljudno vabi, da se zabave udeleži. Vstopnina bo samo 15c, medtem ko bo godba in postrežba prve vrste. Namen prireditve je nadvse hvalevreden. Rojaki, odzovite se temu vabilu, ki je v korist organizaciji, ki je že in je še vedno pripravljena pomagati marsikateremu našemu rojaku. Torej na svidenje 10. oktobra zvečer v dvorani SNPJ!**

**Za odbor:**  
Simon Trojar.

**Zenski odsek SDD vabi**  
Detroit, Mich. — Gospodinjiski klub SDD priredi domačo zabavo v soboto 3. okt. v spodnjih prostorih SDD na 437 S. Livernois ave. Vstopnina prosta, vabiljeni pa ste vsi. Igrala bo dobra godba. Od sedaj naprej bomo imeli vsako soboto in nedeljo zabavo v SDD. Kadar pa bo dvorana od dana drugim strankam, se bomo

pa poslužili naše sobe zadaj, ki je dovolj primerna za naše domače zabave. Tu se nudi vsem rojakom in rojakinjam pristna domača zabava, zato pa se potrudite in pridite v soboto na našo domačo zabavo vsi. Na ta način boste pomagali do boljšega obstanka S. D. D. Tu ne gre za koristi posameznikov, temveč za skupno korist našega doma. Zato pa pridite! Gospodinjiski klub bo pa skrbel, da boste deležni dobre postrežbe in fine zabave.

M. Anzicek.

**Zenski odsek SND**  
No. Chicago, Ill. — Balicanje pri SND se bo kmalu zaključilo, kajti nastopil je mrz. Skozi vse poletje pa smo se prav dobro zabavali z balincanjem. Upam, da je ta aktivnost SND dosti koristila. Tudi me ženske smo se precej zabavale z balincanjem. In kaj sedaj na jesen in čez zimo?

Članice gospodinjiskega odseka SND, katere niso bile na zadnji seji, opozarjam, da gotovo pridejo na sejo v četrtek dne 1. oktobra. Obenem naznanjam, da smo na prošli seji sklenile, da se bomo čez zimo enkrat na teden shajale, to je, da bomo imele nekakšen klub za razna ročna dela. Gospodinjiski klub tudi vabi vse ljubiteljske Narodnega doma, da pridete na to sejo v četrtek in pristopite v naš odsek.

Torej na svidenje 1. oktobra ob 7.30 zvečer!  
Louis Ogrin, tajnica.

**Konferenca 25. okt.**  
Clairton, Pa. — Dne 25. okt. se vrši konferenca društev SNPJ zapadne Penne v Clairtonu, Pa., v Shady parku. Pričetek ob 10. dopoldne. To bo važna konferenca za napredek in dobroti jednote. Posamezniki društev se vabijo in se pričakuje, da bodo dobro zastopana vsa društva.

Za nameček po končani konferenci je naše društvo št. 426 sklenilo proslaviti 15 letnico svojega obstanka s primernim programom, da se delegacija malo razveseli. Za to bosta skrbela rojaka in umetnika Frank in Joe, katera igrata vsako soboto na radiopostaji WWSW v Pittsburghu ob 1.45 pop. in tudi oglašata s postaje našo prireditev. Zato želimo, da nas posetijo tudi drugi člani in simpatičarji naše jednote, bodisi da prisostvujete konferenci ali da se navžijete domačega veselja po konferenci.

Pričakujemo obilnega poseta za napredek jednote in članstva. Kažipot bo objavljene pravčasno.  
Mike Čebašek, 426.

**Zabava v La Sallu**  
La Salle, Ill. — Zenski odsek Slovenskega doma priredi domačo zabavo s plesom prihodnje nedelje, dne 4. oktobra, v spodnji dvorani. Začetek ob dveh popoldne. Navzoč bo tudi Soderstrom, predsednik Illinoiske delavske federacije, ki spregovori nekaj besed. — Josephine Deržič.

**Nova teroristična organizacija v Coloradu**  
Denver, Colo. — Tu je bila ustanovljena nova teroristična organizacija, ki ima med svojimi člani prominentne politike. Skozi vsi so bivši kukluksklanovci, ki že dolgo časa vodijo gonjo proti delavcem, tujoerodcem in katolikom.

# NAŠI ODRI

**"Rdeče rože" v So. Chicagu**  
So. Chicago, Ill. — V nedeljo, dne 11. oktobra popoldne se bo pri nas vršila velika prireditev društva "Delavec" št. 8 SNPJ, ko bo na tukajšnjem odru Hrvatskega doma dramski odsek kluba št. 1 JSZ iz Chicaga uprizoril znano dramo "Rdeče rože". To bo glavna točka programa, poleg tega pa bo tudi par drugih zanimivosti na odru.

Že mesec se pri nas in v naši okolici govori o tej posebni prireditvi in slavnosti. Sedaj pa se nam bliža datum 11. oktobra, ko bomo tudi pri nas imeli priliko videti to zanimivo dramo — "Rdeče rože" — ki je bila na naših odrih v vseh večjih naselbinah že uprizorjena in povsod z velikim uspehom.

Bratje in sestre, prijatelji in znanici! Potrudite se, da boste imeli vstopnice že pred datumom, tako da boste gotovi, da boste lahko prišli v dvorano. Pokažite nam svoje sodelovanje, svojo bratsko ljubezen in naklonjenost z velikim posetom. Mi pa bomo znali vaš poset čeniti in o priliki zasluži vrniti.

Društvo "Delavec" št. 8 SNPJ je za te prireditve izdalo velike plakate, ki so se tiskali v tiskarni SNPJ. Sedaj so razobešeni, da z mnogih oken trgovin naznanjajo ljudstvu, da se bo dne 11. okt. vršila velika prireditev v So. Chicagu v Hrvatskem domu. Vse je pripravljeno, društveni uradniki se trudijo, da bo vse pravčasno urejeno in preskrbljeno. Igralci so nas obvestili, da se z navdušenjem vadijo svojih vlog, da to zanimivo igranje pbnovijo za nas. Isti igralci so to socialno dramo že petkrat uprizorili in to pot jo bodo sestili. Že to nam je v dokaz, da je igra resnično zanimiva in lepa ter pomenljiva za nas delavce. V dokaz pa nam je tudi, da so igralci izredno dobro pripravljani. Saj so s to igro nastopili že v La Sallu, Waukeganu, Milwaukeeju in Sheboyganu ter Chicagu.

V nedeljo 11. okt. se pričakuje velika udeležba na tej prireditvi v HND na 9618 Commercial ave. Za ples bo igral Kočevarjev orkester iz Chicaga. V spodnjih prostorih bo igral Devjakov trio. Zabave bo torej dovolj za vse stare in mlade, postrežba bo imenitna v vseh ozirih, program pa bo izredno bogat za vse, ki se bodo udeležili. Take igre, tako lepe delavske drame, še niste videli v So. Chicagu kakor jo boste v nedeljo 11. okt.

Program se prične ob 3. popoldne. Vstopnice dobite pri članih in pri tajniku. Na veselo svidenje!  
Frank Gorenc.

**Predavanje v knjižnici o položaju na Španskem**  
Chicago. — V Tomanovi podružnici čikaške javne knjižnice na oglu Crawford ave. in 27. ulice se ta petek, dne 2. oktobra, ob osmih zvečer odpre nova sezona predavanj in debat. Omenjenega dne bo predaval municipalni sodnik John Gutknecht o tevilni vojni v Španiji. Sodnik Gutknecht se je zadnje poletje mudil v Španiji in je videl na lastne oči, kaj se godi tamkaj. Po predavanju bo sodnik odgovarjal na vprašanja poslušalcev.

# Unija strojnikov obsodila Lewisov odbor

(Nadaljevanje s 1. strani.)  
organiziranja in kolektivnega pogajanja.

Spencer Miller, direktor Delavskega prosvetnega biroja, je v svojem govoru opozarjal organizirano delavstvo, da mora biti stalno na straži proti fašistični nevarnosti. Situacija v Evropi je silno napeta, fašizem se širi in bo morda prodril v Ameriko, zato morajo biti ameriški delavci vedno pripravljeni.

Delegat je pozdravil župan Hoan, socialist, ki je na krmlu mestne vlade že dvajset let. On je dejal, da nobena druga delavska organizacija ni toliko prispevala k napredku mesta kot unija strojnikov. "Uspešna vlada je mogoča le v krajih, kjer imajo delavci močne organizacije," je kekel Hoan.

**Sodišče potrdilo obsodbe stavkarjev**  
Camden, N. J. — Sodnik Frank Neutze je odobril obsodbe petih stavkarjev, članov unije United Electrical & Radio Workers of America, ki so bili aretirani na obtožbo kaljenja miru, ko so piketirali tovarno RCA-Victor Co. in jih je policijsko sodišče spoznalo za krive in poslalo v zapor. Skupni delavski obrambni odbor, ki se je zavzel za aretirane stavkarje, ima pred seboj težak boj zaradi akcije sodnika Neutzeja. Ta odbor brani 54 stavkarjev, ki so bili aretirani v zvezi z demonstracijami pred tovarno te družbe v Camdenu.

**Tekstilna unija se bo borila za sedež na konvenciji ADF**  
New York. — Unija United Textile Workers of America je na svoji konvenciji sklenila, da se bo borila za pravico sedeža na konvenciji Ameriške delavske federacije, ki se bo pričela v novembru v Tampu, Fla. Ta je bila suspendirana iz federacije zaeno z drugimi unijami, ki so včlanjene v Odboru za industrijsko organizacijo.

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# ZAHVALA



Richard B. Russell, zvezni senator iz Georgije.

Podpisana se najsrčneje zahvaljujema za PRESENEČENJE najnove 25 letnega zakonskega življenja. Dne 1. septembra 1936 je prišla k nam Mrs. Wračar in naju povabila na "Shower" partijo njih hčerke in sicer za 12. sept., nakar sva se odpravila na omenjeni dan jaz in soproga, da greva v Lyceum Hall na Oakmont, Pa., pred najinim odhodom pa pridejo sodrugi Mary in John Kaus in Anton Sorch, ter pravijo, da gredo tudi oni tja v isto dvorano. (To je bila samo prevara.) Potem odidemo skupno v dvorano; ko vstopiva, je zadonelo "Surprise" za najino srebrno poroko od velike množice prijateljev in prijateljic, na to so naju obdarili s šopkom krasnih cvetlic, na šopku je bilo obeseni 25 srebrnih dolarjev, katere sta darovala John Kaus in Anton Sorch. Midva sva kar obstala ko sva zagledala dvorano vso okrašeno in mize obložene z raznimi dobrotami in vse polne prijateljev in znancev in med njimi so bili iz oddaljenega Clevelanda. Teško se nama je izraziti o najinih občutkih, ki sva jih doživela valed ginjenosti, ko sva uzrla vesele obraze v tako veliki družbi a ker se nama vsled prevelikega presenečenja ni bilo mogoče vsem takoj na licu mesta zahvaliti, se tem potom najpriščneje zahvaliva vsem in sicer našima znanoma Antonu in Josephu Kaus, nadalje sorodnikom Mary in Joseph Klavora, Rozie in Louis Flajs, Mary in Joseph Flajs, ter prijateljem in prijateljicam: Mary in Joseph Komatz, Antonia in Anton Kaus, Amalija in Anton Sorch, Annie in Anton Flisek, Mary in John Kaus, ki ste pomagali vse to lepo vrediti in ko ste pomagali pri delu, da je bila zabava resnično popolna in prvovrstna. Lepa hvala Andrej Flajsju, ko je tako izvrstno vodil ves program, ter pevcom, ki so nama tako lepo zapeli par krasnih pesmi. Hvala Joseph Flajsju, ko je spremljal petje na glasovih in John Ferjanu za gniljiv govor. Anton Leskovcu, ko je predstavil staro rino in John Kausu ter Anton Sorchu, ko sta naju že drugič spremlja k poroki, Anton Klemenčiču, ko je naju ponovno potičil. Srčna hvala vsem za častitke in seganje v roke in voščila, da bi zdrava in vesela preživela še mnoga leta. Hvala Betty Flajs in Kristini Kaus, ki sta nama predložili lepe darove, Louise Flajs, ki mi je podarila cvetlice in Fred Flajsju, ki je položil sprogu srebrni klobuk na glavo. Iskrena hvala Fr. Likovčevemu orkestru iz Library, ko so nam igrali vesele poskočnice do belega dne, tako da je res bilo vse zadovoljno. Še enkrat srčna hvala vsem za vse darove in udeležbo in sicer: družinam Al. Flajs, A. Sorch, J. Komatz, A. Kaus, A. Flisek, I. Wračar, J. Jakovac, M. Kostec, J. Komatz, Carl Komatz, F. Dalles, T. Kravanja in V. Kaus, vsi iz Oakmonta, Pa. P. Painter, J. Šloser, P. Zakrajšek, M. Šlivšek, iz Verone, Pa. A. Flajs iz Blawnox, Pa. J. Flajs, J. Kaus, J. Kaus Jr., J. Ferjan, J. Sorch, A. Berginc, J. Kaus, V. Berginc in J. Kaus ml., iz Harmsville, Pa. A. Hrovat in L. Kokeč iz Indianola, Pa. A. Klemenčič, A. Stanich, J. Tomšič, I. Dovjak iz Cheswick, Pa. J. Koncilija, J. Progar iz Springdale, Pa. A. Kaus, J. Ocvirk, A. Kaus ml., J. Ocvirk ml., A. Leskovich, A. Kelher in M. Debesek iz Harwick, Pa. L. Stock, F. Gruden, P. Kranker iz Russellton, Pa. J. Hrovat, F. Rupnik in Miss F. Kaulič iz Library, Pa. J. Klavora, L. Moler, M. Stern, J. Moler, A. Mazi in F. Stern iz Hermine, Pa. J. Kravanja J. Kaus, F. Podbavek in J. Kravanja iz Yukon, Pa. T. Salamon, A. Komatz, J. Riddle iz Penn, Pa. A. Spik in J. Šubel iz Cleveland, Ohio, in dvema družinama iz Kanade, ki so nas tudi posetili. Slučajno, da sva katerega imela izpustila pomočoma, prosiva, da nama prizadeti oprostite: Končno se še enkrat prav lepo zahvaliva vsem skupaj. Bodite prepričani, da nama ta dan ostane v trajnem spominu in midva se bova vas hvaležna spominjala, ter ob enaki priliki sva pripravljena vam po možnosti povrniti. Vam hvaležna Anton in Tereza Kaus, 419 Virginia Ave. Oakmont, Pa.



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# Glasovi iz naselbin

**Velika veselica društva 'Pioneer'**  
Chicago. — V soboto, dne 3. oktobra zvečer, se bo vršila velika jesenska veselica društva "Pioneer" št. 559 SNPJ. To bo enajsta letna veselica te vrste mladih Pionirjev. Letošnja se bo vršila v prostrani dvorani v Pilsen parku na Albany in 26th st. Igral bo prvovrstni Hessov orkester z deseterico godbenikov. Vrhu tega se bo oddala vstopninska nagrada ali door prize petdesetih dolarjev v gotovini. Vstopnina s posebnim listkom samo 35 centov in brez listka 40 centov. Udeleženci bodo deležni običajne postrežbe, ki pri Pionirjih slovi kot najboljša.

Prva leta so se vse veselice društva Pioneer vršile v dvorani SNPJ. Naval pa je bil posebno na letnih jesenskih veselicah vselej tako velik, da je društvo bilo prisiljeno iskati večjih prostorov, večje plesne dvorane. Parkrat je najelo velik Havličkov avditorij v neposredni bližini dvorane SNPJ. Najemnina te dvorane ob sobotah stane precej visoko vsoto grošev, tako tudi prvovrstni orkester, ki je za take dvorane potreben. Društvo stremi vedno za večjimi udeležbami, za novimi rekordi v več ozirih, tako tudi za rekord v številu članstva. Vodstvo društva si prizadeva, da na svoje prireditve privabi velike množice občinstva. Letni Pionirjevi pikniki so postali najboljše obilne prireditve med nami. Isto velja za jesenske veselice.

## Perušek in Adamič

Iz mase priseljenega slovenskega proletariata v Ameriki sta se v zadnjih desetih letih izučila dva moža, o katerih lahko rečemo, da sta se dvignila nad našo ožjo javnost in prodrla v široko ameriško javnost s svojim doprinosom k bogastvu onih kulturnih vrednot, ki so po svoji vsebini mednarodne in svetovne.

To se pravi, da sta ta dva moža, eden morda malo bolj ko drugi, danes znana in respektirana tudi med Američani, ki ju že štejejo za svoja kulturna delavca, dasi se nista odtrgala od nas in se prav nič ne sramujeta svojega preprostega slovenskega izvora. Oba sta sinova dolenskega kmeta in oba sta prinesla v Ameriko le prvine znane šolske izobrazbe; razvila in izobrazila sta se sama šele tu.

Vse naše podporne organizacije imajo vedno pred seboj problem, kam in kako investirati svoj kapital, da bo siguren in varen. Vedno so se kupovali bondi različnih korporacij, sedaj se pa najbolj kupujejo bondi zvezne vlade. Vprašanje nastane, ali so U. S. bondi res tako varni in zanesljivi? Kdo more to garantirati? Mar ne pride lahko do velike spremembe v ameriški vladi, do še večjega vladnega dolga in inflacije, kar bi povzročilo, da bi vlada izgubila kredit pri vebankirjih? Koliko bi bili tedaj vredni njeni bondi? Vlada ima tudi pravico znižati valuto in vrednost bondov. Mogoče so še druge nevarnosti glede vladnih bondov, o katerih si mi še misliti ne moremo. Pod današnjim sistemom je vse mogoče.

## Pub. odsek.

**O investicijah SNPJ**  
Detroit, Mich. — Zadnja konvencija SNPJ leta 1933 se je veliko bavila z vprašanjem, kako investirati denar jednote, da bo večja varnost in sigurnost. Gl. odbor je poročal, da posojila na hiše in posestva na prvo vknjižbo niso več varna; da hiše in zemljišča propadajo v cenah; da je brezposelnost in kriza hudo udarila člane, da mnogi ne morejo plačevati asessment in oblagacij na posojila; da bi bilo v slučaju epidemije ali katastrofe lahko prizadeto večje število članov in da bi jednota ne mogla plačevati podpore in smrtnine v gotovini, ako bi ne imela likvidnih investicij. "Ali naj damo članom hiše ali zemljišča za podporo in smrtnino?" je bil argument.

Tu v Detroitu imamo rojake in člane SNPJ, kateri imajo dobre inženirske zmožnosti v avtomobilski stroki. Uposleni so pri različnih korporacijah, ki črpajo njih znanje in energijo — privatniki, kateri imajo ogromne profite od njih. Tudi imamo lepo število različnih mehanikov in drugih avtnih delavcev.

Tukaj se je sedaj organizirala slovenska korporacija pod menom General Body Corporation. Njeni ustanovitelji so vsi člani SNPJ. V načrtu imajo produciranje modernih "trailerjev", ali hiš na kolesih, katere pritrđiš k avtomobilu in se pōdaš kamorkoli hočeš. Uposliti nameravajo samo Slovence in posebno one, ki so dosegli večjo starost in kateri ne dobe več dela pri velikih korporacijah. V načrtu imajo unijske plače, o semurno delo po pet dni na teden. Vsak delavec naj bi zaslužil najmanj \$35 na teden. Podjetje je inkorporirano po postavi države Michigan.

## Pub. odsek.

Ali se ne bomo nikdar nič naučili? Vsak človek dela napake, dokler je živ, največkrat malenkostne napake, ali oni, ki mislijo, da so brez napak in da "vse vedo", mahajo z loparjem po vsakem javnem delavcu: Ubiti ga je treba! In ko ga ubijejo, se obrnejo na peti in zaženejo krik za spomenik.

Vse je v redu, pošteno in zanesljivo. Zgradili so lep modern vzorec, ki nadkrijuje vse druge izdelke. Ta vzorec je tehnična dovršenost. Zelo okusen od zunaj in znotraj in zelo pripraven. Ima vse moderne udobnosti—postelje za štiri osebe, peč za kuhanje in za gretje, mizno, zofo, hladilnik, radio, shrambo za obleko, umivalnik in prostor za kuhinjsko posodo. Zgradili so ga sami Slovenci in člani SNPJ. Polje je dobro in bodočnost lepa, da se ta mala korporacija enkrat razvije v veliko podjetje.

## Pub. odsek.

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V Sanduskyju, O., je bila pred par tedni konvencija in razstava vseh korporacij, ki izdelujejo avtne "trailerje" v Ameriki. Razloženi so bili vsi tipi. In da naši rojaki ne zaostanejo, so se tudi oni udeležili te razstave s svojim vzorcem, ki je imel največ obiskovalcev in oglednikov izmed vseh izdelkov. Dobili so tudi večja naročila, in sicer toliko, ako bi jih hoteli izpolniti, bi morali producirati od 10 do 20 "trailerjev" na dan, za kar bi potrebovali od 300 do 400 delavcev.

## Pub. odsek.

Naši loparniki ne bodo ubili Peruška in Adamiča. Če hočeta, se lahko umakneta iz naše srede in gresta med Američane. Vendar tega ne bosta storila, ker imata proporcno več simpatij do našega izkoriščenega delavca kakor jih ima na splošno naše delavstvo do njiju. V zadostnje jima lahko je, da je med slovenskimi delavci v Ameriki veliko število onih, ki imajo smisel za kulturna in socialna prizadevanja svojih ljudi ter jima dajo priznanje, katero jima gre.

Vprašanje nastane, zakaj ne gredo z delom naprej? Odgovor je, ker nimajo dovolj kapitala. Ako bi hoteli zadostiti tem naročilom, bi potrebovali od \$40.000 do \$50.000 kapitala. Tega bi lahko dobili, ako bi hoteli prepustiti kontrolo podjetja dru-

gim. Toda oni hočejo, da ostane v rokah Slovencev, da bodo imeli koristi in zaslužek naši ljudje.

Tu so vsi pogoji in lepa prilika za investicije. Kdor ima denar v banki, dobi le 1% obresti. Bankirji špekulirajo z vašim denarjem in ko bo prišla nova kriza, bodo banke zopet zaprli z znanimi posledicami. Ako hočemo Slovenci priti do kakšnega podjetja, je samo ena pot, in to je, da podpiramo to podjetje po zmožnosti. Mogoče bo marsikdo vprašal: ali bo kaj iz tega, ali bo vse skupaj izgubljeno? Prav to je naša velika slabost: pomanjkanje energije, zaupanja in čisto mero nevoščljivosti. Ničesar nočemo riskirati in poskušati Najbolj mirno spimo, če imamo bančno knjižico pod preprogo ali v blazini.

Tu ima tudi SNPJ lepo priliko, da se zainteresira v to korporacijo in jo podpre. Tu bi imeli člani delo, jednota redne dohodke in boljše investicije kakor drugod. Bilo bi tudi v ponos za SNPJ, ako bi lahko rekli: to je delo članov in jednote. Ako ima gospodarski odsek in celokupni glavni odbor pravico investirati v industrijska podjetja, bi jaz priporočal, naj se zainteresira in pronajme vse fakte te slovenske korporacije ter jo podpre, da stvar ne pride v tuje roke. Podjetje ima vse pogoje za razvoj in tudi različne ponudbe.

## Pub. odsek.

**Anton Jurca, 121.**  
Dvajsetletna proslava Vipavskega raja  
Cleveland, O. — Pred nami je proslava dela, katerega smo si začrtali pred 20 leti in šli energično po poti do zaželjenega cilja. Pred 20 leti se nas je zbrala skupina zavednih mož in fantov, po večini iz Krasa in Vipave, ki smo spoznali potrebo, da si ustanovimo podporno društvo. Dali smo mu ime Vipavski raj po svojem rodnem kraju in ga priklopili k SNPJ.

## Pub. odsek.

Ze takrat smo računali na delo, da je vsak začetek skromen in vsaka stvar, ki hoče uspevati, mora biti tako zasnovana, da se razvija polagoma, korak za korakom. In nismo se motili. Vedno smo se zavedali bratstva in sijnaje pomoči, katero nam je nudila ta naša zdrava organizacija. Da nismo bili topi in slepi napram njej, je dokaz to, da ji vračamo s tem, da ji dajemo novo moč naših hčera in sinov. Ne samo to! Mi tudi navdušeno podpiramo idejo, da je treba našim malim članom in članicam mladinskega oddelka dati priložnost do konkretne izobrazbe v smislu principov SNPJ in delavske ideologije.

## Pub. odsek.

**Srebrni jubilej društva 153**  
Youngstown, O. — Društvo "Slovenski Narod" št. 153 SNPJ bo praznovalo svojo 25 letnico v soboto, dne 10. oktobra v Ukrajinski dvorani. Uljudno vabimo vse naše člane in članice ter vsa sosedna društva, da nas posejijo na tem slavlju v velikem številu. Uljudno vabimo tudi vse ustanovitelje našega društva ter vse rojake sploh.

## Pub. odsek.

Na glavni urad smo pisali, da nam za to proslavo pošljejo govornika. Vprašali smo za br. F. Vidra. Vsa okrožna društva se naprošajo, da ne prirejajo veselic in omenjeni dan, temveč da pridejo na našo proslavo. Pridejo naj in naj nam pomagajo s svojim sodelovanjem na proslavi 25 letnice našega društva. Mi se bomo potrudili, da bo naša proslava v počast društvu in jednoti kakor vsej okolici.

## Pub. odsek.

Skušnje nas učijo, da je SNPJ naša najboljša mati, ki nam stoji ob strani v slučaju boleznih ali nesreče ter smrti. Ona si tudi prizadeva s svojim vrlim listom Prosveta širiti delavsko izobrazbo, tako da se mi kot delavec zavedamo časov, v katerih živimo ter da stopimo v vrste zavednega delavstva.

## Pub. odsek.

Se enkrat apeliram na vse članstvo, na vsa okoliška društva in vse rojake ter rojakinje, da se na 10. oktobra udeležijo slavlja 25 letnice našega društva. Igrala bo izvrstna godba iz Girarda. Vstopnina je 25c, pri vratih pa bo 30c. Na svidenje!

## Pub. odsek.

**Vinska trgatev**  
Springfield, Ill. — Da od dolgega časa ne umremo, je naš gospodinjki klub sklenil, da priredi vinsko trgatev v soboto 3. oktobra ob 8. zvečer. Vršila se bo v Petjetovih prostorih na 1857 So. Renfro st. To bo obenem prava domača zabava, za katero vlada veliko zanimanja. Grozde je le enkrat zrelo in žal ne bo nikomur, kdor se bo udeležil. Poleg tega bomo pekli tudi prave postvi, kakor nekoč v starem kraju. Pridite vsi!

Pevsko društvo Jugoslavija priredi svoj zabavni večer dne 24. okt. Slišali boste lepe slovenske pesmi in igrala bo dobra godba. Nudilo se vam bo obilo duševnega in telesnega razvedrila. Pokažite, da ste tudi vi za našo kulturo, da ste pripravljeni sodelovati z našimi pevci za povzdigo slovenske pesmi. Zato pa vsi na plan 24. okt.!

Slovenski delavski dom bo priredil nekaj izredno zanimivega dne 31. oktobra. To bo starokrajski ples in pa vinska trgatev. Na tej veliki veselici se bo oddal tudi lep zlatnik in še nekaj drugega, kar pa ostane tajnost do tistega večera.

Na vse te veselice ste uljudno vabljeni vsi in iz vse bližine in daljine okolice, da se udeležite v velikem številu vseh štirih prireditev!

## Pub. odsek.

**Theresia Glavach, 82.**  
30 letnica društva št. 47 SNPJ  
Springfield, Ill. — Društvo št. 47 SNPJ bo praznovalo 30 letnico svojega obstanka v nedeljo 25. oktobra v Slovenskem domu. Apeliramo na člane in članice, da se proslave gotovo udeležijo v velikem številu. Vstopnina za vso prireditve je samo 25c. Torej ne bo imel nihče izgovora, da je vstopnina previsoka.

## Pub. odsek.

Člani, kateri imajo otroke v mladinskem oddelku, se opozarjajo, da jih gotovo pripeljejo s seboj na proslavo 30 letnice, kajti tudi otroci bodo na tej prireditvi nastopili.

Obenem se pozivajo vsi člani in članice, da se gotovo vsi udeležijo redne mesečne seje dne 18. oktobra, ker bo treba urediti več važnih zadev za to prireditve.

## Pub. odsek.

Končno se vabijo vsa okoliška društva in vsi jugoslovanski prebivalci te okolice, da nas posejijo v velikem številu. Program ali spored se prične izvajati ob 3. popoldne. Preskrbljeno bo za vse, tako da ne bo ničesar manjkalo. Torej na veselo svidenje! Za društveni odbor:

## Pub. odsek.

**Frank Cemazar, tajnik.**  
Za društveni odbor:

## Pub. odsek.

Na glavni urad smo pisali, da nam za to proslavo pošljejo govornika. Vprašali smo za br. F. Vidra. Vsa okrožna društva se naprošajo, da ne prirejajo veselic in omenjeni dan, temveč da pridejo na našo proslavo. Pridejo naj in naj nam pomagajo s svojim sodelovanjem na proslavi 25 letnice našega društva. Mi se bomo potrudili, da bo naša proslava v počast društvu in jednoti kakor vsej okolici.

## Pub. odsek.

Skušnje nas učijo, da je SNPJ naša najboljša mati, ki nam stoji ob strani v slučaju boleznih ali nesreče ter smrti. Ona si tudi prizadeva s svojim vrlim listom Prosveta širiti delavsko izobrazbo, tako da se mi kot delavec zavedamo časov, v katerih živimo ter da stopimo v vrste zavednega delavstva.

## Pub. odsek.

Se enkrat apeliram na vse članstvo, na vsa okoliška društva in vse rojake ter rojakinje, da se na 10. oktobra udeležijo slavlja 25 letnice našega društva. Igrala bo izvrstna godba iz Girarda. Vstopnina je 25c, pri vratih pa bo 30c. Na svidenje!

# Adamičeva "Zibel življenja"

Cradle of Life. A novel by Louis Adamič. Harper Brothers, New York. Cena \$2.50

Naš rojak Louis Adamič se dobro udeležuje in utrjuje v ameriško-angelski literaturi. Vsako leto spiše eno knjigo. Njegova letosnja knjiga z naslovom "Cradle of Life" (Zibel življenja) je izšla pred nekaj dnevi v New Yorku in ameriška kritika se v glavnem pohvalja izraza o njegovem delu. "Kaj je ta izredni Adamič, ki prihaja iz evropske zibel, katere neprestano ziblje in ziblje? Hrvaški Tolstoj slovenski Hamlet ali Walt Whitman iz avstralskih krajev?" vprašuje kritik William Sosk v newyorški Herald-Tribuni.

## Pub. odsek.

"Cradle of Life" je povest, nenavadna povest. To se pravi: snov je nenavadna, dasi neznana. Čudno je le to, da starokrajski listi in dramatik, hrvaški ali slovenski, še ne izkoristili te snovi, katere se jim že desetletja valja pred nosom. Prišel je pa Adamič in snov imenitno porabil za Američane, ki imajo radi velike kontraste in globoko čustvena stvaja.

Rudo Stanka ali Rudolf Stanislav, junak Adamičeve povesti, je nezakonski sin avstrskega kronprinca Rudolfa in edinega sina cesarja Franca Jožefa, katerega so leta 18. našli ustreljenega v gradu Mayerlingu in leg njegova je ležala lepa baronica Večera ta ustreljena. Stanka pa ni bil sin Večere, temveč grofici Zdenke von Studentitz, katere je na skrivaj porodila v Zagrebu in potem z tajlila. Babica je dala otroka v rejo kmetu Dori Dugovi v Zagorju pri Zagrebu in tam Rudo preživel deset let mizerne eksistence, pa živel kot "faček" ali pankrt, kateremu so vsi otroci pljuvali v obraz. Takih pankrtov je bilo v Zagorju vse polno; prinašale so jih kmetice Zagreba in jih dojile s svojim mlekom, če kdo plačeval zanje. Kadar je pa plačilo izostalo, so "fački" hitro "zboleli" in umrli. Stanja je živel. Zanj je nekdo plačeval. In Dora je rada imela.

## Pub. odsek.

Zivljenje v koči Dore Dugove in njenega lovanskega moža Jureta je Adamič narisal moštrosko preciznostjo. Skrajno primitivno skoraj živalsko življenje! Revščina, da je strah in poleg bode strašno praznoterje. V selu vsaka mačka brez repa. Kmetje jim osekajo repe in jih vtaknejo v stene hiš, da odžene "zle duhove". Mali Rudo je "grdi mali Rud" zato, ker dete se ne sme klicati z lepim imenom — takoj je "uročeno" (zacaprano). Drogva — in druge kmetice — rodi otroka otrokom samo zato, da ima vedno dovolj mleka za zagrebške "fačke". In če neznana nezakonska mati ali kdo drugi, ki skrbi za otroka, ma več denarja, tedaj ni nobenega greha, mora "faček" umreti. Narobe: dobro delo, kajti otrok gre takoj v nebesa in postane angelček! Za časa, ko je Rudo tam, Dora Duga pošlje dva "angelčka" v nebesa. Do vbleš plug s kravo vred in nosi zelenjavo Zagreb na trg, njen Juro pa odhaja vsake tre na tajne roparske izlete v družbi svojih sorodnikov, kljub temu ne morejo izgaziti revščine. Roparska obrt pa ne ostane brez sledic. Zalotijo jih in dva—eden od teh Dora brat—sta javno obešena ob cesti pod vasjo Juro pa mora sedeti 18 mesecev.

## Pub. odsek.

Toda Stanka je dober vrh dohodkov za Dugove. Ko mu je deset let, se naglo odtrga tega življenja, od svoje Doramame in znajde v gradu Slavini pri Zagrebu—obdan od gove nant, učiteljev in cele armade služabnikov kor pravi princ! Ta prehod iz najglobljega dna na vrh sijaja in bogastva bi bil nemogoč v našem življenju, če ne bi Adamič imel opravila s desarskim "fačkom"; v tem slučaju je dober mogoč, kakor je tudi to, da je neznan gospod ki je prišel po dečka, nagradil Doro in Juro z vrečko zlatnikov.

## Pub. odsek.

Dругih deset let preživlja Rudo v gradu privatnim šolanjem. Uči se treh jezikov, slikarski slikar Kozak ga vadi v slikanju in da matinski mistik don Franjo ga vzgaja v vero. Dobi tudi novo mater v štajerski Sloveniki, mu gospodinjji. Ničesar mu ne manjka, to Rudo ni povsem zadovoljen. Ko odrasča, vzvame slikar Kozak s seboj na potovanje na Dunaj, v Italijo, Francijo in Belgijo, a tudi ne vosti in lepote tujega sveta ga ne umirijo. Mi sli mu neprenehoma uhajajo nazaj v otroški leta, v revno selo in k Doramami. Rudo Stanka je sam sebi vedno večja uganka. Čemu mu na svetu? Kdo je njegov oče, mati? Kdo mu je dal to bogastvo?

## Pub. odsek.

(Konec prihodnje sredo.)

## Pred dvajsetimi leti

(Iz Prosvete z dne 30. septembra 1916.)

## Pub. odsek.

**Domače vesti.**—Dopisniki iz Minnesote se pritožujejo nad voditelji rudarske stavke, češ, da so jih pustili na cedilo. Dopisnik iz Little Fallsa, N. Y., je okreal Zottijev "Slov. Narod" k zmerja ameriške Slovence, ker imajo premalo simpatij do Avstrije.

**Iz gl. urada SNPJ.**—Gl. tajništvo naznanja, da se bo izredni asessment 25c v bolniški sklad nadaljeval, ker je v tem skladu še vedno \$5000 deficit. Tajništvo se je preselilo v svoje nove prostore v novem posloju SNPJ.

**Delavske vesti.**—Delavci v cementovnah v Little Sallu, Ill., še vedno stavkajo. Stavka v papirniški v International Fallsu, Minn., je bila končana z zmago delavcev.

**Svetovna vojna.**—Nemške in avstrijske armade pod vrhovnim poveljstvom maršala Mackensena so razvile močno ofenzivo na rumunski fronti. Zavezniki so izvajali nekaj uspešnih bojev na južni balkanski fronti.

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 with him.  
 Complaints concerning the work of the executive board should be addressed to Frank  
 his chairman of the Board of Supervisors.  
 Grievances and appeals should be addressed to John Gerlich, chairman, Judicial  
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St. dr.	Članaki oddel.	Mlad. oddel.	Članaki oddel.	Mlad. oddel.	St. dr.	Članaki oddel.	Mlad. oddel.	Članaki oddel.	Mlad. oddel.	St. dr.	Članaki oddel.	Mlad. oddel.
Lodge No.	Adult	Juvenile	Adult	Juv.	Lodge No.	Adult	Juvenile	Adult	Juv.	Lodge No.	Adult	Juvenile
240	94.44	7.82	85.66		465	50.39	1.58	48.81		572	19.50	.18
241	133.70	5.37	128.33		466	16.78		16.78		573	101.18	2.20
242	46.59	2.36	44.23		467	16.88	.40	15.48		574	62.16	1.80
243	29.56	1.19	28.37		468	74.70	2.40	72.30		575	35.23	2.20
244	55.29	7.74	47.55		469	65.50	1.38	64.12		576	15.30	.70
245	93.63	6.21	87.42		470	129.59	6.41	123.18		577	76.64	2.70
246	142.51	8.32	134.19		471	88.97	2.46	86.51		578	109.28	6.00
247	60.37	1.92	58.45		472	49.28	1.20	48.08		579	90.27	5.20
248	1.02	1.00			473	76.82	3.34	73.48		580	100.18	4.20
249	21.77	1.20	20.57		474	95.53	5.30	90.23		581	202.48	5.35
250	101.70	8.77	92.93		475	29.75	.40	29.35		582	26.68	1.50
251	201.90	9.64	192.26		476	29.00	2.23	26.77		583	148.31	6.24
252	132.60	5.92	126.68		477	14.50	.00	14.50		584	51.35	
253	82.65	3.16	79.49		478	30.30	1.16	29.14		585	142.05	6.23
254	123.24	4.06	119.18		479	21.11	.40	20.71		586	99.20	
255	78.99	2.66	76.33		480	168.58	8.11	160.47		587	27.23	1.59
256	221.96	15.55	206.41		481	41.37	1.00	40.37		588	32.49	4.56
257	71.04	3.86	67.18		482	38.79	.80	37.99		589	112.60	3.30
258	128.78	5.31	123.47		483	27.17	.80	26.37		590	32.45	
259	115.49	7.55	107.94		484	38.58	.40	38.18		591	56.30	.80
260	72.46	2.32	70.14		485	21.85	.40	21.45		592	60.32	3.20
261	82.41	8.17	74.24		486	74.70	8.54	66.16		593	60.44	6.41
262	241.37	14.40	226.97		487	48.43	1.20	47.23		594	28.70	1.00
263	126.50	9.08	117.42		488	73.97	1.98	71.99		595	48.18	
264	138.49	5.69	132.80		489	30.38	1.67	28.71		596	41.72	3.78
265	239.91	5.48	234.43		490	18.41	1.00	17.41		597	61.34	1.33
266	41.79		41.79		491	38.49	.20	38.29		598	25.47	4.34
267	67.42	1.67	65.75		492	41.11	1.80	39.31		599	18.58	.30
268	118.12	7.34	110.78		493	8.59		8.59		600	113.35	1.36
269	98.44		98.44		494	66.38	1.20	65.18		601	114.21	3.54
270	113.21	11.29	101.92		495	65.29	2.40	62.89		602	58.29	.80
271	149.66	10.12	139.54		496	68.71	1.70	67.01		603	99.67	1.80
272	47.36	2.18	45.18		497	68.71	1.70	67.01		604	126.17	1.00
273	71.28	2.83	68.45		498	31.46	3.14	28.32		605	224.23	6.54
274	44.69	2.18	42.51		499	35.34	1.90	33.44		606	74.21	1.30
275	99.38	5.46	93.92		500	22.02	2.00	20.02		607	10.33	
276	49.16	1.19	47.97		501	96.81	2.88	93.93		608	31.08	6.18
277	64.94	5.43	59.51		502	19.71	1.66	18.05		609	28.08	1.80
278	46.11	2.36	43.75		503	43.61	2.56	41.05		610	22.67	
279	43.61	106.00			504	143.21	10.12	133.09		611	131.10	5.22
280	143.21	10.12	133.09		505	19.10	5.22	13.88		612	232.50	12.86
281	131.10	5.22	125.88		506	232.50	12.86	219.64		613	53.34	2.40
282	232.50	12.86	219.64		507	23.37	3.90	19.47		614	28.37	1.34
283	53.34	2.40	50.94		508	78.74	2.39	76.35		615	184.49	7.90
284	28.37	1.34	27.03		509	18.75	1.01	17.74		616	9.23	.40
285	184.49	7.90	176.59		510	30.58	.40	29.18		617	8.90	
286	9.23	.40	8.83		511	15.50	1.00	14.50		618	12.87	1.87
287	8.90		8.90		512	97.59	3.00	94.59		619	48.40	1.00
288	112.27	8.82	103.45		513	26.47	1.20	25.27		620	21.42	1.40
289	149.38	4.38	145.00		514	29.38		29.38		621	76.57	1.74
290	168.61	5.25	163.36		515	37.87	4.83	33.04		622	31.20	1.30
291	106.77	5.11	101.66		516	48.22	1.83	46.39		623	70.02	1.00
292	232.29	28.34	203.95		517	26.58	1.38	25.20		624	41.01	1.90
293	23.30	.80	22.50		518	31.88	1.00	30.88		625	37.02	.94
294	29.34	.40	28.94		519	118.37	3.54	114.83		626	17.94	.60
295	419.32	6.95	412.37		520	36.41	2.35	34.06		627	48.56	3.89
296	57.39	2.38	55.01		521	38.97	1.80	37.17		628	63.74	2.00
297	46.05	3.56	42.49		522	61.79	2.15	59.64		629	14.51	
298	32.19	1.71	30.48		523	76.38	4.70	71.68		630	6.38	.60
299	144.48	6.77	137.71		524	16.48	.40	16.08		631	59.04	
300	54.02	3.50	50.52		525	12.38	1.20	11.18		632	108.70	3.20
301	49.38	5.34	44.04		526	64.39	2.43	61.96		633	60.26	2.22
302	99.86	2.28	97.58		527	37.71	2.96	34.75		634	41.03	.58
303	84.54	12.77	71.77		528	59.97	4.67	55.30		635	26.45	2.60
304	168.00	1.85	166.15		529	208.50	4.20	204.30		636	67.49	2.08
305	128.77	8.44	120.33		530	47.25	1.80	45.45		637	80.15	8.81
306	56.57	2.54	54.03		531	21.87	.40	21.47		638	7.28	.80
307	219.57	11.15	208.42		532	18.75	.40	18.35		639	17.14	2.00
308	63.82	4.90	58.92		533	45.11	3.23	41.88		640	38.79	3.60
309	113.08	5.47	107.61		534	72.53	2.20	70.33		641	29.80	5.00
310	33.19	1.36	31.83		535	21.89	1.33	20.56		642	70.48	.60
311	144.99	6.90	138.09		536	135.87	1.70	134.17		643	29.65	1.50
312	294.17	9.11	285.06		537	866.06	21.70	844.36		644	68.78	1.98
313	186.76	9.78	176.98		538	66.18	1.38	64.80		645	68.31	1.92
314	87.70	3.83	83.87		539	55.96	.40	55.56		646	49.71	1.90
315	92.06	4.65	87.41		540	49.42	.40	49.02		647	111.41	1.44
316	49.44	1.98	47.46		541	58.18	2.18	56.00		648	77.71	1.54
317	9.84		9.84		542	217.94	8.83	209.11		649	34.86	3.60
318	96.47	8.60	87.87		543	74.51	2.29	72.22		650	74.51	2.29
319	23.55	.60	22.95		544	47.35	1.90	45.45		651	17.80	1.34
320	104.61	3.21	101.40		545	230.28	3.90	226.38		652	109.00	4.40
321	15.40		15.40		546	116.74	5.58	111.16		653	48.57	1.80
322	119.37	3.78	115.59		547	73.61	8.21	65.40				
323	61.30	1.80	59.50									
324	248.60	5.88	242.72									
325	212.79	9.54	203.25									
326	128.47	6.94	121.53									
327	114.15	2.94	111.21									
328	16.01		16.01									
329	406.82	12.60	394.22									
330	609.26	46.73	562.53									
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332	113.00	1.20	111.80									
333	108.27	2.90	105.37									
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337	119.37	3.78	115.59									
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342	114.15	2.94	111.21									
343	16.01		16.01									

## N. F. C. Campaign Committee

The twenty-third annual convention of the National Fraternal Congress of America, held recently in New York City, decided to appoint a National Campaign Committee. This decision has been greeted by various fraternalists to be "of the most immediate, far-reaching benefit" to fraternal organizations affiliated with the N. F. C.

The Fraternal Monitor, which is devoted to the fraternal benefit system, writes that "there was a direct, unanimity of purpose in approving this course which seldom marks a major objective of the congress." There were but one or two objections to the name of the committee, but the more aggressive and militant delegates led an over-whelming majority which put the quietus on any proposed "pussy-footing" or "soft-pedaling" before they were fairly suggested. "This attitude of aggression," writes the Monitor, "rather than supine defense, was most refreshing. Especially was it so to delegates who for several years past have criticized the congress as being too supine and dilatory in any undertaking that would be of benefit to the entire fraternal system."

### Against Taxation

In the opinion of the above writer there couldn't be the slightest question as to the benefit that can result from the work of such a campaign committee. Its predecessor, called "the presidents campaign committee," fully and completely demonstrated that. The delegates were unanimous as to the great need and efficacy of such a committee. It was stated at the assembly that although not receiving the full financial or even moral support of some of the societies, this committee "accomplished exceptional results in defeating well-organized and politically entrenched efforts to tax the fraternalists out of business."

Several members of this committee told of cases where even state funds were used to wage the campaign against the fraternal societies. So hard was the pressure that many individual fraternalists gave of their own funds and collected all that was possible from little groups and local lodges, in their effort to stem the tide of opposition. Greater cooperation on the part of all affiliated societies was stressed at the convention of the N. F. C., in disseminating the great need of individual moral help from every member of local branches by urging their fraternal societies to carry on this fight. A united effort of this kind in the future will result in even greater accomplishments.

The N. F. C. Campaign Committee expects this support from its affiliates and feels justified "by every principle of fraternalism in getting it." The SNPJ has always been on the alert in this and many other respects, in combating private insurance interests conducted solely for private profit. The Slovene National Benefit Society by its very nature has always been the leader in fighting destructive forces to real labor progress. It has always been willing and ready to lend its moral and financial support to worthwhile labor struggles and has always helped other fraternalists for a common purpose.

### Security Act Tax

The president of the N. F. C. has been empowered to appoint a special committee to go to Washington, D. C., and present to the proper officials the opposition of the National Fraternal Congress societies to the "imposition of special taxes" under the new federal Security Act. A resolution to that effect was introduced by the Law Section of the congress. This phase of new legislation has been thoroughly discussed after listening to speakers who presented both sides of the question.

The congress also adopted a resolution that Fraternal Centers be established and maintained in communities throughout the country, these "centers" having for their purpose the organization of local fraternal bodies into advisory groups.

In regard to investments by various fraternal societies the municipal bond situation came in for its share of discussion and several resolutions relative to this problem were adopted as a step toward improving this situation caused by the depression. The N. F. C. thinks that there is every indication now, with improved tax collections in municipalities, that the bonds would soon cease to be investment headaches they have been of every investment committee during the past six or seven years.

The SNPJ, affiliated with the N. F. C. for the past twenty-five years, has been supporting its activities insofar as they benefited our members' interests, and on many occasions our affiliation with it proved valuable.

# Pioneer Eleventh Annual Dance

## Fall Dance at Pilsen Park

CHICAGO.—Every year for the past ten years the Pioneers have started the fall and winter dance season in Chicago. This year, the eleventh, is no exception. Again we shall try to give our members and friends something that is different and outstanding.

We invite you, therefore, to come to Pilsen Park at 26th street and Albany avenue on Saturday, October 3, for a pleasant evening of dancing. We especially appeal to our own members and to the members of the other SNPJ lodges in Chicago and vicinity to come to this first dance of the season, and help us make it a happy, successful event. We are looking forward to a record attendance!

You are sure to be delighted with the spacious, smooth dance floor of the Pilsen Park Pavilion and the music of Charles Hess and his Rhythm Kings. They will play the kind of melodies every one likes; old favorites as well as the latest dance hits. Dancing will begin at 8:30 p. m. and will continue until 1:30 in the morning.

The admission of 35c with courtesy tickets and 40c without, is exceedingly reasonable and within the means of most of our people. All Pioneers were mailed courtesy tickets with the last issue of the Bulletin. However, if any one is in need of more tickets, they are available from the secretary, Donald J. Lotrich.

The \$50 cash door prize drawing is another big attraction. All that is required is that you sign your name and address on the ticket which will be given you as you enter, and then deposit it in the box which will be provided for this purpose. This is a most simple way of winning \$50; no tickets sold in advance.—All that is necessary is that you are present and deposit your stub some time before the drawing is to be held. One person will be lucky. It may be you!

Our ever-willing and hard-working

bartenders and members of the kitchen staff will be on duty to serve the thirsty and the hungry quickly and efficiently.

Spend this coming Saturday with the Pioneers; come and meet your old friends and join in and begin another gay Fall and Winter season with us! LOUISE KARUN, Lodge 560.

## FLOOD CITY

Johnstown, Pa.—By now, all will be in readiness for our Annual Fall dance. Kausalitz's popular orchestra has been engaged to furnish the dance tunes. There will be refreshments of all kinds served and we have a hunch that there will also be hamburgers on the menu. Come and enjoy yourself with Flood City Lodge! How about it, Yough Valley Knights, Keystoneans, and others?

Fred Zecker, an active member of our lodge, has moved to Renton, Pa. He has transferred to Lodge 400. We wish him luck and hope he keeps up the good work he has been doing for the SNPJ.—Sister Ann Perbin has recovered from her illness and is now off the sick list.—Our next meeting will be held on Friday, Oct. 9, at 8 p. m. Now that the warm summer months have gone, we should have more activity in the lodge and a better attendance at the meetings. What do you say to that, members?

Don't forget our dance. It will be held in the Moxham Slovene hall on Oct. 3. Dancing from 9 till? Admission is 25c.

JOHN LANGERHOLC JR., Lodge 712.

## Jolly Allis Lodge 686

West Allis, Wis.—Howdy, folks! The fall season is in full swing. Saturday, Oct. 3, the gang will be on the go again, this time to help the Pioneers celebrate their Eleventh Anniversary.

On Oct. 10, the Jolly Allis are holding their SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY DANCE at Labor hall on So. 64th and National ave. in West Allis. Music will be furnished by Fred Olsen. If you are out for a good time that night then Labor hall is the place to find it. (Out-of-towners write to the Sec'y, Phil Yersin, 1129 So. 62nd st., for overnight accommodations.)

At the Federation meeting last Sunday an enormous amount of business was taken care of. A committee was selected to rent the grounds for next year's Labor day celebration. The hall was also rented for the welcoming dance on Saturday and the conference on Monday. Plans were also discussed for the Xmas party for the Juveniles to be held Dec. 19, 1936, at the So. Side Turn hall. Parents, be sure to bring your children. If they aren't already members, then bring them in now so we can all have a good time together on this night. A discussion of the by-laws was held over and will be taken care of at the following meetings. The discussions will be held with a time limit on each.

The West Allis Auditorium Club is holding an Exposition and Festival week starting Oct. 5 and running through the 10th. All the leading

manufacturers and merchants will have displays and a program including vaudeville, lucky buck contest, popularity contest, parades, bands, style review and floats, also more than 2000 door prizes. This big event is taking place at the Fair park next week. Be sure to attend and give them a boost for the sooner we have our Slovenski Dom the better off we will be.

### Over the Back Fence

Rather late for vacations, but John Terskan seems to be having a good time up North. Better bring some fish home, John; they have already taken orders for some in the store.

Bart Yamnik is rapidly recovering from his operation. Plenty of people must read the Prosveta; he received cards from all over the country.

Did you know that a Prosveta scribe promised a girl he would help her fill her hope chest? The same fellow got caught helping take care of a baby. Practice makes perfect, eh, T. T. A notice to Tony K.: A certain party from Chicago would like to know if you ever stay home.

Overheard at the Badger banquet: Lefty: "What is there about these Milwaukee girls?" Lud Vogrich: "Where does she live?" Ed Hudale: "Look at me and I've been here before." I'd better quit this or there will be mayhem committed in Chicago next week. See you there.

THE OLD MAN OF THE MOUNTAIN.

## The Clairtonians

Clairton, Pa.—66 Flash! Flash! Flash! Important discovery made in Clairton on the moonlit night of September 13 on or about 10:30 p. m. e.d.t. Identity of the Phantom Scribbler was revealed, but due to pledges taken, promises made, and in fairness to the Scribbler, we refuse to disclose her or his name at this time.

Two J. Z. Jrs. in Clairton already releasing verbal invitations to their Thanksgiving day big time. However, no invitation is needed. The Clairtonians always have two duties to perform on that day... one is to attend Clairton's football game, the other, make merry with the J. Z. Jrs. in the evening... and it's been thus for several years.

We hear Jolly Juniors had a nice crowd at their picnic. It's all over, but we still have snapshots to remind us not to forget. Steffie & Mary, Barberton's "Oh," Jennie Vitavec, Snippy and John Kostanjevic of

West Allis, Anne Janesh, Eddie Rosenberger, Johnny Progar, Lamuth making his "Slovene Day" address. Julia handling out the eats, the Silver Star gang, and others. The Senior Federation of Western Pennsylvania is holding its next conference at Shady Park, Clairton, Pa., with Frank and Joe, radio artists, providing the music to welcome delegates to Clairton.

It seems that Cupid has finally discovered that there is such a place as Clairton. To Anne Matich, the Clairtonians extend their wish for her happiness.

For "SNIPPY" only: I realized my mistake just as soon as that letter was speeded on its way which was too late. However, the article was written in a hurry and I got you two mixed up. Accept my apologies, both you and Bart... Am going to the library to put in a request for "Cradle of Life," Louis Adamie's latest.

JENNIE PRINCE, Lodge 719.

## Universal Comets

UNIVERSAL, PA.—On Sept. 4, the second outing of the year was held for the benefit of our juveniles. We were indeed a happy committee as we embarked onto a large bus bound for Burke Glen Park.

We were greeted by a most pleasant clear sky, with the hot sun smiling down upon us. Here the youngsters spent the sunny afternoon in various ways, some swinging on swings, some riding the merry-go-round, others playing mullball, but the most interesting event was roller skating. Perhaps, some day the Comets may have such a skating champagne cream and lemonade were served sporadically during the afternoon. Our youngsters can look forward next for a Xmas party.

### Annual Halloween Dance

All neighboring lodges are requested to keep the eve of Sat., Oct. 31, open, for this will be the night to mingle and enjoy yourselves with the Comets in their celebration of their Annual Halloween Dance. This dance will be held in the beautiful and spacious Moose Temple. The committee is busy endeavoring to select one of the best orchestras in the vicinity of Pittsburgh.

### Campaign Marches On!

NINE juvenile and FOUR adult

members were proposed at the Sept. meeting. It is in order that we emphasize the importance of INCREASING and STRENGTHENING our membership by enlisting as many members as we possibly can. WE CANNOT OVERLOOK THE FACT THAT OUR JUVENILE MEMBERS ARE OUR MOST VALUABLE ASSET.

Saying it with members adds strength to both lodge and Society. If the Comets can equal September's proposals for the remaining months of this year, we will have on our roll 100 JUVENILES. Keep it up! The present Juvenile Membership Campaign offers splendid awards to the agitators who procure new juveniles. (See your secretary.)

However, since there is no campaign for the adult members this year, Lodge Comets offers the following: We will pay the sum of one dollar towards the initiation fee, including one dollar for medical examination fees to every new adult member secured during 1936.

JOSEPH CAESAR, Lodge 715.

## FLASHES

CHICAGO.—The bugle is sounding the call for all the Pioneers to close in their ranks and in a solid formation march to Pilsen Park Saturday, Oct. 3, for the Pioneer Eleventh Annual Dance.

Our friends and sympathizers are asked to form the reserve line and put the real touches to this gala event. We want and we must have a record attendance. And since our past record is in the four figures, we've got to go some to best it. But going we are out with a determination that must surely bring us success. So listen to the call of the trumpet all you jolly loyal lads and lassies. Make the bid to strengthen our forces in unison and with the old Pioneer spirit and fervor.

To repeat for the last time the things which will be there for you and which you will want to take in: The \$50 cash door prize to some lucky winner absolutely free. Favorite college rhythms by Charley Hess and His Ten Rhythm Kings. Pioneers, thru their constant vigil, have uncovered some real finds in the past. They helped to make The Nine Original Harmony Kings famous. They popularized Johnny and his Merry-makers. And now we are out to show the people what Charley Hess can really do.

Our committee has just gone over every detail of the affair. Reliable help has been stationed at all the service posts. We advertised as never before not only by word of mouth, Prosveta, The Bulletin, Proletarec, etc., but also by a house to house distribution of handbills. We feel ready. As ready as ever to handle a big crowd and we await the roll call. And we want you Pioneers and you friends of ours to accept our earnest invitation and attend.

At the Slovene Labor Center on Monday, Oct. 5, the Pioneer Dance Committee will go over the entire dance including the passing of bills and recommendations for the next annual affair. All should be present at 8 p. m.

Milwaukee's SNPJ Badgers held their 10th Anniversary Celebration last Saturday and Sunday. The response to the banquet which, incidentally, was held at the Astor hotel, was gratifying and the fourteen Pioneers who took in the celebration report having a great time. The Sunday program was held at the familiar Turner hall. Johnny Obluck officiated. Naprej sang and was well received, surprise juggler pulled off some novel tricks, the Badgers put on a classroom comedy and a quartet of accordionists were the real climax to the program. In between, this columnist spoke a few words and Louis Baffetti presented Mary Hodnik in behalf of the Little Forts the championship football trophy for winning the Midwest Conference title.

Somehow the response from the Pioneers was not at all satisfying.

That is, we should have had at least three times the representation. Which means that we owe the Badgers an appropriate explanation. It wasn't the weather—at least the weather never stops the Pioneers. It wasn't the time, because most of us have plenty of time. It was simply a feeling that many would turn out until we found it impossible to do any more about it. We're sorry, Badgers! And promise to make up for our sight.

Mary Divjak is now recuperating at home, 2814 S. Lawndale ave.—We want to correct last week's statement that Ralph Townsley was well. He is sick, and members are asked to visit him at 2334 S. Ridgeway.—Ursula Gasperich has returned home from the hospital. Her address is 2259 Marshall Blvd.—Camille Gratchner has given birth to a fine bouncing baby girl and Joe smiles all over. Glad tidings.

Tickets for Slavija's "Grape Harvest" are in the hands of Oscar Godina. Pioneers are asked to buy them from him—John Jackaniz will be married on Oct. 11.—Mary Bovidik and Victoria Kopal have transferred to class C insurance. Many others are inquiring about it and getting the necessary data. We're marching on in this respect, too.—Bob Kovanda has moved his barbering to 3800 W. 25th st.—Work, who wants work? Ida Simon turns in a prospective place for an unemployed Pioneer to secure a job. If more would do that we could easily establish an employment bureau. Brother should help brother, and the same goes for the sisters.

Postcardings: From Agnes Hrabak, Knox, Ind.—Sylvia Homez, vacation in her home town, Auburn, Ill.—The trio, Frances Pechota, Matilda Sheme and Matilda Vidmar from the Trianon.—Mr. and Mrs. Anton Andros from their Rice Lake, Wis. vacationland.—Mac and Agnes Jurcic spent their vacations in Wisconsin, too.—Katherine Pousk's card from Minnesota reminds us of the beauty spots up there.

It is criminal to allow thugs and gunmen to kill good people. Yet Mussolini and Hitler are helping the Spanish brutes murder countless numbers of good, decent and honest Spaniards. We had hoped against hope that right would prevail and that the attacks would be repelled, but no such luck, it seems. The honest people must pay a dear price for their lesson. And where, I ask you young people, do you stand in this strife? Don't your hearts ache to see democracy, liberty and decency brutally assaulted and condemned? Speak out! D. J. LOTRICH, Lodge 555.

## The Cotton Picking Machine

Recent demonstrations of the Rust cotton picking machine have focused public attention to the real menace of labor-displacing machinery. The cotton picker can be operated for as low as one dollar an hour and it will pick more cotton per hour than eighty handpickers. If the machine comes into popular use, 500,000 negro families in the cotton belt will be forced out of employment. The savings to the cotton growers will not be passed on to the users of cotton textiles, but the jobless army created by the cotton picking machine will become a burden on the public. Either the southern states will have to assume responsibility and establish a permanent dole system to maintain thousands of negroes in idleness or the colored man will be forced by circumstances to invade the northern states to compete with white workers.

Happily, the cotton picking machine has not been perfected. And it is noteworthy that the Rust brothers, who invented this new contraption, are life-long socialists. They insist that they will never release their patent to the machine until provision is made to care for every cotton-picker it will displace.

So much for the Rust brothers' machine. It will be perfected. It will be copied. It will be used to reduce the cost of harvesting cotton. It will throw hundreds of thousands of men and women out of work.

For years Labor has contended that Labor-displacing machinery is a challenge to the economic security of millions; that the machine has become the master of men rather than the servant; that unemployment will increase, year by year, as the machine age lengthens to destroy human initiative and to increase profits for those who own the machines.

The cotton picking contraption has brought the nation face to face with a problem Labor recognized almost a half century ago. Machines owned by private interests are a menace to Labor, but when machines will be controlled collectively by Labor they will be a blessing to millions of workers. What will Labor do about it remains to be seen.—Minn. Labor Advocate.

## Sacco and Vanzetti

A few hours before Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, president emeritus of Harvard University, introduced President Roosevelt at the tercentenary celebration in Cambridge, Mass., last week, a pamphlet indicting Lowell and former Governor Alvan T. Fuller for the role they played in the Sacco-Vanzetti case was placed in the hands of the faculty and scholars all over the world. With rapier logic the pamphlet, sponsored by 28 Harvard alumni, criticized the actions of the two men for their share in sending the fish peddler and poor shoemaker to the electric chair.

Referring to the "incredible and destructive twists of men's minds—even the mind of a president of Harvard," the pamphlet declares that "No one looking at the fate of intellectual and cultural pursuits in Germany and Italy can escape an intense feeling of the immediate peril confronting our universities." It stresses the importance of keeping "this nation from being torn asunder by that mass reason which has been so skillfully developed by power-mad individuals and cliques in Europe."

This was an obvious reference to the ruling clique in Massachusetts who violated all the canons of fairness to destroy two helpless Italian workers by legal procedure that shocked millions of people who followed the various phrases of the frame-up as it unfolded from one tragic stage to another.

Documents were placed in a crypt to be opened in the year 2036. This pamphlet should have been included with them.—New Leader.

## Diet for Poor

If the American people should be so bereft of judgment as to place Alf Landon in the White House, one of his advisers will be Bernarr MacFadden. MacFadden should be able to give him some rather good advice on how to feed the unemployed, thus reducing governmental expenditures.

As far back as July 2, 1932 MacFadden cried out against giving unemployed anything so elaborate as the ordinary American meal. Said he in his Liberty Magazine:

"Huge sums of money, millions upon millions, have been wasted within the last year in trying to feed the unemployed on the ordinary conventional American diet, and now we are beginning to pay the penalty."

"Chicago maintains that one-half million people are facing starvation. Millions upon millions donated last winter have been expended. What can be done to make the old-time charity experts realize that this is not an ordinary situation. Never in the history of this

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# Friendly City News

**Johnstown, Pa.**—No, we're not dead yet. Just a complaint of summer heat, causing nothing much in the line of activity. But with Autumn here, and cool evenings, more members are expected to attend our meetings, helping to put on an active fall and winter program.

Our October meeting will be a very important and interesting one.—All members are asked to attend meetings. I am sure you can set aside one evening a month. All members will hereby be reminded about our meetings either by the Prosveta or by card, after which members will be expected to attend meetings unless they have a good excuse.

There are always discussions at our monthly meetings that demand at least 50% attendance and without this attendance meetings cannot be conducted as they should be—or as well as we would want them to be. Bro. Max Culkar attended the big

celebration in Universal, reporting a very enjoyable time.—We have recently received two transfers, Zora Koss, from Cleveland, and Dorothy Semich. These transfers are all appreciated and welcome—but how about new members?!

Jugoslavia Singing Society will sponsor a dance in Oct. with a few songs and good orchestra at the Moxham Slovene hall.

The Cgh. Valley Fed. of SNPJ Lodges successfully conducted their second SNPJ day. A large crowd was present to enjoy a very nice affair.

Ladies' Lodge "Naša Sloga" 600, SNPJ, is rehearsing a play to be presented in celebration of their anniversary in Nov. I am sure the ladies will show all attending a nice time.

Well, members—how about our next meeting second Sunday in Oct. ATTEND! ELSIE CULKAR, Lodge 684.

meeting you can dance to your heart's content as we have secured Frank Barbie to play for us! Will you be there?

**Congratulations**

May we extend our congratulations to Frank and Pauline Sajovic upon the arrival of a baby boy. And to Theodore and Mary Laurie upon the arrival of a baby girl. Brother Laurie is the Vice-President of our Lodge. May they grow up to be loyal and active members of the SNPJ.

ANN STRAUS, Rec. Sec'y Lodge 612.

## Integrity News

**Chicago.**—Dear Brothers and Sisters of the SNPJ! Since there aren't any sport activities at the present date, I'll have to term my article more in a fraternal way. But first I want to thank Brother Frank Ferlap and a few others for their cards. I am glad you find my articles interesting.

The Integrity Lodge had a fair summer season which is a few points from being excellent, but I suppose no one has a complaint or compliment. Next season will be a better one, I'm sure. But if the Da Lads from South Chicago play ball like they did in the last few games, I'm afraid Waukegan won't get the cup for 1937. Ball playing is a funny thing—it mostly has the breaks in the game. I've seen a game at Soldiers' field the earlier part of the month where in a seven inning game, the pitcher allowed only one hit, two walks and he lost the game having twenty-one strikeouts to his credit. That's what you call a real brand of ball. I hope next year we will use a twelve-inch ball, but then again will we find some good pitchers? A good team needs about three pitchers and a catcher for the 12-inch ball game. The rest of the team isn't so important except for a few good hitters.

With summer gone and autumn here what do the most of you people do to enjoy yourselves? There are many things that can be done, such as hiking, kodak hunting and many other things that take you outdoors. Believe it or not, but for all the people in the cities there is nothing more beneficial than a good jaunt out in the country for the week-end.

For the benefit of our fraternal organization I will again ask you: Have you had your friends to enter our organization? Maybe some of you have, but there are many more prospects. Most of the people of today are working and those who aren't are just unfortunate or probably have no trade. Well, for instance those that are working and have no insurance policy are the ones that may also be unfortunate. I know a lot of people who really depend on their weekly income. You can't even mention insurance to them, the kind of people that never get sick, which is very good. But did it ever occur to you that they could meet up with an accident which would lay him or her up for a few months or more? Who would pay their bills then? Well, it's your guess. The SNPJ handles insurance which would answer this cause as stated above. Any kind of insurance is better than none.

The reason I mentioned any kind is because some people don't care for the SNPJ at the present time, but later, I'm sure, they will be with the rest of us. I've been a member for twenty-three years and drew benefit for only four weeks due to a broken collar bone, but still I don't think the SNPJ owes me anything. I have other insurances, too, in case I get laid up for a long stretch, but my income will still come in. Most of the people spend their money for this and that, so why not spend some of that on an insurance policy?

Saturday another one of our members bowed to Dan Cupid, namely, Sister Marie Venisnik and Frank Cremonik. The Integrity lodge extends to both of you congratulations and a lot of good luck.

ALBERT ROYCHT, 631.

## Golden Eagles

**Girard, Ohio.**—What happened to the rest of the members that were missing from the Golden Eagles' picnic held at Pishler's farm on Sept. 27? Well, anyway, you missed a good time roasting corn and marshmallows. Joe Umcek can certainly play those good "ole" fast polkas. By the way, if any of you members want to take a good wheelbarrow ride, then just inquire at Brother Eddy Prevec's and he will do the rest.

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Pishler and to all who visited us at the picnic. Now all you members and friends be sure to attend the coming dance so you won't miss a good time again. This dance is to be held at the Ukrainian hall on West Rayen ave. in Youngstown, Ohio, Oct. 17, instead of 24. Music being furnished by well-known Louis Simonich and his orchestra from Cleveland, Ohio.

We cordially invite all the surrounding lodges to attend our dance, and we assure you a good time and good music. Tickets will be on sale next week and you can secure them from most of the members. At this time I want to state that the Youngstown Lodge 153, SNPJ, is sponsoring its 25th anniversary jubilee and they have extended an invitation to the Girard Eagles to attend. What do you say, members, we get together and attend their dance and they in return will attend ours! They will hold their dance at the Ukrainian hall on West Rayen in Youngstown on Oct. 16.

P. S.—Attention, Golden Eagles members! What happened to members not attending the last meeting when important facts were taken concerning our dance? If all the members of the G. E. Lodge do not get together and cooperate the dance will not be a success. So come and get together and go out and sell your tickets and make the Fall Dance a success. The members of the Golden Eagles Lodge 643 will hold their monthly meeting Oct. 12 at the Slovene Dom in Girard. So be sure to attend. EDWARD PREVEC, Lodge 643.

## Penny News

**Strabane, Pa.**—The Pioneer Girls' Club met in monthly session Sept. 17 at the home of Sophie Nemevich with Mary Tamazine as assistant hostess.

The meeting was opened by President Mary Tamazine and the discussion of new plans and ideas was in full swing. First on the list was the dance which we are sponsoring October 4 at Podboy's Basement. Sunday evening is always a good time to go out, so come to Canonburg for that nite and let the Pioneer Girls entertain you. One highlight of the evening will be the girl bartenders, another is the orchestra which everyone says is so good. So be sure to attend.

Secondly, plans for the year's bowling were brought up. After a lengthy debate on what evening of the

## The Return of More Natives

(The following observations, along with "A Letter from Slovenia" published in the Prosveta a fortnight ago, are the results of Ludvick Zupancic's two month trip abroad during which time he traveled over five thousand miles and visited several countries. It is not his purpose to write of conditions in Europe; his is "to talk lightly of a trip involving four young fellows who looked for fun and a thrill and found them." He is a member of Lodge "Morning Stars," No. 266, SNPJ, Pittsburgh, Pa.)

It all happened so suddenly that we were actually on the ocean liner before we could think out everything clearly. In a case I was handling it was suggested that my client should have an escort to accompany him to Jugoslavia where he wanted to spend his declining years. I jumped at the chance.

I asked John Taucher, a Slovene of my age, to go along—he asked his Mother—she called my Mother on the telephone—my brother found out—our neighbor overheard the conversation—the next day nine of us applied for passports. Just like that, John suggested that we take the car. We inquired of the North German Lloyd about the rates. Five days later we drove to New York and shipped the car, too.

We had not planned a thing. Those last few days of hectic work—getting reservations, passports, visas, foreign currency, winding up the affairs at my office—all left me completely in a daze. It wasn't until the great liner pulled out of the harbor amid screeching sirens, blowing whistles and joyous shouts that I became even partially conscious that I was actually sailing for Europe. It seemed too good to be true. We had taken third class passage on the Europa. The tickets cost \$190 for the round trip and \$10 for the passport, making it an even \$200. The fee for transporting the car was \$160 both ways plus \$45 for the international plates. Two additional international driver's licenses cost \$10, amounting in all to \$215. There were four of us young men to split it, hence the cost was only \$50 or so apiece for the car. At first blush this may appear to some a great piece of extravagance in these hard times especially, but now that it is all over I am sure that it was very wise. During our tour over Europe we travelled over 5,000 miles visiting several countries, all in perfect luxury, yet our expenses were way less than the train fare would have amounted to for the same distance.

Third class passage on a modern ocean liner is excellent indeed. Incomparably better than first class in your father's time and mine. Like in the very best hotels all accommodations that one could hope for are provided. On our East bound passage over a thousand students sailed for the Olympics, and maybe they weren't looking for a good time! Food is served six-times daily. For the three substantial meals, the best of food, and as much as you can eat is served. You have the choice of an enormous menu. All the stewards, in the hope of a generous tip at the end of the voyage, run all over each other trying to meet your every wish. Movies every afternoon, dancing in the ballrooms in the evening, sun baths during the day, and moonlight promenades on deck at night, for those who might be interested. Oh, and so many lovely maidens, ever so lonely on board—and young men, too—all looking rapturously at the moon, following her pale reflection in the gentle swells.

That was truly six and a half days of uninterrupted bliss, not for a moment did anyone of our group become seasick (not yet sick of the sea). As a matter of fact, I can't for the life of me see how anyone can become ill. Unless you are on deck looking over the rail, there is nothing to indicate that you are sailing. The boat scarcely sways at all. In the stern, of course, above the propeller shaft, there is some vibration, but it is easy to accustom oneself to it. A young blood, out to enjoy himself, would literally have to force himself to be miserable, and naturally, after sundown everyone on board commences to get duly plastered as befits young Americans on a pleasure trip! The liquor on board is first rate, to be sure. Those on board thrown together thus become more congenial and sociable. Completely detached from home and worry, all needs provided for, it is natural for them to become listless and easy going.

From the first night our crowd took over the boat, a gang of young fel-

## Pioneer Dance

**Chicago.**—On Saturday night the Pioneer Lodge will sponsor its 11th Annual Dance at Pilsen Park. The committee has gone to a large expense to make this dance a success. They are asking the Pioneer members to do their share by attending the dance and bringing their friends, along. They will be assured a good time. We have always complained about having a small hall. Well, we will be at the Pilsen Park Pavilion which is the largest dance hall on the West Side. For music, Charles Hess and his orchestra will play—music which should satisfy all. So be sure to attend. The park is located at 25th st. and Albany ave., one block east of Kedzie ave. The admission price is 35 cents with courtesy ticket and 40 cents without the courtesy ticket. Milwaukee, West Allis, Waukegan and La Salle have promised to attend. So all you Chicago SNPJ members, attend also.

**Bowling**

All SNPJ members are invited to join the SNPJ Handicap Bowling league, which will be run at the South (Continued on page 8.)

## Buckeyes' Bits

**By the Rambler**

**Barberton, O.**—Unlike the "Phantom Scribbler" who comes from his haunts to taunt you, I'll just ramble along.

I'll start by saying we had one grand time at the party for our members and families recently. It was a pleasure to have our elders with us and see them enjoying themselves with the young. Time was spent dancing to polkas played by the Spetch boys, Joe Lukesic, and Baby Dutka. Slovene melodies were started by one and ended by everyone joining in the chorus. We know they all had a good time for even Mrs. Janesch said, "Bote mogli se tako veselico napraviti." And the seven girls who prepared the meal received many compliments which just "shows to you" too many cooks do not spoil the

it may increase our membership. We wouldn't have any objections at all to some more new members, adult and juvenile. At this gathering were a few members we didn't know belonged to the Lodge, but how can you blame us when they never attend the meetings. Incidentally, the next meeting is Friday evening, October 2, at 7:30—how about seeing you all there again?

Just like Mark Twain's saying, "Everybody's talking about the weather, but nobody seems to do anything about it"—so it's been with athletics in our Lodge. We've often talked about having a baseball or basketball team, but never succeeded in having one. Now bowling season is here. A few of our girls are very anxious to participate in this sport. Let's see if we can't get enough interested to really have a team this season.

**Rambler's:**—It amuses me to know the Farrell-Sharon boys accuse Alice Janesh of these write-ups.—So, the Phantom Scribbler turned out to be quite a snipe hunter. They tell me one of our girls is being accused of the same act—could they have been together???—Best wishes to all of us from Frank Carr, now in Chicago. This message was relayed by Louis Novak and Frank Poje who visited with Carr a few weeks ago.—There's nothing backward about prexy Poje when it comes to drying dishes. And Mary Platner is quite happy with the ping-pong table.—Thanks to all the girls who donated cakes for the party—in brava, Mrs. Valenscheck, za potico. The girls felt very much at home while preparing the meal after they had a radio installed (temporarily) in the kitchen.—I got the biggest kick hearing Mary A. speak Slovene.—Ann J. would make a very good nurse. Now that you learned to drive, Alice, I'll be expecting a ride.—I've just been informed that Oh is responsible for last week's article and not S. & M. Inc. Time I'm rambling along, but remember Friday evening, it's meeting night.

We hope this party proved beneficial as well as entertaining in that broth. (Maybe there weren't too many cooks?)

## Veronian Views

**Verona, Pa.**—The Veronians' Annual Picnic held on Sept. 20 was a great success. We were very fortunate in having ideal picnic weather combined with a very nice attendance. To the Comets and Ramblers we extend our thanks for their loyal support. The Comets were especially represented by a large group. Also present were many members of the Senior Lodge 216. Again many thanks; we certainly appreciate your patronage.

We are greatly indebted to those four senior members, Frank Mihelic, R. Lesar, Frank Krulac and Paul Belan for the help given us at the picnic. These four, undoubtedly, were the hardest workers at the picnic. They worked from early afternoon to late at night, refusing to take any time out for rest. The Veronians hope they will be able to reciprocate

or show them their appreciation in some manner in the near future. Also doing a wonderful job all day throughout the picnic were Mohar, Stefancic, Papp, Jakovac. Many thanks to all these who contributed so willingly of their time and effort.

For the past several years it has been customary for the Veronians to sponsor a Bowling League. This year it seems will not be an exception. Plans are already being formulated to have the Veronians' Bowling League in operation at an early date. Most of last year's participants seem highly enthusiastic and interested and it is felt quite certain that the League will be assured of a large turnout. We understand final details and arrangements will be made at the next regular Veronian meeting.

LUDVICK ZUPANCIC.

## Universal Comets

**UNIVERSAL, PA.**—Pre-arrangements for the Comets' Annual Halloween Dance on Oct. 31 are almost completed. The dance hall is the well-known and beautiful Moose Temple in Universal. Dancing will be to the tunes of Eddie Mangavela's popular ten-piece orchestra whose music is ranked with the best in the Pittsburgh area.

The selection of a UNION orchestra is in accordance with a standing motion of the Comets that so stipulates. Other preparations, e. g., printing, poster distribution, decorations are being well taken care of. The task before us members now is to get the affair all the publicity possible, by announcements at dances, in local newspapers, and by the simple and very effective word-of-mouth method. Let's get busy and make another SNPJ affair an overwhelming success.

We are still in the midst of a JUVENILE MEMBERSHIP campaign that must not be allowed to drift too far from our attention. The SNPJ offers insurance to juveniles at extremely low rates comparable to any or all reliable private insurance companies and fraternal societies. Remember, too, that a large juvenile dept. is one of the Society's greatest assets. More frequent publication of the special campaign prizes might also precipitate increased activity.

An influx of new members into the Comets has given expression to a desire for lodge athletics. At our next meeting an interested group will propose that an athletic committee be formed and a special athletic fund be maintained with the view of having a fully equipped mushball team next spring. The proposal is, I believe, both worthwhile and feasible. Let's turn out for the October meeting on the first Sunday and discuss it. Maybe the slogan will be, "On to Ambridge in 1937."

More and more the national political campaign becomes the moot topic of the day. That the powerful forces of organized capital—the Liberty League, Chambers of Commerce, National Manufacturers' Ass'n. have thrown their support solidly behind London is crystal clear. That organized labor is almost 100% behind

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MICHAEL FLEISCHHACKER, 631.

## Jolly Juniors

**Sygnas, Pa.**—The Jolly Juniors' 8th Anniversary picnic of Sept. 26 terminated in success. The Lodge and its committee wish to express their sincerest thanks to all SNPJ members and friends for their attendance at this affair. The Lodges represented were: Imperial Lucky Stars, Morning Stars, Revelers, JZJ's, Seniors No. 6, Strabane Pioneers, Cavaliers from Burgettstown, friends from Presto, Bridgeville, Cudly, and Morgan. The Athletic event for the afternoon was an exhibition soccer game of the Jolly Jrs. versus Bower Hill, 1935 winners in the Panhandle League, division A, which ended in a tie, 1-1. The afternoon music was furnished by recordings of the Public Address System and in the evening soothing music of Tony Cousin's orchestra who played until 1 a. m. Again thanks to all those who attended this affair, also to the committee and members who so diligently rendered their services in making this Anniversary Picnic a success.

The Jolly Juniors' September 13 meeting selected a committee to take over the duties of running our soccer team for the 1936-37 season. The team for the 1936-37 season, George chosen were Art Dermotta, George Unick, and John Baruffoli. The team is to be entered in the B Divi-

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## STRUGGLERS

**Cleveland, O.**—It's just as I thought, I find it quite difficult indeed trying to begin this article as my mind keeps wandering. After scanning the English-section of the Prosveta from week to week I find that the Strugglers have sort of fallen down on the job. And now the fall season of activities is fast approaching. We have decided to have a social on our next meeting night, that is on Wednesday, Oct. 7. In addition to the regular prizes that we have given away at each meeting we have decided to have a

amount in the Bank to begin with is five dollars (\$5). Each and every Struggler is eligible for this prize. If the winner is not present the amount for the following Bank Nite will be \$7.50. Each meeting an additional \$2.50 will be added on to the total until a winner is present and comes to collect his share of the money. The drawing will take place at 8:30 sharp. So try and be present at our next meeting, you may be the lucky winner! (We will try to spirit Brother Ed. Leskovic away—although we may have quite a time doing it; you know that for nine consecutive months he has walked away with a prize—that is the result of being present at every meeting.) After the

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# Women's Round Table

New York City.

Dear Round Table:

I don't like to see all that empty space around you—it makes it seem as though our young women were totally indifferent toward the social and economic problems that involve the fair sex as well as the opposite. Our boys are "way ahead in this line of interest. Let's see the girls follow good example."

But I did enjoy your cable-note impressions of New York. The little knickerbocker town must have appeared as a perfect mass of confusion to you. Well, it is, until one lives in it long enough to become a part of confusion and rush himself (herself in this case).

To show a little patriotism for the home-town, I must add that New York has beautiful parks, but perhaps Chicago excels in that. No zoo, however, can possibly compare with the Bronx collection of beauty, strangeness, and wonders of wild and natural life. New York spends millions of dollars yearly on its beasts.

On the other hand, human beings, I mean to say, are pretty much neglected in the way of social security and protection. No one can exploit a beast in Bronx Park; you can't even snap a picture of any of them, but down on Sixth Ave. and elsewhere agents can and do exploit to the utmost. Some agencies specialize in "selling women's labor-power," some men's, many both.

They do much business with women's jobs. In the domestic and restaurant line, workers change positions very often, because of low wage or unbearable conditions. In many eating places where four or five workers are really needed, especially during the rush hours, the boss or the management tries to get along with two. This is a terrific strain on the nerves, and the poor slaves can do nothing but quit and look for something else. Agents like it; it brings business.

In the domestic line, girls sometimes work till all hours at night, ironing, serving late guests or company, mending, minding sick babies,

etc. Quit is the only salvation since there is no union to protect the domestic worker. Again, the agent rubs his hands. Business.

There are unions for restaurant workers, but they don't seem to be able to cover the whole field—agencies are in the way because they provide help quickly and at any wage. Girls more often than not, are unable to wait long for a position or job. The room must be paid—and that takes about three dollars a week at the least—then meals, fare, fee for a new job. Considering such facts, girls are afraid to join the union as unions do not provide jobs quickly, although they maintain a wage standard. If, however, plenty organizers were sent into the scattered field, the situation would soon be relieved.

But it would take women. And women do not seem to be as yet very much interested in unionizing themselves in these particular fields.

Next week I'll tell you about the Refunds of Fees racket. Unskilled women-workers are hit hardest in that. Girls arriving from Penna and other states are cheated by agents in a most cruel, cold way.

ANNA P. KRASNA.

Chicago.

The situation of domestic help seems to be one of the most deplorable. I presume it is similar in every city. No doubt a great deal of the difficulty arises from the very nature of the job. Girls or women entering it certainly never hope to make it their life occupation. Being hard pressed for money at the time, they are willing to accept any wage offered them with the idea of finding something better very soon and then leaving as soon as that opportunity arises. However, it seems that there should be a way of becoming conscious of doing oneself harm by being willing to accept anything and even underbidding, just to get the job. The first requisite, it would seem, would be early education and training in the present-day concept of labor as a commodity to be handled about at will.

MARY JUGG.

# About This and That

FRIENDLY CITY

Johnstown, Pa.—It has been quite some time since we have heard from Friendly City. Nevertheless, everybody is off the sick list, while others are getting married and also vacationing.

Now that vacation time is over, what do you say to a large attendance at our next monthly meeting? It is expected that on Oct. 11, the second Sunday of the month, that each and every member be present at that meeting. There is no necessity for any member missing any Sunday night meeting, without, of course, a legitimate excuse. This idea of passing your monthly assessments on to the other fellow just because he happens to be going to the meeting just won't work. And another thing, as your secretary it is my responsibility to look after your dues until the 25th of each month, and after that it is your own hard luck.

Members, understand that good members have been suspended for one month and then have been paying for the next two months. For an active member, that is no way of looking at it.

If something very special turns up that you just can't possibly see me personally, please forward your dues by mail before the 25th of each month. On the other hand there are members that have been paying their dues regularly, but not that I have seen them from one yearly meeting to the next.

It is requested that the meeting of Oct. 11 be 100%. Attend as there is a great number of questions to be solved. There is also a penalty imposed on members not attending.

Friendly City has always been known to have a substantial backbone, all we're waiting for is a push. So let's get down to business.

Hoping that I have made myself clear, and that you give this "lecture" your utmost consideration, I remain, Your Sec'y,  
BEENIE (BOMBATCH) JACOBY,  
Lodge 654.

HOW ABOUT IT?

Newark, N. J.—I would like to take this opportunity in expressing my viewpoint on the coming election of officers in our Elizabeth Lodge 540, SNPJ.

There is no time like the present for stirring up enthusiasm among the young members for better and more enjoyable meetings in the future.

The one solution for bigger attendance of the young folks would be to change our meetings from Slovene to English speaking. My reason for this suggestion is that the majority of the young folks cannot speak Slovene fluently and likewise do not understand it perfectly enough to interest themselves during the course of the meetings. Whereas, if the meetings were held in English they would all be eager to take part since they will understand and be understood. Not only will the change better our attendance and improve a happier atmosphere, but we will have

a chance in interesting outsiders who are within our constitutional rights.

Naturally, with such a great lodge, our purpose is to carry on with good fellowship and therein draw more people to join and enjoy the fraternal spirit and keep our SNPJ on top.

Fellow members, I hope you will help me on my opening campaign to reinstall officers for an English speaking Lodge.

No doubt you all know about the establishment of the Atlantic Federation of SNPJ lodges. I'm looking forward to our opening affair. Here is one way to really experience fraternal feeling by the gathering of several branches, and make one gigantic affair to better acquaint ourselves with our unknown brothers and sisters, also to make our name, SNPJ, popular to those who have never come in contact with it or anyone in it.

Before closing, I want to compliment the Slovene Singing Society "Domovina," under the leadership of Mr. a Shubel, for its singing, which took place September 20 at Maspeth, Long Island. This was my first occasion to be present at a dance where a Slovene Singing Society entertained. The voices, harmonizing and Mr. Shubel's grand leadership left a great impression on me. Congratulations, "Domovina." Keep up the good work, hope to hear you again soon.

You'll be hearing from me again.  
JUSTINA KAVCIC, Lodge 540.

A THOUGHT FOR THE FORTH-COMING CONVENTION

Gowanda, N. Y.—When a person joins our organization the following words are recited to him, by the president of the lodge: "Friend, it is the purpose of the Society to help members financially in case of sickness or bodily injury and their beneficiaries in case of death." And also the following is part of the speech which is read at a deceased member's grave: "Our mother, the Slovene National Benefit Society, will be your benefactress after your death, and will wipe the tears of your loved ones whom you are leaving today and who are dependent on the work of your hands." In the farewell address at the crematory, the following words

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Philip Godina, Manager.

# Public Enemy No. 1

are said: "She cannot give back your life to you, but she will care for your loved ones and ease their grief."

Now, how many members ever took the above quotation into consideration, "will care for your loved ones," which is read from the ritual? Has your organization fulfilled the above obligations which they promise? Is it not that the only thing our organization does, is pay the death benefit to beneficiaries? At least that is what is done in many cases.

Let us take, for instance, that a father and mother both die, leaving four, five, or more small children to face the world. The relatives of these children have large families and cannot adopt them. The only thing the SNPJ does is pay the death benefit when they reach age. What in the world is to become of such children until then? Their only salvation is a poor house or if some one happens to adopt them.

Brothers and Sisters, at our next regular convention some action will have to be taken on this matter. Many other fraternal organizations have homes for their orphans and I think that we should establish an orphanage. If such does not exist then we should only promise our members what we really give them. Promise them they will receive sick benefit, and their beneficiaries will receive the death benefit, when they die.

Yes, we do have a special benefit fund, which gives aid to those who are in dire need, but little of it goes to the orphans who are left behind. Members do not join fraternal organizations just so their beneficiaries receive their death benefit, but join so that his or her children are taken care of when they die.

I often wonder what does the SNPJ do in a case where the father and mother die and groups of small children are left, who have no relatives or friends who will take care of them. We know that it is impossible for local lodges to take care of them. Next convention should appropriate several thousands for an orphan's home, then and only then will the SNPJ fulfill the obligations which it promises.

Years ago, suggestions were discussed that the SNPJ buy a farm for the aged, but there were no special funds appropriated for this farm. Last convention decreased assessment for one cent into the convention fund per member, and established a new fund, an Old Age Fund, members paying one cent per month. At the end of this year we will have some \$14,000 saved for this purpose. What are we going to do with this money? I think that the Society should buy a farm and build on it a nice home for our old members and also a home for our children in dire need. If there is a financial shortage, we could borrow from other funds and repay with dues we are paying now in the coming years. So let's invest our money some place for a real benefit of our needy members. We will not lose any members by doing so.

The English speaking lodges who will be represented at the coming convention and will take over the reins of the organization in the future, must give many a thought to our children and to the old members, the PIONEERS of our organization, for they must not be forgotten. If the SNPJ had not been started in the early days of our pioneers, we today could not be able to organize such an organization as they had.

Now is the time, Brothers and Sisters, that we start to review our by-laws in our organ Prosveta, not two or three weeks before the convention. Everybody—let's go!

JOHN MATEKOVICH,  
Lodge 728.

## PIONEER DANCE

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West alleys, located at 18th st. and Blue Island ave. The last chance to join will be Tuesday night, Oct. 13. How about all the lodges in Chicago having representation? To date only the Pioneers and Slavia are represented.

Integrity has promised to enter also to Mid-West League representatives. (My new address is now 2515 So. Harding ave.)

Sure hope the Badger celebration was a success; sorry I had to miss it.

FRANK GROSER, Lodge 559.

# Two Kinds of Revolutions

While the Socialist party describes its aims as revolutionary, there are still some who subscribe to Socialist objectives who do not understand that revolution is not necessarily associated with bloodshed. Indeed, true social revolution, which is the substitution of one economic and social system for another system with opposite objectives and viewpoints, can not be accomplished in the midst of bloodshed.

Spain offers an example of the distinction we are attempting to make. What is going on today in Spain is not a revolution, but a revolt. The revolution—a change from capitalism and exploitation to Socialism and economic justice can be accomplished only AFTER fighting ceases and people have time to make the necessary changes.

Too many people lose sight of the fact that a social revolution is not merely an act of destroying old and unjust social customs. That is the easy part of the job.

American Socialists and the American people generally have no reason to desire to adopt the methods now being employed in Spain. It is not pleasant to wade to power through blood. And, more to the point, it is not necessary to do so in America—if the people of this nation will use the political power which is theirs to make the social changes which have been made necessary by economic development.

American Socialists must not and will not forsake their revolutionary aims. They propose to abolish the private profit system; they aim to make the industries of the nation the common property of all the people; they demand that people shall be rewarded according to what they do, not according to what they own. There can be nothing more radically

revolutionary than such demands. But, on the other hand, the Socialists of this country—and of every European country which has not destroyed democratic processes—urge that their revolution be brought about by democratic and peaceful means.

The Socialist way is a possibility—if the people of political democracies organize to bring it about. If bloodshed comes in any country it will be because the Socialist movement has failed, not because it has succeeded.

—Reading Labor Advocate.

DIET FOR POOR

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country have we had such conditions confronting us.

"But there is absolutely no excuse for people to starve. A bushel of wheat will feed a small-size family for a month. Where there is such a desperate situation, a coffee mill will grind wheat or corn into an ordinary meal and by adding about four parts of water to one of dry grain, which can be boiled to a thick porridge or mush, it makes a nourishing food which supplies the needs of the body. Millions of bushels of wheat are lying in the government's granary. The people will not calmly and quietly submit to starvation. It is our duty to at least see that the unemployed get enough food to avoid suffering.

"Butter, milk or any other food is not essential for variety if such rigid economy is required."

Perhaps Mr. Landon has Mr. MacFadden in mind for a specially created post of "director of national economy." Our only suggestion is that MacFadden, and his friend, William Randolph Hearst, set an example by going on such a diet (with no in-between meals) for a period of one year.—Minn. Leader.

# The John Smiths

BY HAROLD MAGIN

SNOP, YOU HAIN'T GON' ARE A FREE MAN! THEY HAIN'T GON' TO HOLD ME F'R RECKLESS DRIVING!

DO AS YOU HAVE BEEN DOING - CONTINUE TO TRY TO SET ON THE GOOD SIDE OF TWEET SMITH AND BETTY JONES!

NOW IF I CAN JEST THINK OF SOME WAY I CAN GET NEXT TO TH' GALS AN' BE IN A BETTER POSITION TO SELL 'EM MY PERSONALITY....

CURSES!... HERE COMES THAT BLAMED JERRY SMITH!

HELLO, JERRY!... I HAIN'T SEEN YAH F'R A DOG'S AGE... ARE YAH STILL LOOKIN' F'R A JOB?

WELL, SIR, SNOP, RIGHT NOW I'M LOOKING FOR A CROONER!

YEH, SLIM MILLER AND I ARE ORGANIZING A DANCE BAND AND I'M TRYING TO LOCATE A CROONER.

LET ME SEE... WHAT CAN I DO?

# Minutes of the Meeting

of the Finance Committee Held on August 4 and 5, 1936

All members were in attendance. Upon recommendation of Chairman Petrovich the report of our auditors was read and discussed first. The report of the State Department was also read and special attention was given to recommendations pertaining to the Finance Committee. It was decided to follow the recommendations contained in the report.

The question of renewal of our contract with the Moody's Investors Service was then discussed. All the members of the Finance Committee are of the opinion that the "Service" was satisfactory. In as much as the Moody's were employed to advise the Finance Committee as well as the Administrative Committee it was decided to postpone the decision regarding the renewal of the contract until we hear from the Administrative Committee regarding their satisfaction and willingness to use the Moody's Investors Service in the future. A recommendation to that effect is to be placed before the Supreme Board.

Regarding new investments it was pointed out that it is difficult to select good Municipal Bonds, in accordance with the new State law, which would yield more than Government obligations, it was therefore, decided to buy \$65,000.00 U. S. 2% Treasury notes maturing in 1954.

As it is the wish of the Finance Committee to increase the income on our investments without risking safety it was also decided that we

shall in the future also invest in bonds which are payable from revenues or earnings specifically pledged of a municipally owned water works plant, providing they meet all the requirements of the State Law.

On investigation of the Supervising Committee it was reported that \$5,000 of Okchobee Bonds were sold without the decision of the Finance Committee. All other questions for the Supervising committee pertaining to our work were answered to their satisfaction.

It was further decided to recommend reduction of the interest rate on all mortgages from 6% to 5% at the time of renewal where the interest is paid regularly.

A report of Mr. Heller regarding the Tiedtke Stores Realty Co. was read. It was decided to sell these bonds if we can get a satisfactory price.

A proposal was received from Brooke Tindall & Co. that we sell Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah, Georgia Bonds. It was decided that we ask for a bid on these bonds.

It was decided not to sell the Detroit Title and Trust Co. bonds unless we receive par and accrued interest.

It was also decided to sell Garfield City, N. J. bonds if the price is satisfactory.

An offer for our \$53,000.00 of Noxville, Tenn. bonds was rejected and decided not to sell.

After a review of all the mortgages it was decided to renew the same where taxes and interest are paid up. It was also decided to renew the mortgage on Slovene National Home in Cleveland, Ohio.

The report of the Finance Committee for the Supreme Board meeting was read and approved.

After a discussion of changes of the by-laws to be proposed at our next convention, it was decided that each member prepare an outline for our next meeting and decisions to be made at that time.

The meeting adjourned at 5 p. m. Matt Petrovich, President, A. Cvetkovich, John Olip, Secretary.

FRANK SLABY, Lodge 594.

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