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## Ali imamo delavci izgubiti še kaj drugega kakor verige?

Znani socialistični teoretik in delavski zgodovinar James Oneal pravi v enemu svojih člankov, kako smo pred četrti stoljetjem podvajali vseposod geslo, da delaveci nimajo izgubiti drugega kakor verige. On pravi, da danes vemo, ali bi vsaj morali vedeti bolje. Delavci v Avstriji, v Italiji, na Češkem, Slovaškem, v Nemčiji in Španiji so verige — verige, ki jih res drže ukenjene šele dobili s postanki diktatur. V marsikateri drugi deželi jim jih skušajo natakniti. Povsod je nevarnost, da se to zgodi, če ne bodo delavske mase na straži za vse, kar bi lahko izgubile. Civilne svobodske, pravice svobodnega organiziranja in kolektivnega pogajanja, svobodo zborovanja in tiska, pravico izbirati si delo, pravico delo pustiti, če ti ne ugaja, in pravico boriti se za zadostno brezposelnostno podporo ako dela ne morebiti — vse to so stvari, ki jih delavci lahko izgube in v nadomestilo dobe verige, kakor so jih z izgubo vsega omenjenega dobili v totalitarnih državah.

## Mladina in zločini

Zločinci med mladino se množe vzlje paboljevalnicam, ječam, pridigam in pažnji staršev nad svojimi otroki. Mladi fantje od 15 do 20 let stari, pa tudi mlajši in seveda starejši, se udajajo poslu, ki jim koncem konca ne obeta ničesar razen slab konec in uničenje. Vzljic temu ropajo, tu in tam kako žrtve ubijajo, posiljujejo, ali se uče za žepanje, vlomilce, poklicne skebe, gangsterje in za druge nižinske poklice.

Kriva temu ni pokvarjenost mladine, ki pride iz šol, nego POKVARJEN sistem, ki je sam na sebi zločinski. Ako bi dal mladini, ki pride iz šol, prliko delati in dobiti plačo za delo, in aki bi budna policija res trebila zločinske brioge, v katerih dobiva mladina vso mogočo pobudo za zagaženje v nepošteno življenje, pa bi se odpravilo veliko veliko varoka za zločinstva med mladino. Ce pa hočemo varok dočela izkorjeniti, je treba preuredu družbo, ki je na nepoštenju, izkorjevanju in lažeh zgrajena, in jo nadomestiti s tako, v kateri bo vsak član imel pogoje za delo in dostojno preživljjanje.

## Potrebne kritike

V kapitalističnih listih se delavci čestokrat pritojujejo, da so volitve v unijah bolj nepoštene kot v najbolj koruptnih občinah in mestih, kritika članov na sejah pa s terorjem zatira. Ce je kdo le pregleasen, ga pretepejo takoj v uradu ali pa na seji, najraje pa zavratno kje zunaj.

Raketirstvo v ameriških unijah je stara stvar. Člani se nad njim že od nekdaj pritojujejo. Ampak njihov boj je težak, ker posamezniki proti gangsterjem nič ne opravijo. Le organizirane skupine lahko primorajo krvinkeno stanje pred luč javnosti in v efektivne akcije. Pokojni Debs je pogosto dejal, da je kapitalizem s svojimi plačanci na županskih, šerifskih in sodnih mestih raketirje v unijah zmerom protektir, napadel pa je vsakega resničnega borca, da ga očri med ljudstvom. Debs je to vedel vsled bogatih skušenj, kajti preganjal so ga in blatili v listih kot da bi bil največji kriminalec, dočim so raketirji delovali nemoteno vsled protekcie, ki bi jo v resnici morali dobiti pošteni ljude.

## "Prijatelji delavcev"

V Mehiki kandidira za predsednika tudi general Juan Andre Almazan, ki pravi v svojem programu med drugim, da bo rešiti mehiške delavce pred unijami in s tem plačevanja asesmentov, s katerimi jim pišejo kri pjavke v odborih.

Tudi v Zed. državah je mnogo takih generalov, ki pretakajo solze vselej, kadar se spomnijo asesmentov članov unij. Kako nepotrebno je vse to, vzklikajo in kličejo javno mnenje, naj stori konec temu izkorjevanju ubogega članstva.

Proti resničnemu izkorjevanju, radi katerega so se delavci organizirali, ne pretakajo solz.

## "Zakon je zakon!"

"Postava je postava!" pravi vlada. Tako trdi tudi sodna oblast. Pa se je nedavno v vrhovnem sodišču apet dogodilo v dveh važnih slučajih, da so širje člani tolmačili pomen zakona po svoje, ostali pet pa drugače. Večina vrhovnega sodišča odločuje, a vendar se je že dostikrat primerilo, da je bila manjšina v pravem. Ob enem je ravno zvezno vrhovno sodišče jasen dokaz, da rek "zakon je zakon" pomeni le, da zakon je to, kar tisti, ki ga ima pravico tolmačiti in moč uveljaviti, pravi, da je.

## Res čudno

Čudno, kako vsi državniki ljubijo ljudstvo, katera skušajo oteti pred zasovačenimi državniki. Končno pa to stanje končajo s pobijanjem ljudi, katere ljubijo, in to delo zavrne, se sprijaznijo s sovražnimi državniki in objamejo. — "American Guardian."

Norman Thomas izvojeval pravico govor v Jersey City



ali tako nekako, kot je rekel ciganec: "Alaj ti je bila dobra piletina (počena kokoš)." Kje si jo jedel, ga vpraša drugi. "Moj brat je gledal, ko so drugi jedli."

Silne težkoča so, ki jih ne more razumeti nihče, kakor tisti, ki jih direktno izkušijo. In naj se vam takšen domisljav reziser spuna ali umre, pa je tudi društvo mrtvo. Igralcu ni kaj po volji, ali se je morda z drugim skregal, pa se ti zadnjo minutno pred nastopom eksa, Kaj mu pa moreš? Na soščišča ga nimaš pravice gohoti in plače, mu tudi ne moreš utrgati, ker ga sploh ne plačamo. Vse take reči niso nič kaj bodrilne, privlačne ali hvaležne.

V Ameriki so slovenski socialisti, oziroma JSZ edini, ki organizirano delajo med našim ljudstvom politično, kulturno in gospodarsko, kolikor ga morejo doseči. Ako ni takšnega uspeha, kakršen bi moral biti, ni to kriva socialistov. Krivi so pač največ oni, ki so vedno jemali neko srednjo pot in jo še danes. Največ krivde pada pa na demokrate in veternjake.

### Iz severne Minnesota

John Kobi je spet že daje čas, da je aktivni, dasi njegovo združenje po dolgi bolezni ni še kot bi moral biti. Zato Kobi tudi ne more storiti toliko kot dokler ne bil popolnoma zdrav. Izvršuje kovaško delo. V tem je delavec izpostavljen zdaj silovitim naporom in vročini, nato pa hladui in preprič. Kaj lahko se primeri, da ta ali oni zbole.

Ko smo se zadnjih menili, če bi mogli v severni Minnesota spet razširiti Proletarca kakor je bil leta 1912, so se tudi nje mu iskrile oči. Takrat smo živel, ne umirali.

Upamo, da je v severni Minnesota še nekaj živih, ki so pripravljeni delati enako kot v prošlosti naši pionirji. Seveda, če smo, bo to vidno in Proletarcu pod naslovom "Agitatorji na delu". Kaj pravite, naši napredni Minnesotčani? Gremo na to delo? Recimo vse, "šur", pa bo uspeh v tudi dober list, bo prejemali, katerega zdaj prihaja med nats vse premalo izvodov.

In če ne bo drugih, pa naj spet prično Max Martz, Frank Klun, John Teran in drugi na Elyju, Chisholmu, Evelethu, Duluthu itd. John Teran sam je včas prebredel vse te naselbine in agitiral poleg izvrševanja svoje kroške obrti. In tudi takrat, ko je razvražal pivo, je bil ob enem agitatoru za Proletarca, kot je še danes, le da je bolj v rezervi, kakor pravi.

Naša letovišča so to poletje obiskana slabšo kot povprečno prejšnja leta. Pravijo, da sta vzrok temu razstavi v New Yorku in San Franciscu.

Obrat v že zeločasnih rudnikih je normalen. Delo izvršujejo včasno stroji, bivši rudarji pa se preživljajo kakor se pač morejo. WPA in relief pri nas ni tuja.

V farmarski-delavski stranki

## SOCIALISTIČNA INTERNACIONALA V PRIPRAVAH ZA BODOČI KONGRES

Meseca maja je v Bruslju v Belgiji zboroval odbor delavsko socialistične internacionale.

Glavni predmet razgovorov je tvorilo organizacijsko vprašanje. Od 41 strank, ki so priključene internacionali, jih bo 19 imelo samo po en glas na kongresu in v izvršnem odboru le posvetovalno pravico. Od 254 kongresnih glasov jih bo pripadalo delegatom iz demokratičnih držav. 20 glasov bodo imeli zastopniki socialističnih strank iz držav brez demokracije, glede na 37 glasov pa se bo sklepalo še pozneje. Od 38 članov izvršnega odbora internacionale je 28 zastopnikov iz demokratičnih držav. Ožji izvršni odbor pa bo sestavljen iz 10 zastopnikov socialističnih strank iz demokratičnih držav in 2. zastopnikov socialističnih strank iz držav brez demokracije. Sedanji ožji izvršni odbor se je tudi že preosmoval tako, da so v njemu zastopane socialistične stranke iz Belgije, Danske, Nemčije, Finske, Anglije, Holandske, Norveške, Poljske, Svedske, Švice in Španije.

Ali je morda igrača odpustke prodajati na distanco in kuverte pošiljati na dom dragim rojakom, s prošnjo "Mal polož dar Bogu na oltar"? Kaj mislite, da je lipov cvet producirajoči povesti o čiganih in da je kuharica umetnost zrasla iz lipovih korenin? Za vse to je bilo treba možganov. Zato pa

predsednik internacionale, s. Louis de Brouckere odtoljil. De Brouckere je dopolnil 31. maja 70 let in hoče dovršiti še neko svoje veliko teoretično delo, ki si ga je stavil kot nekak življenski cilj. Izvršni odbor ni hotel sprejeti njegove ostavke, potem pa je s. Brouckere sam predlagal predsednika holandske socialne demokracije J. W. Alabarda, kot novega predsednika, kar je bilo s pritrjevanjem sprejeto. Svoje mesto je stavil na razpolago tudi tajnik s. Adler, ki je bil svoj čas izvoljen na to mesto kot zastopnik ene najmočnejših socialno demokratičnih strank v bivši Avstriji. Toda izvršni odbor ga je znova potrdil v njegovi funkciji.

Ob zaključku je sprejel izvršni odbor na znanje poročilo socialistične stranke v Spaniji, ki je bilo podpisano od predsednika stranke Ramona Gonzalesa Pene in tajnikom Ramona Lamone. Te spremembje so prejeli resolucijo, v kateri poziva vse priključene stranke, da pomagajo žrtvam nesrečno zaključene državljanske vojne.

se še vedno polemizira o krivilih in vzrokih za poraz pri lanskih volitvah. Komunisti so v njej tako dobro došli, kakor berači mrz. Dasi jih je malo, je splošno mnenje, da so se s svojimi usiljivimi metodami zadnji kampanji urinili v prve vrste in vsake priliko izrabili za kričanje sebi v prid, s tem pa odbili tiseče voličev, ki mrze komuniste in njihove metode.

### Poročevalec.

## AGITATORJI NA DELU

Vse narodnine, ki jih pošljejo zastopniki in drugi agitatorji Proletarca, so šteoto na basi polletnih narodnin. Namreč agitator, ki pošlje eno celoletno, je zabeležen v tem seznamu z dvema polletnima.

### Poročevalec.

## RAZNOTEROSTI

### Bridgeport, O.

Nedavno sem poročal, da se poročita Viktor Hribar iz Windsor Heightsa, W. Va. in Nada Mandan iz Glencoe, O. Poroka je bila v soboto 10. junija. Ker sem star znanec obeh družin, sem se vabil radovedje ozval.

Prišlo je mnogo prijateljev in prijateljev iz raznih naselbin.

To je bilo prvič, da sem bil na "oheti" v Glencoe. Bil pa sem v tej naselbinai na mnogih zabavah in konferencah prejšnjih let, ko je bila ta naselbina še zelo zivhnja in aktivna.

Starši novoporočencev so na-

prednji ljudje in upam, da bosta tudi mlada dva nadaljevala po isti poti. V tem smislu jima želim veliko uspeha in sreče.

To je zadnji poziv na konference Prešvetne matice, ki se bo vrnila v nedeljo 25. junija na Škofovi farmi v Bartonu. Prične se ob 10. dop. Ta kraj je pri Bartonskem tunelu. Kraje zborovanja boste lahko našli, ker je pri cesti. Ako pa se pripeljete v Barton po cestni železnici, vzemite kar št. 69 in izstopite na Stop 49. Nato greste še malo naprej po ovinku in prva farma na desni je Škofova farm.

Ta konferenca je velika pomena.

Razpravljali bomo o raznih delavskih akcijah z ozirom na bodočnost našega gibanja.

Pol ure časa je določenega za razpravo, kako bi se skupaj

strinili in skupno delovali v vseh

važnih zadevah in vprašanjih,

ki se tičejo nas vseh kot delav-

cev in državljanov.

Nekatera društva bodo po-

slala na prihodnjo konferenco

po šest in več zastopnikov.

Vabilo tudi druge, da naj pridejo

in sledi razprava. Po konča-

nem zborovanju pa bo zabava

v košati senci pri mrzlem stu-

dencu. Kogar pa bo mikral ples,

se bo lahko sukal po zvokih do-

bре godbe v sobi za plesalce.

Torej se nam obeta po resnem





# ŽENITEV CARJA DUŠANA

Po Vuku Karadžičevi srpski narodni pesmi  
pričoveduje Ivan Vuk

(Dale in konec)

Komaj je Miloš sedel in jeli  
piti vino, kar se sliši krik iz me-  
sta Latinov:

"Glej, car, tam na travniku  
pred mestom trije viteški konji!  
Na sedilih so trije ostri meči,  
štečeči kvišku. Prekoči te tri  
viteške konje. Ako jih ne pre-  
skočiš, ne dobija neveste!"

Zopet je klical glasnik med  
svati:

"Kdo je, ki prekoči tri vi-  
teške konje s tremi ostrimi  
meči?"

Nikdo se ne oglasi. Ali glej,  
mladeč Bolgar stopi pred šotor  
srbskega carja Dušana in go-  
voriti:

"Dovoli car in gospodar, da  
prekočim tri viteške konje in  
meči!"

"Dovolim", je rekel car Du-  
šan. "Samov svoj pastirski plašč  
sledi, zakaj slabo je sešit."

Miloš Vojnović odgovarja:  
"Sedi car in pijo rujno vino. Ne  
brigaj se za moj plašč. Ako bo  
v meni korajša, plašč ne bo  
skodoval. Zakaj če je kateri  
ovec napotni njeni runo, tedaj to  
ni ovca."

In šel je Miloš na travnik le-  
dajski. Ko je prišel do konjev,  
je govoril svojemu šarcu:

"Počakaj me s svojim se-  
dom, šarec!"

Rekel je in šel na drugo  
stran. Zaletel se je preko trav-  
nika in prekočil tri viteške konje  
in na njih tri ostri meče.  
Ustavil se je pri svojem šarcu, u-  
vel vse tri konje in jih odpe-  
lijal k srbskemu carju Dušanu.

Cez nekaj časa nato je nek  
glas klical iz mesta Latinov:

"Pridi car srbski pod najve-  
čji stolp mesta Ledjana. Na  
stolpu je kopje, na kopju pa  
zlatno jabolko. Ustreli skozi pr-  
stan jabolko."

Miloš več ni hotel čakati,  
ampak je vprašal carja:

"Dovoli car, da ustrelim sko-  
zi prstan jabolko!"

"Streljam sinko", je rekel  
car.

Šel je Miloš pred stolp, napol-  
nico na zlato tetivo in skozi  
prstan ustrelil zlato jabolko.  
Vzel ga je v roke in odnesel ca-  
ru, ki ga je bogato nagradil.

Ni bilo dolgo, kar je zopet  
neko klical iz mesta Latinov:

"Evo, car, pod stražnjim  
stolpom gresta dva kraljeva sil-  
nova. Tri lepa dekleta vodita s  
seboj. Vse tri so enake, obleka-  
na njih je enaka. Pojdite in ug-  
ani, katera izmed teh treh je  
Roksanda. Ce ne uganeš, ne do-  
biš Roksande, niti glava ti ne  
ostane na ramenu."

Ko je slišal car te besede, je  
rekel Todoru, vezirju:

"Pojdi, služabnik in vezir in  
ugani dekle!"

Todor vezir pa se brani:

"Car, nisem je niti videl, ker  
so mi jo pripeljali takrat, ko  
sem ji izročil prstan, v mra-  
ku."

Car se je udaril ob kolenu in  
rekel:

"Vse smo doslej dobro rešili,  
a glej, zdaj naj ugibamo de-  
kleta!"

Ko je Miloš Vojnović to sli-

svate in vrnil hčerko Roksan-  
doš."

Vojvoda Balački vpraša kra-  
ljat:

"Kakšen je bil junak med  
svati, ki je premagal tako ju-  
naško vse ovire?"

Odgovorila je kraljica le-  
dajska:

"Služabnik naš, vojvoda Ba-  
lački! Ni nobenega junaka, ra-  
zen črnega Bolgara. In še ta je  
mladši in golobrabi."

Ali Balački, vojvoda je re-  
kel:

"Ni to črn Bolgar, ampak to  
je Miloš Vojnović. Niti car Du-  
šan ga ne pozna. Jaz pa ga po-  
znam že od nekdaj."

Ledjanska kraljica pravi vo-  
vodni:

"Pojdi služabnik, vojvoda Ba-  
lački! Vzemi deklico, hčer  
mojo Srbom in obdarila te  
bom!"

Tedaj je Balački osedel k  
njuna arabcu ter zdirjal za svato-  
vijo, po cesti šest sto latinskih je-  
zdecje dolgi. Ko so bili na zeleni  
gori, je šarec stal na široki  
cesti, a za njim Miloš Vojnović.  
Kriknil mu je vojvoda Balački:

"O, Miloš, ali na me čaka?"

Izrekel je in spustil iz glave  
moderplamen, da je sežgal črno  
medvedjo kožo na šarec.

Videč, da konju nič ne more, je  
spustil ledeni veter. Trirkat se  
zarec zasukal, ali Milošu nič  
hudega. In kriknil je Miloš iz  
vsega gria:

"Glej, česar nisi pričakov-  
val!"

Zamahnil je z zlatim šeste-  
roglatičkim klijem. Ni krepko za-  
mahnil, ali vojvoda Balački je  
padel s sedla. Miloš Vojnović je  
zasukal kopje in pribodel Balačka  
z zeleni travi, mu odsekal vse tri glave ter jih vrge-  
v Šarčev oprsnik. Nato je na-  
akočil kraljeve konjenike s svo-  
jimi tristotimi tovarisi in odsekal  
tristo glav. Potem je odje-  
zdil po cesti za svati.

Ko je prišel do carja in do-  
svatov, je vrgel pred njega Ba-  
lačkove tri glave.

Car mu je dal tisoč dukatov  
in odjezdil k belemu Prizrenu.

Ko so prišli preko Kosovega,  
je hotel Miloš v mesto Vučitrn.  
Poslovil se je od srbskega car-  
ja in govoril:

"Pripravite se, ovencani svati.  
Čas je, da odpotujemo domov!"

In svatje in vasi se odpravijo  
in odpeljajo s seboj Roksando  
in obe deklici.

Ko so tako šli, je rekel Miloš  
Vojnović carju Dušanu:

"Gospod, srbski car Dušan!  
Tu v Ledjanu je nek vojvoda  
Balački. Poznam ga in tudi on  
meni poznata. Sedem let ga že  
vzdržuje kralj, da mu razžene-  
svate in snubce in jim odvzame  
nevasto Roksando. Zdaj ga bo-  
do postali tudi na nami. Balački  
ima tri glave. Iz ene mu si-  
ka moder plamen, z druge mr-  
zil veter. Ko oba vetrata izletita  
iz glave, ga bo lahko pogubiti.

Zato vi le pojde naprej in ve-  
dite nevesto. Jaz bom tu pota-  
kal Balačka, da ga zadrižim."

Svatje so odšli, Miloš pa je  
ostal na gori, zeleni in z njim  
tristo tovaršev. Ko so svatje  
tako odšli iz Ledjana, je kralj  
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kleta!"

Ko je Miloš Vojnović to sli-

# Po New Yorku

Piše FRANK ZAITZ

(Nadaljevanje.)

Priprave za svetovno razsta-  
vo v New Yorku so bile zavite  
v precejšnje intrige. Mali trgovci  
so marsikje organizirani v namenu, da skupno  
odklanjajo oglašati v raznih  
"programnih knjižicah", v li-  
stih, na zastorih itd. Ko ga  
vprašaš za oglas se izgovori, da  
bi ga rad dal, pa mu organizacija  
ne pusti.

Sledno so organizirane države  
po svetu, predvsem evropske,  
zaradi "svetovnih" razstav.  
Vsako večje pomembnejše  
mesto na svetu bi jo rado  
priredilo. Zbere, kak milijon  
dolarjev za oglašanje in usta-  
novitev pisarn, pa dobe vlade  
povabilna na udeležbo. Ker se  
jim je zdelo tega preveč, so si  
ustanovile poseben biro, katerga  
načela načela je vsak osnutek za  
svetovno razstavo prečudirati  
in nato izdati dolčbe, po katerih  
se vlade morajo ravnavi. Nobena  
dežela ne želi v takem  
namene imeti visokih potroš-  
nikov, pa se izgovori, da je bio  
odločil tako in tako.

Ko je imel pred sabo vprašanje  
za svetovno razstavo v New  
Yorku, mu je Anglija in Francija  
namignila, da ne želite imeti  
s to atvarjo preveč stroškov. Biro za svetovno razstavo  
je vsled tega odločil, da bo  
newyorski "World of Tomorrow"  
v resnici le razstava "drugega reda", torek zadostuje, a  
ako države, ako države, ki žele  
sodelovati, razstavijo kaj maledi-  
ga, toliko pač, da so vsaj po  
imenu zastopane.

Eina regulacij omenjenega  
odboru tudi je, da ne sme nobena  
država na od mednarodnega  
biroja, priznani razstavi imeti  
zgradbe trajne vrednosti, nego le  
začasne paviljone, ki se  
jih po par mesecih podpre in  
material proda za staro šaro.  
Tudi propagande so prepovedane.

Pripravljalnemu odboru v New  
Yorku, kateremu načeljuje Grover Whalen, to ni bilo  
več. Toliko denarja je že zabil  
v podvzetje, oglašal ga po  
vsem svetu, zdaj pa naj bi bila  
tole razstava "drugega reda"? Nikakor ne! New York se ne  
podra kar tako.

Res, da so evropske države  
preobremenjene z oboroževanja-  
jem, res, da večinoma ne pu-  
ste svojim ljudem vzetki s sabo  
denarja, da bi ga zapravili dru-  
gi, ampak razstave se morajo  
udeležiti kot se spodobi, ali  
pa je bo. Pisal sem že zadnjič, da je newyorski priprav-  
ljalni odbor in promoterje ter  
njihove vloge v razstavi otele  
sovjetska Unija. Prvič, ker ni v  
biroju za razstave, jo njegovi  
sklepi prav nič ne vežejo. Zato-  
rej je prižahljiv newyorski načrt  
za "razstavo prvega reda" in  
ob enem sklenila postaviti na  
razstavnem prostoru zgradbo  
trajne veljave, kakrsni se ni  
bilo slične na nobeni razstavi  
doslej. Naj bo ta palaca iz mar-  
morja, toda ne iz ameriškega,  
nego iz raznih krajov USSR. Ko  
bo razstave konec, se zgradba  
razdrže, marmor in drugi  
material pa naloži na ladjo in  
potujoči obliki manifestaciji —  
bila je ena največjih na pro-  
stranem "trgu pravice" v sredi-  
razstavnega prostora — mani-  
festacija proti hitlerizmu in  
njegovemu podjavljenju če-  
škega naroda.

Promoterji v New Yorku, ka-  
terim niso vseeno, kako se raz-  
stava skoča, so ugibali in med  
seboj sklenili, da jim bo češki  
paviljon v veliko reklamo, ka-  
kor je sovjetski. Podprli so  
apel in kmalu so čehi imeli bli-  
zu 50 tisoč dolarjev, da so do-  
končali delo s paviljonom in ga  
otvorili ob veliki manifestaciji —  
bila je ena največjih na pro-  
stranem "trgu pravice" v sredi-  
razstavnega prostora — mani-  
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škega naroda.

Prvotno je imela Čehoslova-  
ška namen v svojem paviljonu  
predstaviti veličino čehoslova-  
ške industrije, lepoto Čehoslo-  
vaške in kulturno višino Čehov.  
Novi odbor je moral prvotni  
načrt popolnoma spremeniti,  
kajti čehoslovaška industrija je  
zdaj nemška in bi bilo nesmi-  
selno, da jo bi čehi oglašali.  
Kakor je sovjetski paviljon in  
svoji propagandi pol nad  
vseslovenski spomeni, ki je  
bil sličen na nobeni razstavi  
doslej. Naj bo ta palaca iz mar-  
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negi raznih krajov USSR. Ko  
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škega naroda.

Tako piše revija "Cankarjev Glasnik", glasnik in propagator  
svoje lastne moći vseh, ki ustvarjajo, leposlovna revija  
nanašajoča se na naše razmerje in dnevnne probleme.

Publikacija je nova in v sploš-  
nem še ne razširjena, kot bi  
morala biti, zato išči nove čitalje-  
vce, čitalje med tistimi, ki  
želijo in vedo da čitajo, katerim  
se hoče s čitanjem ovse-  
nja in pridobitev. Mesečnik išče  
inteligentnih čitaljev, čitaljev,  
ki znajo čitati. Ali jih  
imamo med nami? Po razma-  
nju za dobrim čitivom bi se so-  
dilo, da jih ni veliko. Ali nam  
ne dobro čitivo potrebno, kot  
prava hrana in lepa oblike? Zakaj  
bi si ne privoščili naj-  
boljši kar imamo? Čitivo je na-  
vadno tisto čudo, ki urejuje na-  
še miselno obzorje, ustvarja-  
naš značaj, naš karakter. Kar  
čitamo to smo. Kot nam ne pri-  
stoja zanemarjenia oblike, ta-  
ko nam ne pristoja zanemarje-  
našo duševnost.

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škodi.

Gevori ljudstvu resnico, te  
ne posluša. Blufaj ga, pa ti bo  
sledilo. To je star pesem.

Komentator v tem listu z dne

14. junija je pisal, da je posta-  
lo vprašanje posojila SDD ču-  
dnina afera, kar je pravilno. Da  
se naj bi to zadevo rešilo čisto  
trgovsko, je tudi pravilno. Ampak  
pronašli smo, da je bil zra-  
ven samo in trgovec in na seji  
so še tega bojkotirali. Iz tega  
lahko sklepamo, da nočajo tr-  
govce med sabo, dasi bi se od  
njih lahko kaj naučili, kako se  
vodi biznis.

# PROLETAREC

CHICAGO, ILL., June 21, 1939.

## Unwanted Human Beings

Some dramatic writing cou'd be done about the fate of that carload of German refugees who have been looking in vain for a place to land. How a Hugo cou'd picture them looking with hopeles' eyes out across a bleak horizon in search of a place—any place—upon which to end their days! How Nazi intolerance could be shamed!

Our own United States has no refugees. But we have a vast crop of unwanted people who are seeking in vain for a place to work and live. In this country we don't force them to leave; we merely deny them a place in the scheme of things. We don't call them "refugees." We speak of them as "the unemployed" and as "the lower third."

Again this year the ranks of the unwanted will be swelled by an army of young men and women who will pass through the doors of high schools and colleges into a world which has no use for them. Like the refugees from Nazi-land these young Americans will seek in vain for a landing.

What answer will America give to the younger generation? What answer can be given while we hold fast to a system which decrees that the many are here to be used for the profit of the few?

And what will rescue the frustrated millions who vainly seek for work and life except the Socialist program for a socialized economy in which the wealth will be produced to provide everybody with food, clothing, shelter, art, beauty and leisure instead of to pile up profits for an owning class?

--Reading Labor Advocate.

## OUR PICNIC

**Chicago, Ill.** — What are your plans for the Fourth of July?

Whatever they may be, getting out of the stuffy city is sure to be in the reckoning, I presume.

Out in the beautiful surroundings of Kegel's Grove in Willow Springs, where the grassy meadows are well shaded and gentle breezes blow, you will find pleasure, ease and contentment. That will be the scene of Proletarec's picnic. Games, dancing, sports, music and refreshments will be on the bill plus a comradely environment.

A good orchestra will be on hand all day, catering to your musical desires with toe-tickling tunes.

Let not the question of where to go perplex you further. Turn your car or footsteps or board one of the buses in the direction of Kegel's Grove on the Fourth where all your friends will be enjoying themselves. See you there.

J. D.

## JOSEPH MARTINEK TO SPEAK AT BRANCH 1 MEETING FRIDAY

**Chicago, Ill.** — Members of Branch 1 JSF, are urged to attend and bring their friends along to the regular meeting at the Center Friday, June 23, as we have been fortunate enough to secure Joseph Martinek, Czech Socialist and labor leader, to lecture after the meeting.

He has chosen for his subject: "Czechoslovakia's Fight Against Hitler."

Martinek has been in this country a number of months lecturing to his people and others on the tragic fate of his country under Hitler. He was one of the leading figures in Czechoslovakia and will talk from actual experience. — J. D.

## "ZARJA'S" PICNIC

**Cleveland, O.** — Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Readers of Proletarec. The Socialist singing society "Zarja" has announced that its annual picnic will be held Sunday, June 25, at Mocilnikar's farm.

You can reach the farm by car or truck. The truck will leave from the Slovener National Home, Addison Rd. at 9 A. M. and 1 P. M., and will stop at the S. D. D. in Collinwood and at St. Clair Avenue and Nottingham Rd. The round trip fare will be twenty-five cents.

Friends, we promise you a real good time dancing to the music of Frank Barbic and his orchestra, taking part in the races, relays, and other entertainment we have planned for the day, and as the crowning event of the day, "Zarja" will sing a number of Slovene songs as only "Zarja" can sing them.

So come one and all and treat yourself to a good time on Sunday, June 25, at Mocilnikar's farm.

John Slosar.

## Open Letter To Cook County Members

Dear Comrades:

As you know, the Party in Cook County has made a great deal of progress in the past few months. A new North Side branch has been organized and new members are joining in all branches. Not only is the Party growing, but our youth group, the YPSL, is expanding greatly and there now are five YPSL circles in Chicago.

Party social affairs have been uniformly successful. Open air meetings are being held and educational work is meeting with increasing success.

A start has been made in organizing disciplined work in the anti-war, unemployed and co-operative fields. A conference of Socialist unionists will be held in July to launch disciplined work in various trade unions.

But while meetings are valuable, the backbone of the Party activity must be the work done by individual comrades in the organizations they belong to and among their friends and contacts.

Many comrades have problems in connection with such work: how to distribute literature, get subscriptions for the "Socialist Call," recruit contacts into the Party; organize coordinated work in mass organizations.

In order to deal with these problems, the County Executive Committee decided that personal interviews with the County Organizer would be a helpful step in the right direction.

Would you, therefore, please call me up to arrange a convenient time and place for such an interview, so that the energy of each of us may be more fruitfully expended for Socialism?

Fraternally yours, Harry Fleischman, Organizer, Cook County Socialist Party.

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT WE'VE GOT 'EM TOO

Believe it or not, but Germany has a Nutrition Board.

Its chief function, we suppose, is to find out how little the public can eat.

The light of dawn gives us no rest, Through secret lanes we burrow; Today we are the dispossessed, But ours shall be tomorrow.

The world is full of willing people; some are willing to work, others are willing to let them.

In idleness there is perpetual despair.—Carlyle.

## Johnstown News

### JSF BRANCH 5 PICNIC; VICIOUS PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATION; JSF REORGANIZATION

**Johnstown, Pa.** — Picnic season is here and it sorts feels good to get away from the hot noisy city and spend a Sunday out in the woods near some babbling stream.

On Sunday, July 16, Branch 5 JSF, will hold a picnic back of Park Hill. Frank Podby, an "old timer" in Park Hill, says it's an ideal spot. We cordially invite all friends and readers of Proletarec to spend the day with us. Bring your balloons, playing cards and horse shoes along and enjoy Sunday, July 16, at Park Hill.

A good orchestra will be on hand all day, catering to your musical desires with toe-tickling tunes.

Let not the question of where to go perplex you further. Turn your car or footsteps or board one of the buses in the direction of Kegel's Grove on the Fourth where all your friends will be enjoying themselves.

See you there.

J. D.

We had the pleasure of meeting John and Mary Fradel at Lodge Adria's picnic on Sunday, June 11. John invited us to the SNPJ Day in Clinton but we set that day aside for agitation purposes here in Johnstown. Lodge Adria's picnic was well attended. It was their 35th anniversary celebration. Three singing societies participated on their program, and short talks were made by John Orekovitch, Andrew Vidrich, Jos. Culcar, John Fradel and yours truly. Judging from the large crowd in attendance, their picnic was not only a moral but also a financial success.

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