

PROGRAM MEETING
HEAR MISS HOLUB
ON CZECHOSLOVAKIA
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LINGUISTIC INDIGESTION

(Editor's Note: The following dissertation is upon the occasion of a hurriedly contacted group of members going to Clutier to represent our lodge at a party given by Lodge Cornbelt for two of their recently married couples).

Bilo to na Monday vecer when dva carloads Mlado Cechu vijeli do-uvat things u tanci in Clutier.

V jedni car, Lippert play-uvai "Knock-Knock" celo cestu, a von know-uvai some heski "Knock-Knocks"!

Kdys jsme com-uvai do Clutier, sec-uvai jsme Jirickovu caru na outskirts, ale Louie jsme ne-sec-uvai. Tak jsme stali na corner of Main Street a holler-uvai jsme, "OH, LOUIE" !! Ale von jse ne show-uvai up, ale kdys Bill Lana yell-uv-1, tak scare-uvai dva "rabbits" ze bushes.

Šli jsme vokolo building jako dřevnik which molo double doors. Rose Svoc look-ovala skrz hole ve door a yell-ovala, "My gosh! Come here and give a look; they got a fire engine, even!"

Šli jsme then do beer-parlor na pop a Lippert found-uvai souvenir.

Od beer-parlor, rovno cestou jsme walk-uvai do tance. Hudba play-ovala a jen dva nob tři couples dance-uvai.

Pay-uvai jsme admission--a little bit it bolelo. Enter-uvai jsme inside. Lots of lidi byli tan ale most of them sedeli because byli asi tired a nebo those new shoes boleli.

Jak jsme start-uvai dance-ovat tak pick-uvai jsme out Bride a pass-uvai jsme ji around i hned druho Bride a Bridesmaid. Kdys jsme byli acquaint-uvani tak play-uvai for us schottische a circle-two-step. All in all, jsme 'jim show-uvai jak nyt Good Time. Mamc come-uvat again!

(Composed by a typical(?) Jr. Am. Czech).

OFFICERS INVITED TO ATTEND PEP MEETING

Lodge Prokop Velky, sponsors of the Jarmark of next month, have invited the officers of all the local CSA lodges to attend the Pep meeting in regard to Jarmark plans, to be held Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the "little hall". There will be refreshments and officers may bring their families or immediate friend.

MISS JARASLAVA HOLUB TO SPEAK ON HER CZECH EXPERIENCES ON MONDAY

The Junior American Czech executive board has kept its promise and has planned an entirely different sort of meeting than we have had recently. The meeting, scheduled at the CSPS at 8 p.m. on Monday, October 12, will convene for a short regular business meeting which will be followed by a program of educational interest. We have been fortunate in being able to secure a speaker of note, Miss Jaraslava Holub. Miss Holub will speak on "My Experiences in Czechoslovakia".

Miss Holub just returned this summer after spending three years in advanced study at Charles University at Prague, Czechoslovakia. She is prepared to tell us of the life of young people abroad as a colleague. She has personality that makes her anecdotes of unusual interest.

Our speaker will number many of us as former acquaintances; She attended the local schools, being graduated in 1929 from Grant high school. In 1933 she was graduated with high honors from Coe college. Her high scholarship resulted in her going to Prague. And too, you will find her attractive, so boys...

We have invited all CSA members to come to the meeting to hear Jaraslava. She will speak about 8:45 p.m.

Bank Nite

A second feature of our meeting will be the Bank Nite Purse of \$5.50 which is available to any Junior Czech attending the meeting. A second draw of \$2.50 provides a double chance for coming home with cash. Adeline Sindelar was lucky at the last meeting when she won \$2.50. Mrs. Mildred Brosh missed \$4.50 by not attending as her name was called on the first draw.

Free Dance

Lastly, may we invite you to attend the public opening of the newly decorated "little hall" and bar-room. The bar is in a modernistic motif and shines and sparkles with its very newness. The board of trustees has opened the hall to a public dance which will follow our meeting and program. The Happy-Go-Lucky orchestra will play.

Come and enjoy a delightful and varied evening of entertainment. The werner roast that concluded September's meeting was a success, we hope that this will be, too.



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The Junior American Czechs can't take it! At least it seems so. Since the trouncing of our baseball team by Lodge Thomas Edison, all interest in sports has vanished. Organization of a bowling team by Leo Stolba has completely fizzled for lack of interest. Therefore, this month's issue contains no Sport Chatter. Certainly bowling or basketball could be our winter sport if the men of the lodge would at least try for organization. Don't permit defeat in one sport keep you from entering another sport field.

We tender a somewhat belated public thanks to Frank Stanek who so kindly contributed free of charge the JUNIOR ECHO mailbox and padlock which is situated at the head of the stairs at the entry to the lodge room. Your contribution is much appreciated.

And while speaking of the JUNIOR ECHO mailbox may we again remind you that this box has a purpose. Chiefly, it is in need of use. Send contributions to this paper or else place personally in the mailbox any material or ideas for THE JUNIOR ECHO c/o Editor.

Organizer Jiricek reminds us that he is at our disposal for the next few weeks to help members in approaching their prospects. The fall initiation has been set definitely for the last week in November and to follow the Jarmark celebration. Mr. Jiricek urges us to see prospects promptly rather than expecting to secure cooperation at the last minute of the campaign. With such announcements, it means that our own lodge campaign of sides ABC and XYZ shall have still more time before concluding their membership contest which will then close with the initiation in November.

Our president, Dr. Sedlacek, Organizer Jiricek, and Esther Nezerka were visitors in Chicago over Labor Day when Cleveland played the Chicago team. From their reports, we have a reputation as being quite progressive as a lodge. In fact, our representatives were so inspired that they have dreams of organizing the English lodges into a convention.

GATHERED IN THE BARNYARD.

BETWEEN THEM and ME -- AND THE EDITOR

Utopia found at last! (But don't take us too seriously). At Bickoyville, Wisconsin, (home the Grotto) we watched several people walk from the church directly into a tavern and order small whiskeys.

Somewhere in Wisconsin we saw one of the most effective warnings against careless driving-- a ghost car telescoped into a bridge abutment--it should stay there indefinitely.

We're still grumbling about the exorbitant bridge toll at Prairie du Chien, Wis., --75 cents for the car and driver together, and 10 cents for every additional passenger. The Mississippi is much too wide at this point for swimming, too!

Crabbed about walking one block for lunch--then climbed unhesitatingly the 150 steps more or less to the top of McGregor Heights tower.

Grandeur of view--old Mississippi and four states--somewhat dimmed by a slight tremor underfoot and the seeming frailty of the railing.

At Devils Back Bone State Park the creeks run naturally across concreted roads. Our dignified (?) chauffeur delighted in zooming thru those creeks and covering the windows with sheets of water.

AND NOW-----

HOW IT FEELS TO BE A WINNER

Goodness Gracious!! But it feels good to win "somethin' for nothin'" as I did on the last lodge Bank Nitc!

I spent my prize draw of \$2.50 on a down payment for a fur coat, a new hat, new shoes, and a permanent. Now, I'll spend the rest of my life paying on the balance. Is His Honor, The Husband, dancing the St. Vitus? Wheeccccccc!!!

Yers trooly,

EDLINE.

For "our" own protection we seek the identity of that dark-haired, sloe-eyed beauty that made Pep Stepanek, Godfrey Skajhal and GERAL HYNDE red-eyed at the last U.S.A. picnic.

Milvoj Harsky expounding his knowledge of Botany: Did you know that widow's weeds are the easiest to kill?

--Widow's weeds! Why are they easiest to kill?

Milvoj: You just say "wilt thou?" and they wilt!

SOCIETY NEWS



PRE-ARMISTICE FROLIC

WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 4th
8:30 - 12:00

SEVEN-PIECE ORCHESTRA

"JOLLY HORSEMEN"

from

ROCHESTER, MINNESOTA

CARNIVAL ENTERTAINMENT

DOOR PRIZES

This is the biggest affair of our social year, Sisters and Brothers! Let's get together and put this dance over. Red, white, and blue decorations will add to the festivity of the occasion which will be gay with confetti, serpentine, balloons and this orchestra which will play in this part of the U.S.A. for its initial appearance. It is a well known broadcasting unit which plays both old-time and popular tunes. A new feature for the FROLIC this year, the third annual Armistice celebration, will be the innovation of the balcony set-up with refreshment tables. Make plans immediately as just 250 couple tickets are available from Joe Mach (3-1458), ticket chairman, who intends to have all tickets sold a week before the dance. Hugo Sindelar is general chairman of the affair.

We are happy to offer our congratulations to Gladys Havlik of Belle Ave., whose marriage to Frank Sturms took place Sept. 8 at Iowa City. The couple are making their home at 710 6th St. S.W.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holub of Swisher are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Frank Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simon of this city.

This correspondent is happy to tell you of the marriage of Lucille Stodola to our lodge member, Edwin Filipi. After the ceremony which took place in September at the Immaculate Conception church, the couple left for a wedding trip to New York City. Upon returning they will make their home at 1435 2nd Ave. SE. Joe Rogan attended his brother-in-law as best man.

Elsie Tofer enjoyed a pleasant six days in Chicago the second week in September, even though she spent two days "sick bed"! Was the Windy City too much for our "little girl"? Or was it too much LAKE? That was the name of one of Lodge Edison's ball players that attended our picnic. Ketch'em?

Sister Bessie Novotny submitted to an appendectomy operation at Mercy Hospital on last Tuesday.

LOVE-ME, LOVE-ME-NOT By Daisy

Dear Daisy:

I am a young man 16 years old, and have never been around. How can I get a sweetie?

Ernest Sykora

Dear E . . .

Why don't you advertise for one in the JUNIOR ECHO.

Dear Daisy:

Do you believe in love at first sight?

Ephriam Douplik

Dear Ephriam:

Certainly, but be sure you take a good long look.

P.S. Maybe it wouldn't hurt to take a second look.

Dear Daisy:

My husband is driving me frantic with this "knock, knock" craze. How can I stop him?

Adeline Sindelar

Dear Adeline:

Try a little "knock, knock" of your own--(with a hammer)

---"THE ECHO PANTRY"--- (Echo tested recipes)

Dinner in a Dish

Submitted by Alma Leksa

4 tbsp lard	$\frac{1}{4}$ tsp pepper
1 medium onion	2 eggs
2 green peppers	2 cups sweet corn
1 lb hamburger	4 tomatoes or $\frac{1}{2}$ cup
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp salt	tomato juice
$\frac{1}{2}$ cup bread crumbs	

Fry onions and peppers (sliced) in the lard for about 3 minutes. Then add meat and seasoning and blend thoroughly. Remove from fire and add beaten eggs. Put one cup corn in baking dish and $\frac{1}{2}$ meat mixture and layer of tomatoes, etc., till dish is full and cover with bread crumbs and bake 35 minutes.

The straight and narrow is a wonderful trail to follow, but it's sure nice to detour once in a while.

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DEAD BEATS

IT IS WITH NO DEGREE OF PLEASURE THAT OUR LODGE ANNOUNCES THAT WE HAVE A LARGE AMOUNT OF "DEAD BEATS" IN OUR ORGANIZATION. TO MAKE OURSELVES CLEAR, WE REFER TO THOSE ON OUR MEMBERSHIP LIST WHO HAVE NOT EVER ATTENDED A MEETING OR ELSE HAVE NOT ATTENDED OFTEN.

WE WONDER IF THESE "DEAD BEATS" REALIZE THAT TEN CENTS OF THEIR MONTHLY DUES GOES TOWARD THE LOCAL LODGE WHICH USES THAT FUND FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT WHICH IS A PART OF EACH MEETING. BY NOT ATTENDING AND PARTICIPATING OF YOUR SHARE YOU ARE SIMPLY DONATING \$1.20 A YEAR TO THE GOOD OF THE ORDER. DON'T BE WASTEFUL! MAKE USE OF YOUR TEN CENTS.

AMONG THOSE WHO HAVE NOT COME UP ON THE SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AND WHO WE BELIEVE HAVE ONE FOOT IN THE GRAVE, SO TO SPEAK, FROM THEIR LACK OF ACTIVITY:


- Mr. and Mrs. Evan Poula
 - Mr. and Mrs. Victor Svoboda
 - Mrs. Julia Stefan
 - Kathren Grubhoffer
 - John Novotny
 - Edward Grubhoffer
 - Mr. and Mrs. August Sochor
 - Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Miller
 - Miss Louise Shimok
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 - Frank Shimok
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 - Mrs. Olga Bodnasck
 - Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wallace
 - Mrs. Vlasta Pospisil
 - Rudolf Schultchik
 - Edwin J. Filipi
 - Mrs. Bernice Baldwin
 - Richard Mitvalsky
 - Leonard Polorciscn
 - Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leksa
 - Joseph Rogan
 - Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kirchner
 - Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Novak
 - Jerry Holceck
 - Alice, Ernest, Lester, & Lumir Sykora
- WATCH FOR THE CONTINUED LIST OF AILING.

FAMOUS SAYINGS.....

CRACKS.....WISE AND OTHERWISE

- Mike Holceck: Ah, goooo, that's cute!
 - Dr. Sedlacek: Orange juice!
 - Frank Sysel: First time, last time, party here!.....
 - Hugo Sindolar: Knock, knock!
 - Lumir Stolba: Whose going to buy the beer?
 - Elsie Tofor: Is he good-looking?
 - Adoline Sindolar: Ding-a-ling.
 - Anno Zvacek: Whoooooooooooo.
 - George Maly: Listen Buddy...
 - Charles Raymon: How about playing the fiddle for you?
 - Milo Sedlacek: Anyway, the saradinos are good!
 - Wencil Lippert: Hi, spunt!
 - Bob Smith: Who's next?
 - Jin Hamouz: Let's got a pony!
 - Alra Leksa: Lot's got a tenderloin.
 - Edwin Filipi: (latest expression) Yes, My dear.
 - Janitor Korinck: Quivt time.
 - Joe Klinger: What did you do to this meat? It has such a peculiar taste?
 - Mrs. Klinger: Oh, nothing. It did get a little burnt, but I fixed that. I applied Unguantine right away.
- WHEN THE CATS PLAY
THE MICE WILL PLAY
- Where, oh where, was the fly when the spider was in Chicago and Cicero?

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