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THE CANDID CAMERA REVEALS: Mrs. Anne Landa Zvacek

This time we have devoted the camera to our blonde and vivacious woman member, Mrs. Edward V. Zvacek, born, Anno Landa, on May 26, 1905 in this city. She is the only child of Mrs. Mary Loufek Landa and the late Ralph Landa, who was in the groc-ory business here for many years. She received her early education at Van Buren Sch and graduated in '23 from Washington high school. For the following 2 years, Anno attended Coe college where she majored in music and preparatory nursing. During high school, she prepared herself for secretarial work. At Coe she was active in the Delta Sigma literary society and took piano of Prof. Crawford, voice from Prof. Mansfield. Her early musical education was begun with Eleano Svoboda Hilborn, Anne being her first pupil, and then follow

One of the turning with Prof. Grace Swab.
One of the turning points of her life, so the speak, came the summer of '25, when 6 local girls went to Pine Point resort, Elkarte, Wis., to "hash" at the lodge. The group returned late for the regular college enrollment so Anne took a job with the C.R. Gas Co. as bookeeper through '25±26, then transfering to a secretarial position with the Iowa Electric Light Co. where she worked 2 years or until she was married to Ed. Zwacek at the Little Brown Church at Nashua Since her marriage she has been making a vecozy home at 1206 First St. SW for her family which now includes Dorothy Anne,8, and Marlene May, 2.

Anne is an example of a person who can do many things well. Besides being a good home manager, she has continued her piano studio at home. During her school days she began teaching piano and now has taught over LO years. She modestly asserts that she now has "only" 14 pupils, having resumed teaching only a few months ago, since closing her studio. after the birth of Marlene. Besides the vocation of housewife, avocation of music teacher, she has a hobby of raising German Roller canaries, as many as 45 at once, and 120 chickens, gold fish, and a cat for good measure. They attend Hus Momorial Presby, church and Anne is active in the Ladies Aid Society.

MEMBERS OF JUNIOR AMERICAN CZECHS:

Sunday is the big day of our annual benefit picnic to be held at 6SA-Miller Pk. The feature of our picnic will be the soft ball game between Thomas A. Edison lodge, Nc. 375 of CSA, from Chicago and our own team in charge of Coach Bill Lana, scheduled to start at 2 p.m. Arrange a picnic with your crowd and spend the day. Everyone is welcome as there will be dancing, bowling, and a refreshment stand.

This group of 20 or 22 players and Edison members will be our guests over the weekend. They are arriving in private cars at the CSPS at 2 p.m. Saturday. All members are asked to be on hand to welcome them, then the remaining part of the afternoon will be devoted to a sightsceing tour of the city. In honor of these visitors we will be hosts to a picnic basket supper at 6:30 p.m. at the River pavilion at Ellis Park. All J.A.C. requested to bring bread and butter sandwiches, covered dish, own dishes and silver. The coffee will be furnished. The single fellows can bring a donation of silver instead of the covered dish. Directly following the supper, there will be an informal reception given by our lodge at the CSPS for the Chicago visitors. All CSA members are invited. There will be dancing to Frank Carey's music, entertainment, and "liquids". Overnight headquarters of the guests will be the Montrose hotel. Then on Sunday the big picnic! See you all there.

Her 'likes' are a good book(mysteries) a comfy chair with the light just right; movies touring, dancing, cooking, new dishes, favorite color is coral, ico-cream sundaes, and candy. The latter, comes from the days when her father had the store and Anne was papa's chief candy sampler when new confectionery stock would arrive and whe would have those kinds sent back that didn't suit her fancy!

Her characteristics are her lovely blonde locks, her modesty on her accomplishments, hospitality and good cooking, good sense of humor, always a good sport with a crowd, and lastly her ability to say "whee-ce-e" when excited. We'd say that Bro. Zvacek has a "find" in that There woman of his:



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We, not an editorial we, but a Lindbergh we, have to blame for the postponement of the Bank Nite from the July meeting to August to our beloved vice-president. His promotion to editor-in-chief for the last issue was so overtrxing that he neglected to appear at the meeting with the list of members names, which had been forward to his keeping by the secretary for the drawing. Because of this gross neglect, the purse for the August meeting will be a total of \$4.50. Come to the meeting and you're eligible.

INVITATION

All Junior Czech members who can do so, are urged to attend some of the meetings of Lodge Progressive, held every third Tuesday of each month at 8 P.M. It is at these meetings that you become acquainted with the real spirit that pulsates within the hearts of our members.-Lodge Progressive.

From our Progressive correspondent comes this noto: "Listen readers! And hat a listen it is going to be! You have been hearing and reading in the Junior Echo about a certain Progressive member getting the razzberries such as buying raisins for fly decoys and using onions instead of balls at kitten ball practice. Yes, you read a lot of things but did you hear about the latest? No? We know you didn't. So if the editor and staff can find space in the next issue, I'll shoot the works!"

Answer: Shoot the works, Progressive the paper's yours! We're listenin'.

If the humor column seems to be mostly about "me and mine" and the paper staff, it is because I am still waiting hopefully and prayerfully for humorous c ntributions from our members. Any true incident or original funny story will be most welcome. Of course, I know that I am "inflated" most of the time but I can't quite cover all the territory; our lodge is growing. So -- "fall to" everybody!

-- by Hugo

GATHERED IN THE BARNYARD.

ABSENT-MINDED HUMOR

The Humor Editor going off to work at his desk in the County Treasurer's office, wearing his wife's glasses -wondering all morning what ailed him and

UNSOPHISTICATED HUMOR

Shooting off Chinese cannon crackers near the ladies at the Progressive picnic -- just to hear the ladies scream--Correction -- just to use them (crackers) up!

MISJUDGED HUMOR

Soveral Junior Americans attending the Progressive picnic sans their supper, weekly staggering around the grounds until rescued by several "foresighted" members and "fed up".

EFFERVESCENT HUMOR

Mr. and Mrs. Stestny in their "Bouncing Betty" dashing madly across the park in a vain effort to hit a bull's ove--Said target, the bartender with forty 'leven steins of beer in his hands.

COY HUMOR

Dorothy Dvorak coyly admitting the weather was too darned hot for fishing in Wisconsin but quite ell right for walking six miles to see the "Light of her life". Or did sho. (?) She didn't.

BUM HUMOR

Driving a sick wife home just before a delicious looking FREE lunch was to be served at the Progressive picnic.

SUBTLE HUMOR

Frank Sysel losing the list of names for the Bank Nite drawing. Dorothy Dvorak telling him she felt like giving him a piece of hor mind--Frank wondering aloud whether she could spare any.

GRIM HUMOR

Arriving home early after Prigressive picnic to find the cows in the cornfield --Rounding up the critters with a weak flash light. (Potvori: Zatraceni:)

Dr. Hayek, one of our recent brothers, has accepted a position in the State Department of Hcolth in Des Molnes, Iowa, and has taken his family with him to the capital city.

The world is never against the man who is so busy trying to make good that he forgets all about everything being against him.

WITH THE VACATION SEASON IN FULL SWING AND, NO DOUBT, THUSE WHO HAVE LLFT OUR CITY DURING THIS HUT MONTH OF JULY WITH TEMPERATURES SOFRING WELL OVER THE 100 DEGREE MARK ALMOST EVERY DAY CON-SIDER THEMSELVES LUCKY. THOSE WHO LEFT THEIR "HOME, SWEET HOME" TO ENJOY THE COOL BREEZES OF THE STREAMS, RIVERS, ... LAKES, AND OCEAN WERE:

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mach and family were at Cedar Lake, Minn. for ten days.

Wr. and Mrs. Jerry Fottral are enjoying the delightful ocean breezes et Long Island, N.Y.

Hugo Sindelar and his two sons are vacationing in the northern part of the state on a fishing trip.

Dorothy Dvorak came back with all her sweet sixteen blush and school girl complexion revived after vacationing two weeks in Black RiverFalls, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Svec and John Lana spent a week at Spirit Lake and Lake Okoboji.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Felter are in Clear Lake the last week in July. "Be sure to pack your fish in a fruit jar Rudy, so that you won't lose them when you slip off the bank!"

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Milo Mitvalsky is spending the last two weeks in July in Fort Snelling, Minn.

Dr. and Mrs. Leo Sedlacek spent a week in Hutchinson, Kans. and a week in Marble Rock, Iowa.

Jorry Hamous and a party of men returned from a fishing trip in Ely, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lana spent a week in Denver, Colo.

Lillian Heral spont a restful tenday vacation at Mercy Hespital after the arrival of sweet baby girl, Elaine Marie, 8 lb. 11 oz.

BLESSED EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J Stepanek have been blessed with a new "Chevie".

Mr. and Mrs. Dvorak and daughter, Dorothy are the proud owners of a new "Olds".

Dr. and Mrs. Leo Sedlacek also have welcomed a new "Chevie" among their midst.



LOVE-ME, LOVE-ME-NOT

Dere Dazey:

I am a lonly mug wich can't get no dames. Whut do ya spose is rong, is it my tekneekue?

Bill Dvorak

Dear "Mug":

Why don't you come up and see me sometime and let me study your technique? Maybe you have an inferiority complex.

Dear Daisy:

Since my girl left me I have been going to the "dogs". Please advise. Charles Vyskocil

Doar Chuck:

The Dog Pond is located at 700 C Ave. NE. Help yourself.

Dear Daisy:

My "Sweetie" has left me for someone else and I am just sick about it. In fact I'm all broken up over it. What shall I do?

Esther Makovsky

Dear Esther:

I'm afraid you will have to call on Dr. Sadlacek. This is no clinic.

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

This is a new column for the ladies. We hope it will be of interest to all of you in view of the fact that "the way to a man's heart is through his stomach"! We expect to receive a number of tested recipes each month and hope that every CSA sister (any lodge) will be anxious to send in her contribution in the form of a good tested recipe.

Devils Food Cake

2 cups sugar 1 tsp soda 2 tblsp butter

2 cups flour

2 egg yolks

2 tsp baking powder

1 c boiling water l c cold water

7 tsp cocoa

Cream sugar, butter, and egg yolks. Sift flour, B.P. and cocoa togother, add to first mixture with cold water. Add soda to boiling weter and add to mixture. Last beat egg whites and fold in. Bake in oven 350 degrees. Frost to suit self.

tblsp--tablespoon tsp--teaspoon

B.P.-Baking Powder c--cup:

The Ace Chatterer

TEAM PLAYS TOP BALL THRU JULY

Due to the extremely hot weather during July the J.A.C. ball term was a little less active than usual; only 2 games were played.

On Thursday July 24, the J.A.C. teem lost a very ragged game to the Sinclair Playground by the score of 7 to 3.

Batteries: Sinclair; Stodola and Kacere, CSA; Hamous and Svec.

> J.A.C. TEAM PLAYS IN TOURNAMENT.

The J.A.C. team entered the District Soft Ball tournament at Ellis Park Sunday, August 2, but were unfortunate in drawing Beeson's, the team that eventually won the tournament.

Although Beeson's were the favorites, the J.A.C. team played a hard fought game and lost by the score of 1 to 0.

The game was a pitchers battle all the way through. Driscoll, of Beeson's, who was the sensation of the tournament

allowed the J.A.C. only 1 hit. Schrodermier, of the J.A.C. team, pitched equally well allowing Beesons only 2 hits.

Hollenbeck won the game in the 5th inning when he doubled to left center field, and scored when the ball was muffed in left field on the relay home. Thus eliminating the J.A.C. team from further competition.

The J.A.C. team deserves a big hand for the showing they made against such a top notch team as Becson's.

More luck next time fellows!

Batteries: Boesons; Driscoll and
K. McGuire, CSA; Schrodermier and Lana.
On Friday, July 25, the J.A.C. team
nosed out the Skelly Oilers 4 to 3 in a close and hard fought game.

Schrodermier driving in the winning run in the last inning after 2 men were

Batteries: Skelly; Wells and Harford, CSA; Schrodermier and Lana.

The teams record for the season is Won 5--Lost 3.

ONE INJURED

First Aid Hospital at Progressive picnic rendered "first-aid" to Adeline Sindelar. Mrs. Sindelar, Alma Stanck, Bessie Novotny, Janet Stepanck attempted to make the Olympic Team by staging an Olympic race. Adeline was disqualified as she attempted to finish the race on her knees and elbows. She finished "feets up"! It is expected that Adeline will recover. She requests no flowers:

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stepanek, Jr., intersecontly moved to 2210 C St. SW.

"THROWING OF A GAME" AS SEEN FROM A HILLTOP By--Hugo Sindelar

On Tuesday August 21, while sitting on the top of a hill, I noticed much furore in the valley below me. Locking closely I saw that a ball-game was about to begin. Off to one side I "spotted" three men in a huddle, so I clamped on my long range microphone to "get in" on the conversation!

Just as I got my ear phones on, I heard, "You must throw the game, Doc."
"Why -- -- you fellows cleaned us up

in bowling and it would look like -- if you beat us in the ball game."

Placing my field glasses to my eyes I found that the group consisted of Louie Pochobradsky, Ed Ashenbroner and the "Judas", Doc Sedlacek. Still listening and watching I heard Louis say, "Pitch them easy Doc, for our fellows can't hit anything else since they are so soft from leading an easy life. By all means let Lumir Blahnik hit one, then he will brag all year, instead of complaining about being stiff from bowling."

Next the "traitor" shook hands and said, "I'll do it."

Strange as it may seem, that is just what happened. Doc even went so far as to allow the game to stop just before his heavy-hitting out-fielders got to bat.

HO-hum: possibly I will see a better game next year as I have heard roomers that Doc will not be the representative next year as he is too easy to get to.

SOMETHING TO CROW ABOUT



One of the biggest picnics of the season will be sponso red by the CSA Dogree

team at Miller Park, Sunday, August 23, 1936. It will be an all day affair, for all CSA members and friends only. There will be : . .

games, refreshments and dancing. Bring your baskets in the morning and stay all day. Music will be furnished by the Happy-Go-Lucky Orchestra.



Bro. County Treasurer Milo Sedlacek waiting for his assistant, Elsic Tefer, to go to work Sunday at Millor Park.

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BRIDE ON HER WAY

Anonymous Contribution by J.A.C. Member

The villian lives again. This time in a story of today's newly-weds--and how the tears flow!

The Union Depot was in a turmoil. Men, women, and children were hurrying back and forth. Suit cases, grips, and hand-bags of every description were on parade. By the station clock it was 6:45, therefore, almost train time.

Among many others exchanging farewells was a young couple. Carl Heefner,
tall-bulldog shouldered--pleaded with
tears in his eyes, "Ducky, please-pretty please--don't leave me!" His extended arms--palms upward--depicted his
feeling of despair. "ithout you I'll
never be the same. Give me just one more
chance."

Letitie, the petite blonde object of his persuasive attempts, retorted sharply as she wrapped her new spring coat more snugly about her trim figure, "I'm going back to mother."

"All aboard!" shouted the conductor.

"At least, kiss me good-bye."
"No, no, a thousand times no!"
was the reward for his final plea. She
picked up her grip and made for the
waiting Columbine Limited, leaving behind
her bridegroom of two weeks.

The constant clickety-clack of rails and the occasional shriek of the whistle bored deeply into the nerves of the escaping heart-breaker.

A dark, hollow-eyed "villian", *
sitting across the aisle, was eyeing
her continually. His little mustache
made a poor attempt to adorn either
a peaky red nose or four large protruding front teeth. She became exasperated, turning the smirk on her face
into a chunk of ice.

PATRON LIST

Jerry Bartosh
Zikmund Chobotsky All of Chicago
Jerry Maruna

However, the conductor--appearing in the doorway, making her forget
the unwelcome attentions. Good heavens:
She had omitted to have hubby purchase
her ticket. Not only that, she had
but a few coins in her possession.

Letitia's battle of words with the train-man ended abruptly when peaky-nose gave one big attempt to crash her friendship by paying her fare.

Though all the money in the world cannot buy love, yet a kind deed must be returned by kindness--mother had always told her that.

Therefore, when came the journey's

Therefore, when came the journey's end after three agonizing hours, the timely gentleman-friend with airy nonchalance suggested, "Lady fair, 'tis hard for lovely feet like thine to pace so rough a road at night, as leads to your mother's door. I'll rent a car and drive you home. May I?

Those words chased shivers up and down her spine.

"Yes, I'll go. Gladly," she assured him with fingers crossed. She had heard that a lie isn't a lie if the fingers are held that way.

He hired a car and drove and drove. She at last told him that the road was "very much wrong."

"Tis you, my heart's desire,
'tis you and not the road!" he contradicted. The car gave a spit and a
spat and the motor stopped.

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IN SYMPATHY

It is with deep sadness and sympathy that we make note of the recent death of Brother Vojtech Posposil, an active member of CSA and former officer of Lodge Prokop Velky, No. 137.