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THE PRESIDENT SAYS:

Dear brothers and sisters:-
I am anxious that as we approach the summer season we try and keep up the old spirit. It's so easy to let up when it's hot, so unless we make a special effort to attend the regular meetin, the work will fall on the shoulders of the faithful few.

Why don't you use the columns of the Echo and let the officers know what you want to have done? This is your lodge and unless you speak up we cannot do as you would like us to do.

LEO. B. SEPLACEK

FINISHED ----- THANKS

Project number One is now completed satisfactorily, and will stand as a monument to the Junior American Lodge, for quite some time to come.

Our Lighting System in the C.S.P.S. hall, which has received so much favorable comment is now off the J.A.C. books and is the property of the Prokeš Velky Lodge.

Our Spring Dance of which Don Hinshaw and Dr. Severa were co-chairman, was a huge success, financially as well as for the good time that was had. With the proceeds from the dance we finished paying the balance due on the lighting system and had a little to add to the lodge treasury.

Before closing our books on this project, we wish to thank those who were instrumental in "putting it across". Of course there is the committee, who picked the project, but the members who were most vitally interested were brothers Milo Heral and Chas. Kosek. These two donated their time and slaved like beavers in the oven temperatured space under the roof of the C.S.P.S. hall.

Our hats are off to you two brothers! Twas a job well done!

H.R. Sindelar.

PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS!

THE CANDID CAMERA AND GEORGE "HONZICEK" SVEC

In a little house at 929 so. 10th. St. SE a son, George John Svec was born to Clara Sindelar Svec. He was the one and only child of a butcher (who is still a butcher at Kapoun's Sausage Co)

George began his education at Tyler School, and went through the seventh grade there, then on to Adams and Jackson. George was graduated from Grant High School in 1923 at the age of 16.

He was such a small lad and because he was bashful and afraid of the girls he took a year of post graduate work. (We are still puzzling and wondering why and how girls could retard the wheels of progress to that extent?)

Ain't afraid of roarin' lions,
Ain't afraid of bats,
Ain't afraid of elephants,
Ain't afraid of rats,
Ain't afraid of snarlin' dogs,
Ain't afraid of squirrels,
Ain't afraid of guinea-pigs
BUT:- I'm afraid of girls!

As a youngster he earned his money by carrying the Republican and Gazette papers and doing odd jobs. On Georges' seventeenth birthday June 4th. 1924 he received his first man job at the Cedar Rapids Engineering Co., as a machinist. He is still employed there as a tool maker which speaks well for his competence, reliability, steadfastness and honesty.

George is a "fella" who doesn't have much to say or doesn't smile very much (only a little wistfully now and then), but all his life he has been more or less of a jumping bean, dancer, acrobat, and banjo player. During the Charleston craze he scored several times in dancing contests. It was on one of these occasions that Rose Lana watched him strut his stuff and with longing in her heart, sighed, "If only he would only dance with me." Finally one warm September night in 1927 cupid would not be denied. At Beidermans



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IMPORTANT NOTICE by financial secretary

You can now pay your lodge dues at the United State Bank, 16th Ave. W. or the First Trust and Savs. Bk. 12th. Ave and 3rd. St. E. Those who cannot attend meetings on the second Monday of each month, kindly pay your dues at either of these two banks for it will be impossible for me to take care of you at my home during the summer months.

Kindly try to keep your dues paid up each month; if possible do not let them drop more than three months behind, for that is as long as we are allowed to carry you unless there is a good reason to do otherwise.

Won't you please try to pay up all past due accounts as we have a financial statement to make next month to Chicago?

Thank you!

If there have been any change of address or name, we would appreciate having the Secretary Esther Nezerka or Financial Sec. Lillian Heral notified so that all mail will be correctly addressed.

J.A.Cs. NOTICE

About the middle of this month a permanent organization of the Convention Committee will be formed with members of all the units of the Cedar Rapids C.S.A. being present. Any or all of you may be called to do your bit in making this convention a success, so hold yourselves in readiness to do your stint to the best of your ability.

ALSO be prepared to help at the Convention Picnic in June. This picnic will be under the able direction of Mr. & Mrs Edward Ashenbrener who are supposed to have the entire membership of the Progressive and J.A.C. lodges at their disposal for that day.

If you are not called upon to work BE THERE ANYWAY.

GATHERED IN THE BARNYARD.

At a recent picnic, Henrietta Seabrooke ate so much she couldn't get it all on one plate. She had to put her beans on a couple of saucers and call them side dishes.

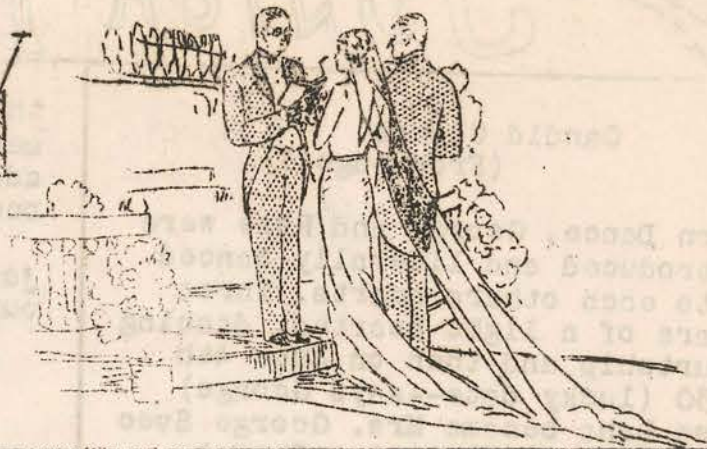
Bill Lana is quite a magician. Ask him to pass an egg thru a door.

The tops in absent-mindedness! Our Georgina Neprash was busy clearing supper dishes and from all indications trying to figure out where that desk or couch would look the best. Along comes Milvoy and rushes to the refrigerator for a cooling drink of milk, but ah me! What's that floating around in the milk? Pickles and more pickles and what a "pickle" Georgina was in, trying to explain

When we're right we credit our judgment; when we're wrong we curse our luck

Who is the proprietor of the Service Station at Ellis Blvd. and 7th. Street N.W.?

SOCIETY NEWS



HYLYTES (or sumpin)

Ho Hum another month gon by. I really dont have anything to write but we must have something in the Echo I guess.

There have been so many things going on and yet it seems that nothing ever happens, that is, nothing to write about.

Of course there was Bryant Washburn, but every one that was interested went to see him...those that didn't see him evidently weren't interested.

Mr. Washburn wonders if Doc., combs his hair with an egg beater

At rehearsals Doc's pet expression "gimme my cue"

Wonder what Bernice Lana thinks of Bryant now. (did his teeth click Bernice)

Jerry Fottal comes home from rehearsal quite early(?) Sneaks in quiet as a mouse and gets to bed unheard by Dorothy until.....he tries to set the alarm clock.... Brrrrrrr..You can imagine the rest.

AT THE SPRING DANCE!!!

It seems a shame to pay 10 cents for checking just a hat when last winter we could check a hat, big coat, gloves scarf and overshoes for the same price. Were going to ask Lillian Slechta for a rebate.

Dr. Leo Severa has an awful time trying to keep change at the ticket window. (must have been a prosperous crowd with all that big money)

Don Hinshaw sold out all the Hot Dogs before he had a chance to sample one himself(POOR DON).

Do you remember the sailor who asked what he'd done with his wages answered, "Part went for liquor, part for women, and the rest I spent foolishly.

Daisy's Column.

Dear Daisy;
Do you think Mr. Washburn will remember me?

Miss Prim.

Dear Eunice;
Why worry about that guy as long as the Pro--I mean Clark is still here.

Dear Daisy;
When an old maid claims she'd kill the first man who tried to kiss her does she really mean it?
Reuben Stepan.

Dear Reuben;
Yes, she means she'd hug him to death.

ECHO PANTRY

Picnics plus macaroni dishes equal satisfied appetites.

"MACARONI AND CHEESE WITH HAM"

- 1 - cup macaroni
- 2/3 - cup grated cheese.
- 1/4 - cup finely chopped cooked ham.
- 1-1/2 - cups white sauce.

Cook macaroni in salted boiling water about 20 min. Drain and put in buttered baking dish. Add white sauce made of the following ingredients.

2 - tablespoons butter melted, add 2 - tablespooms flour and stir til smooth. Stir in slowly 1-1/2 cups milk and cook until thick. Salt and pepper to taste. Add the cheese and ham and allow the cheese to melt. Then pour over the macaroni and bake in oven until browned on top. Serve piping hot.

Marilyn Sindelar

Cooking hint:
Water should not be boiled in a dry dish!
The Office Boy.

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Candid Camera (From page 1)

Barn Dance, George and Rose were introduced and literally danced into each others hearts. Three years of a light hearted, dancing courtship and then on June 4th 1930 (lucky date--says George) Rose Lana became Mrs. George Svec at the First Christian Church. At that time, Rose held a clerical position at the Penick & Ford Ltd Co., and she remained at this position for two years after her marriage. In 1932, George had his first love nest built for Rose at 1803-2 St SW where, on July 23, 1934, a daughter, Marilyn Rose was born--a miniature replica of her daddy.

George's hobbies are varied. His favorite are fishing, hunting, dancing, baseball and banjo playing. He has played the banjo with different orchestras--traveling all over the state to fulfil engagements, sometimes driving the whole night for only a few dollars, although one summer he made about \$200.00. (this was before his marriage.)

Also, for some twelve years during his younger days, he took part in the SOKOLS.

His chief recreation today, besides CSA baseball, is cycling to and from work each day--a distance of seven miles.

George's favorite colors are red and blue, says he has no favorite flowers cause he doesn't like 'em.

His favorite dished are Chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy with chocolate pie.

Besides being a member of the J.A.C. lodge of CSA, he is secretary of the Athletic Club, member of The Patrol, Misphah Lodge 639 of the Masons, C.R. Fish and Game Restoration Club and the Machinist Local No. 831.

His Ambition, we strongly suspect, is to win the Pulitzer Prize with his journalistic contributions to the ORGAN under "The Scribbler" C.R. Athletic Club.

On Friday, June 4, 1937 about 140 relatives and friends of George's gathered at the small SSPS hall, to surprise him on his birthday (also wedding anniversary). He arrived at the hall, peeved and cross, expecting to attend a special meeting of the Athletic Club but was "some-primed" instead.

A beautiful birthday cake, a

three piece orchestra and refreshments, both liquid and solid, added greatly to the festive occasion.

Did we have a good time? Hm, just ask a few of us who forgot our dignities at home!

CURRENT NEWS

--by Lillian Heral

What a pal, THIS fellow Dan Cupid! He's been doing a little over-time work at the Junior American Czech Lodge this last month.

Among those "May and June brides and bridegrooms", we have sister Esther Makovsky who was married May 15 to Alfred Krejca at the Hus Memorial Church,

Sister Alice Sykora and brother John Elias who took their vows at the Hus Memorial Church on May 25;

Brother Dr. Leo G. Severa who took unto himself a sweet little bride by the name of Carolyn Weeks on June 5 at St. Wenceslaus Church.

A coming marriage this week of sister Mary Holub to Francis J. Simon on June 9.

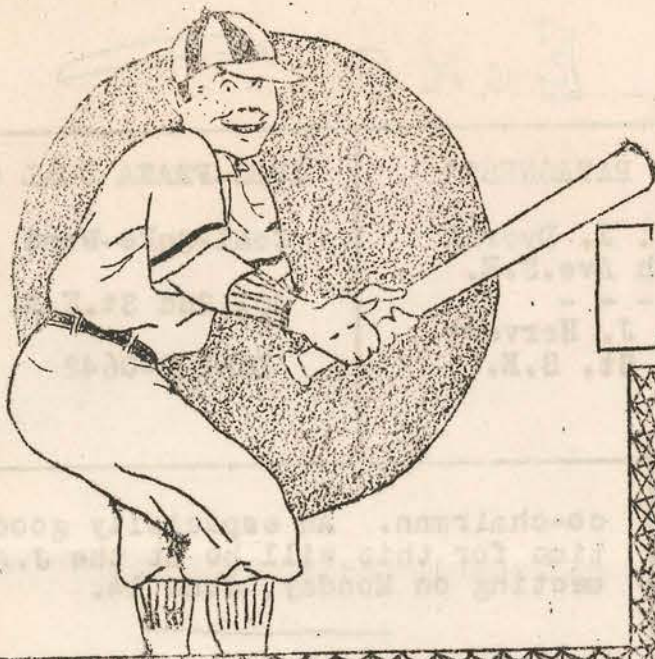
To all these happy newly-weds we wish a long life of happiness and contentment.

One of our brothers, Henry Dmitrik, second class radioman in the Cedar Rapids naval reserve unit, left for Kansas City, Kansas, where he has been ordered for a two week tour of active duty at the naval reserve aviation base.

Among the sick members this month we have sister Rosalind Hinshaw, who is up and around and feeling a lot better.

Brother Fred Zurka has been ill, but we hope he is feeling better and we would like to see you at the meetings, Fred.

Frank Stanek and his wife spent the week-end and Memorial Day at Clear Lake. Frank reports good fishing as he caught his limit on Silver Bass and Pike each day. Not bad, Frank. Keep up the good luck.



SPORT CHATTER

Fraternal League In Full Swing

The C.S.A. team opened the season with a victory over the Z.C.B.J. team. The game was hard fought all the way. The C.S.A. winning out in the extra inning, 11 to 10.

Chuck Polansky starred for the D.S.A. getting 3 hits out of 4 times at bat, one of the hits being a home run.

Fraternal League Team standings as of June 3, 1937

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Comm. House	3	1	.750
M. W. A.	3	1	.750
C. S. A.	2	2	.500
Maccabees	2	2	.500
K. of C.	2	2	.500
C. O. F.	2	2	.500
DeMolay	2	2	.500
Triton Club	2	2	.500
Grain Dealers	1	3	.250
Z.C.B.J.	1	3	.250

The CSA team played their second game in League competition losing to the Community House 5 to 1.

Poole pitching for the Comm. House had too fast a ball to see, Striking out 14 players and allowing only 2 hits. Tom Stastny pitched steady ball for the CSA only to have errors lose the game.

Individual Batting Averages

Name	A.B.	R.	H.	Pct.
Polansky	13	3	6	.462
Hamous	12	2	4	.333
Svec	13	3	4	.298
Teply	8	1	2	.250
Zrudsky	8	1	2	.250
Lana, B.	13	2	3	.231
Nelson	14	2	3	.216
Hajny	16	2	3	.189
Stastny, T.	2	0	0	.000
Sulcick	4	1	0	.000
Kirchner	3	1	0	.000
Stepanek	3	0	0	.000
Lana, J.	6	1	0	.000
Stroleny	12	1	0	.000

Playing their third game in the League the CSA took the highly touted K. of C. team into camp by the score of 6 to 4.

Hamous, pitching steady ball, and backed by good fielding and timely hitting won his second game of the season.

Chuck Polansky and Geo. Svec starred at the plate getting 2 hits out of 3 trips.

It seems to be every other one. The Maccabees nosed out the CSA in the fourth game of the season by the score of 4 to 3.

The game was nip and tuck all the way thru. The Maccabees pushing across the winning runs due to errors.

Geo. Svec again starred at the plate getting a home run.

Who Will Be The Winner?????

The C.S.A. Athletic Club is offering a trophy to the player who compiles the best batting average among the players on the C.S.A. Team.

There will also be a trophy awarded to the player who is voted the most valuable player to the team.

Come on fellas let's start clubbing the ball and see who will come out on top. Oh Yes, how about the fielding????????

MEETING ---WEINER ROAST---JUNE 14th

Schedule For June & July

June 10	CSA	vs.	M.W.A.
" 17	CSA	vs.	Grain Dealers
" 24	CSA	vs.	Triton Club
July 1	CSA	vs.	DeMolay
" 8	CSA	vs.	C.O.F.
" 15	CSA	vs.	Z.C.B.J.

"Mr. Stanek, dad wants to borrow your corkscrew."

"All right, sonny," said Frank, reaching for his coat. "You run along home--I'll bring it over."

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ARE YOU GOING TO CHICAGO???

The CSA Team has been invited to Chicago for the week-end of July 4th, to play the Thomas A. Edison Lodge.

Plans are being made for quite a delegation to go along with the team.

Thomas A. Edison Lodge promises to show us a royal good time.

Any one interested in going along is urged to get in touch with Geo. Svec as soon as possible so that final arrangements can be made.

THANK YOU LADIES!

The CSA Athletic Club is greatly indebted to sisters Rose Svec, Jeanette Stepanek, Bernice Lana and Mrs. J.M. Lana for their fine work in sewing on the monograms on the diamond ball jerseys, and take this opportunity of thanking them.

Fine work ladies.

C.S.A. GOLF TOURNAMENT

Chas Polansky and Don Hinshaw co-chairman of the CSA golf tournament report that the entries are coming in fast for the annual CSA golf tournament.

This tournament is open to all CSA members.

The entry fee is twenty-five (25¢) cents and the money will be used toward the purchase of a trophy which will be presented to the winner of the tournament. There will also be a prize for the runner-up.

All matches will be played off at the Kenmore golf course. Players to be matched and will play eighteen holes.

Hand in your entries before June 15, which is the dead line. Pairings will be made on June 17 and the first round must be played off by June 28. The final rounds will be played off in July.

Hand in your name and entry fee of 25¢ to either of the above

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co-chairman. An especially good time for this will be at the J.A.C. meeting on Monday, June 14.

FISHING DAZE

--by Milo Heral

Just a lonesome fisherman being weaned from the catfish season until it reopens next July 1

Had quite an interesting trip Sunday p.m. After packing the family into the car we went to the Palisades Dam. There I observed what promised to be a mighty fine fishing spot. There seems to be a very good place for Pike, Crappie, Bass and Catfish below the dam, or I surely miss my guess.

From there, we went to McBride Lake, which, by the way, gives one the impression of a Minnesota Lake. Believe you me, this is a coming place to enjoy a Sunday outing-- plenty of fishing from the amount of fish that have been stocked in this lake; a real nice place to go boating and last but not least, a most beautiful swimming beach where the whole family can go in swimming without the least bit of danger. Ah! Gentlemen, what dazzling sights running up and down the beach, but don't let the lady friend catch you flirting with the merry Mermaids!

Milvoy Neprash, 920-20 St E, informs me that there are plenty of night crawlers on his lawn and any one interested in getting any, is more than welcome to same. Milvoy, if you miss your garden hose some morning you may find it in some one's bait can.



GIRL'S DRILL TEAM!!!

Because so many of the members of the Girl's Drill team were either in the cast of "The Man from Nowhere" or busy selling tickets, the drill team meeting was postponed.

The next meeting is to be held at one of the parks, after which a weiner roast will be shared with the husbands and sweethearts. A definite day has not been named as yet. All members are urged to be present.

Jeanette Stepanek
Captain

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