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GREAT DAY OCT. 26 FOR MILWAUKEEANS

Milwaukee, Detroit, Monessen Set For CFU Schools

Said H.S.T.: "We Wish There Were More Of You"

Ex-President Truman, Gov. Williams Hail Detroit Croats

DETROIT — The public commemoration here Sunday, Oct. 12, of the 12th anniversary of the trial and imprisonment of Aloysius Cardinal Stepinac drew a huge crowd to the International Institute, John R. and Kirby.

The gathering was sponsored by the city's Croatian Board of Trade and other local Croatian organizations.

To help make the day one of the most memorable in the history of Detroit's Croatian colony, former President of the United States Harry S. Truman and Michigan's Gov. G. Mennen Williams turned out for the commemorative exercises.

Mr. Truman and Mr. Williams also found time the same day to address gatherings held by the Poles and Italians; the former honoring Count Casimir Pulaski, U.S. Revolutionary War hero, the



... Harry S. Truman ...

latter Christopher Columbus, the discoverer of America.

Harry Throws Orbits

Accompanied by Lt. Gov. Philip A. Hart, Patrick J. McNamara (D. Mich.), and other state and national candidates, Mr. Truman and Mr. Williams received a roaring Croatian welcome when they entered the International Institute.

Mr. Truman, in his brief address, told the crowd:

"You're an asset to the population of this great country. We wish there were more of you."

Mr. Williams, on the other hand called Cardinal Stepinac "one of the truly great fighters for freedom and justice."

"The courage shown by the Cardinal has inspired all people on both sides of the Iron Curtain," added the Governor.

They Taste The Best

The day's schedule calls for registration at 9 a.m.; the first class to be called to order at 9:30 a.m.; dinner at 12 noon with the compliments of the Croatian Fraternal Union; and the convening of the second and final class at 1:30 p.m. sharp.

Serving was Mrs. Lucille Prepolec, wife of the President of the Croatian Board of Trade, and Mrs. Elizabeth Pojen.

Music was provided by the Board of Trade Tamburitza Band under the direction of Andrew Benda.

An 11:00 a.m. Holy Mass at St. Jerome's Croatian Church preceded the fete.

Monessen Home Scene Sunday Of 4-County School

SBD Sec'y And Croatian Editor To Run Classes

MONESSEN, Pa. — The Society's United 4-County Lodges will sponsor a two-class CFU Training School for Lodge and Nest Officials on Sunday, Oct. 26, in the Croatian Home, 1053 Schoonmaker Ave., Monessen.

The day's schedule calls for registration at 9 a.m.; the first class to be called to order at 9:30 a.m.; dinner at 12 noon with the compliments of the Croatian Fraternal Union; and the convening of the second and final class at 1:30 p.m. sharp.

Sick Benefit Dep't Secretaries John Ovarich and Croatian Editor of the Zaidnicar Philip Vukelich have been delegated by the Society's Executive Board to serve as the School Instructors.

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Detroit School Two-Day Project

Supreme Treasurer, Junior Order Director To Conduct Oct. 25-26 Classes In New Home

By Adam Sudetic, Sec'y. Central Educational Comm.

DETROIT — A two-day CFU Training School for Lodge and Nest Officials will be held here Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 25-26, under the auspices of the Central Educational Committee of Greater Detroit Lodges.

The new Croatian Nat'l Home, 1721 East McNichols, which was formally opened over the recent Labor Day weekend, will be the scene of these instructive classes.

Serving as the Instructors will be two officials from the Home Office at Pittsburgh, bro. Supreme Treasurer Martin Krasich and Junior Order Director Michael Grasha.

All Lodge and Nest Delegates in attendance will be given an official Training School Textbook to use in conjunction with the classes.

Home Office In Treat

There will be two School sessions on Saturday and one on Sunday.

Registration of Lodge and Nest Delegates will be the first order of business on Saturday, Oct. 25. This will take place between 8 and 9 a.m. that day.

The first School class is to convene at 9 a.m. on Oct. 25 and the second at 2 p.m.

Luncheon will be served at 12 noon on Saturday with the compliments of the Croatian Fraternal Union. Only those Lodge and Nest representatives who registered in the morning will be eligible to partake of this special treat.

There will be no class Sunday morning, Oct. 26.

The only session scheduled for this day is to begin at 2 p.m. sharp and continue until

all phases of the School have been covered by the Instructors.

Not Detroit Alone

We should like to point out that this School is not limited to the Greater Detroit Lodges and Nests.

On the contrary, it is open (Detroit - P. 9)

Pitt Nest Plans Fall Fashion Fete

Ladies Will See The Latest Nov. 4

S.S. PITTSBURGH — The management of Croatian Fraternal Union Nest 57 will sponsor a Fashion Show, featuring the latest styles from Carlisle's of North Side, on Tuesday, November 4, at the Croatian Home, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Afterwards, there will be games for everyone to take part in and a luncheon will be served.

Admission will be only \$1 per person, with proceeds to go towards the Nest 57 Christmas Party.

All district CFU members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

John Birek, Mgr.

Detroit Home Meeting Slated For Oct. 26th

DETROIT, Mich. — The National Croatian Home Corporation will hold its quarterly membership meeting on Sunday, October 26, at 2:00 p.m.

Many important issues will be discussed at this meeting, so do try to be there. If you haven't seen your new Croatian Home as yet, make this a date to do so.

Helen A. Stimac, Sec'y.

Chi Progress Members Prep For Nov. 1 Dance

CHICAGO, Ill. — This message comes from "Progress" Lodge 749. It's not exactly news, because we spoke of our forthcoming dance in many recent issues of the Zaidnicar.

In the past it seemed remote, but now it is so close that we would just like to refresh your memory.

Saturday evening, November 1, is the day and Assumption Church Hall, 60th St. and Marshfield Ave., is the place.

Music will be furnished by the Ruza Tamburitza Orchestra, featuring Marty Vidovich, and several turkeys will be given away as door prizes.

We invite everyone to come and spend an evening at the "Progress" Dance, have a good time and get yourself a free Thanksgiving Dinner, assuming you are lucky.

P.O.P.

Social Spotlight On Cokeburg October 26

COKEBURG, Pa. — "St. George" Lodge 354 of the Croatian Fraternal Union will stage a Grape Harvest Dance on Sunday, October 26th, at the Croatian Home.

The evening will begin with a Harvesters Parade at 7:30 p.m., and continue with dancing to the music of the Melody Knights Slovene Orchestra from 8:00 p.m. until midnight.

In carrying out the theme of the occasion, the hall will be beautifully decorated with Fall foliage and fruits of all types.

Refreshments will be on tap throughout the evening and needless to say there will be plenty of fun and entertainment for all who attend.

We hope that all our district CFU members and friends will turn out for our harvest social, which in the past proved to be terrific.

Cleveland 403 Awaits Oct. 26 Dinner-Dance

CLEVELAND, Ohio — C. F. U. Lodge 403 will stage a Dinner-Dance Party on Sunday, October 26, at Brown's Tavern Hall, 5211 Harvard Ave.

Doors will open at 4:00 p.m., with a family style supper scheduled for serving from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Afterwards, music for dancing will be provided in the upper hall by Peter Samardji and John Sajatovich.

Members and friends are invited to attend this event, which, without a doubt, will be very successful, as were all our previous parties.

Andy Tumbri, Rep.

Columbus Members To Keep Halloween Tryst

COLUMBUS, Ohio — "Halloween" will be the theme of the annual Fall Dance which will be sponsored by "St. Anthony" CFU Lodge 310 on Saturday, October 25, at the Croatian Hall, 377 Reeb Ave.

Music for this occasion will be furnished by our own local Continental Tamburitza Orchestra, who know how to play all the favorite kolos, polkas, waltzes, the cserdas and a little of rock and roll for the youngsters.

There will be plenty of the usual refreshments and admission will be only \$1.00 for adults and children free.

We urge everyone to mask for this event as prizes will be awarded for the best man's, woman's, boy's and girl's costumes.

Velma Rumora, Sec'y. task undertaken by a few of

Seattle Nest 220 To Sponsor Masque Party Friday, October 31st

SEATTLE, Wash. — A Halloween Party for Nest 220 will be held at the Jefferson Park Ladies Clubhouse at 2336 15th Avenue So., from 6:30 to 11:00 p.m., on Friday, October 31.

There will be games for the youngsters and teenagers will dance to their favorite records.

Prizes will be given for the most original costumes in each age group: 1 to 6 years, 7 to 12, and 13 to 18, and a door prize will be awarded.

Mike Mataya, Mgr.

Benwood Nest 60 Sets Date For Annual Dance

BENWOOD, W. Va. — This is to inform all CFU Lodges in Benwood, Warwood, Yorkville, Ohio, and Weirton, as well as the Croatian Clubs in our Ohio Valley that Nest 60 will stage its Annual Dance on Saturday, October 25, at the Croatian Cultural Club, 4853 Eoff St.

Music for dancing, from 8:00 p.m. until ?? will be provided by the Blue Moon Tamburitza Orchestra of

Wilmerding, Pa., and in accordance with our custom, there will be plenty of solid and liquid refreshments for all.

We invite all the parents, grandparents, and relatives of our Nest 60 members, and the many CFU members and friends of the area to attend this forthcoming event.

The proceeds of this event will be used for the 1958 Nest Christmas Party.

The Cynosure of All Eyes: — Pretty Mary Dobos Trafford's "Miss Croat Center IV" To Be Feted Nov. 15th

TRAFFORD, Pa. — A beautiful day, a lovely girl, and a tremendous victory.

All three combined to make September 14, 1958, a memorable occasion for our Nest 203 member, Mary Dobos. On that day she was crowned Miss Croatian Center IV.

With the winning of this title she has accomplished a

our other members, but never achieved.

I am proud to have been a part of the small group of supporters who aided her in her drive for the title.

But the greatest of all credit must go to her mother, Helen Dobos, who made the victory possible.

To her father and uncles, members and friends, to all

who had a part in her victory, a very grateful thanks.

Now that we have the title we can all celebrate at a Banquet in her honor which will be held on Saturday, November 15th.

More details will be given in following issues of the Zaidnicar.

Joseph Zagar, Mgr.

Junior Tammies Will Make Debut During 255 Fete

Joseph Bella To Represent CFU At Oct. 26 Affair

MILWAUKEE, Wisc. — "Nada" Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 255 will commemorate its 55th Anniversary with a celebration on Sunday, October 26, at the Church Hall, 917 N. 49th St.

The lodge committee is planning a very entertaining program, with the main feature to be the newly organized Junior Tamburitza.

This will be the first public appearance for the group which is composed of our CFU nest members.

In addition to the appearance of the Milwaukee Mayor, the Honorable Frank F. Zeidler, and other local officials, we will have as our main guest and speaker bro. Joseph Bella, Supreme Secretary of the CFU.

The Oct. 26th program will start at 2:30 p.m. sharp. We also take this opportunity to announce that a CFU Training School has been called for Saturday evening, October 25, to which all local and district Lodge officers, members, and Nest Managers are invited.

The School will be held at the Karlovich Hall, 539 So. 6th St.

Everyone will be urged to participate in this session, so that they may become better informed about their Society.

The following morning, bro. Bella will also speak during the Croatian Radio Hour, over Station WMIL, 1290 on the radio dial.

Committee

Detroit 519 Sec'y In Switch To New Address

DETROIT, Mich. — All members of CFU Lodge 519 are urged to make note of the new address of the Lodge Secretary and to direct all mail to: Mary Doris Van Poppelein, 1950 Fairport, Detroit 5, Mich.

Sup. Secretary In Readiness For Milwaukee School

District Lodge And Nest Leaders To Meet Oct. 25th

MILWAUKEE — Everything is in axiomatic readiness for the staging here Saturday evening, Oct. 25, of a CFU Training School for Lodge and Nest Officials.

Joseph Bella, Supreme Secretary of the Croatian Fraternal Union, is scheduled to conduct the class and the scene of the gathering will be Karlovich Hall, 539 South 6th St.

All Lodge and Nest Delegates are most urgently requested to remember that registration for the School will take place at 5:30 p.m. sharp.

The School itself will be called to order at 6 p.m. and consume most of the evening hours. Highlight of the class will be a questions-and-answers period.

Aiding bro. Bella on the occasion will be Nikola Hinich, Milwaukee, a member of the Supreme Board of the Croatian Fraternal Union.

School 2-State Meet

Invitations to attend this Oct. 25 School have gone out to numerous Lodge and Nest leaders, both in Wisconsin and bordering Illinois.

These include Milwaukee Lodges 255, 261 and 807 and Nest 473; West Allis Lodges 391, 392 and 731 and Nest 457; Kenosha Lodges 207, 276 and 692 and Nest 59; Racine Lodges 463 and 797 and Nests 197 and 472; and Sheboygan Lodge 582 and Nest 184.

These are all Wisconsin affiliates of the Society.

The Illinois units invited are Waukegan Lodge 75 and Nest 134 and North Chicago Lodge 848 and Nest 519.

Altogether, there are 14 Lodges and 9 Junior Order Nests in this area.

Every Member Welcome

It will take some "fast step" (Milwaukee - P. 9)

Youngstown Lodge And Nest Members To Co-Sponsor Nov. 2 Concert, Dance

Farrell's "Sloga" Junior Tamburitza Vow To Put On Show of First Magnitude

YOUNGSTOWN, O. — The members of "St. George" Lodge 66 and Junior Order Nest 309 will co-sponsor a Concert and Dance on Sunday, Nov. 2, 1958, in the Croatian Home, 1012 West Federal St.

Starring during the Concert, which is to begin at 4 p.m. sharp, will be the truly sensational "Sloga" Junior Tamburitza and Kolo Dancers of Farrell, Pa.

So much has been said and written about these talented young artists that we cannot find any new adjective to

quets to throw in their direction. Suffice it to say that they are worth traveling many miles to see!

The music for the post-Concert dancing hours will be provided by the "Sloga" Juniors themselves.

The very best in solid and liquid refreshments is being set aside for the many members and friends we expect to see in attendance at these Nov. 2 festivities.

Welcome, one and all. Violet Flask, Mgr. Junior Nest 309

Santa Clara Valley Members Shaping Plans For Nov. 1 Anniversary Fiesta

Junior Kolo And Dance Routines Certain To Be Among Many Highlights Of Program

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. — Croatian Fraternal Union Lodge 676 and Nest 542 of Mountain View and Lodge 612 and Nest 246 of San Jose will jointly sponsor an Anniversary Celebration on November 1, 1958, at Napredak Hall in Cupertino.

A program featuring our talented nest members, dressed in national costume, will begin at 7:30 and will be followed by dancing until the late hours of the evening.

We can guarantee, with-

out a doubt, a splendid performance, knowing that the youngsters have rehearsed their kolos and dance routines with the instructions of bro. Anton Bazdarich and his wonderful wife.

Through their efforts they will bring recognition to the members of the CFU and our people in general.

With this advance notice we ask other organizations to kindly refrain from scheduling an affair for this date.

N. J. Nikolac, Pub.