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EVERY ESPERANTIST SHOULD BE A MEMBER OF EANA and IEL**and bring in his neighbor-let all enjoy the light.

WHAT EANA DOES.

It sends the monthly AMERIKA ESPERANTISTO to each member-extra copies to foreign exchanges and to many libraries. In its new form, our modest little monthly organ has an improved appearance-and is illustrated. It answers large numbers of inquiries from those who have heard something about Esperanto and wish to know more.

It appoints and directs several committees, established for promoting the Esperanto movement in various ways. It Sells Esperanto books. It holds an annual "Kongreso," which promotes acquaintance among American Esperantists and awakens new enthusiasm.

By your membership and your payment of dues, you have the privilege of aiding in all of this work on behalf of a high ideal.

And for yourself, you receive the monthly "Amerika Esperantisto", together with active membership in EANA and auxiliary membership in the world organization, IEL. If you wish to be an active member of Internacia Esperanto-Ligo, you may add to your $1.50 EANA membership the following additional payments, for IEL: for the Jarlibro $1. for Jarlibro and the monthly magazine "Esperanto Internacia" $2.50. for Jarlibro and weekly "Heroldo de Esperanto" $5. ("Heroldo" prints everything that appears in "Esp. Internacia", and much more besides)

Adding the $1.50 for EANA, those three grades of I E L membership amount to $2.50, $4.00, and $6.50 altogether. The Jarlibro is a directory of Esperanto Delegates in all parts of the world, Publications, Organizations, and Information of all kinds necessary to anyone wishing to be 'posted' on Esperanto affairs-Worth many times the cost of membership

ESPERANTO ASSOCIATION OF NORTH AMERICA, 1517 H St., Washington, Dist.Col.

Mi deziras al vi ĉiuj plej ĝojan Kristnaskon kaj feliĉan 1938!

K O M E N C U 1 9 3 8 B O N E !

(150 IEL - Delegitoj en Usono)

Esperanto estas lingvo por internacia uzo. Per Esperanto povas paroli kaj korespondi eĉ la plej simplaj homoj - ne nur feliĉuloj kiuj povis iri al universitatoj.

Sed por plej internacie uzi kaj progresigi Esperanton, ni nepre bezonas internacian ligon. Kaj internacia ligo povas vivi nur se ĝi havas membrojn - multajn kaj fidelajn. La Internacia Esperanto-Ligo montris en 1937 ke ĝi estas la plej sukcesa organizo internacia de la Esperanto-movado. IEL havas pli da landaj Esperanto-asocioj ol estis iam antaŭe kunigitaj en la historio. Pliaj informoj pri IEL troviĝas sur alia paĝo.

Ĉiu membro de EANA estas aŭtomate "simpla" membro de IEL. EANA sendas al IEL 12¢ por ĉiu simpla membro. Do restas al EANA nur 38¢ por administrado. (La alia dolaro estas tute uzata por "Amerika Esperantisto" nia monata organo.)

Vidu karaj gesamideanoj en Norda Ameriko! IEL kaj EANA ne povas fari grandiozajn aferojn per 1/8 kaj 1/3 dolaro respektive!

Hodiaŭ en la komenco de 1938 mi urĝe invitas ĉiujn gesamideanojn de Norda Ameriko fariĝi aktivaj membroj de IEL pagante nur unu dolaron pli! Kiel aktiva membro vi ricevas tre utilan jarlibron de IEL kun listo de delegitoj en proks. 60 landoj, kaj multaj valoraj kaj tre interesaj informoj. Vi bezonas la jarlibron de IEL por propagandi inter viaj geamikoj kaj gekonatoj. Kaj IEL bezonas vin kaj vian tutan dolaron (anstataŭ 1/8 $).

Kaj EANA ankaŭ bezonas la tutan kotizon de 50¢. Se vi pagas entute $2.50 EANA ne bezonas sendi la 12¢ al Londono. (Jen la divido: ($1.00 por "Amerika Esperantisto"; $1.00 por IEL aktiva membreco kun jarlibro; $-.50 por EANA).

Mi forte rekomendas al vi ankaŭ aboni la monatan gazeton "Esperanto Internacia" ($1.50 ekstra) aŭ se "IEL" eble la semajnan eldonon "Heroldo de Esperanto" ($4.00 ekstra).....ĉar ambaŭ estas oficialaj.

Ni bezonas pli da delegitoj de IEL en Usono! Estas Esperantistoj en 150 urboj de Usono. Ĉu en VIA urbo estas delegito ?? Se ne, tuj skribu al la ĉef-delegito S-ro D.E. Parrish, 328 W.46 St.Los Angeles. Ni bezonas 150 IEL-delegitojn en Usono! Nepre skribu tuj, ĉar la 1938-jarlibro aperos tre frue en 1938. Komencu la jaron 1938 per tuja kaj rapida sendo de via IEL-kotizo al Washingtono.

Via Prezidanto: Joseph R. Scherer.

THE YOUTH DEPT., should be of paramount interest to all members of any organization-as well as to every community. They are the POTENTIAL LEADERS, and workers of the near future, and should be given every opportunity to get acquainted with the problems of life-and how to meet them.

Mr. George A. Connor, 30 Perry St., New York, is chairman of the Youth Dept. of the EANA (Miss Philippa Stoneham, 405 So. Houston St., Bryan, Texas, and Mr. Thomas Goldman, Winthrop G-32, Cambridge, Mass., are associate members of the Committee.) Mr Connor is splendidly qualified for the position-a teacher of several years experience-and always a personal friend to each student-widely traveled, having conducted several Caravans to European countries during vacations-last summer he took about 40 people through various European lands, and to the Universal Congress in Warsaw. Serious illness has prevented him until recently from active participation in his work, but now feels that he is ready for "full steam ahead", in advancing the interests of Nia Afero-especially with the young folks. He is teaching a class of 42 Boy Scouts, showing moving pictures of foreign tours (with Esperanto groups), and has acted as interpreter for Miss Lidia Zamenhof on several occasions when she addressed meetings in and around New York. He welcomes any suggestions alalong his particular line. Miss Stoneham is teaching a class of 25 Girl and Boy Scouts, and Mr Goldman is teaching a class of 15 Harvard students-they are also 'listening -in' for your suggestions.

THE SUPPLEMENTARY sheets "THE YOUNG ESPERANTIST OF NORTH AMERICA", edited by Fervorulo CONRAD FISHER, Meadville, Penn'a., we feel quite confident will be a welcome addition to Esperanto readers-one that should have the cooperation of all--send 25¢ for a year subscription for some Girl or Boy of your acquaintance-also any suggestions that might be helpful. Address all orders to Sinjoro Fisher.

'EPOKO' Libro-Klubo

Celo: La EPOKO Libro-Klubo celas havigi al siaj membroj bonajn Esperantajn librojn je malalta prezo. Ĉiu scias, ke ju pli da libroj oni presas, des pli malalta estas la prezo. Ĉar oni ne povas esti certa, ke oni vendos multajn librojn, la kutima eldon-nombro de Esperantaj libroj estas malalta, kaj pro tio, la prezoj sufiĉe altaj. La aliĝo de multaj klubanoj indikos al ni kiom da libroj ni presigu, kaj tiel ebligos la tre malaltan prezon.

Kion membro ricevos: Ĉiu membro ricevos libron, proksimume 200-paĝan, 18 x 11.5 c.m., bone presitan kaj broŝuritan, je la malalta prezo de unu ŝilingo, plus afranko. La prezo de tiuj libroj al la ĝenerala publiko estos du ŝilingoj, plus afranko.

Kiel aliĝi al la klubo: Ne estas kotizo; sed nur enskribitaj membroj povos ricevi la librojn je la favora prezo. Por aliĝi al la klubo, vi bezonas nur plenigi la ĉi-kunan aliĝilon, kaj sendi ĝin al via kutima Esperantista librovendejo. La libroj aperos po unu ĉiun duan monaton. Ĉiu membro konsentas akcepti la librojn dum minimume ses monatoj (tio estas, tri librojn). La unua aperos en Oktobro, 1937. Tuj post apero, ili estos sendataj al la elektita libro-vendisto, kiu peros ilin al siaj membroj, kaj al kiu la membroj devos pagi.

La unuaj libroj kredeble estos:
1. Murdo en la Orienta Ekspreso ..... Agatha Christie.
2. La Princo kaj Betty ..... P. G. Wodehouse.
3. La Tempo-Maŝino ..... H. G. Wells.

Al (librovendisto) .....

Adreso .....

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Bonvolu enskribi min kiel membron de la 'EPOKO' Libro-Klubo.

Mi konsentas regule akcepti la eldonotajn librojn, po unu angla ŝilingo (prezo en nacia mono.....) plus afranko, dum almenaŭ ses monatoj, kaj poste ĝis mi sciigos al vi, ke mi deziras eksiĝi. Tiuokaze, mi avertos vin unu monaton antaŭe.

Mi konsentas pagi al vi la prezon tuj post ricevo de ĉiu aparta libro. (Kompreneble, membro rajtas antaŭpagi kelkajn librojn por eviti sendkostojn rilate al la pago.) SKRIBI PER PRES-LITEROJ.

Nomo .....

Adreso .....

E A N A X X X I C O N G R E S S J U L Y I-2-3 C L E V E L A N D.

The Congress Committee-and many other Esperantists-are very busy making preparations for the GREATEST ANNUAL CONGRESS in the history of EANA. Recently they sent a delegation to Akron to drum up publicity-with the aid of S-roj Stancliff and Betteridge-and are planning to send delegations to Detroit and Chicago to "stir 'em up". Dec.21st, at the Zamenhof Anniversary Banquet, the history and progress of Esperanto was shown in films. "La Vojo" was sung by the well-known Cleveland Baritone-Mr. Alfred Wright. Miss Catherine Avery, Pres. of Shaker Heights High School Esperanto Club gave an address on the life of Dr.Zamenhof. Fifty attended the banquet. The Cleveland Esperanto Association presented a $5 check to Miss Nellie M.Luehrs of the Clev. Public Library for the purchase of Esperanto books-they donate to the Library each year either money or books to commemorate the Zamenhof Anniversary. Assembly singing of "ESPERO" ended the banquet.

NINETEEN PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY BOUGHT THEIR CONGRESS TICKETS--MAGNIFICENT CO-OPERATION--THOSE CLEVELAND HUSTLERS CANNOT FAIL.

Officers of the club for the coming year: President, William Glenny, V-Pres., Charles E.Simon, Secretary, Miss Helen Binder, Treasurer, Edgar H.Simon.

The Ass'n recently issued Esperanto Stickers in three colors-Green, Black and Red, size 4x5; as no place name adorns them they can be used anywhere, and can be stuck either inside or outside of windshields or windows-or on anything. Price 10¢-3 for 25¢. Order from Lee D Stern 2995 Lincoln Blvd, Cleveland Hts, or from EANA Central Office-1517 H St., Washington, D.C.

ESPERANTO CLASS of 18 organized by S-ano George Amerson, and taught by S-ano A.E.Regal (Chicago) meets Monday evenings at Bahai Center, Maywood, Ill. On Dec. 3rd, at formal opening, they were addressed by Mr Albert Windust-traveler, editor and lecturer-on the subject of "Pioneers". Dec.19, Mr R.D.Pettet, Oph.D., O.D, editor of "Optometric Weekly" spoke to them on the subject of "The Light of a New Day". "The New Era & Melrose Park Times" gave them a column notice, with picture of Lidia Zamenhof. S-ano Regal 'commutes' from Chicago weekly to teach this class--cooperation personified.

ESPERANTO KLUBO de WASHINGTON (D C) elected officers for 1938: Archie Blake President, Mrs. Maude Sawyer Taylor V-Pres., George T.Bean Secretary, Miss Mabel G.Hamilton Treasurer (re-elected-3rd term)

WOMAN'S PRESS CLUB of New York (an organization of New York's brightest minds-Editors, Writers, Teachers, Travelers etc.,) held a very entertaining and instructive meeting in Hotel Pennsylvania Nov.27th '37-especially interesting to Esperantists because of the splendid tribute to Esperanto and its author by the chairman of the meeting-Mrs. Otto Hahn, and an address in Esperanto by Miss Lidia Zamenhof and translated to English by Miss H.Celia Leyy(a noted world war worker). Space limits preclude ellaboration of the program.

XXXa UNIVERSALA KONGRESO de ESPERANTO, 30 JULIO-6 AUGUSTO 1938. LONDON. ENG. Kongresejo: University College, Universitato de London. Sekretario de Kongreso, C. C. Goldsmith, Heronsgate, Rickmansworth (Herts). Kotizoj: Ĝis 31-3-38/£-ŝ5-0-- poste £/-ŝ10-0. Edzo aŭ edzino de kongresano, kaj gejunuloj ne pli ol 20 jaroj, pagas la duonon de ĉi tiuj sumoj.

BEAUTIFUL SMALL PENNANTS AT LOW COST

For sweater, bicycle, auto, classes, clubs, etc. Used by my High School classes on backs of coats, sweaters, clubroom, etc. Great for propaganda. Excellent as prizes. Green star outlined in white, with white word on best green felt. $3\frac{3}{4}$ x 9 inches. Official colors, quality. Send 10¢ each, $1.00 a doz., to Geo. A. Connor, 30 Perry St., N.Y.C.

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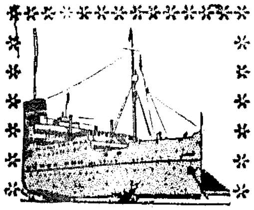
AL LONDONO KONGRESO!



GRAVA ALVOKO.! Due to our successful Karavano to Warsaw last summer, the steamship lines now offer me exceptional accomodations and services for an Esperantist Group Karavano to London this coming summer. It is possible to 'do' the London Congress and include several other countries at a cost very much below last year's Karavano. However in order to achieve these advantages it is necessary to organize tentatively as soon as possible.

Therefore I ask every Esperantist who has the slightest notion of attending the London Congress to write me at once; it will enable us to estimate the size of group to secure accomodations, and provide a lever to secure most favorable group rates for all travelers enroute to Congress. This obligates you in no way, but in exchange for your statement of intentions, you will be kept fully informed about developements of our "Karavano tra Esperantujo al Londono."

Send us your views, and "vote" for one of the following propositions. Do this at the earliest moment. Karavan details will be sent as soon as possible after "votes" are in.

Proposal #1. Sailing from New York on Cunard modern medium size boat, full program Esperanto activities enroute, landing in Irish Free State, visits with Irish Esperantists throughout Ireland, with interesting itinerary to North Ireland (Ulster), and across the channel to Scotland, Glasgow, the Lochs and Trossachs, Highlands, Edinburgh, Esperanto meetings everywhere, bus to Newcastle-on-Tyne where we join in 'Before-Congress Convention with British and Scandinavian Esperantists, then to London, July 30.

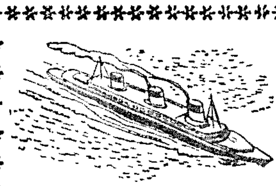
Proposal #2, Sailing from New York on GDYNIA-AMERICA "Batory" Esperanto activities enroute, land at Copenhagen, Espo-meetings, sightseeing, thence to Oslo, Norway, mountains and fjords, to Bergen, join Scandinavian Karavano to 'Before Congress Convention at Newcastle, by North Sea boat, meeting in Newcastle, then on to London, July 30.

Proposal #3. Sail with the Esperanto Karavano on Liner, but go direct to London as individual. (For those who cannot afford the somewhat greater cost of travel through interesting countries enroute to London)

The plans after the Congress are entirely optional, with a strong possibility that a group will prefer the following suggestions: London to Esperanto Domo in the Netherlands, a week there, then through Belgium to Paris, Exposition, Esperanto meetings, etc., taking boat at Cherbourg for New York about September Ist. (Queen Mary possible selection on return, or Gdynia-American Liner)

SEND YOUR LETTER OR CARD AT ONCE IF YOU HAVE THE SLIGHTEST INTENTION or POSSIBILITY OF GOING.

Write, George A. Connor, Turisma Delegito de IEL



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PARLEY PARKER CHRISTENSEN, Los Angeles, was a recent visitor to the Central Office. It is always a delight to have our fervoruloj from other sections of the world call at our little corner. Judging from newspaper reports, it is our opinion that S-ro Christensen is as well known in Europe as at home.

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TO PRONOUNCE OR TO MISPRONOUNCE?

I.

Those Americans who are intelligently discriminating in the pronunciation of our own English acquire a correct Esperanto pronunciation almost without effort. But those of us who speak our English by mere habit, seldom thinking of the separate sounds out of which English is made, often may slip into several pitfalls, even with so completely regular and simple a tongue as Esperanto. In a series of little articles, one per month, we plan to take up several of the inaccuracies which most often trouble the beginners and which have to be corrected by the patient teacher.

For example, ĵ and ĝ are perfectly distinct sounds. But those students who have been drilled in French sometimes pronounce both ĵ and ĝ the way only ĵ should be pronounced. And students who don't know French sometimes do the opposite, pronouncing both letters like the dg in "budget." The words "aĵo" and "aĝo" are as distinct in sound as in sense.

One way to describe the difference is to remember that ĵ is the "zh" sound in the name for a Russian peasant, "mouzhik;" that is, it is a buzzing sound, (a "soft hiss, mixed with voice,") and so it can be lengthened as much as one may wish,(just the same as the voice may linger on the sounds of v, or z, or s, or th.) But the ĝ is an explosive sound, (beginning from a position of the tongue which shuts off the breath as completely as though it were a "d,") and so it is impossible to lengthen it or dwell upon it, any more than on the other stopped sounds, such as d, b, or p.

The difference between ĵ and ĝ (both of which have voice in them) is the exact counterpart of the difference between the corresponding voiceless letters, ŝ and ĉ, or that between the sh in "mush" and the ch in "much."

Below in double column are a few English pairs, with the "ĵ" sound illustrated at the left, and the "ĝ" sound at the right.

vision	effusion	pigeon	wager
azure	collusion	badger	"a few,John"
measure	erosion	ledger	"a huge 'un"
brazier			"a Trojan"

("Go ye now, and do likewise.")

E.G.Dodge.

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE.

Through the spirited initiative of Prof. L.A.Ware (formerly of Montana, now of Iowa) a new "faka organizo" has been launched under the above title, to act as American collaborator with "Internacia Scienca Asocio Esperantista." The I.S.A.E. until recently has received too little attention in Usono; but through the active labors of its new American delegito, Professor Ware, a list of 27 American names is now published, and the number is growing from week to week. Most of these have also qualified as active members of our own A.A.I.S.

Active membership in A.A.I.S. at $3.00 includes subsciption to one magazine, according to the member's choice, -- either Scienca Gazeto, the popular-science all-Esperanto bimonthly edited by S-ano Karl Froding at Rockford, Ill., or the "Bulteno de I.S.A.E." published at Paris. The remainder of each active membership fee will be devoted to the worthy cause of forwarding the movement for a wider use of Esperanto as an aid in the field of science.

A.A.I.S. has also undertaken to establish a circulating library of both technical and popular-science books in Esperanto -- available for the use of members who will personally contribute $1.50 worth of such books for building up the library. Eighteen volumes already -- a modest but encouraging beginning upon which others may be expected to build.

The President of A.A.I.S. is Professor Archie J. Bahm, of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Tex., and the General Secretary is Professor L.A.Ware, of 400 N. Clinton St., Iowa City, Iowa.

Sincere congratulations to this new and promising undertaking in the Esperanto field, and to its enterprising leaders!

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Esperantaj infanoj, Esperanta ĉevalo kaj Esperanta ekspozicio super la nordpolusa cirklo.

Sur la bildo, maldekstre, sin prezentas internacia familio esperantista: usona samideano Charles Chomette, Los Angeles, kaj lia belga edzino Germaine Van der Veken, kun infanoj Dianto ĉ. 5½-jara kaj Lilio ĉ. unu-jara. Ges-roj Chomette interkonatiĝis dum la Universala Kongreso en Antverpeno (1928); ili konservis Esperanton kiel sian hejman lingvon, kaj kiam naskiĝis infanoj, la gepatroj donis al ili esperantlingvajn nomojn de floroj. Dianto, la pli aĝa, jam bone parolas la lingvon; Lilio, kompreneble, estas ankoraŭ tro malgranda por tio. S-ro Chomette sendis al ni la ĉarman foton, leginte ke la Varsovia kongresanaro honoris la majstron, metante diantojn kaj liliojn sur lian tombon.

Dekstre malsupre vi vidas fieran ĉevalon, kiu — laŭ la propono de fervora samideanino — ricevis la nomon « Espero ». Posedanto de la ĉevalo estas s-ro F. Verbree, Gooilandscheweg 8, Bussum (Nederlando). Prave « Espero » portas sian nomon, ĉar ĝi bonege saltas kaj jam akiris premiojn en konkursoj sufiĉe gravaj. S-ro Verbree ne estas esperantisto; sed por pruvi, ke la esperantististoj ŝatas ke Esperanto ankaŭ jam disvastiĝas en la « ĉevala mondo », estus ne senutile sendi al li salutkarton.

Dekstre supre la konata Cseh-instruisto Tiberio Morariu montras al vi per bastono la situon de la sveda fermineja urbo Kiruna, kie okazis Esperanto-ekspozicio kaj kie li helpis disvastigi nian lingvon, — super la nordpolusa cirklo.

Heroldo de Esperanto

WITH NEARLY 13.000 members in 1937(its first year), every Esperantist in the league is working to increase this figure to 20.000 in the near future. Please pay YOUR dues promptly, and be sure to include the extra dollar for the YEARBOOK, and if you possibly can, the $1.50 or $4.00 which will bring you the official organ every month or every week. The rest of the world measures our Esperanto activity by the number of cities where there is a delegate of IEL. If there is no delegate in your city, town or village, by all means pay your IEL dues and ask to have your name listed in the YEARBOOK as delegate. It will put you in touch with the world of Esperantists, make you a participant in the greatest cultural movement of all time, and it will help Esperanto along to further victories. There were EANA members in 150 different towns in 1937--let's have delegate for every one of them in the 1938 YEARBOOK! BUT- - you'll have to hurry! Composition of the 1938 Yearbook starts about January 15th, and the book comes out in March

Ĉef-delegito de IEL: D E Parrish, 328 W.46th St., Los Angeles, California

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A JOINT CELEBRATION of the Anniversary of Dr Zamenhof's Birthday was held Dec. 16th in Hotel Gralyn, Boston, by the "Esperanto-Rondo Amika" and the Boston Esperanto Society, with the following program: Playlet, a talk on the Life of Dr.Zamenhof, by Mr H.B.Hastings, Reading of Dr.Zamenhof's speech at the 1910 Congress, History of Boston Esperanto Society by Miss C.J.Meriam, Advantages of Cseh method of instruction, by Mrs. Ammet'u'llah Oglesby. Sunday, Dec.19th the two groups were guests of Rabbi Harry Levi at the regular morning services in Temple Israel. Rabbi Levi spoke feelingly about Dr.Zamenhof and his life work. The services were broadcast over W N A C. After a short introductory address, Rabbi Levi invited Mr. Hastings and Miss Roan U.Orloff to speak over the radio. Mr Hastings spoke in English, and Miss Orloff spoke in Esperanto, which was translated by Mr Hastings. Miss Orloff referred (for proof of her statement) to the Bible passage of Zephaniah III:9: "For then will I turn to the people a pure language, that they may all call upon the name of the Lord, to serve him with one consent".

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AN ESPERANTIST SINCE 1900. Dr. I.L.Kinney, Duquesne, Pa., though past three score and ten, is still very much alive to the value of Lia Kara Lingvo.

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ENKONDUKO KAJ ALVOKO

On the left is "ye editor" of this modest attempt at an addition to the Esperanto press.

The Young Esperantist is intended to provide a means of uniting young North Americans interested in Esperanto, and to help swell their ranks thru interesting new recruits.

Conrad Fisher, The editor requests everybody to send material of interest to young Esperantists, such as poems, drawings (black), puzzles, all in Esperanto, original or translated.

How about you young Esperantists offering your services as representatives or agents to work in such fields as Peace, Stamps, Catholic Youth, economico-political youth, etc.? Circulars will be supplied to youth who will be interested in mailing them out to their correspondents and other friends.

Esperanto clubs in scout troops, schools, churches, etc., are requested to send monthly reports for our news column. And very good use can be made of any addresses of young Esperantists or other youth who could make use of a knowledge of Esperanto. Stamps for postage will be gratefully accepted from anyone anxious to help spread Esperanto among the youth of our lands.

The editor is interested in dogs, stamps, Peace, Eso stickers, music, dancing, swimming, printing, photography. What are you folks interested in? Write a short article in Esperanto and it will be published as soon as possible.

Have you a photo of yourself you'd like to see printed in the Young Esperantist? If it is 1/2 the size of the one above and twice as wide, send it in. Mr. Leahy, editor of AMERIKA ESPERANTISTO, makes and sells dandy stamp size photos with stickum on the back, so you can put them on your letter paper, for one dollar a hundred.

TEACH YOUR FRIENDS ESPERANTO ! ! !

Leciono No. 1

Alfabeto kaj Prononcado

A B C Ĉ D E F G Ĝ H Ĥ I J Ĵ

K L M N O P R S Ŝ T U Ŭ V Z

All are pronounced like in English, but C=TS, Ĉ=CH, Ĝ=J, J=Y, Ŝ=SH, Ŭ=W used only with a,e: aŭ, eŭ. Ĥ sounds like H down in the throat. Ĵ sounds like SU in MEASURE. R is trilled.

AEIOU sound like in AH, LET THEIR MACHINE GO THRU.

ACCENT means to say with force. Nation is accented on the first syllable: NA-. In Esperanto we accent the NEXT TO LAST VOWEL (aeiou), because each vowel is a syllable There are no silent letters in Esperanto.

WORDS FOR PRACTICE

studento: stoo-den-to =student
nacio: not-see-o =nation
Ameriko: ah-mair-ee-ko- America
Skolto: skole-toe--Scout
Leciono: let-see-o-no--Lesson
Alfabeto: ahl-fah-betto--Alphabet
prononcado: pronunciation =pronoan-tsah-doe
juna: you-nah =young
Usono: oo-so-no =United States

If there is anything you don't understand about this lesson, write to the editor and ask about it.

HA! HA! HA! HA! HA!

Instruistino: Nu, lernantoj, nomu kelkajn aĵojn, kiuj ne ekzistis antaŭ kvindek jaroj.
Viĉjo: Jen, fraŭlino, radio, televizio, aeroplanoj, aŭtomobiloj,...
Instruistino: Jes, jes, kaj kio?
Viĉjo:.....mi, fraŭlino.

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Ĉu vi aŭdis pri la viro, kiun la buboj en nia najbarejo faris el neĝo? Nu, ili enmetis fosilon en ĝia mano kaj post kelkaj tagoj venis WPA-estro kaj donis al ĝi ĉekon.

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NEWS OF YOUNG ESPERANTISTS

Jozefo Lidonnici, of Brooklyn, has been helping Mr. Sayers lecturing in Columbus Square, selling books and handing out circulars.

Sammy Martin, 13 years, scout, has a class among his friends in Emporia, Kansas.

Phillipa Stoneham, has a class of 24 scouts in her town, Bryan, Tex.

Harvard University has an Esperanto club and a class of about 15.

SEND IN YOUR NEWS ITEMS NOW

Young Esperantists should read LA JUNA VIVO. It's printed all in Esperanto and full of jokes, poems and puzzles, etc., and has a lot of korespond-adresoj.

Scouts should join Skolta Esperantista Ligo and read its paper SKOLTA BULTENO. Send a stamp for further information on subscription.

Perfekta Tago

Kiam venas la fin' de perfekta tag'
Kaj sole vi sidas en pens',
Dum sonoretas ĝojkanta imag',
Pro la ĝoj' de la ĵusa tag' —
Ĉu vi scias signifon al laca kor'
Ĉe l' fin' de perfekta tag', —
Dum la flamradiguma subirad'
Kaj disiĝo de la amikar'.

Jen estas la fin' de perfekta tag'
Kaj preskaŭ la fin' de vojaĝ' —
Sed granda kaj forta restadas la pens'
Kun tre afablega dezir'.
La tagon perfektan ja pentris memor'
Per nepaliĝanta kolor', —
Kaj troviĝas ĉe l' fin' de perfekta tag'
L' animo de novkoramik'.

Contributed by Sammy Martin

Maljunulino: Vi ne maĉas tabakon, ĉu jes?
Bubo: Ne, sinjorino, sed mi povas doni al vi cigaredon.

Send in translations of good snappy jokes you read and hear. They will be published with your name.

KORESPONDU ! ! ! !

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Addresses of young Esperantists of North America will be published free. Any additional message or other words will be published at a cent a word.

* Mi preferas uzi landnomojn en -io anstataŭ -ujo, malgraŭ tio, ke tiu formo ankoraŭ ne estas oficialigita.

*WPA: Labor-Progresad-Administracio. Dum la pasinta krizo la usona registaro provizis laboron al la senlaboruloj, por ke ili povu vivteni. Tiu laboro konsistis precipe el konstruado de ŝoseoj k.t.p. sed oni ne devis trolabori. Vere, oni ĵuris, ke preskaŭ neniom da la rompigintaj fosiloj rompiĝis pro fosado, sed pro ke la laboristoj kliniĝadis per ili.

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