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★ VENU AL OKLAHOMA CITY! ★

Al la tre fervoraj kaj kapablaj gesamideanoj de Lima, Ohio, kiuj tiel lerte aranĝis la 33-an EANA-Kongreson, ni ŝuldas multan dankon. La kongresaj raporto en la Julio-Aŭgusto numero de AMERIKA ESPERANTISTO montras tre klare ke la Lima Esperantistoj mirinde laboris kaj lerte faris profiton kiu helpas al EANA dum la jaro 1940-41. Al ĉiuj kongresanoj kiuj venis al la kongreso mi ĉi tie persone dankas. Tute apartajn dankojn mi sendas al la Cleveland fervoruloj kaj f-ino Orloff kiuj multe helpis, kaj s-roj Dormont, Dodge kaj Leahy pro tre lerta gvidado, kaj al la aliaj gesamideanoj kiuj kunlaboris, aŭ venis el la plej malproksimaj urboj. Specialajn dankojn al la Ĝenerala Sekretario Leahy, pro zorga raportado. Mi nur bedaŭras, ke mi ne povis persone ĉeesti pro laborado ĉe Par-amount Studio por prizorgi Esperantajn dialogo-partojn en la nova filmo "Victory".

OKLAHOMA CITY invitas la 34-an EANA KONGRESON en 1941! Oklahoma estas romantika lando! Estas la lando de Will Rogers kaj de Cowboy Sweethearts. Estas la hejmo de indianoj kaj fervoraj gesamideanoj! En Oklahoma vi povos kanti "Home on the Range" en Esperanto pli entuziasme ol en la hejmoj en viaj urboj. Vi veturos tra vastaj ebenaĵoj, tra famaj petrol-teritorioj, tra senfinaj grenkampoj. Vin kaptos la atmosfero de romanti-kaj melodioj kantataj de la cowboys kiuj zorkas pri centmiloj da bovoj kaj bovinoj. Espereble venos ankaŭ f-ino Doris Tappan kaj s-ro George A. Connor kiuj en Bern, Svislando, tiel elokvente montris al eŭropaj gesamideanoj iom de la romantiko de la fama okcidento de Usono.

S-ro Ray M. Pease, kiu portis Esperanton de New York al Oklahoma meritas la dankon de ĉiuj usonaj gesamideanoj. En 1941 iros al Oklahoma City la gesamideanoj de New York, Florida, Texas, Kalifornio kaj de multaj aliaj ŝtatoj. La Oriento kaj la Okcidento kun-venos en la koro de Usono.

La kosto de tia vojaĝo estos tre malgranda kompare kun la vera ĝojo kiun vi sper-tos en la Oklahoma romantiko. Sparu jam nun unu-du dolarojn ĉiu-semajne aŭ 10-20 cendojn ĉiu-tage en speciala "Oklahoma ŝpar-kaseto". Tiel vi pretigas vin por vojaĝo al romantika lando.

Ek' al Oklahoma City! Ek' al la Romantiko!
 Pretigu vin por vera Tut-Usona Esperanto-Kongreso!



Joseph P. Scherer.

Mr. ERNEST G. DODGE of Washington, D.C., Chairman of the Executive Committee of EANA, passed his seventieth birthday the 29th of July, and had expected as a matter of course to retire then from government service, in accordance with the age limits fixed by law. But because of increasing Government work due to the national defense program, the U.S. Civil Service Commission wished to retain him another year in a board to which many new members are freshly added. So they secured from the President of the United States an Executive order authorizing this extension. So-and-so Dodge will still be working in the Esperanto vineyard, to the extent of his spare time and energy, but will not have so many hours per week for this activity as he expected. To all who know Mr. Dodge and of his ability and energy, it is no surprise that Uncle Sam wishes to keep him in governmental service, and we most cordially congratulate the government for Mr. Dodge's acceptance.

ESPERANTO BROADCAST. Because of absorbing some of the Esperanto enthusiasm emanating from our Fervorulo William Vathis, Mr. Floyd Mack, Transradio Press Service, Station WOR, gave out the following broadcast July 5th.

"LIMA, OHIO--The 33rd annual Congress of the Esperanto Association of North America, opened today in Lima. The Esperantists of the world have not been discouraged in their campaign for the establishment of an international language by the Nazi triumphs in the war. Adolph Hitler despises Esperanto and condemned it in "Mein Kampf". On the contrary, they have seen Esperanto acquire new uses in the neutral countries because of the war.

Hollywood has used Esperanto as a color language in films with foreign settings in order to avoid arousing racial animosities. This suggests the possibility that an international drama in Esperanto may be developed as a healthy supplement to national dramas. Several magazines in Esperanto are being published now. Because of its completely synthetic character, Esperanto is credited by many linguists who are not essentially Esperantists with being a simpler, and more precise medium for the transmission of intelligence across language frontiers than the present system of direct translations.

The evidence that the language can be learned much more rapidly and accurately than the national languages, is impressive. Therefore, its potential value, in commerce and Science is very great. Esperanto was invented by a Polish philosopher, Dr. Zamenhof, 53 years ago. Since such activity was somewhat dangerous in Russian Poland, Dr. Zamenhof signed his discovery "Dr. Esperanto" which means Dr. Hopeful. He was concerned primarily as are most of the several million Esperantists in the world today, with the value of an international language as a means of increasing mutual understanding and avoiding wars. Many Esperantists say that it must be admitted that since idealism ferments slowly among human beings that Esperanto must find a more utilitarian approach before it will get anywhere.

The nearest thing to an international language to find wide adoption is Yiddish. It is a polyglot tongue based on old German grammar and a basic German vocabulary and written in Hebrew characters. Yiddish is a virile and poetic language, but it is too German in form and too much concerned with special aspects of Jewish psychology to appeal much to other peoples. Esperanto is said to have all the physical requisites for a universal second language. What it needs is a real functional beginning. Perhaps Hollywood or the coming of television might point the way for a real use of Esperanto. Esperanto seems to be based on Latin forms with many phonetic and functional shortcut arrangements. As for what it sounds like, well the title of the play "Idiot's Delight" in Esperanto is "Amuzo de Idioto" (Pronounced Am-oo-zo day ideoto.)

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Varbu Infanojn!

Multfoje ni aŭdis la devizon: Esperanto en la lernejoj! Kaj ni ĉiuj entuziasmiĝis pri tiu devizo, ĉar ĝi ja montras la fincelon de niaj penadoj. Ni neniam forgesu labori por tiu celo!

Sed -- "estas longa vojo al Tipperary."

Kiam mi estis infano, mi konatiĝis kun multaj infan-grupoj: dimanĉa K.ĉnejo de la kristana asocio, infangrupo de la abstinenca loĝio, la skolta movado kaj la infangrupo de Ruĝa Kruco. Nuntempe certe troviĝas pliaj infanorganizaĵoj por diversaj celoj. Kial do ni esperantistoj ne organizu infangrupojn en la kadro de la Esperanto-movado? Cetere oni ja en kelkaj landoj jam faris kelkajn provojn, sed ne metode kaj grandskale.

Ŝajnas al mi, ke la nuntempo estas speciale konvena por la varbado inter la infanoj. Jen la kaŭzo, kial mi nun metas antaŭ vin la devizon por la jaro 1940.

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It is the duty of the Executive Committee to appoint the other standing committees of our Association, except when the appointment of some special committee may be made during the annual congress.

Each member should preserve for reference his September "Amerika Esperantisto", not merely as part of his general plan for filing all numbers of our official organ, but for the added reason that space cannot be spared in future numbers to repeat the following list of committee members and addresses. (Some of the addresses are different from last year) ELECTED OFFICERS.

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Miss E.J.Meriam, 486 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

The following two committees were established for special purposes at the Lima, Ohio, Congress of EANA, and their personnel was appointed by the presiding officer.

First, a committee to approach institutions of learning, to urge that they invite Miss Lidia Zamenhof to come to this country as an expert teacher of Esperanto, guaranteeing her a position on the faculty on account of immigration restrictions.

Lee D.Stern, Chairman, 2995 Lincoln Blvd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Mrs Luella K.Beecher, 615 W.Elm St., Lima, Ohio

E.G.Dodge, Washington, D.C. Henry I.Nagin, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Miss Roan U.Orloff, Boston, Mass.

Second, a committee to explore the possibility of establishing an Esperanto literary magazine in the New World, or a literary department in an existing Esperanto periodical.

Thomas Goldman, Chairman, Washington, D.C. E.G.Dodge, Washington, D.C.

William Plampin, Washington, D.C.

THE "ESTU PRETA" KEY TO ESPERANTO.

We are glad to announce that our office is now able to supply a new pocket "Key to Esperanto" which has been published by the Youth Committee of EANA, under the chairmanship of Mr. George J. Falgier. Although originating with the Youth Committee, it must not be supposed that the new Key is adapted for young people only. On the contrary, it furnishes a very serviceable introduction to Esperanto to new inquirers of every sort. The Key has 32 pages, 4x6 inches, and it embodies several features which differentiate it from similar keys widely used in the past. Instead of giving up of its space to a vocabulary of such size as to compete with any existing Vortaro, it limits this feature to 550 of the really commonest and most essential words--quite sufficient for the early needs of any absolute beginner. And these words are presented not as naked roots, but in their complete form, revealing through their endings whether in their basic meaning they are substantive, adjective, verbal, or adverbial. This is a feature which the best scholars strongly approve.

The greater part of this new Key is given over to the following features: the need for an international language; basic merits of Esperanto as an answer to that need; pronunciation; grammar; the most used prepositions; numerals; prefixes and suffixes; the table-words, presented according to a new plan; information as to where one may write for further help.

The "ESTU PRETA" KEY TO ESPERANTO is an excellent and inexpensive introduction to the language, and should be widely distributed for its propaganda value. The EANA office will send this new Key, postpaid, at the following prices:

- Single copies, or less than 6 to one address, 5c each.
- 6 to one address, 25c. 12 for 40c. 25 for 75c. 50 for \$1.25.

WATCH FOR YOUR OCTOBER NUMBER.

It is now fully expected that the first "Tutamerika Numero", combining in one the four official organs of new world "Landasocioj" will be ready in time to serve as the October number of Amerika Esperantisto. The cooperating periodicals are:

- "Amerika Esperantisto" "O Brasil Esperantista"
- "Argentina Esperantisto" "Kanada Bulteno"

Early in July word was received from the President of Brazila Esperantista Asocio that all local arrangements, including governmental registration, had been completed, and that the manuscript for the pages to be contributed by EANA should be completed and mailed at the earliest practicable date. This was done; and Clipper airmail was used for greater speed. But in all these matters, the factor of distance must be reckoned with. And of course the heavy shipments of magazines must travel by ordinary and slower means. In the thought that all press work should be completed by the middle of August, the shipment of finished magazines may be expected in Washington around the middle of September. The EANA office in Washington will then mail these in the regular way to all our members and exchanges. The first "Tutamerika Numero" promises to be a handsomely printed issue of 12 pages, somewhat larger than the pages of our ordinary issues and with several illustrations. Its contents, part of which is supplied by the Esperantists of each participating country, will be so selected and arranged as to have interest in the widest sense for the Esperantists of the world, and especially for those of the "three Americas,"-North, Central and South. Naturally, the twelve pages which will circulate equally among the Esperantists of all the Americas will be wholly in Esperanto. But EANA will add a one page supplement, in English, to be sent to its own members only, for the purpose of carrying some items of news whose interest is chiefly local for our own country.

The central office of EANA hopes that all members of our Association are joining with us in happy anticipation of the first concrete fruitage from the growing sense of solidarity among the New World Esperantists. While the world beyond the ocean is groaning in the agonies of war, doubled and trebled is the responsibility resting upon us in the western lands, to keep the torch of Esperanto clearly burning against the needs of coming days when the smoke of battle shall have cleared away, and when the need for Esperanto as the harbinger of that understanding which makes brotherhood more possible among the peoples of mankind shall come to be realized as never before in the past.

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Questions to be Asked in Alien Registration

The 15 questions which aliens are required to answer during the nation-wide registration from August 27 to December 26 1940, have been made public by Earl G. Harrison, Director of Alien Registration, of the Department of Justice.

Specimen forms, containing these 15 questions and instructions about registration, are now available at all post offices.

"Every alien, Mr. Harrison urges, should obtain a copy of the specimen form, study it and fill it out at home. This will make registration easier and quicker. With the answers already written down, he can quickly give the required information to the postmaster, swear to, or affirm its truth, and be fingerprinted."

"The greatest care should be taken to make sure that all questions are answered truthfully". "If you do not have the information required, consult your relatives, friends, a social service agency, or any other reliable source which can be of assistance, as well as such records and papers as you may have tucked away somewhere. The Alien Registration Act provides severe penalties for any alien who files an application for registration containing statements known by him to be false. Such an alien may be punished by a fine of \$1000, imprisonment for 6 months, or both. Further any alien so convicted within 5 years after entry into the United States must be deported."

"Non-citizens should not fear registering" Mr. Harrison added. "They should realize that the measure is intended to safeguard the land that has given many of them sanctuary from oppression; the land that has given them physical security and a chance to earn a living. And I hope, to, that they will have reason to appreciate the difference between the spirit and method of registration here and that which would obtain elsewhere. In some countries if you were an alien you would be ordered to register at the police station. But not in the United States. Here you will register at your post office. The Government, through its post offices will assist you as much as possible. NO ONE, however--unless you are under 14 can register or be fingerprinted for you. Nor is it necessary to pay any person or group to assist you in registering. REGISTRATION IS ENTIRELY FREE. Beware of anyone who says he "can fix it" for you--ONLY YOU CAN REGISTER FOR YOU, otherwise, FINE, JAIL, or BOTH.

"Some aliens, apparently, are afraid that the information they furnish at registration may be used against them in an economic way. Let me assure you non-citizens on this score. The law provides that alien registration records be kept secret and confidential. This provision operates from the moment the registration information is given at the post offices. Nobody may examine these records without the express permission of the United States Attorney General. So far as possible private offices rather than public lobbies in our post offices will be made available for registration. The Postmasters will accept the registration information in the strictest confidence, as the law requires, and they will not investigate or cross-examine those who register."

CLEVELAND, OHIO, is always a font for Esperanto news. A large group of youthful gefervoruloj, filled with the right kind of enthusiasm, NOT of the evanescent type, (wildly enthusiastic for a short time, then seeking other fields) but goes on from year to year. Their big delegation to the Lima Congress added much interest by their several plays, and their general participation in the business sessions. July 14, they held a very successful picnic at the summer home of F-ino Jessie Scott at Valley City, where their songs and music vied with that of the birds through the woods around the cottage--Oh yes, they had refreshments. August 4, via the Lake Erie steamer "Eastern States" to Cedar Point. Their enjoyment was so interesting that officers and passengers wanted the formula. They were given keys and circulars (Clevelanders always carry a supply) and told that "If you want to be HAPPY learn Esperanto." August 15, another happy gathering at the home of F-ino Helen Binder in Mayfield Heights, with plays, songs and music--a "Muzaĵo Kunveno". (And here is a little item their chronicler modestly did not tell us about. The Cleveland Esperanto Ass'n contributed between \$20 and \$25 to the Zamenhof Fund. This is proof that their plays and picnics are not merely for fun-but for material advancement of something very dear to their hearts--the Esperanto movement.) They thank, very sincerely, all who turned in Tax Stamps in Lima.

Reports from several of the countries in, or dominated by war, indicate that Esperanto is holding its own: Japan, Hungary, Ireland, Baltics, New Zealand. VIVU ESPERANTO!

Esperanto Will Triumph

City Chapter Founder Visits

He's Happy About Growth Here

If Mussolini, instead of Hitler, were to conquer Europe, Esperanto might soon become the international language by an edict, R. M. Pease, New York City Esperantist, said here Tuesday.

"Hitler doesn't happen to be in the right frame of mind for it," he admitted. "He has banned the Esperanto clubs, I believe. But Mussolini is using it for propaganda."

Italy Gives Broadcasts

To prove his point, he pulled out a pamphlet sent out weekly from Italy giving in Esperanto, hours for Italian propaganda broadcasts in Esperanto. These are sent to every nation with Esperanto members, including South Africa.

Pease organized the Oklahoma City Esperanto chapter two years ago and he came back Tuesday to give "salutojn" (greetings) to about 150 members and to urge further expansion.

He is pretty happy about the progress his chapter has made. "I believe it's the second largest in North America," he said, confirming an item in New Yorker magazine which listed Oklahoma City as an Esperantist hotbed.

Is International Aid

Pease, an electrical engineer, thinks Esperanto is as useful as a fraternity brother's extra tie.

"Wireless code is international," he pointed out. "Music is recorded in international symbols, flag signals are international and medical terms are expressed in one language, Latin. We can't hope for international fellowship until nations can speak the same language."

It is practical for commercial use and for travelers who touch many countries and speak one language, he explained.

Speaks at Meeting

Esperantists in the east are trying to aid relatives of the founder of the language, the late Dr. L. L. Zamenhof, Pease said. He has a daughter, Lidia, who taught classes in New York, now living in Poland.



Miss Bernice Rayburn, president of the Oklahoma City Esperantist chapter, and R. M. Pease, New York, chapter organizer, examine greetings.

Besides being an Esperantist, Pease is a vegetarian, and a world peace advocate, which is why he corresponds in Esperanto with one stranger, a man who lives near the arctic circle in Sweden. His correspondent shares all these views.

At an informal meeting Tuesday night in the home of Miss Bernice Rayburn, president of the Oklahoma City chapter, 28 East Park place, Pease spoke. He is treasurer for the New York chapter and a member of the publicity and radio committee of North American Esperantist association.

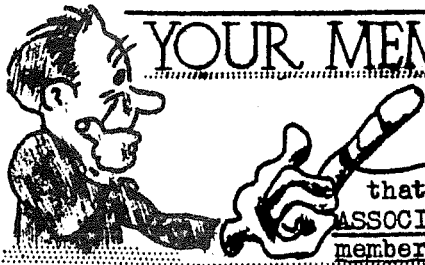
Fino Rayburn promesas, por la 1941 Kongreso: "Lokante centre, ni sentas, ke ni havas deligitajn el ĉiu angulo de Usono. Ankaŭ al ĉiuj, kiuj neniam jam vidis Oklahomon, ni esperas porti paradi niajn plej bonajn "Indianajn kabanajn, lankovrilajn kaj plunkapvestojn"

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Occasional copies of the Esperanto monthlies—"Revuo Orienta" from Japan with diversified news, and "Heroldo de Ĉinio", all war news, reach us.

TEO JUNG ESTAS VIVA KAJ SANA !!!

Nia Prezidanto Scherer ĵus ricevis leteron de nia amiko Teo Jung el Scheveningen, Nederlando. Li raportas ke li, liaj edzino kaj fileto estas sanaj...sed mankas al ili enspezoj. S-ro Jung esperas jam dum 1940 aperigi kelkajn pliajn numerojn de "HEROLDO DE ESPERANTO". La Esperantistoj en Nederlando klopodas daŭrigi la vivon de la Esperanto movado, ĉar la germana kontrolo ne estas tro severa, kaj permesas iom da libereco al la nederlanda popolo. Tamen nia amiko devas suferi pro neebleco aperigu la semajnan gazeton, kaj pro manko de mono. Ni ĉiuj esperas ke li kaj la multaj aliaj gesamideanoj en Nederlando travivos la militon, kaj ke baldaŭ ili povos denove labori por nia grandioza paciga mondlingvo. Lia letero datigis je la 5. junio kaj alvenis en Los Angeles je la 15. Aŭgusto.



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