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Philly Ukrainians Plan New Center

The Ukrainian American Citizens' Association of Philadelphia, at its monthly Board of Directors meeting held September 12, took another significant step forward in its plans to erect a new modern civic and sports center in the 800 block of Franklin Street, reports Dietric Slobogin.

By a unanimous vote the Board approved the plans designed by its architects, Francis, Cauffman, Pepper and Wilkinson for submission to the Philadelphia Redevelopment Authority for their approval. If the Club's plans are approved here and in Washington, they will acquire a plot of ground in the immediate vicinity of the 30,000 square feet they now occupy to encompass the entire city block bounded by Franklin, 7th, Parrish and Poplar Sts.

Present plans call for demolition of all buildings in this block with the exception of the spacious Ukrainian Hall itself. Included in the plans are facilities for basketball, soccer, softball, volley ball, tennis, bowling and swimming. The cost of the completed project could approximate one million dollars.

Razing of other buildings in the immediate neighborhood of the proposed new Ukrainian Center and construction of

park areas will enhance its location. One block away, the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral is further advanced in its negotiations for more area. This neighborhood, as many visitors will testify, was quite an eyesore for a number of years, but the City is doing quite a job in restoring this section to its rightful environment.

The Ukrainian American Citizens' Association feels that, with its location and proposed facilities, it will be able to revive the interest in Ukrainian American sports so prevalent here in the decade of the thirties. Then, as many will remember, teams and tournaments affiliated with the Ukrainian National Association, Ukrainian Youth's League of N. A. and the Ukrainian Catholic Youth brought much publicity to the Ukrainian name.

The UACA's executive committee undertaking this huge project consists of Michael Darmopray, resident; Philip Dubas, Vice-Pres.; Dietric Slobogin, Financial Secretary; Metro Pasiecznyk, Recording Secretary and Walter Borosiewicz, Treasurer. They are represented in legal negotiations with the Philadelphia Redevelopment Authority by a member of their Board of Directors, W. Thomas Darmapray, of the law firm of Hamilton, Smith and Darmopray.

PRaises THE U.C.C.A.

Below is the text of letter recently received by the Ukrainian Congress Committee of America from an American-born citizen of Ukrainian descent written on the occasion of his contribution to the U.N.Fund of the UCCA:

"Enclosed is twenty dollars (\$20) in cash for your worthy and commendable organization.

"I am sorry that I have been demiss in my donations. Although I am American-born, I am proud and happy to give towards this great organization. I think it raises the prestige of us Ukrainians and makes us worthy of the name Ukrainian-Americans.

"God Bless you and help you. Theodore Blech, Warren, O."

Governor Meyner Congratulates Commissioner Wagner



New Jersey Governor Meyner and Commissioner Wagner

Hudson County Tax Commissioner Marcel E. Wagner, the well known Ukrainian Democratic leader of Jersey City, was congratulated by Governor Meyner after he was sworn into office last week.

Governor Meyner has shown his high regard for the Ukrainian people on many occasions. He was the first Governor of New Jersey to proclaim January 22nd Ukrainian Independence Day. He has issued proclamations during the past three years and this year directed that the blue and gold national emblem of Ukraine be displayed on the State House in Trenton.

UKRAINIAN STRING BAND WINS FIRST PRIZE

In parade, August 8, 1957 the Ukrainian American String Band won first prize in the music division of the Ocean City (New Jersey) Baby Parade.

The UASB is but ten years old and is making much progress among non-Ukrainians.

UASB Played in Miss America Pageant

The Ukrainian American String Band of Philadelphia under the direction of Captain Edward Wolfe (Wovik-Wolchinsky) played in the Boardwalk parade of the Miss America Pageant at Atlantic City, New Jersey.

This is the first year that the UASB had the signal honor of appearing in such an important event. All Ukrainians are proud of this honor. The UASB have a six year contract with the pageant committee for future performances.

D. B. L.

Future Performances of UASB for 1957

General Pulaski Day, Philadelphia, Pa.; Gimbel Brothers Thanksgiving Day Parade, Philadelphia, Pa.; Holy Name Parade, Elizabeth, N. J.; Veterans Hospital, 39th and Woodland Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

Officers of the Ukrainian American String Band for 1957

Stanley E. Wolf Sr., President; Stanley E. Wolf Jr., 1st Vice-President; Clayton Long, 2nd Vice-President; Leo Winosky, Secretary; Joseph Agular, Treasurer; Edward Wolfe, Music Director; Phillip Prince, Drill Master; Stanley Pempowski, Sergeant-at-arms;

Hartford Soccer Team Beats Newark's Team at the Soyuzivka Matches

The opening of soccer competition at the "Soyuzivka," the famed mountain resort of the Ukrainian National Association, located near Kerhonkson, N. Y., took place during the past weekend.

Competing were the Ukrainian Sports Club team of Hartford, Conn., and the Chornonorska Sitch team of Newark, N. J. Score: 7-3.

Referee was Roman Lysiak of New York City.

The volleyball tournament for the championship of the Ukrainian Sports Clubs Association (Eastern States of the USA) and Ukrainian National Association cup was won by "Tryzub" (Philadelphia Ukrainians) with 3:1 games and

7:4 sets. They were followed by "Dowbush" (New Haven) 3:1, (7:4), "Nioman" (Bielorussian, South River) 2:2 (6:5) USC (New York) 2:2 (8:6), and "Berkut" (Perth Amboy) 0:4 (1:8)

Because of the tie in points and sets the deciding final game (one set only) was played between "Tryzub" and "Dowbush" with the first one winning by the score 15:11.

The tournament was officiated by R. Swystun, Volleyball section manager of the UASCA (east), T. Hrycay, Sports Manager of UASCA, Dr. G. Swort, referee of the U.S. Volleyball Association and Managers of the teams participating.

Ukrainian Theatre of America Launches Season with "The Princess and the Pea"

As the first offering of the 1957-1958 Ukrainian theatrical season in New York, Joseph Hirniak, Director of the Ukrainian Theatre in America presented his company in a delightful musical travesty of the Fairy-Tale "The Princess and the Pea," written by Robert Bjorkner, translated into Ukrainian by V. Sofron-Levytsky. The brilliant original musical score by famed composer Mykola Fompenko was performed by members of the Music Studio of the UTA.

Well received by an enthusiastic audience at each of its presentations on Saturday and Sunday, September 14 and 15, the play gained further impressiveness from the original stage settings and beautiful costumes created by Olha Dydnyuk.

Olympia Dobrowolska, well-known Ukrainian dramatic coach and stage director, gained new laurels for presenting her beautifully coached troupe in this comedy-version of the fairy-tale familiar to children in the audience and given a charming burlesque treatment to the delight of the elders present.

Narrator for the play was the beloved stage veteran Joseph Hirniak. Appearing as the Princess was Lydia Krushelnitska. J. Shuha assayed the role of the young Prince, W. Zmiy, the doctor, M. Yablonsky, the servant, D. Serna, the Prince, L. Malinovich, the young princess, O. Kirichenko the little brother and A. Derlycia the Lady-in-waiting.

The play "The Princess and the Pea," considered a "must" both for children and adult as it is staged by the UTA, will be presented in other cities.

Mr. Michael Hamalak, member of Branch 435 of the Ukrainian National Association, has been elected President of the New York State Bowling Proprietors Association, Inc. Mr. Hamalak, of 43-39 32nd Place, Long Island City, N. Y., has long been active in Ukrainian American sport activities, particularly bowling.

He is the owner of the Hamalak Bowling Center, a 10 alleys establishment in Sunnyside, L. I., as well as the 28 alleys place in Long Island City (Queens Bowling Center). He has also been engaged for many years in a successful sporting goods and trophy business.

At present, he is busy in organizing a Ukrainian Bowling League. Clubs and individuals in joining the League should contact Mr. Hamalak at the above address.

PHILADELPHIA UKRAINIANS OPEN SEASON

The Philadelphia Ukrainians opened their season as members of the American Soccer League on September 15th by playing in Elizabeth, N. J. with the Polish Falcons in the opening round of the Lewis Silver Trophy competition.

The Ukrainians inaugurated their debut with an impressive 4 to 1 victory over the Falcons before over 1,000 fans. It was a great game and many Ukrainians from New York City and Jersey burghs came to see and cheer the Philadelphians

String Band Headquarters, 706-08 N. 23rd Str., Philadelphia 30, Pa. The band is a non-profit organization. There are no dues. Just cooperation. Costumes and equipment other than musical instruments are paid for by the band. Funds are obtained by donations, street parades, party nights, street collections and concerts. Those males who wish to give a tryout are welcome to come and visit any Monday night. Girls and women may join the auxiliary.

I Am AN American Day in Chicago

On Sunday, September 15th, hundreds of thousands of Chicagoans celebrated "I Am An American Day" with patriotic parades, rallies, and other activities.

Ukrainian participation played a major role in making this day, sponsored by one of Chicago's foremost newspapers, "The Chicago American," a tremendous success.

The magnificent Ukrainian display of American patriotism was in the form of a gigantic Parade (some 20,000 marchers), and was organized by the "League of Americans of Ukrainian Descent" prominent Ukrainian American Civic and welfare organizations, capably presided over by the energetic John Duzansky.

Grand Marshal of the parade was Peter Shyan, the very active American of Ukrainian descent from the St. Nicholas Catholic Church Holy Name Society.

Leading the parade were the 2nd district colors of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (V.F.W.) commanded by Edward Dampz, followed by the colorful Windy City Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps. Then came the V.F.W. 2nd district commander and staff smartly parading ahead of the Kosowitz Levankoe Post 9420 and Ladies Auxiliary and the Iwaschuk Cetwinsky Post 943 and their Ladies Auxiliary.

Next came the Boy Scouts of America troop 63, and the League of Americans of Ukrainian Descent honorable guests.

The thousands of onlookers lining both sides of the line of march were thrilled by the inspirational music of the Ukrainian American Youth Association (S.U.M.A.) marching band led by drum major Peter Pytel and directed by the popular Capt. John H. Barabash.

John Piznak, 88, Dies; Father of UNA Vice-President

Grief has again engulfed the family of Mr. Michael Piznak, Supreme Vice President of the Ukrainian National Association, and counsellor-at-law of New York City.

His father, Mr. John Piznak died, at the age of 88, last Monday night, September 16, after undergoing a serious operation, in Montclair, N. J. hospital.

His mother, Mrs. Julia Piznak, 74, died of a heart ailment on August 14 last, just about a month ago.

Manor College Faculty Enlarged By Four

When the fall term opens at Manor College, Fox Chase, Pa. on Wednesday, September 25, the teaching staff will be augmented by four new faculty members.

According to Sister M. Olga, OSEM, Dean and Registrar, Rev. Thomas Mundy, Professor at St. Charles Baromeo Seminary will teach religion; Rev. William J. J. O'Donnell (St. Dominic's Parish) who has done post-graduate work at St. Charles Seminary and Villanova University, Philosophy and Religion; Sister Lawrence, former principal of Holy Ghost School in Chester, Pa., English; and Miss Weaver, more than 30 years teaching experience, Business Administration.

The highlight of a 3-day program before resumption of formal studies will be the Holy Ghost on Tuesday, September 24, in the Chapel of Christ the King. Celebrant of the mass will be Rev. Joseph J. Fedorek, pastor of Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in West Philadelphia. After mass breakfast will be served to the entire student body.

On Sunday, September 22, the recently organized student council will welcome the new resident students among whom will be five Ukrainian Freshmen: Miss Martha Sharaneyevch, daughter of Rev. Emile Sharaneyevch, Protection of Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Troy, N. Y.; the Misses Nadia Clark and Dolores Shopa, Immaculate Conception Cathedral, Philadelphia; Miss Mary Ann Okpysh, St. George Church, New York City; Miss Catherine Nazar, St. John the Baptist Church, Newark, N. J.

and cheered hundreds of members of the SUMA parading by.

As the parade continued, one could see the Ukrainian Scouts "Plast," children from the St. Nicholas Catholic School dressed in gay and colorful Ukrainian costumes, the St. Nicholas Holy Name Society, the St. Nicholas Church Choir, and other St. Nicholas Catholic Church organizations.

As the parade marched on... one could see hundreds of members of the St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral, and their many Ukrainian Orthodox organizations. Their children dressed in colorful Ukrainian costumes... Parishoners from the St. Sophia Ukrainian Orthodox Church... followed by members of their Ukrainian Orthodox organizations.

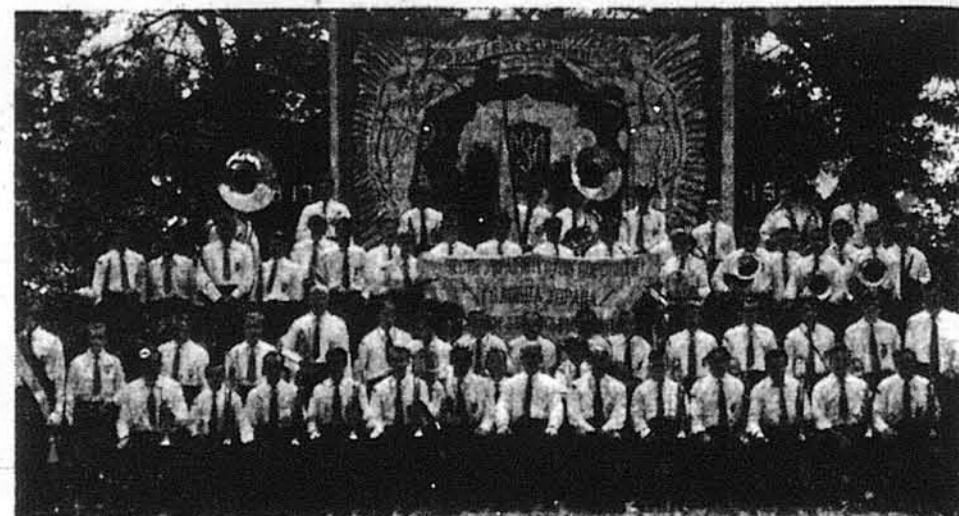
The Ukrainian National Association (UNA) branches, led by Taras Shpikula, passed in review, followed by members of the Ukrainian Providence Association, Women from the Ukrainian National Women's League of America Branch 22, led by their president Mrs. Rose Sydorik, marched by... and as the parade neared its end one could see what appeared to be the balance of Chicago's Ukrainian population... The Ukrainian American Club... other Ukrainian organizations... and to top the success of the "I Am An American Day" parade... thousands of Americans who had watched the parade from the sidelines, left the sidewalks and joined in the parade.

The parade was over... but not the spirit... for all to who took part in the parade... every day will forever remain a "I Am An American Day".

A. Romanluk

Parastas and Panakhida services for the late father were held last Thursday evening at the Beekman Chapel. Funeral services were held yesterday morning at the St. George's Ukrainian Catholic Church in New York.

The deceased parents are survived by their five sons: Michael, the eldest, John, also an attorney, Gregory, a businessman, Nicholas, an accountant, Walter, an engineer; and also by five daughters-in-law and five grandchildren.



THE CHICAGO SUMA BAND, DIRECTED BY CAPTAIN JOHN H. BARABASH



Miss Dzwinka Krawciw

"Miss Soyuzivka 1958" elected at last Saturday's gala event held at the UNA Estate, near Kerhonkson, N. Y.

A REPORT OF THE FIRST HALF OF THE U.N.A. PRE-CONVENTION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

By YAROSLAV PADOCH

The end of June marked the close of the first six months of the Ukrainian National Association Pre-Convention Membership Drive...

roving organizers, still the burden of gaining new members for it rests primarily on the shoulders today, as it has always in the past, of its Branches. Officers of these Branches, which now number 495, particularly their secretaries and presidents, constitute that foundation upon

which is built the strength and progress of the Ukrainian National Association. At the same time, upon the degree of their activity rests the success of the pre-convention membership drive.

Here is an over-all picture of the results attained during the first half year of the drive:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Count. Includes 'Did not gain even one new member', 'Did not attain their first half-year quota', etc.

The above table shows that 44% of our Branches were absolutely inactive in the drive, ignoring completely the importance of enlisting at this time new members into the UNA...

Branches there are some who can give good reason why they were unable to get new members; but among them, too, there are many which surely had a real opportunity to fulfill their responsibility, but did not.

This failure on their part, however, is counterbalanced by the success of the remaining 30% of the Branches, of those 111 in number which fully reached their quotas for first half year. Of the remaining 8% of the Branches, 10 Branches reached their quota

for the full year, while 28 Branches went above it, and, in some cases to quite an extent. Thus the brunt of the drive was borne by this 30% of the number of UNA Branches. For this they deserve great credit.

Most worthy of commendation in this first half of the UNA membership drive are those Branches which attained it and those which went above in a comparatively short time. Their Branch numbers, together with the names of their presidents and secretaries constitute a veritable Honor Roll.

U.N.A. HONOR ROLL

Table with 5 columns: No. Br., President, Secretary, Locality, Quota, Organized, Over-Quota. Lists various branches and their leaders.

This Honor Roll does not include each and everyone who deserves credit for gaining new members for the UNA. Not listed in it are several large Branches whose quotas were set high, but which as yet have not yet been able to make the grade, despite their best efforts.

Chicago, with its quota of 76, Branch 379 of Chicago, quota 70, Branch 361 of New York City, quota 61. All of these Branches have enrolled many new members, and in due time undoubtedly will soon reach and pass their quotas.

The real Branch champions of first half of our campaign can be placed into two categories. The first is composed of those who have gained the largest number of members;

Table with 3 columns: Branch, City, Enrolled. Lists Chicago, Philadelphia, Toronto, Omaha.

Table with 5 columns: Branch, City, Quota, Enrolled, Percent. Lists Lincoln, Neb., Washington, D.C., etc.

An old Ukrainian proverb says: "The end achieved is praiseworthy of a good deed." It is worth reminding our U. N. A. membership drive workers of this proverb, also those who have thus far have not done their duty, but who should, nevertheless, not lose heart but keep on plugging away.

from over, and they have plenty of opportunity of winning over all other competing branches. It should be remembered also by those who have risen to the top in getting new members for our organization, but who should not, because of it, rest on their laurels; on the contrary, they should redouble their efforts, and thereby retain their lead.

UKRAINIAN YOUTH NEWS

By ALEXANDER F. DANKO

UYL-NA CORNER

With the fine Detroit Convention held 3 weeks ago just a fond memory now, it behooves all of us, the National Executive Board and the entire Ukrainian Youth grass-roots, to "get on the ball" and work together for maximum results.

Several new faces have been added to the roster and high hopes are held for an even bigger and better all-around varied season of lectures, concerts, festivals, dances, picnics, outings, athletics, etc. in the NJ-UYL orbit.

Any Ukrainian Youth wishing to join us are more than welcome to do so. We meet each Sunday evening at 6 P.M. or so at the Hy-Way Bowl on Rt. No. 22 in Union, N. J., so come out and make yourselves known to us.

Incidentally, the NJ-UYL has deferred in favor of Scranton, Pa. (and it's fine Ukrainian Community Center) bidding for the 1958 UYL-NA Sports Rally.

The NJ-UYL has set up Saturday evening May 3, 1958 for a gigantic Spring Dance in Carteret, N. J. that should be a real treat.

The very active New Jersey UYL started its 4th annual season last Sunday September 15 after a practice session the previous Sunday.

WINGS OF LIFE

On October 15, Rev. John Hundiak will celebrate his 25th anniversary as pastor of St. Demetrius Ukrainian Orthodox Church and under his guidance it has been one of the most progressive parishes in the borough.

Father Hundiak has the sort of a job which has no lobby in Congress, is unprotected by wage and hour laws, is taken for granted by many and under-estimated by few.

Like clergymen of most faiths, Father Hundiak is far more than a preacher who spends the week between Sundays creating sermons. He works seven days a week, keeping the unpredictable hours of a country doctor, using the energy of a mail carrier and the stamina of an Olympian.

He needs to be a part-time psychologist, corporate administrator, sociologist, personal counsellor, financier, fund raiser and exemplary pillar of the community.

To sum it up: During the first half of our UNA Pre-Convention Membership Drive, 40% of its goal was attained. During this second half of it, not only 60% but an even higher percentage of new membership should definitely be attained, one well past the 75,000 mark set as the goal of the drive.

Answer: There are several books which might be helpful. One of them, "Life in America," may be purchased from the Common Council for American Unity, 20 West 40th St., New York 18, N.Y., for 50 cents.

Smuggle Record Calls For Soviet Rebellion

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difficult period, that we were alone, that we had seen a lot of war, that we have to support many countries. Aid is all right, but first of all they should realize that people who create material wealth with their own hands should have something, that they should have humane living conditions.

The student then apologized for presenting his thoughts in a disorderly, impromptu fashion. He continued: "It is difficult for me to tell you everything at once. But I am able to tell you what is on my mind right now."

"I am not a renegade, as they are called in the Soviet Union, or anything like that. I am an average Soviet student, an ordinary person with average needs and desires. But I cannot think about these things until the people of my country, living under such conditions as they do, are freed from all this. The people have a hard lot. Perhaps we students are better off. After all, we (laughing) represent some sort of intelligentsia. What kind of intelligentsia is this? It is an intelligentsia which prostitutes itself for money, which sells itself for a piece of bread, and perhaps even for less."

"The Almighty Ruble"

"What pursuits do Soviet students engage in? They study, of course, but they also look for entertainment, and go so far that they live only for money or only in search for the almighty ruble. They often get off on a very bad road."

"They engage in black market activities, in various activities which are very evil morally. But what can they do? They have no other choice. That's all they can do, because it's very hard. I would even say impossible, for people who don't have a party card to have a quiet normal life in Soviet Russia."

The student said that many of his friends live in fear of being sent to prison or to concentration camps.

"It is very difficult for those students who know or think about what is going on. They are not few in number. They will always sincerely desire an improvement of life in Russia. They will always be on the side of those who stand for justice, for a free life, for honest labor, for a peace life, for academic freedom, for a situation where people can study the things and do the work that they themselves choose and where people can live without fear of being sent to Lubjanka or some other place like it, or without fear of being taken on a one-way trip beyond the borders of the European part of Soviet Russia."

He added with a bitter laugh: "Asia and Siberia are so large that there is plenty of room there. As a result, 10 per cent of the 200,000,000 population in this socialist country live in concentration camps, in jails and prison."

However, the student said that the Soviet peoples will some day take courage.

Sees Better Days

"As far as political problems are concerned, people prefer to discuss them on the quiet and only with their closest friends. Well, I think that there will be a time when they will stop whispering and will have the courage to speak out boldly. Then they will say that they refuse to be any longer under the thumb of Communist propaganda."

He made the following estimate of the degree of popularity enjoyed by the Soviet regime:

"The people can be subdivided as follows: Some 5 per cent represent the regime quite selflessly—they are Communists who believe in everything, who believe in a bright future. Some 2 per cent are various officials who stand behind the regime, who depend on it directly, and who are well paid. And the rest, some 10 per cent are people who absolutely disagree with the Soviet government, who believe and hope that all this will end soon. The rest is made up of what we call the average, gray mass, which hesitates, depending in the circumstances."

U.N.A. BOWLING LEAGUE NEWS

UKRAINIAN CENTER KEGLERS BOW TO BROTHERHOOD FIVE

By STEPHEN KURLAK

The second tourney held by the U.N.A. Bowling League of New Jersey on Friday, September 13th, saw the Ukrainian Center team lose two games out of three to the Brotherhood of the Holy Ascension quintet.

The "brothers" scored a good series of three games—825, 822 and 824—for a total of 2,471 pins, which was the third highest for the night. J. Merosky and new-comer Pete Molinsky were the inspiring "brothers" with sets of 547 and 505, respectively.

The best team results of the evening were a three-game series of 2,565 pins, registered by the Ukrainian American Vets group, which also included the highest single game total of 894 pins. With these scores, the Vets, led by Pete Struck, who registered the night's highest single game and series with pinfalls of 223 and 616, respectively, were able to make a clean sweep of three games over the First Ukrainian P.M.O. team. The latter group has not even won a single game of the six played thus far.

Two other teams appear in the blank score column as a result of that Friday's matches. The "junior" St. John's C.W.V. quintet, which again finds itself in the league "cellar," lost three games to the powerful Ukrainian Stich bowlers, whose series of 2,544 pins was second highest for the night and whose single game of 865 pins also was second highest. Stichmen John Watson and William Pera came up with the second highest individual scores, the former with a series of 561 pins, the latter with a single game total of 221 pins.

The new St. John's Holy Name Society aggregation was blanked in its match with the "senior" St. John's C.W.V. quintet, while the bowlers from the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Newark split their wins two to one with the Ukrainian Y.W.C. five.

UKRAINIAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION LEAGUE TEAM STANDINGS

Table with 5 columns: Team, Won, Lost, High 3 G's, Total Pins, Avg. Lists various teams and their performance.

20 Years Honoring His Holy Name In Jersey City

1949

The same officers were voted to serve in 1949 and with Mr. Procyk Jr. guiding the SS. Peter and Paul Holy Name Society in Jersey City, N. J., many noteworthy events transpired during the year. Also the following three members were honored to serve on the National Board of the U.C.Y.L. USA, specifically: Michael Pazdrey, 2nd Vice-President; Michael Tizio, Secretary; and John Zulinski Pr. as Director.

The annual Spring Dance, held on May 14, 1949 at the Ukrainian Center, Fleet St. was very successful. Noted in attendance were many new found friends from Newark, N. J., Brooklyn, N. Y. and New York City from the U.C.Y.L. Metropolitan Council.

On July 31, 1949, a softball series was initiated with the Brooklyn Tridents from St. Nicholas Parish who traveled to Jersey City for the first game at Lafayette Park. After the game, a social at the Church Hall concluded an active Sports Day for all enthusiasts from both inter-city groups; which event was to be repeated a number of years to come.

On July 31, the first annual Bus-Ride was sponsored for the Parish Holy Name men and their families with Michael Pacala, as Chairman. Everyone spent a nice day enjoying the facilities of the Pasack Valley Swimming Club, the mystery destination of the day, as arranged.

The SS. Peter and Paul Parochial School was officially dedicated on Sunday August 28, 1949, as planned. The large committee who worked on this long deferred project was composed mostly of members from the Holy Name Society; who were advised and encouraged at every turn by their Spiritual Moderator, Rev. Joseph L. Shaloka.

The solemn Blessing took place at 1 P.M. and was administered by The Most Rev. Archbishop Constantine Bohachevsky, S.T.D., Apostolic Exarch of Philadelphia, U.S.A., while the Moleben service was celebrated at 4 P.M. before all the Faithful.

opening of an all day parochial school, which made a dream become a reality. All of this became possible through the untiring efforts of the late Pastor, Very Rev. W. Lotowycz and the Holy Name Society membership, all of whom never were discouraged, despite many obstacles before the goal was realized.

Also, for the first time in the history of the Parish, the SS. Peter and Paul Holy Name Society participated in the Jersey City Holy Name Parade on Sunday October 9, 1949. This organized annual demonstration is a coordinated public display by all Holy Name men of their devoted loyalty and continued Faith in our Saviour, Jesus Christ. The St. George Drum and Bugle Corp of New York City provided the martial airs for the well represented Parish unit and drew many favorable comments for a fine performance. In addition, Mr. Hoffman, an official of the Hudson County Holy Name Federation, honored the first Ukrainian Catholic contingent in the Parade, by marching with the official staff that was headed by John Chomen, in the capacity of Marshal.

The officers of the Society were tendered a surprise dinner at the Rustic Cabin on September 29, 1949 in appreciation for their full effort voluntarily offered in behalf of the Parish. Many friends of the Society from the metropolitan U.C.Y.L. Council attended this function, at which each officer was presented with a token of esteem.

On Nov. 13, 1949 a Chalice and Ciborium were presented to the SS. Peter and Paul Parish in recognition of the active part assumed by the only Ukrainian Catholic delegates to the Hudson County Federation.

This was the first time that this honor was ever conferred on a non-Latin rite Parish.

A memorial "Panakheda" service was celebrated on Nov. 20, as requested by the Holy Name Society honoring the Ukrainian heroes, who had made the supreme sacrifice for an independent Ukraine in 1919.

The annual Christmas Toy Drive was initiated at the Dec. 15, 1949 St. Nicholas Feast Day commemoration, under the chairmanship of Stephen J. Magura, in order to raise funds for the benefit of our orphans in Phila., Pa. This charitable deed was sponsored, in addition to the \$675.00 that had already been donated to worthy causes during 1949 by the SS. Peter and Paul Holy Name Society.

FIRST ANNUAL FALL DANCE

Sponsored by the (GARDEN STATE COUNCIL) OF THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH LEAGUE OF THE U. S. SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1957 AT BETHLEN HALL CARTERET, N. J. Music by THE K-DETS POLKA ORCHESTRA Dancing from 8:00 P. M. till ? This Ticket and \$1.00 Donation will Admit One.

РОЗШУЄШ

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