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## Ukrainian American Congress Opposes Visit of Khrushchev To The United States

NEW YORK. — The acceptance by the United States and its Western allies of Khrushchev's proposal to hold an emergency "summit" meeting within the U.N. Security Council in New York constitutes one of the major defeats suffered by the Western nations in the last few years.

This is the considered opinion of the Ukrainian American Congress Committee of America, a national anti-communist American organization representing over a million and a half Americans of Ukrainian origin and descent.

Although the immediate reason for the emergency meeting of the heads of the major powers is to be the alleged Russian desire to settle the Middle East crisis resulting from the Moscow-inspired and Nasser manipulated coup d'état in Iraq and the subsequent reaction of the United States and Great Britain in Lebanon and Jordan respectively, the real cause of the Russian communist stampede lies in Russian maneuvers and manipulations to achieve such a "summit" meeting at this time and on the terms dictated by the Kremlin. Such a meeting now, Moscow thinks, would greatly enhance its worldwide prestige and political power. That the Russians do not want an amicable settlement of the Middle East crisis was patently demonstrated by their scandalous behavior during the recent debate in the United Nations, during which Khrushchev's minion Arkady Sobolev cast two vetoes against the American and Japanese resolutions which called for a swift solution of the crisis in the Middle East. Moscow killed a great opportunity not only to contribute to the peaceful settlement of the crisis itself, but also to prove once and for all the desire of Moscow for a genuine world peace.

### What Russian Leaders Hope For

Thus the Russian propaganda campaign to have a "summit" meeting whereby the Russian leaders hope to extract from the Western statesmen a recognition of the Russian occupation of the nations of Central and Eastern Europe and Asia, becomes now a frightful reality. We fully and regrettably realize that both President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles had been forced by pressure from our allies, especially Great Britain and Canada, not to reject Khrushchev's proposal to have such an emergency "summit" meeting now. They yielded for the sake of allied unity.

Inasmuch as the meeting has already been scheduled and since apparently there is no other way out but to sit with the bloody Russian dictator, some warnings to our American statesmen are in order.

Above all, we should not allow the Russians to reduce the proceedings to a propaganda show, which is all they really desire. Moreover, the Agenda of the "summit" meeting should not be limited to discussions of the Middle East problems exclusively, but it

should be extended to cover a whole series of pertinent problems which are in a way toward a peaceful settlement of world affairs.

The matter of the Russian occupation of Hungary should be high on the agenda of the "summit" meeting. The United Nations Resolution calling for the withdrawal of the Soviet troops from Hungary was never implemented. Now the Western leaders would have a unique opportunity to demand of Khrushchev that the U.N. Resolution be carried out without delay.

### A Topic for the "Summit" Agenda

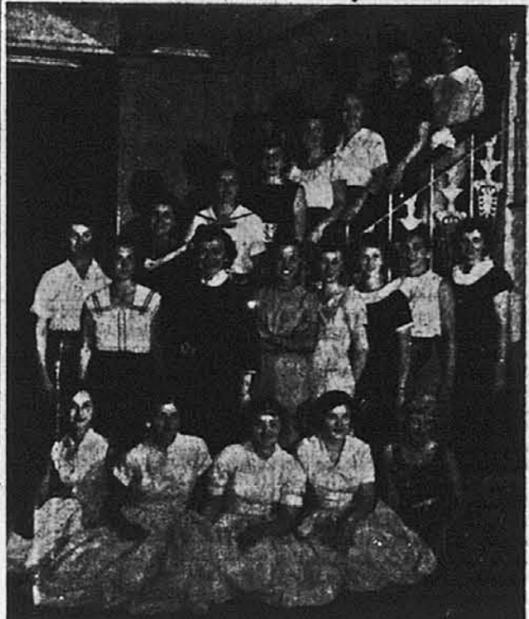
Furthermore, the Russian domination of Central and Eastern European countries should also be included in the "summit" agenda. Despite the alleged "liberalization" of the communist system in Eastern Europe, Moscow continues to exercise an iron hold on the captive nations. The best and most eloquent example of this control is the brutal execution of Imre Nagy and Gen. Pol Maletier, leaders of the Hungarian revolution, who were fraudulently given pledges of safety and free return if they surrender. The Russian pressure in Poland, Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Bulgaria and Albania has been strengthened in the last few months.

Moreover, the present Soviet government under Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev continues to implement and apply Stalinist policies with respect to the non-Russian nations in the USSR, especially in Ukraine, Byelorussia and the Caucasian nations of Georgia, Armenia and Azerbaijan, where the policies of Russification, national and religious persecution continue unabated.

It would be in the interest of the United States to have these problems thoroughly discussed at the "summit" meeting. Khrushchev will certainly lose no opportunity in attacking the United States and British "aggressions" in the Middle East. It is our hope that President Eisenhower, Prime Minister Harold Macmillan and other Western statesmen will not be stampeded to a defensive position by Khrushchev, when and if they meet with him. The only way of avoiding such a predicament would be to wrest from him the initiative by attacking Communist Russia for her relentless and heinous persecution and enslavement of the captive non-Russian nations of Europe and Asia.

Finally, the Western participants of the "summit" meeting should realize who Nikita S. Khrushchev is. He is a ruthless killer, a man with unlimited use of brute force. He was greatly responsible for the persecution of the Ukrainian people, when he was the persecutor of the Ukrainian people, when he was the persecutor of the Ukrainian people, when he was a trusted emissary of Stalin. He liquidated both the Communist and non-Communist Ukrainians; he sent thousands of the fighters of the Ukrainian Insurgent (Concluded on page 3)

## UYL-NA Convention Committee Set For Labor Day Weekend



REGISTRATION COMMITTEE OF THE UYL-NA SILVER ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE, 1958, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

The Ukrainian Youth's League of North America Silver Anniversary Convention Committee met Saturday night July 19 at the Parma Savings Bank meeting room, and discussed the various projects being undertaken by the different committees.

Chairman Terry Szmagala appointed a committee to select the Ohio State League entry in the "Miss Ukraine" contest which is being directed by Michael Bochar. It was reported that Canada has quite a few entries and that UYL-NA members there are busy selecting their representative. Each of the UYL-NA districts should pitch in and select their entry for the final judging. Photographs of the entrant should be sent to Michael Bochar.

Dorothy Olen and Michael Zadercky informed the group attending the meeting that the Convention Concert program is being completed, and that final negotiations will take place this week.

Choruses, dancers, and soloists will take part in the Cultural event of the weekend celebration.

This concert is being sponsored by the UYL-NA Foundation. It will take place in the Hanna Theatre.

It was announced that Dr. Sas-Yaworsky would be in Cleveland to receive the Professional Society's "Man-of-the-Year" Award, and that he has also accepted an invitation from the Banquet committee to be an honored guest with "mama" at the "President's Banquet."

John Bilobran, reporting

for the Yearbook Committee, asked that more effort be expended for convention book "Booster" listings. The response from Ohio has been good, but only fair from the outlying districts. Get your boosters in now, to Bill Mural, 6402 W. Ridgewood Drive, Parma, Ohio.

Mr. Chester Manasterski, President of the Ukrainian Professional Society of North America, visited the meeting and spoke on the convention plans of the Society. Mr. Manasterski told the group he is expecting a good turnout for the 25th Anniversary Celebration of the Society, which meets each year in conjunction with the UYL-NA Convention.

Miss Mary Eukartyk reported that she has received registrations but that she was a little disappointed that there weren't more. She was happy to hear that her present number of registrations was considered quite good, considering the fact that they were received during July. Won't you cheer Mary up by sitting down and sending in your registration card and your check as soon as possible. Send it before August 13th and get a chance on the G. E. Personal Portable TV Set which will be given to a lucky "early bird" registrant. Her address is 3884 West 23rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

The meeting was adjourned after selecting Sunday, August 17, as the next meeting date with a combination picnic and meeting being planned.

Eugene Woloshyn

## Ukrainian Headed for Missile Career

A rare opportunity has been offered to a Rochester Ukrainian who came to this country a few short years ago. Lubomyr Zobniw, a high school senior, and a member of branch 367 of the Ukrainian National Association has been named along with three other youths to a trainee course in engineering at the Redstone Arsenal Ballistic Center at Huntsville, Alabama, reports William Popowych.

Lubomyr being 17 years of age and very scientific minded will leave Rochester to be interviewed by Dr. Wernher von Braun, America's leading missile expert, and Gen. John B. Medaris, chief of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency. If successful in the interview, Lubomyr will work with Dr. Von Braun for four summers. When he graduates from col-

lege he will be credited with two full years experience in the missile engineering and have the opportunity to continue full time in the Army missile program. In addition to the opportunity given the youths, they will make a 1,850 mile tour of the south.

This is the first time that boys from the northern part of the country have been given such an opportunity. It is indeed a satisfying feeling to know that one of the boys is a Ukrainian.

Talent seems to run in the family, for a few years ago his sister Irene had won a scholarship for college entrance. Mr. Zobniw himself is an engineer and it is gratifying to see that his son is taking after him. All his friends wish young Lubomyr all the luck in that he may pass the interview with flying colors.

## Feighan Urges President To Declare Menshikov Persona Non Grata

Congressman Michael Feighan of Ohio submitted on July 15, 1958 to the 85th Congress, 2nd Session, a concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 362), which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and which called on President Eisenhower to declare Michail I. Menshikov, Ambassador of the Union of the Soviet Socialist Republics to the United States, as persona non grata.

In essence, the Resolution declared that Ambassador Menshikov has violated the prescribed norms of diplomatic conduct by engaging in a long series of deliberate acts of propaganda calculated to cause dissension and political disunity on the American scene and to cast false doubts upon the peaceful intentions of the Government of the United States, and therefore should be forthwith declared persona non grata by President Eisenhower.

The Resolution reads as follows:—

Whereas the Government of the United States has, in accordance with longstanding precedents, accepted the credentials of Michail I. Menshikov as Ambassador of the United States; and

Whereas the diplomatic accrediting of Ambassador Menshikov carries with it certain prescribed norms of conduct developed by civilized nations over the centuries; and

Whereas such prescribed norms of diplomatic conduct are accepted by all civilized nations and govern the activities of their accredited representatives; and

Whereas Russian Ambassador Menshikov has done violence to the prescribed norms of diplomatic conduct by a long series of willful and deliberate activities, among which have been:

(a) Spreading palpable lies through the use of American television, radio, and other public forums for the purpose of causing dissension and political disunity on the American scene.

(b) Contemptuously disregarding the Office of the

President of the United States and the Secretary of State, the prescribed channels for all official communications emanating from Moscow, by making a direct appeal to the Congress in a calculated effort to prevent military assistance being extended to the free and democratic Federal Republic of Germany which, as a member of North Atlantic Treaty Organization, has assumed large responsibilities for preventing war and defending human freedom.

(c) Casting false doubts upon the peaceful intentions of the United States toward the other nations of the world by the public use of sly inferences, omissions, and misrepresentations of well-known policies and practices of the Government of the United States.

(d) Spreading insidious Russian propaganda with respect to conditions of life behind the Iron Curtain, particularly in regard to Russian jamming of the Voice of America, the denial of basic human rights, and the absence of free elections; and

Whereas the Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs, speaking officially for the Department, has invited public attention to the false propaganda activities of Ambassador Menshikov and condemned such activities; and

Whereas long standing diplomatic practice holds that when an accredited diplomat willfully engages in activities which impair or threaten the interests of the host state, his recall is requested; Now, therefore, be it:

Resolved, That it is the sense of Congress that Ambassador Menshikov has violated the prescribed norms of diplomatic conduct by engaging in a long series of deliberate acts of propaganda calculated to cause dissension and political disunity on the American scene and to cast false doubts upon the peaceful intentions of the Government of the United States, and therefore should be forthwith declared persona non grata by President Eisenhower.

## Ukrainian Engineers' Society To Hold Second Convention

The Second Convention of the Ukrainian Engineers' Society of North America will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 30 and 31, in New York City.

Business and forum sessions will be held at the Ukrainian Institute of America, 2 East 79th street.

The convention banquet will be held at the Hotel New Yorker, 34th street and 8th avenue, Saturday evening, 8 p.m. A ball, at 10 p.m., follows the banquet.

Program listed is the following:

Saturday, August 30, 1959, 1 p.m., the Ukrainian Institute of America hall will be the registration place of the convention and its deliberations opening with the election of the presidium, and the various convention committees, followed by reports of the officers of the organization and discussion thereon.

The convention will observe in proper fashion the 60th anniversary of the founding of the Kiev Polytechnical Institute, and the 60th anniversary of the establishment of the Ukrainian Students Lviv Polytechnical Society "Osnowa."

Prof. M. W. Podrutsky will address the gathering. His topic will be "The 60th Anniversary of the Kiev Polytechnical Institute."

Mr. M. Kurakh, an engin-

eer by profession, will speak about the 60th anniversary of the founding of the Ukrainian Society of the Lviv Polytechnical organization "Osnowa."

Panel sessions will then be held. Prof. E. Vertyporokh will read a paper about insulin. Prof. M. Yefremov will talk about today's concept of the development of the universe in the term of material involved.

Prof. B. Hnatiuk will address the attendees about the research being done and the development in the new field of astronautics, including the program already being proposed which will cover three crucial areas, "sophisticated" aircraft, including 1,500-mile-an-hour transport airplanes, missiles and missile systems, and space vehicles.

Sunday morning, following Saturday evening festivities, the delegates and guests attending the convention will attend church services at the St. George's Ukrainian Catholic church on East 7th street, St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox church on East 14th street, and the Ukrainian Presbyterian church on Second avenue and East 7th street.

At 3:30 that Sunday afternoon, the conventioners will reconvene at the Ukrainian Institute of America for further deliberations, which will include a talk on organization-

## U.N.A. Branch 120 Participates In Aliquippa Golden Jubilee



UKRAINIAN ART DISPLAY — Members of the Ukrainian Women's Club of Aliquippa display an assortment of Ukrainian objects of art in the lobby of new Ukrainian Club during the Golden Jubilee Pioneer Dinner there. The display featured hand-painted china, jewelry and authentic Ukrainian Easter eggs. Costumed members are, left to right: Mrs. John Shyan, Mrs. Stephen White and Margaret Ozimark.

The Brotherhood of the St. Nicholas Society, Branch 120, Ukrainian National Association and its Auxiliary, the Ukrainian Women's Club of Aliquippa, Pennsylvania participated in Aliquippa's Golden Jubilee the week of June 29th through July 5th, 1958.

In keeping with the spirit of the Jubilee, the Ukrainian Club sponsored a dinner in tribute to the pioneers of Aliquippa. The banquet was held Tuesday, July 1, 1958, at the New Ukrainian Club Dining Hall.

Mrs. Lawrence Dobosh, president of the Ukrainian Women's Club, was in charge of reservations. Mr. Walter Drevna, president of the St. Nicholas Society, Branch 120, was in charge of decorations. A nostalgic trail into Aliquippa Borough's history was taken by almost 500 persons who assembled in Aliquippa's Ukrainian Club for the Pioneer Banquet.

The oldest members of more than fifty Aliquippa organizations were singled out for recognition during the program.

The Ukrainian National Association's Aliquippa Branch 120 was cited for its progress. Its history was traced from 1917 with twenty-four members to 1958 with two hundred sixty-five regular members, and more than 1,300 social members. In 1939 the first Ukrainian Club was built on Sixth Avenue, Aliquippa. In 1953, ground was

purchased in the New Sheffield area and construction of the present modern club rooms was begun in March, 1955.

Forty years after organization in March, 1917, the home was ready for occupancy. Grand opening and open house program was held November 9 and 10, 1957.

The Ukrainian Women's Club was organized in February, 1958. Its purpose is to promote Ukrainian culture by sponsoring classes in the Ukrainian language, singing, dancing and arts and crafts.

The Ukrainian Women's Club also participated in Aliquippa's Golden Jubilee by joining the chapter of the Sister's of the Swish known as the "Ukee Belles". They prepared and served the Pioneer dinner.

Featured at the banquet was a display of Ukrainian art, china, Easter eggs, and jewelry.

Due to the success of the sale of the Ukrainian art objects, plans are now underway to have a permanent display in the lobby of the Ukrainian Club.

Progress has also been made on the Ukrainian culture classes which will begin this fall.

Aliquippa's Golden Jubilee was the biggest celebration in the borough's history. The Ukrainian people in Aliquippa are very happy to have had a part in it. Ukrainian culture has now become a part of Aliquippa Golden Jubilee's past history.

## UCYL Convention to Be Held October 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Hartford

The forthcoming convention of the Ukrainian Catholic Youth League of America will be held during the weekend of October 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Hartford, Conn.

The UCYL convention committee, which is headed by Rev. Fedorchuk, council chairman in that area, urges young Ukrainian Americans to send

in their boosters, ads and patron lists, council pictures and history, and make immediate arrangements to attend this Silver Jubilee Convention of the Ukrainian Catholic Youth League of America.

The convention program will include sufficient religious and cultural activities as well as social events.

## 2 Immaculate College Graduates

Miss Elaine Stremba, daughter of Mr. Mrs. John Stremba, who graduated last June from the Immaculate College, Philadelphia, Pa., has accepted a teaching position with the

Reading School District. She attended Manor College, Fox Chase, Pa., for two years, where she was copy-editor of the college paper "Foxprints." Continuing her education at Immaculate where she was co-editor of the National Federation of Catholic Students' Government Commission news-notes, "The Scope," she received her B.A. in education, "The Way" reports.

Miss Mary Juraski who recently graduated from Immaculate College with a Bachelor of Arts in Education (Concluded on page 2)

## Rev. Justin Hirniak, 82, Dies

Father Justin Hirniak, 82, died last July 16, in Ramey, Pa., where he was on leave from St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic church of southwest Philadelphia.

The deceased priest was well known for his tireless work in the Stanislawiv Diocese, Western Ukraine.

Here in America, Father Hirniak, who arrived in the

U. S. A. in 1951 was noted for his devotion to his work in serving the parishes in New Haven, Conn., the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral in Philadelphia, and in Sayre and Northampton, and St. Mary's.

The Requiem Liturgy was celebrated in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Philadelphia on July 19.

Burial took place at St. Mary's Cemetery, Fox Chase-Philadelphia, Pa.



### ON THE MARGIN

Discussing marriage with a person who is about to get married, the bride-to-be asked what type of music most brides prefer when they, with the proper escort, walk down the aisle.

It was explained to her that often in Ukrainian churches, Catholic and Orthodox, the choir sings "Bude Imya Hospodne Blahoslaveno" (God's Name Be Blessed). It was also told to her that this hymn is excellent in wording, that it is fine, but that the tempo of the latter is too fast, in that it does not match the deliberate steps of the bride and groom and the wedding entourage.

It was also pointed out to her that quite a bit of the music which the bride wants, a la organ, is considered by some as being pagan.

Thus, tripping down the church aisle, the bride may listen to the strains of the bridal chorus from Wagner's "Lohengrin," and, up the aisle to the accompaniment of the wedding march from Mendelssohn's incidental music for "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

An organist with whom we had previously discussed the matter felt that one could scarcely find, if one tried, two more inappropriate pieces of music for inclusion in a religious ceremony.

"It is now only inappropriate," he said, "but it is downright inauspicious. The bridal chorus in Lohengrin precedes a most unpleasant scene between bride and groom. Elsa, a few minutes after her wedding, has already become a nagging wife and demands to know her husband's name."

The request does not seem entirely unreasonable, but in the context it is, because the unfortunate woman has actually promised that she won't ask any such question, ever.

Elsa's curiosity led to a legal separation, on the very day of the marriage, and the bride and groom part, never to meet again.

Mendelssohn's wedding march is considered in this respect no better, that is, at least, in the opinion of those who cannot disassociate it from its gay and undignified setting. It can be taken to refer to the weddings at the end of the play, but there are other events in Acts IV and V.

In Act IV, Titania, a married woman estranged from her husband because of a frivolous argument over a foster child, is infatuated with Nick Bottom, whose marital status is not made clear, and who is temporarily sporting the head of an ass. And in Act V of the farce-tragedy "Pyramus and Thisbe" is presented, which ends in the suicide of the two ridiculous lovers.

Vernon Gotwals, professor of music at Smith College, describes the background and protests the use of these favorites in the forthcoming "Presbyterian Life." He remarks that this music, so firmly entrenched in the bride's mental picture of a real wedding, doesn't even deserve the adjective "traditional." It isn't that old.

He adds that the numbers often chosen for solos during the ceremony are equally regrettable. They are usually secular and sometimes "excitable" verse. Where an attempt has been made to overlay romantic love with religious sentiment, the result is unconvincing, and sometimes the words don't fit the music. On his blacklist are "I Love You Truly," "O Promise Me," and "Because."

He urges that "bride and groom give thoughtful consideration to all the music that is to be performed at their wedding. If they feel incompetent to judge or choose, let them rely on the organist of the minister."

He says this will hasten the day when "Wagner and Mendelssohn will have marched back to the theatre whence they came."

### UKRAINIAN YOUTH NEWS

By ALEXANDER F. DANKO

**Football**  
Since we're now in the height of the hot summer baseball season, we'll write for the next two weeks about a pair of fall-winter sports, football and hockey—in which, incidentally, Ukrainians excel. This is in part psychological, for I recall that the great Joe DiMaggio, when queried some years ago on how he managed to look and act so cool on the baseball field even on the hottest of the dog days, replied that he thought about the North Pole and icebergs—and he was relieved of the heat.

Nick Wasylyk, no relation to the NJ-UYL corresponding secretary, Alice Wasylyk, was recently named head football coach at Lake Forest (Illinois) College, Nick, originally from Astoria, N. Y. (where many Ukrainians reside) quarterbacked for Ohio State about 20 years ago and was placed on Al Yaremko's first couple of "All Ukrainian" college grid team compilations. Wasylyk later assisting in coaching Colgate University, Baltimore Colts and Chi Cards, among other jobs. Thus Wasylyk joins University of Pittsburgh's John Michelosen, Boston U's Steve Sinko, Bridgeport U's Walter Kondratovich and Marquette U's John Druze in the ever-growing fraternity of Ukrainian college head coaches.

Another in this category might be Fred Seyocurka who is co-head coach with Gayton Salvacci at American International College at Springfield, Mass. Speaking of Seyocurka, we received fine letters from him and from his brother, Staff Sergeant Michael Seyocurka, relating that their sister Mary's son, Larry Kalesnik, an All-East guard at Brown despite several bone fractures during his 3 year varsity career, was naturally of Ukrainian descent, too, and all are members of UNA Branch 253 in Springfield, Mass. The good sergeant, who wrote us from Iwakuni, Japan, no doubt was pleased that Kabanik was chosen to the past couple of "All Ukrainians" college grid team selections. Speaking of Japan good friend and Elizabeth, N. J. business-

man George Katrishen, an old pal of Jack Palance's back home in Hazelton, Pa., relates to us that baby brother Mike (6:2-230 lbs) former Little All-American at Mississippi Southern and "All Pro" with the Washington Redskins about 6 years ago, is now a prosperous businessman in Japan.

And speaking of football playing UNA members, Roman Rondiak, star back at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N. Y., wrote us that he is a UNA member in New Haven, Conn. and is a member of "Plast" and the local Ukrainian soccer team in New Haven during the summer. How about having the lad over the club, next fall Charlie Sklaryk, Russ Kolody, John Cotch, Frank Molecky and the rest of the fine Troy, N. Y. U-A Vets? Incidentally, Rondiak wrote us that team-mate Bruno Sidor states that both his parents are Polish. "Sidor" a Polish name? A re-conversion job is indicated here.

Incidentally, the aforementioned Druze, whose Marquette squad has dropped 19 straight games during his 3 year tenure there, recently signed former Notre Dame QB John Mazur as his backfield coach. Mazur, who made our "All-Uke" selections several seasons ago and served as aide to Judge John Gonas in the latter's court in working with juvenile delinquents, starred in the Marine Corps in football and served for the past 2 seasons as assistant coach at Tulsa. He typifies the many college assistant and high school Ukrainian coaches who are learning tricks of their demanding profession en route to their own head coaching jobs. Incidentally, the Marquette line will be centered by Gil Sedor, who wrote us that he's Ukrainian and was therefore placed on the past couple of "All-Ukrainian" compilations.

The only man to ever earn 2 spots on any "All American" team (tackle and full-back on the late, great Grantland Rice's 1929 compilation) Bronko Nagurski, Sr., recently performed at the annual Old Timers vs. Varsity football game at his alma mater, Minnesota U., won by the former.

Bronko, described as being 49 years old and somewhat paunchy, by the various press releases, picked up 6 yds in 2 running plays and failed to run over for the 2 points after a TD in his 3 attempts—to give the large turnout of fans a great thrill in viewing the greatest of them all.

In the recent Street and Smith 1958 Football Yearbook, a survey, magazine, Bob White, the magazine's "cover boy" is described on page 7 as "a jack-of-all-football-trades and ranks among the finest power backs in the Big Ten has seen since the days of the immortal Bronko Nagurski of Minnesota." Well standard practice and procedure, whenever any new star flashes upon the football scene—"the greatest since Nagurski" (but none equal including Nevvers, Kimbrough, Blanchard, Osmanski, Mottley et al).

A Living Legend  
Every printed word in any publication about Bronko, considered by many experts the

### UKRAINIANS DID IT AGAIN

I'm standing alongside a total stranger while viewing an International program, when suddenly he bursts out with a prolonged applause and turns to me, saying, "Them Ukrainians steal every show." Of course, I heartily agreed with him. Down deep in my heart I was also very proud of the fact that I happen to be of Ukrainians descent.

The event took place on July 27, at Ontario Beach Park in Rochester, New York. It was the sixth annual International Day Program sponsored by "the City of Rochester. Different nationalities took part in this four hour program including Ukrainian, Polish, German, Negro, Lithuanian, Puerto Rican, Italian, and Canadian Indians.

In spots the program was rather monotonous, and in other spots the performers did an excellent job in entertaining the audience. The Ukrainians were represented by the Ukrainian-American youth group of which our genial

Wolodymyr Bozyk was the arranger as well as the director. The Ukrainians, as always, put on the best performance with a mixed choir accompanied by string instruments, and a very active dancing group. The dancing group was under the direction of Jaroslaw Kuzil, and narration was by Miss P. Yakymyshyn. Because of the appreciation shown by the audience, Mr. Bozyk decided to insert an additional stunt into the program. He very ably taught the audience to respond in Ukrainian the words, "E nas," then with the choir he sang the first few words and the audience responded with their "E nas." This did a lot toward forming a better understanding toward the Ukrainians.

As all programs go, the Ukrainians must be alert to see that other nationalities do not copy our culture and claim credit for it. This did happen. A group of Polish dancers from Buffalo, N. Y. inserted into their program two dances which they termed modern type. One was the Senorita Polka (modern type) and the other was Polish Kolomeyka. Both numbers were our old and very familiar Ukrainian dances. Inasmuch as the audience is not supposed to know the difference, it was obvious that they were aware that these dances were not of Polish origin. One could hear remarks to that effect by many people. Nor was the incident forgiven, for Miss Yakymyshyn made it her business to take advantage of the opportunity to inform the audience of the incident. I was quite pleased that she used her intelligence and very diplomatically informed the people in these wards. We appreciate that other nationalities like our dances and music to such an extent that they wish to use it, but the last two dances were not of Polish origin; they are original Ukrainian dances. Another bit of information I feel would be worthy to pass on to you is the fact that some of the nationalities have decided to Americanize themselves. These International days are sponsored solely for the purpose to show off the costumes, as well as the dances and music of one's country. Some groups did not

greatest football player of all time, points up the fact that the Ukrainian people have never done right by this great man—a living legend—who achieved higher rating in his field than any other Ukrainian in any field born in the Western Hemisphere.

We strongly feel that a testimonial dinner honoring Bronko, Sr. (with his son, Bronko, Jr. a great tackle at Notre Dame) would be a natural.

Incidentally, good friend Nick Scheskovsky of Irvington, N. J., who always sends us newspaper clippings on Ukrainians and who recently sent us some on Bronko, has asked for a testimonial dinner. Also, in the past Joe Lesawyer, the new UNA vice president, former NYL-NA Sports Director Al Yaremko, Steve Sawruk, a Ph.D. who is well known in the Tri-State (Pa., Del., N.J.) area with sister Mary as "py-sanky" experts but who has also given us valuable sports info in the past for which we're very grateful, and Pas-sie; N.J. spark-plug Joe Kavensky, among others, have asked about a new testimonial dinner for some outstanding Ukrainian(s).

### Representative Assemblies In Non-Self-Governing Territories

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Independence in substance as well as in form. All the people of the world know that it took a major military campaign by the Red Army to return Hungary to the status of a Non-Self Governing nation. Time does not permit a full recount of the many popular uprisings which have taken place over a period of many years in Ukraine, Georgia, Turkestan, the Baltic States, Czechoslovakia and in other non-Russian nations which also are clearly Non-Self Governing. However, the implicit warning carried by these events urge us to end the human strife and dangerous international tensions which they create.

To that end I propose that the Draft Resolution now before this Conference be amended to reflect the urgent need for developing procedures whereby the people of once free and independent nations which have been reduced to the status of Non-Self Governing Territories shall be accorded the opportunity, under the United Nations supervision, to freely determine substance as well as the form of their government. Such steps would be in accordance with the spirit and the letter of the United Nations Charter.

Strictly An International Matter

Allow me to make one point clear, beyond any doubt, I do not include in my proposal the Russian nation itself which, as is well known, is only one of many nations which make up the Soviet Union and its population constitutes a minority. It is strictly an internal matter for the Russian people to determine whether their nation is self-governing. This is not a concern of this conference or should it be a concern of the United Nations. It has always appeared to me to be grossly unjust that in any consideration of the

### Mary Anne Kowba Wins Scholarship

Mary Anne Kowba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kowba, members of branch 217, U.N.A., has been awarded a New York State Regents Scholarship. Mary Anne was graduated from Nazareth Academy on June 23, 1958. She had been a member of the

National Honor Society and had served as president of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade at Nazareth. She also received the Pallidin award for outstanding achievement in Mission work. In addition to her New York State Regents scholarship, she also received a partial scholarship from the Nazareth College, College, which she plans to attend in the fall. She hopes to major in History and minor in education in preparation for elementary school teaching.

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degree, has accepted a teaching position with the Reading (Pa.) School District. She attended Manor College, Fox Chase, Pa., for two years, where she was president of her class. She continued her education at Immaculate College, where she was co-editor of the National Federation College Students' Government Commission newsnotes, "The Scope."

### UKRAINIAN AMERICAN CONGRESS OPPOSES VISIT OF KHRUSHCHEV TO THE UNITED STATES

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Army (UPA) to death or exile in Siberia in 1946-49. He was also totally responsible for the bloody suppression of the Hungarian freedom fighters in 1956. He is a master of deceit and of violation of any written agreement or pledge, so any accord with him is not worth the paper it is written on.

In conclusion, we believe that the sudden "summit" meeting will constitute a Russian trap set purposely to mislead and confuse the world public opinion and divert its attention from the real objectives of Russian foreign policy which is the conquest and domination of the entire world, preferably by infiltration and indirect aggression, as demonstrated in Iraq recently.

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### Soviet Emigres' Library in Munich Renamed in Adm. Stevens' Memory

The American Committee for Liberation, of New York City, reports under the above caption that "The Russian Library in Munich, Germany—a cultural haven for former Soviet citizens living in Germany—has been dedicated to the memory of the late Vice Admiral Leslie C. Stevens. The... literary center henceforth will be known as the L. C. Stevens Memorial Library." According to the American Committee for Liberation, which since 1952 has supported the Library's various activities, the dedication ceremonies took place in Munich on Thursday, July 24th. Admiral Stevens is known

as having been an outspoken in behalf of the cause of the Soviet Russian enslaved Ukrainian people's struggle to regain their national freedom.

He expressed his views in this connection at a banquet held during the last congress of the nationally representative Ukrainian Congress Committee of America in New York City, 1955.

Mrs. Leslie C. Stevens, widow of the Admiral, was present at the dedication ceremonies, which took in the Library's premises in Munich. Mrs. Stevens, now residing in Annapolis, Md., unveiled a plaque in her husband's honor

in the main reading room and presented an artist's portrait of the Admiral to the Library.

Speakers included a number of emigre leaders who expressed their appreciation for the efforts Admiral Stevens made for the cause of freedom for their peoples.

A message from Howland H. Sargeant, present president of the American Committee, paying tribute to the Admiral's activities in behalf of the emigration, was also read.

Admiral Stevens, who was born in Kearny, Nebraska, in 1895, served as a naval attaché in Moscow from 1947 to 1949. This experience, plus his knowledge of Slavic languages and the history and culture of the nations within the Soviet Russian orbit enabled him to write a book, "Russian Assignment," which was on the list of the best selling books in 1953. Critics hailed it as one of the most perceptive works ever written about the Soviet Union.

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