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Jack Palance, Nick Adams and Mike Mazurki to Attend UNA Banquet in Los Angeles



Jack Palance, dressed in Ukrainian national costume, tries his musical talent on the "bandura." Standing is Mr. Mykola Novak, president of the Ukrainian Culture Center and secretary of UNA Branch 257 in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (Special). — Jack Palance, Nick Adams and Mike Mazurki, three Hollywood stars of Ukrainian descent, and UNA Supreme President Joseph Lesawyer will be guests of honor at the banquet of the Ukrainian National Association, Branch 257, on Sunday, October 4, 1964 at 6:00 P.M. in Los Angeles, Calif.

During the same afternoon Mr. Lesawyer will be the principal speaker at the UNA meeting, which will be held at the Ukrainian Culture Center, 4315 Melrose Avenue. The dinner will be held at the well-known Michael's Restaurant, corner of Hillhurst and Los Feliz Avenues, Los Angeles.

85 Students Attend TUSM Seminar in Ellenville

Ellenville, N. Y. — That Ukrainian students are vitally interested in political and ideological issues facing them in the United States today was clearly shown in Ellenville (SUMA Resort Center) on September 7-13, during a TUSM seminar as those issues were presented to them by Ihor Zaiats, Christine Kulchysky, Volodyr Budziak, Maria Bohatiuk, Peter Goy, Peter Baschuk, Dr. Nicholas Bohatiuk and TUSM's executive board chairman, Bohdan Kulchysky, with guest speakers: Yaroslav Stetzko, president of ABN, Dr. Peter Mirchuk and Mr. Ignatius Billinsky.

Dushnyck Flies to Rome, Will Report on Third Session of Ecumenical Council

NEW YORK, N.Y. (Special). —Walter Dushnyck, editor of the UCCA publications and The Ukrainian Weekly, is scheduled to fly tomorrow, Sunday, September 27, 1964, to Rome as correspondent and journalist, to write and report on the third session of the Ecumenical Council for our press.

WORLD CONGRESS FOR A FREE UKRAINE PLANNED IN 1965

WINNIPEG, Man., (Special). On September 4 and 5, 1964, the 7th Session of the Pan-American Ukrainian Conference (PAUC) was held in Winnipeg, Man., Canada, in the matter of the convocation of a World Congress of Free Ukrainians.

Participating in the meeting were: Very Rev. Dr. Vasyl Kushnir, I. H. Szyrnick, Ivan Ivanchuk, V. Kossar and V. Kochan, all from Canada; Joseph Lesawyer, Ignatius Billinsky and Vasyl Mudry from the United States; Benedict Wasiuk and Bohumil Wasiuk from Venezuela.

Senator Paul Zuyk was a guest at the meeting.

The meeting was conducted by Rev. Dr. V. Kushnir, while Messrs. I. Billinsky and I. Szyrnick acted as secretaries.

Discussed at the meeting were reports of the Program and Organizational Commissions of the Preparatory Committee of the PAUC for the convocation of a World Congress of Free Ukrainians.

Mr. V. Kochan reported on behalf of the Program Committee, and outlined what has been done thus far. He also submitted a series of changes and amendments to the proposal of the Organizational Commission in matter of the By-Laws of the future Congress of Free Ukrainians and in the matter of basic principles accepted at the 6th session of the PAUC.

Mr. V. Mudry reported on the work of the Organizational Commission, especially on the distribution of materials of the 6th Session of the PAUC to all Ukrainian social, scientific, religious and educational groups organized on a national level, and their positive replies regarding the convocation of the World Congress of Free Ukrainians.

After the reports of both Commissions, an exchange of thoughts followed relating to the preparation of the World Congress. Specifically, an agreement was reached on three points proposed by the Program Commission:

- 1) Composed of citizens of free democratic countries, the Congress is dedicated to the defense of the free democratic system of government;
2) The Congress will support the basic and universally recognized principles that persons

Candidate Kennedy Among Ukrainian Democrats



On Wednesday, September 23, 1964, Robert F. Kennedy, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate from the State of New York, was a guest of honor at a breakfast, sponsored by the New York State Democratic Committee at the Statler Hilton Hotel in New York City. Mr. Kennedy spoke on the vital necessity of modernizing U.S. immigration laws so as to give an equal opportunity to all potential immigrants. Here Mr. Kennedy chats with Ukrainian Democratic leaders. Members of the N.Y. State Ukrainian Democratic Division are, from left to right: Walter Klawnsnik, treasurer; Matthew Pope, Bronx Chairman; Robert F. Kennedy; Joseph Lesawyer, Assistant National Chairman; Stephen J. Jarema, National Chairman; Walter Bacad, New York State Chairman, and Walter Steck, Manhattan Chairman.

REPRESENTATIVES OF UKRAINIAN FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS MEET WITH PRESIDENT JOHNSON IN WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, D.C. (Special). —On Monday, September 21, 1964 President Lyndon B. Johnson met with representatives of American fraternal organizations, among whom were presidents and secretaries of the four Ukrainian American fraternal organizations. The latter included Joseph Lesawyer and Dr. Jaroslav Padoch, UNA president and secretary, respectively; Anthony Batiuk and Theodore Mynyk, president and secretary of the Ukrainian Workingmen's Association (UWA); Very Rev. Msgr. Stephen Chehansky and Stephen Sprynsky, president and secretary of the Provincial Association of Ukrainian Catholics; and John A. Demer and Volodymyr Masur, president and secretary of the Ukrainian National Aid Association.

Over 200 representatives of American fraternal associations, headed by F. Farrell, president of the National Fraternal Congress of America, took part in the meeting. Secretary of Treasury Douglas Dillon introduced President Johnson, who delivered a short address stressing the importance of American fraternal organizations in the pluralistic society such as the United States. Pointing to our nation's motto, E Pluribus Unum — President Lyndon B. Johnson stated that "it is this spirit, this constant striving to build one nation and one people from many—that has made our land what it is in our time."

Two Million Ukrainians Retain Culture in U.S.

Editor's Note: The above article appeared in a recent issue of The Christian Science Monitor. A shorter excerpt of this release was carried in the August 22, 1964 issue of The Ukrainian Weekly, reprinted from The New York Times of August 16, 1964.)

Ukrainian Americans gave a rousing show of strength when they paraded through the streets of Washington recently. An estimated 100,000, many in native dress, convened in the capital to dedicate a bronze statue to their hero, Taras Shevchenko.

Former President Eisenhower unveiled the 14-foot-high statue of the poet-patriot and champion of serfs Shevchenko was banished to central Asia by imperial Russia, and passed on in 1861. He has been called the "Abraham Lincoln of the Ukraine."

The ceremony was a reminder that some 2 million Americans of Ukrainian descent live in the United States. They represent the largest concentration of Ukrainians outside the Soviet Union.

Hospitality Stressed

Though virtually all Ukrainian Americans were born in the United States, they preserve many of the colorful features of their East European culture. "Hospitality is so important that no one visits a Ukrainian home without sharing food," says Luba Terpak, a Ukrainian author and artist of Washington.

Favorite foods are borsch, fruit soups, holubtsi (cabbage leaves stuffed with meat, rice, and buckwheat grits), and nalyсныky (chese or fruited dessert crepes).

At social gatherings, Ukrainians frequently burst into song and perform a jumping dance with squatting steps.

The Ukrainians take pride in handicrafts. Women dress themselves and their children in elaborately embroidered blouses. Homes are embellished with polished wood carvings, inlay work, and decorated pottery.

Ukrainians are world famous for their Easter eggs. Using brushes made of cat hair, they paint the shells in multicolored, symbolic, geometric designs that resemble batik patterns.

UNA SUPREME COMMITTEE HOLDS MEETING IN JERSEY CITY

JERSEY CITY, N. J. (Special). —On Wednesday, September 16, 1964 the Supreme Committee of the Ukrainian National Association held its monthly meeting in the Main Office of the UNA here. The meeting, presided over by UNA Supreme President Joseph Lesawyer, was attended by UNA Supreme vice-presidents Stephen Kuropas and Mrs. Ann Herman, Supreme Secretary Dr. Jaroslav Padoch, Supreme Treasurer Roman Slobodian, as well as Chairman and Secretary of the Auditing Committee, Dr. Walter Gallan of Philadelphia, Pa. and Peter Pucilo, Chicago, Ill., and Anthony Dragan, editor-in-chief of SvoBoda.

Mr. Lesawyer gave a lengthy report on the organizational, financial and cultural development of the UNA in the last few months. While the UNA in general made substantial strides forward, Mr. Lesawyer remarked that the activities had been slackened in some areas, which he ascribed to the immense preparation of the Ukrainian American community for the unveiling of the Shevchenko monument, and also to vacation time during which all activities are somewhat slackened down.

Mr. Slobodian reported that the assets of the UNA had already passed the 29 million mark. He also reported on the new investments of the UNA and gave the factual financial status of each UNA fund.

Shevchenko Anniversary Observed at 'Soyuzivka'

SOYUZIVKA, Kerhonkson, N. Y. (Special). —On Sunday, September 20, 1964 a solemn observance dedicated to the 150th anniversary of the birth of Taras Shevchenko was held at Soyuzivka around the monument of the Ukrainian poet, sculptured by the late Alexander Archipenko.

The brief but impressive program consisted of the singing of the American national anthem, introductory remarks by UNA Supreme President Joseph Lesawyer and two principal speakers: Prof. Clarence A. Manning and Prof. Hryhory Kostyuk, who spoke in English and Ukrainian, respectively; short remarks by Dr. Jaroslav Padoch, Roman Slobodian and Prof. Wasyl Steciuk; recitations of Shevchenko's poetry by Miss Orsyia Paschak and Miss Lusia Matvienko, in Ukrainian and English, respectively; and the rendition of the Ukrainian national anthem. Bohdan Krawciw was master of ceremonies.

MISS CAMELIA HUK ELECTED "MISS SOYUZIVKA" FOR 1965

SOYUZIVKA, Kerhonkson, N. Y. (Special). —Miss Camelia Huk of Montclair, N. J., daughter of Dr. Michael Huk, was elected "Miss Soyuzivka" for 1965 during "UNA Day" held at Soyuzivka on Saturday, September 19, 1964. Miss Huk is a student at New York University in New York City, where she is president of the Ukrainian students club. Her "Princesses" elected during the program, are Miss Zoriana Kavka of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Lesya Sarachynsky from New York.

The program-pageant which attracted an impressive number of guests was conducted by Ivan Kernytsky-"Iker," while the panel selecting "Miss Soyuzivka" consisted of Mrs. Kvetka Steciuk, Miss Michele Metrinko, former "Miss U.S.A.," Messrs. Bohdan Rak, Peter Marunchak and Roman Petrina. The crowning of the new "Miss Soyuzivka" was performed by Miss Mariyka Komarnytska, "Miss Soyuzivka" for 1964. Miss Orsyia Paschak made announcements in the English language.

The feature attraction of the program was the appearance of the Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Montreal, Canada, under the masterful direction of Peter Marunchak, which performed with exquisite artistic finesse a series of Ukrainian folks dances.

(The Ukrainian Dance Ensemble of Peter Marunchak appeared on Sunday, September 20, 1964) at the N. Y. State Pavilion at the New York World's Fair, where they received a tremendous ovation from the audience.) The Misses Mariyka and Michele Metrinko, sisters of Ukrainian descent and former "Miss New York City" and "Miss U.S.A.," respectively, were special guests on the program and told the audience about their rich experiences as American celebrities. Miss Marsha Metrinko also performed a series of intricate tap dances.



HANDCLAPS OPENS THE CAMPAIGN.—Dr. Lev E. Dobriansky, Vice Chairman, GOP Nationalities Division, Senator Barry Goldwater, Representative William E. Miller, and Bob Robles, Western Director of the GOP's Hispanic-American Division, in Prescott, Arizona, at the start of the presidential campaign. Senator Goldwater and Rep. Miller are wearing traditional Mexican hats, symbolic of their concern for Hispanic-Americans. Senator Goldwater speaks fluent Spanish.





