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# MEMORIAL DAY

## UKRAINIANS TO MARK INDEPENDENCE ANNIVERSARY IN WASHINGTON TODAY

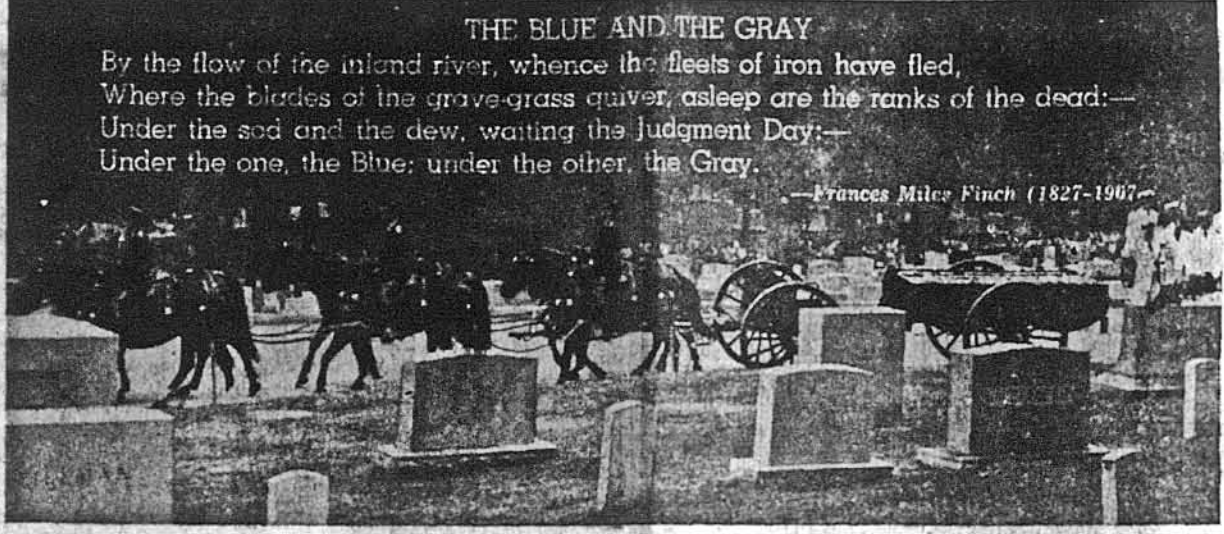
NEW YORK, N.Y. (UCCA Special). — June 1, 1968 is being proclaimed "Ukrainian Day" by Mayor Walter Washington of the District of Columbia in commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of Ukraine's independence, which was proclaimed on January 22, 1918 in Kiev, the capital of Ukraine. Nationwide observances were held throughout the country in January of this year, including solemn commemorations in the U.S. Senate and the House of Representatives.

The June 1st observance in Washington, D.C., will be the all-embracing manifestation Ukraine's drive for independence. Several thousand people from all parts of the United States are expected to attend the gathering.

Moreover, the observance of the 50th anniversary of Ukraine's independence provides wholehearted support by Americans of Ukrainian descent to their kin in enslaved Ukraine who are fighting against Russification, oppression and persecution of the Ukrainian people by Communist Russia.

The June 1 "Ukrainian Independence Day" jubilee will consist of the following features:

- c) The Hon. William Proxmire, U.S. Senator from Wisconsin, and "Shevchenko Freedom Award" Winner for Human Rights Advocacy;
  - d) Dr. Roman Smal-Stocki, Professor of Catholic University of America, President, Shevchenko Scientific Society.
  - 6. Choral, wreath-laying ceremony, and Benediction by Rev. George Huley, St. Andrew's Ukrainian Orthodox Church.
- Tri-Sectional Demonstration**
- Between 3:00 and 4:00 p.m., a Tri-Sectional Demonstration will be held:
- a) Demonstration at the White House in support of our war effort in Vietnam;
  - b) Demonstration at the Soviet Embassy in protest against the persecution of Ukrainian intellectuals by the Soviet Russian Communist regime in Ukraine;
  - c) Demonstration at the Washington Post building by representatives of the captive nations in protest against the
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## 'Third Force' Seen Helping Unify Canada

OTTAWA, Can. — The concept of a bilingual multi-cultural Canadian nation is realistic and the quintessence of a dynamic Canadianism, an Ottawa university professor told a Sudbury conference on the role of minorities Friday, May 10, according to the Sudbury Star.

Senator Paul Yuzyk, professor of Slavic and East European studies at the University of Ottawa, was speaking at the two-day conference sponsored by the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews.

The senator said "if the trends of the past six decades continue, by 1981 the Canadian population will be roughly one-third British, one-third French and one-third all other ethnic groups."

"The third element may be the binding force that will unite the Anglo-Saxon group with the French," Senator Yuzyk said.

"It is fortunate that Canadian governments have rejected the melting-pot theory with its colorless uniformity and have promoted a mosaic-type of Canadian culture based on the voluntary integration of the best elements of the cultures of the component ethnic groups."

## First Lady Opens Immigration Museum at Liberty Statue

NEW YORK, N.Y. — In a colorful ceremony at Liberty Island here on May 17, Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson opened the interim exhibit at the Museum of Immigration being constructed at the Statue of Liberty National Monument.

Assisting Mrs. Johnson in the dedication ceremonies were Alexander Hamilton, secretary-treasurer of the museum, and George B. Hartzog, Jr., director of the National Park Service.

Other platform guests included Laurence Rockefeller, chairman of the New York State Council of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, and Mrs. Rockefeller, Henry Kimmelman, special assistant to Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall, and Mrs. Kimmelman, Spyros P. Skouras, a

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## UVAN Marks Independence Anniversary With Conference

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Six papers relating to the period of the Ukrainian War of Liberation were read at a special conference here last weekend held by the Ukrainian Academy of Arts and Sciences in the United States in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of Ukrainian independence.

The two-day conference, Saturday and Sunday, May 25-26, at the Ukrainian Institute of America, heard the following scholars present papers: Volodymyr Stojko, Manhattan College, Oleh Fedushyn, Richmond College, Piotr S. Wandycz, Yale University, Ivan Lysiak-Rudnytsky, American University in Washington, Vasyi Markus, Loyola University in Chicago, Taras Hunczak, Rutgers University.

Chairing the individual sessions, three each on Saturday and Sunday, were: Michael M. Luther, Hunter College, John T. von der Heide, Drew University, Joseph Rothchild, Columbia University, Vsevolod Holubnychy, Hunter College, Yaroslav Bilinsky, Delaware State University, Yaroslav Pelensky, Columbia University.

Commenting on the papers in the course of the discussion which followed each presentation were: Richard Mills, Fordham University, Michael Jaworsky, Hunter College, Roger Moorhus, Richmond College, Ihor Kamenatskyi, Central Michigan University, M.K. Dziejowski, Boston University, I. L. Rudnytsky, American University.

Opening the conference on Saturday was Prof. Omeliano Pritsak, of Harvard University, on Sunday — Prof. Alexander Ohloblyn.

Each of the papers dealt with a specific phase of the 1917-20 period of Ukrainian history. Among those taking part in the discussion were Prof. Borys Martos, Volodymyr Kedrowsky, Nicholas Chubaty, Yakiv Zozula, Borys Rzepecky, as well as Prof. Oscar Halecki.

**KORNEY ELECTED TO ALUMNI BOARD**

DETROIT, Mich. — The Michigan State University Alumni Association elected John J. Korney, of Detroit, Mich., to its fourteen-member executive board at the annual meeting held at the Union Building, East Lansing, Mich., on Saturday, May 18th.

Mr. Korney is Vice-President of the Bank of the Commonwealth, Detroit, and recent recipient of the Michigan State University Distinguished Alumni Award presented by United States Vice-President Hubert H. Humphrey.

## MANOR COMMENCEMENT TOMORROW

JENKINTOWN, Pa. — Manor Junior College will hold its ninth commencement exercises on Sunday, June 2, 1968, at 2:45 P.M.

The exercises will be presided over by the Very Rev. Magr. Stephen Chehansky, the principal address will be delivered by Gerald A. Gleason, Jr., a member of the Board of Education. Mr. Gleason received his Bachelor of Law degree from Harvard University and he has done graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania. He will be introduced by Dr. Emil Harasym.

The student speakers are Angela Rosella, who will deliver the commencement oration, and Vera Bilinsky, who will deliver the Ukrainian address.

Forty-five students will receive either the Associate of Arts or the Associate of Science degree at this commencement.

## Assembly at Shevchenko Monument — 1:00 p.m.

- 1. Call of the Colors "Star Spangled Banner" — master of ceremonies: Walter M. Zadoretzky;
- 2. Invocation: Rev. Dr. Joseph F. Thorning, "El Padre de Las Americas."
- 3. Greetings: Mayor Walter E. Washington;
- 4. Reading of the "Ukrainian Day" Proclamation — by Ignatius M. Billinsky, Secretary, Ukrainian Congress Committee of America;
- 5. Addresses:
  - a) Dr. Lev E. Dobriansky, Professor of Georgetown University, President, Ukrainian Congress Committee of America;
  - b) The Hon. Michael A. Feighan, Member of Congress from Ohio, High-ranking Member of Committee on the Judiciary;

## Composite Culture

"Development of a composite Canadian culture, rich in variety, reflects the principle of unity in continuing diversity, and the democratic spirit of compromise inherent in the

## Greatest Migration

"Before cutting red, white and blue ribbons at the entrance to the museum, Mrs. Johnson said: "The exhibits here remind us of what we as a people have been. They remind us that America was the willing recipient — and fortunate beneficiary — of the greatest mass migration in the history of mankind. Nothing like it had ever taken place before; and probably nothing like it will ever take place again."

"Nearly 45 million human beings have come to these shores since 1820. Every race, color and creed passed through the waters of this bay. They brought their worn humble suitcases — their pictures of home — their bits of needlework — and their dreams."

The ceremony, co-sponsored by the American Museum of Immigration, Inc., and the National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, was held on the monument lawn under bright sunny skies.

## Conference on Human Rights and Free Ukrainian Delegation in Teheran

(This is the first of a three-part report on the International Human Rights Conference, held in Teheran, Iran, from April 22 to May 13, 1968).

The International Conference on Human Rights, sponsored by the United Nations, concluded on May 13, 1968 its long and often heated debates by adopting a series of resolutions and decisions, as well as a number of recommendations and declarations encompassed in what has become to be known as the Teheran Declaration. (There was some opposition to the name of the declaration in order not to confuse the new document with the Teheran Declaration, issued by the Allies during World War II in Teheran.)

The impressive International Conference, which began on April 22, 1968, was attended by delegations from 80 member-states, representatives of some 20 specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations (NGO's), and a number of observers from many countries. The Conference, called in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of signing and adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights by the United Nations on December 10, 1948, was covered by some 60 newspapermen and correspondents from every corner of the world.

The Three Committees (the First, Second and General Committee).

As could be expected, many delegates used the forum of the International Conference on Human Rights to air their own propaganda and viewpoints. This was especially true of such delegations as that of the USSR, the Ukrainian SSR, the Byelorussian SSR, and of some satellites which are still firmly in the Russian group—Poland, Bulgaria, Hungary, and so forth. Also many of the delegates from the Afro-Asian bloc constantly attacked South Africa and Rhodesia (apartheid) and almost all Arab delegates assailed Israel for alleged crimes in the Israeli-held Arab territory, committed by the Israeli army.

But there also were some serious and constructive statements and speeches by delegates from the United States, Canada, the Holy See, the Republic of China, South Korea, South Vietnam, Australia, by some delegates from South America, and surprisingly enough, the delegates from Czechoslovakia and Rumania, whose addresses in defense of freedom were a far cry from those of the USSR, Ukrainian and Byelorussian SSR's, Poland and Bulgaria.

Members of the Free Ukrainian Delegation (that is, those who came from the United States, Canada, Argentina and France and who were spoken of in the Conference halls as the "Free Ukrainian Delegation") maintained extensive contacts with many delegations of the West, urging them to raise

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## UKRAINIAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES FIVE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

JERSEY CITY, N.J.—Five outstanding Ukrainian students, selected from a group of 42 applicants, are the recipients of the Ukrainian National Association scholarships for the academic year 1968-69.

Ranging in age from 18 to 37, the winners, two male and three female students, were announced by the UNA Scholarship Committee, which met Sunday, May 12, on the eve of UNA Supreme Assembly's annual meeting at Soyuzivka. The 10-member committee is headed by Prof. Roman-Smal-Stocki, president of the Shevchenko Scientific Society.

The scholarships, in the total amount of \$2,000, are awarded annually by the UNA to outstanding and needy Ukrainian students pursuing studies at accredited institutions of higher learning. Preference is given to students majoring in Ukrainian area

studies, social sciences and humanities.

The 1968 winners are: Anna Slusarczuk, of Detroit, Mich., \$500; Sophia Martynec, of Irvington, N. J., \$500; Gregory Dziuba, of Kenmore, N.Y., \$400; JoAnn Paschen, of Park Ridge, Ill., \$400; and Jaroslaw Czechut, of Detroit, Mich., \$200.

Honorable mention went to Mrs. Larissa Onyshkevych, of Trenton, N. J., a graduate student at the University of Pennsylvania, specializing in Ukrainian studies.

The application of Miss Ulana Korhun, 17, who intends to study journalism at the New York State University upon graduation this year from the Troy, N.Y., high school, has been turned over to the UNA Executive Board for consideration as one of the top candidates for one of the two special \$2,000 journalism scholarships.

A brief profile of each of the winners follows.



**Anna Slusarczuk**  
Winner of the \$500 scholarship, Miss Slusarczuk, 18, is an A-student at the Immaculate Conception Ukrainian Catholic High School in Hamtramck, Mich. She will be graduating next month. Aspiring to become a teacher of Slavic languages and East European history, Anna will be entering Oakland University in Rochester, Mich., next September. A member of UNA Branch 174, Miss Slusarczuk is active in Plast and the Ukrainian Literary Club.



**Sophia Martynec**  
Winner of the \$500 scholarship, Miss Martynec, 20, is a junior at Rutgers University, majoring in French and International Relations. She hopes to join the diplomatic corps after completion of her studies. She is active in Plast, the Ukrainian American Student Association of Newark, and the Ukrainian Club at Rutgers. A resident of Irvington, N.J., Miss Martynec is a member of UNA Branch 371. She expects to graduate next year with a B.A. degree.



**Gregory G. Dziuba**  
A senior at Kenmore, N.Y., West Senior High School, Gregory, winner of the \$400 scholarship, intends to enter Colgate University next September in pursuit of a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. He hopes for a career in law. An excellent student, Gregory is co-captain of the gymnastics team and sports editor on the school's newspaper. He is also active in the Ukrainian Student Association in Buffalo, N.Y. Member of UNA Branch 304.



**JoAnn L. Paschen**  
Miss Paschen, 19, is a junior at Loyola University in Chicago, majoring in Political Science. Winner of the UNA scholarship in the amount of \$400, JoAnn hopes to become a lawyer. A member of UNA Branch 125, JoAnn is active in the Obnova Student Society and sings in the parish choir. During the 1968 summer season, JoAnn was an employee at Soyuzivka. She is also active in several student clubs at Loyola University.



**Jaroslaw Czechut**  
Mr. Czechut 37, winner of the \$200 scholarship, is a graduate student at Wayne State University in Detroit, studying towards a Master's degree in East European history. He hopes to continue his studies leading towards a doctorate and enter the academic profession. Married, Mr. Czechut is a member of UNA Branch 491. In addition to being active in the Ukrainian Student Club at Wayne State, Mr. Czechut is a member of other organizations.

Debates, Propaganda Stunts And Serious Work

The entire work of the Conference was conducted in plenary sessions as well as in





