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LIETUVOS KELIAUNINKAI

Sugrįžęs Amerikon po dvylikos mėnesių, praleistų daugiausiai Lietuvoje, adv. K. Savickas, buvęs "Vyties" redaktorius bei Vyčių centro valdybos narys, nusiskundžia, kad Lietuvoje jis gavęs šaltoką priėmimą. "Vytie" už Rugpjūčio mėn. p. Savickas rašo:

"Musų Vyčiai gana gražiai priėmė gerbiama svečią. Pavasarininkų Pirmininką Dr. Leimoną. Visur sutiko jį su bankietais, paruoštais vakarėliais, ir su didele pagarba. Kur tik ėjo girdėjom kad musų Pavasarininkai darbuojasi kartu su Vyčiais.

Man teko važiuoti į Lietuvą. Buvau Vyties redaktorius ir taip pat direktorius; bet man neteko susipažinti su Pavasarininkais nors išgyvenau Kaune ištisą mėtą. Mat, jokio pakvietimo negavau iš tos organizacijos, kad nors aplankyti susirinkimą. Tiesa, Dr. Leimonas pakvietė mane sutikęs šilgatyje, užėiti pas save kada del arbatėlės; tai mes Amerikiečiai darome iš mandagumo. Už tai aš jam esu dėkingas. Dabar man atrodo kad šis musų bendradarbiavimas yra keistas."

Ponas Savickas Lietuva bei jos pavasarininkais gerokai nusivylęs ir apsisprendžia, kad bendradarbiavimas tik arbatėlė paremtas, yra silpnas.

Bet p. K. S. savo nusivylimu simpatijos mažai gavo, nes štai tuoj po minėto "Vyties" Nr. Bostono "Darbininke" tulas J. P. P. rašo:

Paskutiniam "Vyčio" numerį p. K. Savickas ruoža ar skundžias (kas ten ir besuvis), jog Pavasarininkai Lietuvoj jo nepriėmė, o jis gi buvo ir "redaktorius ir direktorius". Na, ką tu pasakyti! Žmogus išgyveno Lietuvoj visus metus ir nesusipažino su Pavasarininkais. Aš, pavyzdžiui, žinau asmenų, kurie nuvyko į Lietuvą taip pat 1935 metais ir teišgyveno tenai tik du su viršum mėnesius ir puikiausiai su Pavasarininkais susipažino. Keista. Ar ne tiesa, p. Savickau?

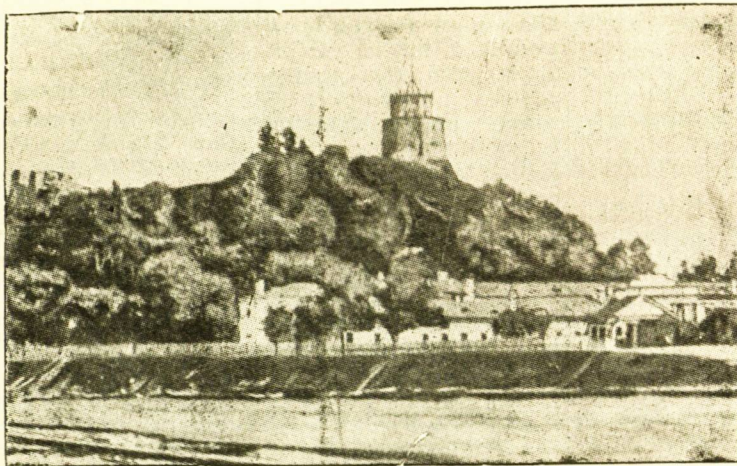
Bet, p. Savickau, čia kur nors turi būti šuo pakastas.

Na, taip sau atvirai imkim ir pasikalbėkim (tiesa, skaitytojams gal ir bus neįdomu, bet jau kaip nors pakeis). Pirmiausia, įdomu kaip Tamsta į Lietuvą nuvyko: kaip vyčių atstovas ar tik kaip sportininkas? Kiek aš pamenu, LSOS sušaukime Pasaulio Lietuvių Kongreso metu studentų susirinkime Tamsta kalbėjai tik kaip sportininkas, ne kaip vytis ir visą Kongreso laiką Tamsta buvai tik sportininkas (geras ar blogas aš nesimu spręsti), bet ne vytis. Vyčio vardo Tamsta kažkodėl vengė. Kodėl?

Nė vienam musų, pereitais metais Lietuvoj, oficialus pakvietimai į kongresėlius ar panašiai nebuvo siuntinėjami, bet mes įstengėm juose dalyvauti ir nesijautėm nekviesti ir visur buvom maloniai priimti. Tiesa, jie negalėjo suruošti mums balių ir vakarienių kur nors puošniuose viešbučiuose, nes, Dievaži, jų ne tiek jau daug Lietuvoje ir yra, bet mes buvom patenkinti. Gal but, Tamstos titulai neleido dalyvauti suvažiavimuose ar pasitarimuose, nes niekas neįteikė

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SENASIS VILNIUS!



A. Kalvaitis

SPALIŲ 9 DIENA

(p. A. Kalvaitis, Lietuvos Konsulas Chicagoje, šį straipsnį parašė Spalių 9-tą, progą, spec. "Jaunimui". Red.)



Antanas Kalvaitis

Kiekvienais metais Lietuvoje ir daugumoje Lietuvos apgyventose kolonijose minimos musų sostinės Vilniaus ir vieno trečdalis Lietuvos teritorijos užgrobito sukaktys.

Amerikos lietuviškam jaunimui, kuriam neteko arčiau susipažinti su Vilniaus byla, gal ir keistokai atrodo, kad dabar šešiolikai metų nuo lenkų Vilniaus krašto užgrobito, praėjus, šis reikalas dar taip gyvai tautos akyse stovi. Keistokai taip pat atrodo, kad Lietuva, suliginamai silpnas fizinis vienetas kelia protesto balsą prieš nusistovėjusią pasaulio politinę aksiją "where is might there is right". Stebiamasi taip pat, kad musų tauta, šių dienų politinių faktų aktyvaizdoj, kada laužomi ir verčiami į popiergalius tarptautiniai pasižadėjimai, drįsta reikalauti atitaisyti pokarinio laikotarpio klaidą.

Taip ištisų nuostabu, kad šių faktų aktyvaizdoj, musų tauta dar nenustojė vilties atgauti neteisėtai atimtą iš jos teritorijos dalį. Ieškant priežasčių tam tautos atsparumui ir atsakymo kodėl Vilniaus klausimas užuot silpnėti kiekvienais metais darosi vis aktuališkesniu, prieisime prie šių išvadų:

1. Tautos atsparumas išplaukia iš lietuviško charakterio ypatybių.
2. Visa tauta šiame pokariniame laikotarpy pilnai įsamonyta, kad jos reikalavimai yra teisėti, paremti istoriniais, juridiniais, kultūriniais ir moraliiais pagrindais.

Žiloje senovėje, kuomet Lietuva lošė žymią Europos kontinente rolę lietuviai itin pasižymėjo savo užsispyrimu ir atkaklumu. Kovose su rusų ir totorių hordomis, kariškuose žygiuose prieš kryžiuočius ir lenkus tie charakterio požymiai aiškiai matosi: nenuilstamas siekimas užbrėžto tikslo. Pereinant į devynioliktojo šimtmečio pabaigą ir dvidešimtojo pradžią, lietuviško atgimimo laikotarpį mes matome kaip mažą saujelę Lietuvos patrijų, norėdama įsamonyti liaudy tautinį susipratimą kovojo su anų laikų galiūnais. Kovota su spaudos uždraudimu, tvirti kultūriniai rateliai, organizuota plačioji visuomenė ir rengiama busimai krašto nepriklausomybei. Ne vienam pašaliečiui iš šalies žiūrint atrodė, kad tai bergždžias mažos vertės darbas kad tai pasikėsinimas pelės prieš liūtą, o vienok tiek darbai ir pastangos nenuėjo veltui.

To stipraus bei atkaklaus charakterio požymiai aiškiai matomi ir čionai Amerikoje. Prisiminkime pirmuosius lietuvių emigrantus, sąlygas kokiose jiems teko pradėti gyvenimą naujoje tėvynėje. Nežinant vietos kalbos nė tradicijų jie kovojo už geresnį ekonominį gerbuvį, tvėrė organizacijas, statė bažnyčias ir mokyklas ir šiandieną matome jų darbų vaisių. Šimtai profesionalų ir biznierių, kurie savo mokslu ir išsilavinimu lyginasi ir toms tautoms, kurios turėjo daug geresnės ir palankesnės sąlygas.

Pačioje Lietuvoje pokariniame laikotarpy to atkaklaus charakterio požymiai taip pat ryškiai matosi. Prisikėlusį kraštą teko tvarkyti ir valdyti saujelei inteligentų. Reikėjo organizuoti valdininkų aparatą, atstatyti sugriautą kraštą, organizuoti krašto apsaugą ir finansus. Ir šiandieną aiškiai matomi to atkaklaus darbo vaisiai. Neseniai buvome liudininkais aštrios ekonominės Lietuvos-Vokietijos kovos. Visos vokiečių pastangos paklupdyti Lietuvą ir pavergti ją vokiškos politikos siekimams atsimušė į tautos plieninį atsparumą ir išvadoje Vokietijai o ne Lietuvai teko ištieti taikos alyvos šakelę pradėti normalius ekonominius santykius.

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LYS COMMEMORATES VILNIUS' OCCUPATION

Nominates candidates for officers

The Lithuanian Youth Society, after three months of inactivity during the summer, held its first meeting of the new season last Sunday nite at the home of the president, Vytautas F. Beliajus. In accordance to the LYS' new resolution, to have different speakers with talks on Lithuania at every meeting, Mr. Anthony Vaivada was the guest speaker at last Sunday's affair. His subject was: "Vilnius, Lithuania's Capital."

Nominations for new officers followed:

President — Vytautas F. Beliajus, John Gelžainis.

Vice-President — Al Žukas, Joe Cimbal.

Secretary — Bertha Kremanis, Mary Perkins.

Treasurer — Peter Adams, Mr. Munarin.

Sergeant At Arms — Mr. Munarin, Ernest Dulinskis.

Officer Pro-term — Helen Dombas, Julia Shtatkus.

Election will be held at the next meeting — October 18, which by the way will be a Halloween meet which every member will attend in costume.

THOSE WHO WANT TO CORRESPOND WITH LITHUANIA

After Mr. Rapolas Skipitis, president of the DULR returned to Lithuania from an extended tour of America last fall, he sent a few hundred letters from Lithuania's students. These letters were to be forwarded to young Lith in the U. S. A. for the purpose of correspondence.

Many Chicagoans took these addresses and now boast a great mail-friendship with some flaxen haired lassie or lad from across the pond.

If you would also like to start such a correspondence, apply to "JAUNIMAS" where you can get these addresses.

Ray Janusauskas Killed By Train

Ray Janusauskas, 24 year old son of the Marquette Park Lithuanian organist met tragic death last Friday morning, when on his way to work he was hit by a south bound Rock Island train at 107 St. near Western Ave. The day of his death was to be his second day on the new job in the offices of Quaker Oats Co.

Ray was born and raised in Chicago. After graduating from the old St. Kazimieras grammar school at Marquette Park and Morgan Park High School, he entered the University of Illinois. After spending two years at this institution, Ray returned to Chicago and had been looking for a job. He didn't discontinue his studies tho, for only a week ago he enrolled at Northwestern and was to have studied nights.

K OF L COUNCIL 24 DANCE AT HOTEL DEL PRADO

K of L C-24 is sponsoring a Fall Dance October 17th, at the Hotel Del Prado, 53rd and Hyde Park Blvd., in the Crystal Ballroom. Dancing begins at 9 P. M.

The committee, under the leadership of Miss Tecla Karwalis, has labored diligently to provide the best of everything for the affair.



Miss TEKLE KARVELIS

Chairman of the Dance

Everyone attending this dance is assured of a good time, if not dancing to the toe-teasing swing-occupation of Lon Laban and his orchestra, at least in the enjoyment of good company amid luxurious surroundings.

K of L C-24 invites everyone to attend. Remember — October 17th, Saturday eve, at the Hotel Del Prado, 53rd and Hyde Park Blvd., where there shall be "Soft lights and sweet music..."

O. L. V. CHOIR SPONSORS DANCE

One week before Halloween, October 24th to be exact, the O. L. V. parish choir is sponsoring a fall dance at the O. L. V. parish hall, 2323 W. 23rd Pl. Music by Len Simmons & His Melody Aces.

For a really enjoyable evening, attend this dance, where you will meet sociable people and enjoy dancing.

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GEDIMINO KALNAS SAVO VYČIŲ SUSILAUKS...

When the World War was drawing to an end and revolutions overtook such states as Russia and Germany, the leading men and women of Lithuania saw that this was the moment they were waiting for and had been preparing for these many years. They met in Vilnius, the ancient city which Gediminas built and formally declared the State of Lithuania independent with Vilnius as its capital. The path of this newly organized state was not an easy one. Before an army could be organized enemies from two sides were terrorizing the land. The Bolsheviks and the Poles were these foes. The people of Lithuania were desperate in their fight for liberty and gallantly defended their land. The Bolsheviks and Poles were defeated decisively.

Treaties followed. Poland and Lithuania met at Suwalki and signed a peace treaty which resulted in Poland recognizing Vilnius as Lithuania's capital. Peace was to descend on both lands. That was on the seventh of October, 1920.

October 9th, only two days after the signing of the treaty, while the conference delegates were still on their way home, Polish army under the leadership of General Zeligowski occupied Vilnius and surrounding territories.

Lithuania, naturally appealed to every known international institution of justice, but... Poland is the stronger state, you know.

Today, exactly sixteen years after the start of this famous controversy — Lithuania still hopes to regain its right to Vilnius. Lithuania is adamant in regard to the Vilnius question and there is no danger of any let down on their part.

Such determination necessitates many moral and material sacrifices, but Lith is prepared for anything and they know that the yellow, green and red will fly on "Gedimino Pilis". They believe it is only a question of time and circumstances.

When a Lithuanian sings "El pasauli mes be Vilniaus nenurimsim!" HE MEANS IT!

PRESS REVIEW

YVYTIS the official K of L organ writes thusly about JAUNIMAS:

"Pasirodė 'Jaunimas'. Tai naujas Amerikos lietuvių jaunimo dvi savaitinis 4 puslapių laikraštis, kuris, beje, visas yra angli kalba. Redaktorium yra Juozas Poška. Tenka pasakyti, kad 'Jaunimas' yra užsibrėžęs Amerikos jaunimo reikalus svarstyti angli kalboje. Reikia pasakyti, kad apie tokį laikraštį daug buvo kalbėta, rašyta, bet nieko nepadarėta. Linkime 'Jaunimo' leidėjams ko geriausių pasekmių naujai užsibrėžtame darbe."

"Sandara" writes:

"Pasirodė 'Jaunimas'. Šiomis dienomis maišytoj angli ir lietuvių kalboj pasirodė laikraštukas — 'Jaunimas', gana gražiai ir populiariai sutvarkytas.

Matyt jį išleido vyčių grupė, kuri nėra patenkinta savo oficialiu organu."

Mr. Vaidyla confuses his readers by inferring that "J." is published by a group of disgruntled K of L's. As stated in the first issue, "Jaunimas" is published by a group of journalistically inclined Lithuanians who want to provide American Lithuanian Youth with a publication which they can really call their own.

"MUZIKOS ŽINIOS" which was one of the staunchest strictly Lithuanian magazines, does an about face and offers choirs space in its columns in English.

MARGUTIS: "Naujas Savaitraštis vardu JAUNIMAS, asirodė lietuvių ir angli kalbomis, Chicagoje. Leidėjai nori su Jaunimu

užinteresuoti jaunima. Sveikinti nas pasiryžimas?"

Alright, alright, alright! Gong!

In the same issue of MARGUTIS, its Amateur Page remarks: "Still another group of amateurs are going to attempt journalism by issuing a new periodical 'JAUNIMAS' which they tell us is really going to town with articles by leading amateurs on the happenings of modern Lithuanian Youth in the English language. Maybe we'll be able to quote something from your next (second) issue? Have we your permission?"

Sure, you may quote us, but then you'll break your amateur standing by printing professional stuff!

DRAUGAS: Tikrai smagu yra konstatuoti faktą, kad mūsų jaunimas pats ima rūpintis savo reikalais. Tai pastebime iš vėliausia atėjusių jaunimo laikraščių. "Studentų Zodis" drąsiai pasisako stovėsią už organizuotą, šviesų lietuvių besimokinantį jaunimą. Jis nusiskundžia, kad mūsų profesionalai ir net visuomenės vadai permaža rūpinasi jaunimu. Maždaug tokiu pat tonu kalba ir "Vytis", kuris nurodo, jog jaunimas ir senesnioji karta turėtų daugiau viens kitą suprasti, daugiau viens kitam padėti, bendradarbiauti. Naujai pasirodęs jaunimo laikraštis "Jaunimas" irgi susirūpinęs tuo pačiu klausimu. Jis pasiryžęs ieškoti naujų kelių, kuriais einant būtų galima sutraukti mūsų jaunimą bendram lietuviybės darbiui.

LITHUANIANA

The Lithuanian ballet is also something to write home about. For the past few seasons, when the famous Monte Carlo Russian ballet left town on their tour of the United States, the Lithuanian ballet was awarded the contract to fill engagements at that famous millionaires' paradise.

Sports are rapidly taking precedence over Lithuanian youth activity. One of the most popular is basketball. Lithuania. Boxing is very returned from Europe, devoted a whole year to coaching basketball in Lithuanian. Boxing is very well-liked, but as yet Lithuania has not produced anyone noteworthy. Six years ago, Lithuania's heavyweight champion, Juozas Vinca, came to this country. Even though he was helped here by Jack Sharkey, he didn't reach the heights. He is now a coast guardsman in Klaipėda. The most popular sport is undoubtedly soccer. Every town has a score of teams. Tennis is played only among the wealthier folks, as the poorer class can't afford to buy tennis rackets, balls, etc. Our good friend J. Žukas went to Lithuania a few months ago, and is now teaching the folks to play the game. American football is something they see in the movies but do not fully understand. It will probably never become one of the major sports in Lithuania. Baseball is almost unknown. The late Capt. Darius once tried to popularize the game but somehow the people could not see it.

YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED TO KNOW THAT IN LITHUANIA:

Annual average temperature — 45 F
Summer average temperature — 64 F
Extreme changes in temperature — 86 to 22
Lithuanians make up 80% of entire population.
Seven out of every 100 are Jews; 4 Germans; 3 Poles.
Eighty percent of the populace are Catholics; 10% Protestants.
Increase of births over deaths in population is about 25,000 annually.
There are more women than men.
Every square mile is inhabited by approximately 107 people.
Nemunas, the main river, is over 600 miles long; Vilija almost 500 miles.

AND WE ALWAYS THOUGHT THEY NEVER COME BACK...

"Gerbiame, jei jums reikia graboriaus — būtinai šaukite poną Eudeikį, o jis jums kuo gražiausiai patarnaus. Jei netikite, paklauskite tų kuriems jis yra patarnavęs..."
Announcer on the Eudeikis radio program — Sept. 28, 9:08 p. m.

And that reminds us of the Atlanta judge who declared four-minute kisses illegal. Of course, we agree with him. There ought to be a law against stopping so soon.
Oklahoma Daily.



Who says "Jaunimas" hasn't created a furore?... A few more issues and we'll be a household word... We took a few copies of "J." to the L. J. L. meeting held Sept. 22nd... most of the members were present and eagerly devoured "J."... in came the president, Albina Gulbin... meeting was called, but the members were too engrossed in "Jaunimas" to pay any attention... after rapping for order empty times, Albina gave up and walked out on the meeting... All we can say to this is that we're sorry we were the cause of the disruption, but if you L. J. L'ers will subscribe to "J.", you'll get your copies regularly by mail and will be able to read the latest in peace in your home...

While on the subject of the L. J. L. we must mention the fact that Mickey Jawars, Jr., joined the organization and was chosen as special correspondent to "Jaunimas"... Everybody is calling Mickey 'Optimist No. 1' after his photo appeared in these columns...

Joseph Palubinas and Agnes Sufkus, both of Marquette, are going to live as cheaply as one after October 11th... the ceremony is to take place at the Nativity B. V. M. parish church... the reception at the Cicero Community Hall... Among those who slipped rings on fingers is Nick Kulys, popular organist of St. Michael's church... the woman in the case is Miss Patricia Vaisnora, Cicero chorister... they haven't announced any definite date for the wedding... Josephine Bittin, the 'great big girl from the South' is sporting a beautiful 21 diamond ring on that certain finger also... to date, no one knows who party of the second part is... 'tis said that Josephine does not particularly care for the ring... she wants a better one!...

Joe Glebauskas, vice-president of the K of L Chi. district, is also the district's sports commissioner... Stella Skudas is taking German lessons these days... Her latest flame is a German... Sophie Wistart and Pete Kavaliauskas have gone pftt... Eddie Chepulis suffered a nervous breakdown and is recuperating at Hinsdale...

Stella Rimkus, popular "Pirmyn" soloist, is expecting an engagement ring any day now... the man touring the jewelry stores for the proper size is a blonde Lith from out of town... Stella's sister Helen is studying nursing... and having one heck of a time with the M. D.'s and internes... who doesn't have a heck of a time with those people?... Something you and I are not supposed to know... the couple in question are doing everything possible to keep it a secret, but... a certain Miss A. R., 18th Street Pirmynite, will middle-aisle it with Joe in November...

Some more romance... Aldona Mikuzis who was very independent when it came to romance, went to Omaha, Nebraska last Labor Day and met one Peter Kerdeikis... they're practically engaged now and wedding bells will follow soon... Which leaves us wondering what the fellow from the North Side will do... he had a crush on Aldona...

Paul Saltimieras, who believes that it pays to play politics, finally is awarded for his faithfulness to the party and gets himself a nice state political job...

This one is new on all of us... We used to think that at a wedding — the bride should be the center of attraction... Is'nt that the reason for all that grand' marching in to church and people standing on pews and watching and admiring the beautiful bride? Well at Alice Astrauskas "veselija" last Saturday, one of the bridesmaids, Stella S. to be exact, decided to change the conventionality of weddings... SO... She refuses to accompany the couple... After every one concerned were in church already and the priest was about to start the knot-tying ceremony... The bridesmaide walks in and with her special costume and all — she does a march a la grand, and steals the show...

Stephanie Kazan, well-known West Sider, recently celebrated her birthday by throwing a party which was attended by most of her frans...

THIS AND THAT

TIME MAY MARCH ON, BUT PHONE DIALOGS LIKE THIS WILL NEVER CHANGE

— Hello sweetie pie!
* Hello!
— And how are today?
* All, right. Thank you. And how are you?
— Just fine and dandy...
* And who's speaking, may I ask?
— Me!
* "Me" who?
— It is I.
* "I" who?
— Guess!
* Agnes?
— No.
* Mary?
— No. Guess again.
* Kathleen?

— Eh, eh, eh... Wrong again.
* Well who then are you?
— It's me...

SHE CERTAINLY KNOWS WHAT SHE WANTS!

Rimta, graži, išsilavinusi Lietuva, 26 m. amžiaus, ištėkės už turtingo Amerikono ar Kanadiečio Lietuvo, 25-65 m. amžiaus, kuris savo pinigais atsikvies S. Amerikon. Prašomi rašyti tuoj: Meškytei, Naudvaris, Lušės p. Lithuania. Adv. in "DIRVA"

Roses are red,
Violets are blue.
Many men smoke,
But Fu Man Chu.
Daily Illini

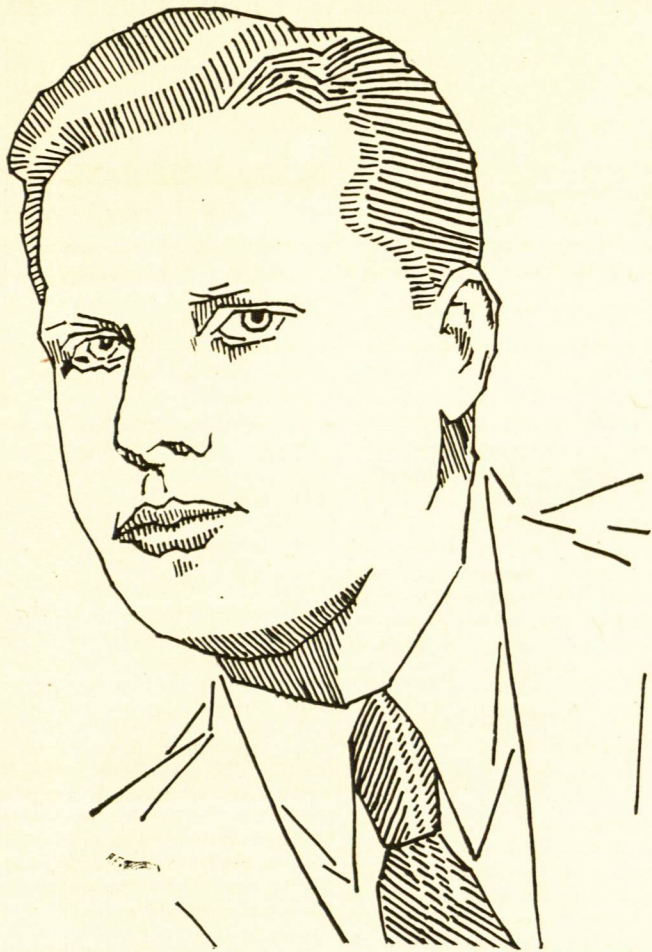
COMMENTARIES

By
E. J. K.

Every once in a while we protest indignantly against the claim of the Poles that Kosciuszko was a Pole. That is all very well, and as it should be. But there is an inconsistency in our protests. We claim Kosciuszko as one of our nationality, and yet we, as a nation, have done nothing in a tangible way to honor the memory of the great soldier. We have yet to hear of a single statue being erected by Lithuanians in honor of Kosciuszko. We have no societies named after him. We have never heard of a single memorial program by Lithuanians to honor his memory. The Poles have erected statues of Kosciuszko in every larger city in the United States, they name their societies after him, they honor his memory every year with appropriate ceremonies. They not only believe Kosciuszko was a Pole, but they demonstrate the sincerity of their belief by the way they honor him in a concrete way. We have but to stop and think a bit to realize how inconsistent our stand is. If we, the Lithuanians, were to erect at least one statue of Kosciuszko, it would do more towards clearing up the disputed point of his nationality than all the indignant but fruitless protests of the past. The Poles would protest against such an action, a controversy of no small proportions would immediately ensue, the public would become interested in the controversy, documentary and historical evidence would be put forth, and the attendant publicity would prove our nation's right to claiming Kosciuszko as one of our own.

Anent "It's Lithuanian (I Guess)" in the first issue — perhaps the most atrocious Lithuanian we ever read is that of the cigarette ads appearing in our newspapers. We hasten to add that the newspapers are not directly responsible for these travesties of our language, since they receive the cuts ready to print. The translators, whoever they may be, appear to have a rather extensive vocabulary of Lithuanian words — and that's about all. One of the first requisites for a translator is the ability to grasp and translate, not merely the words, but the meaning and spirit and vigor of the original. "Cream of the Crop" means something to an American. "Derliaus Grietinė" means nothing to nobody, except that every Lithuanian knows it is a rather ridiculous literal translation of the former. We don't have one of the ads before us now, but we recall one masterpiece some time ago that made "You're an old smoothie" into "Tu esi senas švelnuolis"! Of course, business is business, but our newspapers should take the initiative in stopping this abuse of our language, by tactfully suggesting to the cigarette companies that they should procure translators who can really translate, and not just anybody at all, whose knowledge of the Lithuanian language has been gleaned mainly from Lalis' Lithuanian-English Dictionary.

The other night, seated by the radio, we interrupted our musical reverie to recall some of the famous classical compositions that have added so much beauty to the life of the world, and in so doing have brought fame and honor to their composers and the nations that brought them forth. We particularly remembered the pieces whose very titles remind the listener of the country of their origin — Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsodies, Dvorak's Bohemian suites, Chopin's Polonaises, Sibelius' Finlandia, Herbert's Irish Symphony, and the countless others. As a nation, we Lithuanians do not yet have such a dis-



Drawn Special for JAUNIMAS

ALEXANDER G. KUMSKIS, President of the Lithuanian Democratic League of Cook County, one of the outstanding Lithuanian political leaders of this day, a former Athlete and Swimming Coach at St. Leo's High School and the C. Y. O. Center. A Lithuanian American Youth who has proved himself a real leader; we are glad to welcome him as a new member of our staff, with this issue you will find Al's comments on present day politics and views of Chicago and Cook County Political Leaders.

tinguishing classic in this catalogue. But we should be neither envious nor discouraged because of this. Music belongs to humanity, and not to the individual nations. And when the cultural life of our nation has developed to at least a fraction of that of the other nations, we can expect immortal music, music that will be loved by the whole world, to come forth from Lithuania. We must remember that the renaissance of Lithuania dates back a mere eighteen years. No one can expect too much from that short period of development, though the cultural, economic and social progress of our nation during these eighteen short years has astounded the world.

We had the honor and the great fortune to know the late Father Kulikauskas quite intimately, to work under him and with him. He was a holy man, a true religious, and an ardent Lithuanian. His untimely death is a distinct loss to the Lithuanian nation in America, since the unity of our people and the preservation of our nationality were very close to his heart. Requiescat in pace!

THIS CHANGING AGE

This is the age of politicians,
This the age of sellers, tongued magicians,
This is the age of all the-ticians,
Off youth ideals and fierce ambitions.

This is the age of revelations,
Of science and learning, their ovations,
The age and country wherein all nations
Mingle youth and aged of high, low stations.

This is the age, the great depression,
The dread and dark, the crazed obsession,
The age of hunger for possession,
Of thirst for security plus protection.

This is the age of inundations
Of scholars, doers, with the education,
Who in their mental dream gyrations
May solve this age in short duration.

Geo. Smulkis

LET'S TALK BUSINESS

Well, here's the second issue of JAUNIMAS and much to our regret — we are disappointing the skeptics who called our first issue the last. And what's more, we're getting some marvelous cooperation from young Liths not only in Chicago, but all over the country.

Our original plans were to publish JAUNIMAS the 1st and 15th of every month, but if you don't mind, we'll change those dates to the 5th and 20th of every month. The latter dates are more convenient for all concerned.

O Yes! The subscriptions are pouring in fast. In fact, they're coming in much faster than we had ever figured. But, many of our readers probably misunderstood our little coupon in the first issue. JAUNIMAS CAN be had for a period of less than one year; you can subscribe for any length of time.

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SPALIŲ 9 DIENA

(Continued from page 1)

Tasai tradicinis užsispyrimas ir atkaklumas, kuris ryškiai spindi visoje lietuvių tautos istorijoje, jaučiamas taip pat ir kovoje už Vilniaus kraštą. Nė lenkų gąsdinimai, nė diplomatų pastangos Lietuvą sutaikinti su Lenkija, nė ekonominiai minusai, kuriuos tenka mums pakelti neturint normalių su pietų kaimynu santykiu, nepajėgė sulaužyti lietuvišką atkaklumą ir atsiskirti nuo savo į Vilniaus kraštą teisių.

Antroji priežastis kodėl lietuvių tauta taip stipriai laikosi dėl Vilniaus klausimo tai įsitikinimas, kad reikalavimas nėra paremtas kokiais nors tautiniai egoistiniais motyvais, bet, kad Vilnius ir Vilniaus kraštas yra gyvas, liečias visą tautos kultūrinį ir ekonominį gerbuvį, reikalas.

Juk Vilnių Gediminas o ne kas kitas įsteigė. Tenai ant senoviško lietuviško aukuro lietuvių rankomis ir lėšomis išstatyta didžiulė katedra. Tenai o ne kur kitur randasi visoje Lietuvoje garsus "Aušros Vartai". Vilniuje pastatytas ir veikia lietuviškos kultūros židinys-universitetas.

Kaip Vilniuje taip ir visame krašte nuo senovės laikų gyvena lietuviai. Lietuviško atgimimo laikais tenai darbovosi mūsų tautos pionieriai. Tenai suvažiuo viso krašto delegatai ir pasirašė nepriklausomybės aktą.

Kitais žodžiais Vilnius tai mūsų tautos kultūrinis ir ekonominis centras iš kurio išplaukia gyvybinės jėgos, reikalingos sekmingam tautos klėstėjimui.

Nesena tuos mūsų teisėtus reikalavimus patvirtino ir aukščiausias Haagos tarptautinis tribunolas išnešdamas sprendimą mūsų naudai. Teisybė tasai sprendimas nepamainė Vilniaus byloje "status quo" ir lenkai nepasitraukė iš mūsų teritorijų, bet tasai sprendimas suteikė lietuvių tautai didelę moralę paspirtį ir paakstinimą ir toliau laikytis užimtų pozicijų.

Tasai Vilniaus klausimo supratimas ir jo realus įvertinimas yra gal viena iš svarbiausių priežasčių, kodėl mūsų tautoje dabar 16 metų nuo teritorijos užėmimo praėjus, tasai reikalavimas užnot silpnėti, jis nuolatos auga ir stiprėja. Todėl nėra mažiausios abejonės, kad tie reikalavimai, kuriuos nekuriu linę vadinti svajonėmis, gal visai netolimoje ateity virs realybe.

Keliai, kuriuos turime vartoti Vilniui atgauti yra paprasti ir aiškūs. Lietuva, prie dabartinių aplinkybių, jokių būdu negali ginklo pagelba atsitiinti tas kas jai priklauso. Bet ir be ginklo pagelbos yra būdų ir priemonių, kaip tuos mūsų tautos troškimus įvykdyti. Netolimoji praeitis mums rodo, kad lietuviai kariavo su Rusijos imperija ne ginklu, bet kultūrinėmis priemonėmis. Teisybė toji kova nedavė staigių, pozityvių rezultatų, bet tasai darbas pamažu žingsnis po žingsnio pakirto tuos ryšius, kurie jungė Lietuvą su buvusia Rusijos Imperija. Taip pat ir Vilniaus klausime dabartiniu momentu prieisina vartoti panašius metodus. Lietuviai gyveną Nepriklausomoj Lietuvoj jau pilnai įsamonyti ir supranta Vilniaus Lietuvai reikšmę. Pirmoji užduoties dalis jau atlikta. Dabar lieka tą įsamonytą įkvėpti ir į Vilniaus krašto gyventojus ir juos apsaugoti nuo ištautėjimo bangų. Vilniaus okupantai, suprasdami liaudies nusistatymo reikšmę, visomis išgalėmis naikina lietuviškos kultūros požymius: keičia vietovardžius, naikina lietuviškas mokyklas, varžo susipratusių lietuvišką elementą dirbti naudingą kraštui lietuvišką darbą.

To žalingo lietuvių tautai darbo sustabdymui jau senai veikia Lietuvoje, vadinama "Vilniui Vaduoti Sąjunga" su visuose Nepriklausomos Lietuvos miestuose ir miesteliuose skyriais, kurie stengiasi suteikti moralės ir, kiek aplinkybės leidžia, materialinės pagelbos Vilniaus krašto lietuviams. Darbas tai nelengvas, reikalaujantis daug taktų, sumanumo ir energijos bei ištvermės. Tos Sąjungos veikla yra žymus įrankis palaikyti Vilniaus krašte lietuviybės dvasią ir sustabdyti ištautėjimo bangą. Nežiūrint okupantų dedamų pastangų nutautinti Vilniaus kraštą, nepaisant mokytojų kalinimo ir mokyklų uždarinėjimo toji lietuviška dvasia kiekvienais metais vis stiprėja ir bujoja. Vieton areštuoto mokytojo jo vieton stoja keleta pasišventusių patrijų vieton uždarytos mokyklos dygsta slaptos mokyklos, organizacijos ir rateliai.

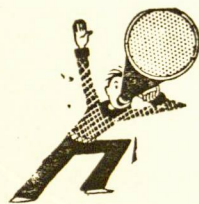
Džiuginanti kiekvieno lietuvių širdį žinia, kad tasai Vilniaus krašto gyventojų įsamonijimas kiekvienais metais apima vis didesnius plotus; kad tasai tautinis sąmojus vieton nykti vis gyviau bujoja; kad tautinis susipratimas, paremtas stipraus ištvermingo lietuviško charakteriaus požymiais išbujos į galingą judėjimą, kuris sugebės nutraukti tuos pančius, kuriuos okupantai uždėjo ant trečdalis Lietuvos teritorijos.

Tad ir ši spalio 9 dieną lai nebus diena liudėsio ir beprasmingų aimanavimų. Lai tai bus diena pasirijimo ir atsijauninimo tą teisingą ir šventą mūsų tautos kovą tęsti iki sekmingos pabaigos.

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Shorts On Sports

By Jack L. Jatis

This was a trying season for our Lithuanian sport champions. First, our famous Jack Sharkey (Zukauskas), the former world's champion heavyweight boxer's comeback to fistic fame was blasted by Joe Louis.

Johnny Goodman, former open golf champion, won his way up to the semifinals, then lost to Johnny Fischer of Cincinnati 2 to 1.

Vytautas Tamulis, our very brilliant rookie, who made such a fine showing with the New York Yankees last season, also had a set back. Tamulis developed a sore arm at the beginning of the past season and was sent to the minors to regain his last season's form.

Our Lithuanian professional footballers fared much better.

Ed Danouskis, former Fordham U. flash, is in line for the regular quarterback position on the New York team. Since Ken Strong and Harry Newman are both through, it seems inevitable that Danouskis will be moved from fullback to the key position. Danouskis' recent brilliant play against the all stars at New York won the game for the professionals.

Tony Blazine, who became famous as the only small school star to ever make the "Tribune" All Star team, signed a contract last year with the Chicago Cardinals, and is delivering the goods this season in a big way. Blazine is a typical Lith. and comes from the southern part of Illinois.

It is estimated that there are about twelve Lithuanian professional stars playing today. Over eight Lithuanians will be starring on college teams this year and several hundred on high school teams. So all of you football fans, "Get busy and send in the names and records of your favorite professional, collegiate, and high school stars and will print them for you."

As predicted in the last issue of "JAUNIMAS", Andy Puplis is making the big time in college football. Last week the Chicago papers carried a picture of the Notre Dame backfield with Andy Puplis as quarterback. The caption stated that Andy is now the first string quarterback and ready to go places. Last Saturday, in a game against the Frosh, Andy's trained toe booted three out of four placement kicks for extra points.

High school football heroes took the spot light this past week and the Lith's certainly covered themselves with glory. At Harper high, Herman Pudzevelis, playing a brilliant game at right half, climaxed the day's performance by carrying the ball from the fifty yard line to the four yard line on intercepted pass. As a result of his fine work, Harper defeated Calumet 6-0. On Harper's regular lineup, we have three other Lith's, Daunoras, Klemauskas, and Rekestis.

Tilden Tech. also excited our interest when quarterback Jankauskas and halfback Menkus did most of the work in their team's victory over Hyde Park. Menkus scored two touchdowns and Jankauskas scored one. Rimkus, another Lith, played a fine game at left tackle.

Among other Lithuanian public high school stars, we find Galuskas at Morgan Park, Menkus at Bowen, and Jankauskas at Harrison.

Next week a brief review of the football stars at the Catholic high schools will be submitted by our reporter John Shimkus. Watch for it!

Although the football season has overtaken us, we find that baseball takes its last stand with the world series going on as this issue goes to press. We promised our readers a little enlightenment

2nd Lithuanian Open Boxing Tourney Entries Close October 9th

BULLETIN

Latest entries:

St. Salomea Polish parish;
132nd infantry;
Jackie Dann's Club, South
Chicago;

Pete Wistort's gymnasium;
State Health Club;
Roosevelt High School;
Lindbloom High School;
Tilden High School;

Only a few more days remain to enter the Lithuanian open boxing tournament, which begins Monday, October 12th, at the All Saints Parish Hall, 108th and Wabash Ave.

Charles Shedvilas, director of the tournament, announces that due to the large number of entries, no applications will be accepted after midnite Friday, October 9th.

Tickets for the bouts may be had for 50 cents, regular admission, or 75 cents ringside seats, and may be purchased at the office of "Jaunimas" 2215 West Cermak Road, from our Sports Editor, Jack Juozaitis, 6822 So. Rockwell St., from the tournament director, Chas. Shedvilas, 341 Kensington Ave., or by calling Pullman 3017, or Republic 4631.

NEW SPORTS DIRECTOR FOR CHICAGO'S K OF L

All sport activity of the Knights of Lithuania, Chicago district for the 1936-37 season will be headed by its newly appointed sports director Joseph Glebauskas, former St. Phillips High School and Marquette University athlete.

BASEBALL PICKS

Hon. Jack Juozaitis, sports editor-Yankees in 6 and Cubs in 7.

Hon. Lon Labanauskas-Giants in 6 and White Sox in 6.

Hon. Joseph Poshka-Giants in 7 and Cubs in 7.

Hon. Joseph Glebauskas, K of L Chicago distr. sports director-Giants in 7 and Cubs in 4.

Hon. John Shimkus, Mgr. of the Marquette K of L baseball team-Yankees in 5 and Cubs in 5.

about a few of the big league stars whose names we mentioned, so here goes.

Since the Yankees are playing the World Series, we are happy to relate that one of our Lithuanians is in the Series in the person of Johnny Broaca, who has been proved beyond a doubt a Lithuanian and a good one at that. As mentioned previously in this column, Vytautas Tamulis, Johnny's teammate is no longer with the Yanks. Incidentally, both Johnny and Vytautas were guests of honor last year at a banquet in Detroit, Michigan, sponsored by the Detroit K of L Council. It is claimed that both Broaca and Tamulis made very good Lithuanian speeches after the dinner.

Bill Jurgas and the Waner Brothers are not Lithuanian. Charles Godels of the Westville K of L team was signed by the St. Louis Cardinals, but farmed out to the Minors and played with the Springfield and Danville clubs in the Three-eye League in 1932. He finished the season with Greencastle, Pennsylvania and is now employed at the McCormick plant in Chicago.

The "Hacker Smacker" Wilson of former days is reputed to be Lithuanian, as one of the Lithuanian newspapers printed a family history of Hack Wilson a few years ago and no one has ever disproved this fact. However, we'll let this stand as is, despite the fact that 5 years ago, Pat Flannagan said that Hack Wilson was a German.

The President of the Chicago Lithuanian Olympic Comm., John Borden is still in Europe and according to the latest reports he has challenged not only the Lith-

LITHUANIAN LEADS AMERICAN OLYMPIC TEAM TO VICTORY

The Olympic games at Berlin, Germany, saw many stars performing for America. No American team made a more impressive showing than the basketball team, which easily defeated all nations and won the championship. The captain of this team was a Lithuanian youth from Los Angeles, California, Frank Lubinas.

Another Lithuanian, John Macionis from Yale University was also a regular member of the swimming team. Both Capt. Lubinas and John Macionis made an impressive showing in their respective lines and proved what we always maintained, that the Lithuanians are among the best athletes of the world.

Other former basketball stars of the U. S. A. Collegiate circles were Budrunas of Marquette University, and Ed Krause of Notre Dame, considered the best college players of all times.

uanian, but the Latvian and Estonian teams as well, to play the Chicago Lithuanians in Basketball and other sports.

Speaking of Lithuanian Olympic stars, we are reminded that Joe Zukas who went back to Lithuania to teach tennis, and two Lithuanians from Kaunas, Giedris and Jakutis, recently entered a tournament at Estonia. According to the reports, Zukas and his Lithuanian friends fared no better there, than they did previously in Latvia, being defeated 5 to 0.

The captain of the American Olympic Basketball team, Lubinas, after winning the title for U. S. A. at Berlin, Germany, went to Kaunas and coached the Lithuanian University team in the fine art of hitting the hoop. In other words, he started where Konnie Savickas left off. Lubinas' mother and father, who went along to visit Lithuania, live on the West Coast, Los Angeles, California.

Cycling continues to be a major sport in Lithuania as in all other European countries. On August 2nd, a bike race for all classes was held in Lithuania. The winners, Berins, and Podzius made the 25 kilometers (about 15½ miles) in the fast time of 46'07.80. The Girls' Race of 5 kilometers was won by Vulykte — time: .09'46.20.

Back in Chicago, an active interest in Bowling is being taken. This year the K of L league expects to have a League, and the Marquette Social Club has already started its schedule at the Western Recreation Parlors, 63rd St. and Western Ave., every Thursday eve.

APPLICATION

2nd LITHUANIAN OPEN BOXING Tournament

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THE CUB REPORTER

Dear Mr. Boss:

That West Side Lithuanian Golf Tournament came off alright and I covered it in grand style.

The tournament took place at the Cog Hill Course and contestants were as follows: Tony Linkonis, Chuck Norwich, Joe Kraujalis and Joe Poshka. All together there were 4 contestants and three spectators including myself (altho 1 more or less was considered a member of the press).

The start was scheduled for 2 p. m., but when I got there at 3:00, they still weren't playing. The cause of delay, as it was explained to me, was due to the fact that both Joes, Kraujalis and Poshka, overrated Cog Hills. Whereas at Marquette Park they claim they can find a ball to start playing within 10-15 minutes, here at Cog Hill they killed more than an hour before they found some balls.

Well anyhow — the tournament was under way by 3:15.

In my humble opinion the best players undoubtedly, were the two Joes, on account of they had more chances to swing at the ball.

Tony Linkonis had all the bad breaks because on many occasions, with the first swing, his ball would land very close to the hole and thus lose him many excellent opportunities for some extra strokes.

Chuck Norwich, at the very start, also had some bad breaks and lost more than one chance for those extra strokes. Later, however, as the game progressed, after getting a bit peeved he be-

gan to improve and at times threatened to beat the 2 Joes' high score. But that was just a threat and nothing came of it.

The tournament ended in a very peaceful manner with the exception of a few outbursts of temper. But after all, one should expect that in any sport.

All in all — the West Side's Lithuanian golf tournament was O. K.

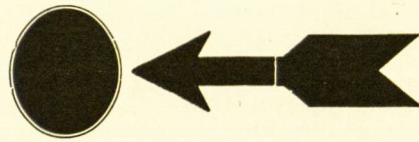
Yours very truly,

Jimmy Sporting

P. S. Put thru my expense account will ya, Boss? On hole 3, I had a bar of candy — 10c; 7th hole, Coca-colas — 10c; 13th hole — lost 10c on a bet (I bet Joey Kraujalis couldn't hit the ball in 3 swings — darned if he didn't hit it on the 2nd swing!); hole 15 — popcorn—10c; hole 17 — chewing gum 5c; 19th hole — various liquid refreshments and tip — \$3.15. Total \$3.60. But then, I found 6 balls that I sold for 5c each, so I'll need only \$3.30. Put it thru, will ya, Boss?

Jimmy

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POLITICAL VIEWS

By

AL. G. KUMSKIS

(Editors Note: This political column is and will be conducted by AL. G. Kumskis, and since these are personal opinions, they are presented as such):

This is the first issue in which this column appears. Needless to state, we welcome criticism, suggestions, and also contributions from all our readers regardless of party or religious affiliations.

We stand for: Re-election of Roosevelt; Lithuanian recognition by both major political parties; and Election of John T. Zuris as judge of the Municipal Court of Chicago on November 3.

Help! Help! This Column is conducted with material gathered from the Lithuanian people, by the Lithuanian people, and for the Lithuanian people. Who said there were no Lithuanian Politicians?

The recent John T. Zuris for Judge picnic and outing held at Ryans Woods, 87th and Western Ave., drew over 25,000 people. The committee consisted mostly of younger Liths, who take the leading part in our present day Lithuanian political activities for the Democratic Party. The affair itself was nicely arranged and a program which included sports, dancing and entertainment was enjoyed by all.

The Chicago Lithuanians under the name of John T. Zuris Boosters have just completed plans for an informal Dinner and Dance to be given in honor of our Lithuanian candidate. The Red Lacquer Room at the Palmer House was reserved for October 18th. Dinner will be served at 6:00 P. M. No collections or contributions will be solicited at this affair.

The tickets are Five Dollars a plate and reservations should be made in advance.

Possibly the most sensational event of the year in Lithuanian political circles was the recent resolution passed by the Lithuanian Democratic League of Cook County divorcing the Lithuanians from Congressman A. J. Sabath's Foreign Groups.

The primary reason for this action was that the Lithuanians are now fully organized under Lithuanian leaders with Ward organizations throughout the city and Cook County, and are very well able and capable of conducting their own campaign in this election, as they did in the Primaries.

Another reason for severing all relations with Sabath was because of the appointment of K. Jurgelionis and C. Chesnul as directors of a headquarters opened by Sabath in the Lithuanian name. The Lithuanian Democratic League points out the fact that neither of these directors nor their lieutenants namely; Kal, Grigal, Garucka or Stulpinas are in any way associated with any Lithuanian organization or political club.

Since all the above-mentioned persons are Horner Democrats who opposed the regular County Central Committee organization last primary, this proves that the Congressman looks out for his own nationality first, even at the expense of our people.

Two new Lithuanian Democratic clubs are being organized in the 21st ward, one in the West Side, the other at the East end (18th and Union). Both will be affiliated with the Lithuanian Democratic League of Cook County.

JOHN T. ZURIS BIOGRAPHY



Mr. John T. Zuris regular democratic candidate for Judge of the Municipal Court, is especially well qualified for the office he is seeking.

Mr. Zuris was born at Pittston, Penn. May 25 1898 and has lived in Chicago at 4624 S. Francisco Avenue for over 25 years and is married.

He received his law degree at Kent College of Law and was admitted to practice in 1925, and is now engaged in the general practice of law with offices located at 105 W. Madison St. in Chicago. During the World War, he served in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army, and is Judge Advocate of the 4th dist. of the American Legion of Illinois, which district is composed of 35 legion posts.

Mr. Zuris served as president of the Lithuanian-American Lawyers Ass'n for two terms, Honorary Pres. of Lith. Dem. League of Cook County, and is now president of the Lithuanian Chamber of Commerce of Chicago, he is also a member of the Moose Greater Chicago Lodge, and is active in many business, fraternal, church and local civic organizations.

West Pullman and Roseland are joining hands in organizing a Lithuanian Democratic Club in the 9th Ward. Stan Patreikis, Steve Dambro, Frank Pavilonis, Leo Konstant, and George Smulkis are some of the well known Lithuanian leaders who are taking an active part in this work.

The 13th Ward Lith. Democrats, who have one of the finest and largest clubs in the city, are protesting the appointment of Irish precinct captains in Lithuanian precincts. A Committee under the leadership of Atty. Charles Zekas have solicited petitions in several precincts and over 800 names will be presented to the Ward Committeeman by a delegation of Lithuanian voters from this ward.

The Democrats are not the only ones to show activity these days. A recent picture of a group of prominent old time republican leaders appeared in the Chicago "Tribune" as joining the Volunteers. Prof. Mast (Mastauskas) is back in town and has rounded up his old time colleagues for a pow-wow. Our guess is that Prof. Mast is due for a surprise. The old time system of political activity among the Lithuanians has disappeared entirely. The present set up calls for an organization and this takes quite some time. It seems that while the Prof. was away, the young upstarts Juozaitis, Kumskis, Zekas, Saltimieras, Jakaitis, Damkus, Dr. Poska and John T. Zuris have stolen the show. Instead of the Republican sentiment as of old, Mr. Mast finds the Lithuanians have been converted entirely to the Democratic principles with organizations and everything.

Just the same, the old fox probably has a bag of tricks as usual.

BOOKS

"Books — some a bit old, some a bit new, with some a bit of neither...."

NORTH TO THE ORIENT

Anne Morrow Lindbergh

Anne Lindbergh is a surprisingly talented writer. And she is also a very likeable person — with not a trace of the snobbishness and egoism that is all too apparent in the books of those who have tasted fame. However, if the Lindberghs were not Somebody, "North to the Orient" would be nothing more than the account of the relatively uneventful flight of two people from New York to China—via Canada and Alaska. Mrs. Lindbergh's technical descriptions are interesting. Her philosophizing — of which there is plenty — is rather dull, unless one happens to be in the mood for philosophizing.

IT CAN'T HAPPEN HERE

Sinclair Lewis

Alas and alackaday, Sinclair Lewis has degenerated into a Writer With a Message! To give you an idea how serious he is in this latest much-ballyhooed novel of his — I recall only two up-to-par Lewisian wise-cracks in the whole book. The mantle of seriousness does not fit him well.

The whole thing is concerned with a Buzz Windrip who, in a couple of months, defeats Roosevelt (Republicans, please note) and immediately makes himself dictator of the U. S. A. If you remember "Gabriel Over the White House", you will recall President Hammond, to the tune of Gabriel's horn-tooting, (in reality, an excerpt from a Brahms symphony), took things into his own hands by firing his Cabinet. Windrip is much more thorough. On his second day in office, he clamps both Houses of Congress in the hoosegow! Buzz dictates to America in approved Hitlerian fashion — with storm troops, censorship, concentration camps, confiscation, persecution, shooting, et, al.

I am not concerned with the probability or possibility of a dictatorship in this country. You guess, as well as Hamilton's, Hearst's or mine, is as good as Sinclair Lewis'. I am merely considering "It Can't Happen Here" as another novel by the husband of Dorothy Thompson. I judge all his books by "Arrow-smith" — one of the greatest novels ever written by an American. "It Can't Happen Here" is entertaining enough, but nothing to give you a case of literary high-blood pressure. Acting on my consitutional rights as an amateur book-reviewer, I don't have to prove what I say.

THE GOOD COMPANIONS

J. B. Priestley

A bit of all right. The English do have a sense of humor. "The Good Companions" is chuck full of it. Here is a corking good story, one which will entertain even the most fastidious readers. Priestley is no Prophet or Reformer — he is just an exceptionally gifted writer, taking, incidentally, for his motto "Life is Worth Living — No Fooling."

IF I HAD FOUR APPLES

Josephine Lawrence

Excellent. Absorbing, entertaining, timely and thought-provoking. No novel could be more timely than one dealing with the problems of a family whose income has been snipped by the depression. "Yea, verily," 999 out of a thousand readers will agree, "there is a lesson in this book — for the other fellow."

WHY KEEP THEM ALIVE?

Paul De Kruif

I am tempted to shout from housetops every time I read one of Paul De Kruif's books. This inimitable author has demonstrated that there is no fiction more absorbing, no history more enlightening, no drama more gripping than the narrative of the discoveries (and the men who made them) which relieve or prevent the suffering of humanity. In this, his latest, Dr. De Kruif asks himself and the reader "But what is the good of all these priceless discoveries of medical and physiological science, if only those with money enough can benefit from them?"

"Why Keep Them Alive?" is a hard-hitting book, a merciless, unrelenting indictment of this much-flattered civilization of ours — "our ghastly civilization (writes Dr. De Kruif) that's great chiefly in its science and treats its men and women of science as if they were not much more than clever varlets; that's ruled by the Calvinistic humbug that God has predestined suffering and that suffering is good; that awards its searchers prizes, smirks congratulations at them, and allots the real benefits of their science to the well-heeled few; that turns its face from millions in pain, or hidden-hungry, or dying with an absolutely possible abundance of life — giving science all around them."

One of the publisher's blurbs, that "This book may make some heads turn gray...." is perhaps not such an exaggeration after all.

MURDER FOR BREAKFAST

Peter Hunt

Here's one over which to lick your chops. Ghost voices, corpses, wise-cracking cops, with just the right amount of fantasy and stickiness to bring joy to the heart of even the most blasé mystery-story fan.

ST. HYACINTH TEAM WINS C.Y.O. TITLE

As a result of its third victory St. Hyacinth will now have permanent possession of the Handsome Cardinal Mundelein trophy awarded to the C. Y. O. team, winning it three times. St. Hyacinth also won the C. Y. O. title in 1933 and 1934.

St. Adrian's team which won the title in 1935, lost out in the Semi-finals to St. Stanislaus team and later lost again in the playoffs for third place, therefore finishing fourth place this season.

St. Adrian although representing an Irish Parish boasted many Lithuanians in their line up. Such prominent players as, Jaksis brothers, Rubas brothers, Andreshunas brothers, Kasinauskas, Adams and Raginis were mainstays in the St. Adrian team for many years and helped them win the National title two years in succession, the city title once, and have always been an outstanding team in other leagues.

LETTERS

Dear Editor:

Your new born newspaper — JAUNIMAS is certainly marvelous. Congratulations!

I sincerely hope the Lithuanians could give you all the things you want to possess. So wish you all good cheer, year after year, and all good luck to you in issuing this new born JAUNIMAS.

Yours very truly,
Eve A. Lukas

Dear Editor:

Congratulations for the good work. Hope you can get the sufficient financial backing.

Sincerely,
George Smulkis

Dear Editor:

Good luck to you! You've cast your sails in the right direction! Bon voyage!

Most sincerely,
Laura Mizer

Dear Editor:

Read the first issue of JAUNIMAS. Enjoyed immensely. That's the kind of youth paper that "hits the spot".

Sincerely,
A. M. P.

Dear Editor:

I have seen your first issue of JAUNIMAS and want to take the time to add my approval to the scores of compliments you must have already received. Although I am not Lithuanian I think the spirit of the paper is fine, and this is especially brought out in the article "Commentaries" which is very good. See no reason why the article "Lithuaniana" should be set in larger type. It seems to me that this type is too large for the width of the column and makes it a bit difficult to read. I enjoy the humor — "This and That". You can't go wrong with such a column. The sport page is fine. Will look forward to seeing further copies of the paper.

Grace Tosch

Dear Editor:

I want to extend my best wishes for the success of JAUNIMAS and to congratulate the sponsors of this worthy publication.

Sincerely yours,
J. A. Galdikis
(Dayton, Ohio)

Dear Editor:

I received your new Lithuanian paper JAUNIMAS. I shall be very glad to contribute articles now and then from Cleveland, and shall also endeavor to interest my friends and try to obtain many subscriptions for you.

With best wishes for your success, I am

Sincerely yours,
Mary E. Zupka,
(Cleveland, Ohio)

Dear Editor:

The first issue of JAUNIMAS is O. K. and meets not only my approval but also that of my friends. We're all determined to give you all the help we can.

Good luck!

Very truly yours,
G. M.

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Birute's Chorus

Hello everybody...

No don't move, I've come for but a short informal, chat, may I come in? Much has happened since the last time I was with you, do let me tell you about it.

Young people will be young, and elders will be elder... both will have their fun... hence plans for the party. What kind of a party, you say...? Masquerade, of course, what is more suited for this time of the year? Let's just take a bit more time, sit back, close your eyes, and imagine... (a very pleasant occupation indeed)... If you were coming, how would you dress, what would you be?... Tickets are to be had for fifty five cents (tax incl.) from any member of Birute's Chorus, the Director Mr. Byanskas, members of the Executive Board, and Yours Truly. No sales talk now, but honestly... your sure of a 'swell' time if you come.

The Masquerade will take place on Saturday night, October 31, at 8:30 P. M. A lovely hall under the address of 6319 South Ashland Ave. has been selected. Birute's Chorus cordially invites you to attend.

But of, course, talk and thought of the Masquerade Party does not occupy all our time... we leave plenty of it for song. Until the last week of September, some members were still taking their vacations, but now all is running smoothly with a large crowd out for Thursday nites. The first Thursday of each month means a business meeting, and plans for a month in advance.

However, I must not wear out my welcome, I said short chat, so... Sudiev, until the next issue of JAUNIMAS.

BJR.

CINEMA

THE GORGEOUS HUSSY — is advertised as an all star picture with Joan Crawford, Robert Taylor, Lionel Barrymore, Franchot Tone, Melwyn Douglas and James Stewart, yet unheralded Beulah Bondi walks away with the honors, as the understanding Mrs. Andrew Jackson. Lionel Barrymore gives a good account of himself with a good portrayal of president Jackson.

MY AMERICAN WIFE — Ann Southern, a blue blooded lassie from the far west, goes to Vienna and gets herself a titled husband — Francis Lederer, who after reaching his wife's grandfather's Fred Stones ranch, has a Wild Time. You will enjoy this picture.

GYPSIES — A Soviet picture with plenty of soviet propaganda. If you're broadminded in your political beliefs, "Gypsies" will appeal to you.

TEMPEST — Another Emil Jannings picture — another piece of remarkable acting. This fellow Jannings is really an actor. The more we see of him the more we want of him. Anna Sten went all the way to Germany to co-star in the role of Anya.

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Our prof., **Jimmy Rakauskas**, is working his head off trying to put over the musical revue **"From Schubert to Swing"**. And the way things are developing — this swinging of Schubert will be a real hit — even Schubert would applaud if he was alive.

The cast consists of over 100 singers, dancers, musicians and just stooges. No definite date has been set as yet for the presentation of the revue, but we hope to be able to announce the place and date definitely by the next issue.

"Dainorius"

LITHUANIAN JUNIOR LEAGUE NEWS

Members of this organization feel the loss of Aldona Gulbin, president, who resigned from the presidency of the L. J. L. at a meeting held Sept. 29th, because her work does not allow her to attend meetings regularly. She will be missed, for she put all her efforts into building up the Lith. Junior League to what it is today. Her resignation caused the following changes in officers: pres. Dan Dambrauskas, vice-pres. Ignatius Nestokus, while other officers remain the same.

Many thanks to those who attended our social last week. All present, I was told, enjoyed themselves. A committee has already been appointed to arrange a gala Halloween party, date of which will be announced in the near future. We invite members of other organizations to attend our affairs. We in turn will attend yours.

Mik.

RADIO TANTRUMS

More about the Lithuanian programs —

The Peoples programs Tuesday evenings have a variety of musical talent, the best of which so far were the "Radio Grenadiers", a trio of young male voices which — although they don't quite blend-sing most of their selections the right way. But even good things grow tiresome when they are presented week after week, so here's something listeners would appreciate — a more frequent change of talent.

The Progress programs Sunday mornings are useful in that they provide all the information on Sunday doings. For the musical portion — so-so. J. Romanas sings and announces. Once in a while the "Kaimiečiai" quartet sings in its usual Fred Waring style — all fast.

The Saltimieras program originated as the Evans Fur Co. program Monday nights. The new sponsor is an undertaker — of all people! I don't think it's very cheerful for some patient to tune on the radio for some enjoyment and hear instead, about how cheaply and elegantly he can be buried. For the rest of the program, the musical portion is very good, but there are too many commercials. If you need an orchestra, call Saltimieras; if you desire to further your child's musical education, call Saltimieras for a teacher; if you want to place advertising, call Saltimieras, etc., etc., etc. The same goes for the Sunday evening programs. The dedications are liked only by those for whom they are meant, and a number of dedications for every musical number don't help the program any.

Reminding you once more of the new series of programs to be relayed over WIND Sundays at 4:45 p. m., and daily at 7 p. m. by "Margutis", we sign off till the next issue.

Kilomaikis.

MOSTLY FOR NEWLY-WEDS OF THOSE 'ABOUT TO BE'

Now that 'The fight to beat the depression is in the bag' according to President Roosevelt, most young couples are starting out on their own. This means a little flat and the furniture that goes with it. For the flat, see you landlord, for the furniture — Ah! For the Furniture! — see the Roosevelt Furniture Co., located at 2310 W. Roosevelt Rd.

They'll feather your nest or furnish your flat according to how sentimental you are. And what a selection! You can find almost any model furniture you want. But — and here's the best part of it — you don't have to worry about the financial part of it. The Roosevelt Furniture Co. prices are low and their terms are very easy. We know this article in itself is no proof, but go down to the Roosevelt Furniture Co. Store, to see for yourself. Remember the address — 2310 Roosevelt Road.

AMONG YOUR YOUNG LITHS

It's hightime you were acquainted with some of our younger Lith professionals. One of the latest to come into the public eye is P. J. Ridikas, young Lith, funeral director and embalmer. Mr. Ridikas, who was associated with older Lith undertakers for some time, has just opened his own modern undertaking establishment in Bridgeport, at 3351 So. Halsted St.

What strikes the eye in Ridikas' place is the air of modernity which pervades.

Mr. Ridikas himself is a likeable young man with a pleasing personality. Another young Lith who made good.

IŠ ŠALIES ŽIURINT

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oficialaus ir specialaus kvietimo. Gaila. Jie nepagalvojo. Bet dėl to aimanuoti, jog visas vyčių ir pavasarininkų bendradarbiavimas keistas yra labai naivi logika.

Štai receptas, p. Savickau:
"Try for once to get off your high horse and get down to earth."

Because now it's no use. You're too high and we're too low".

Kitas keliauninkas — chigaietis adv. Jonas Bagdžius-Borden, kuris dabar jau bene koki keturi mėnesiai Lietuvoj lankosi po nematymo jos per keturiasdešimt septynis metus.

Adv. Borden jau truputį geresnio priėmimo susilaukė. Jam jau ir bankietas, kitas, surengta; gavo ir pakvietimų, kurių Savickas pasigedo. Net ir Gedimino ordoną gavo.

Lietuvoje p. B. buvo tituluojamas: Laisvės Varpo sumanytoju bei Amerikos lietuvių sporto Olimpiados pirmininku. Iš šių dviejų titulų, kasdieniniam vartojimui p. B. pasirinko paskutinį. Ir didžiumą savo pareiškimų Kauno spaudai jis darė vardu Amerikos lietuvių sportininkų.

Jis net surado, kad lietuviybė Amerikoje "tuo tarpu" (p. B. žodžiai. J. P.) išsilaikys tik per sportą.

Girdi — "Senoji Amerikos lietuvių karta mažėja, o Amerikoje gimęs jaunimas nebesidomi senųjų savitarpės rungtynėmis, kurios per keturiasdešimt metų eina tarp įvairių srovių. Modernusis jaunimas linksta daugiau į kuno kultūrą".

Šį pareiškimą cituojame iš "Trimito" ir kas liečia "senųjų rungtynes" — jis gana švelnus, bet p. B. žodžiai kituose laikraščiuose k. a. "Lietuvos Aids" — daug "riebsni" ir juos skaitant net veidas rausta... iš gėdos.

p. B. Amerikos lietuvių tokio mis tamsiomis spalvomis nupie-

šes, kad skaitome ir stebimės apie kokią Amerika jis kalba.

Amerikos lietuvių laikraščius, p. B. pamazgų indais išvadino. Į šiuos p. B. užmetimus atsakė kuo ne visi Amerikos liet. redaktoriai, bet geriausią atsakymą dave šimutis "Drauge".

"Žmonės mažai mano apie paukštį kuris į savo lizdą dergia..."

Adv. Borden neužilgo grįšta Chicagon ir Chic. liet. laikraščiai turėtų surengti jam gražų sutiktuvių bankietą. Ah?

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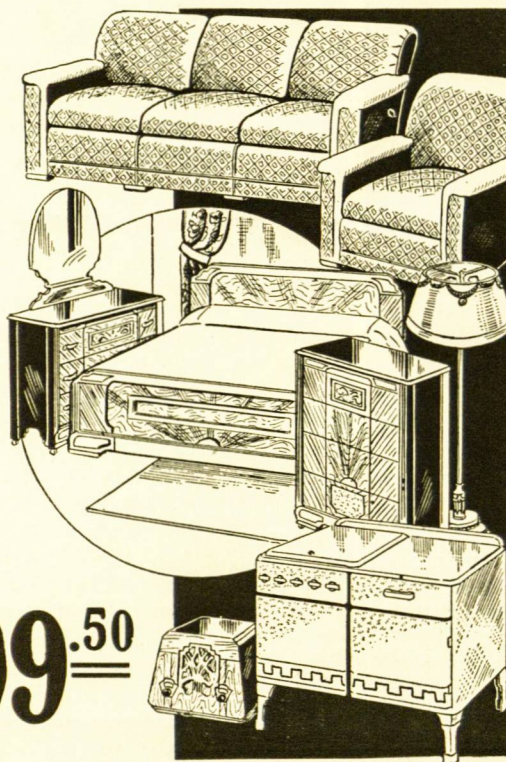
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