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## MUSICAL LANGUAGE

By Josephine Aleksa

Music! Who hasn't sat entranced through a musical performance? Who hasn't felt the quickening of the heart beat, the surge of young blood rushing through veins, the anconscious heat of the foot to rhythm?

The rythmical beating of drums, the sobbing of violins, the pulsating throb of the flute all add up into the word—music. Music is the language of all nations; a language understood by everyone!

The Lithuanian music in the old days of Paganism was usually a song of joyous freedom. But the song of Worship was written in minor key, a lament asking for protection and continued freedom from the Gods. But upon subjugation, the majority of Lithuanian folk songs were written in minor key. This key is known as the fifth court.

The ancient melodies of Lithuania became a very rich source for operatic music. The great composer, Verdi, had borrowed from these melodies to write one of his greatest operas. Besides Verdi, many other used these melodies as sources.

These old Lithuanian melodies are ripe with old memories while listening to them the imagination runs wild uncontrolled. Wild as the charge of the cavalry into battle, soft as a mother's lullaby, sweet as the innocent maiden's breath, and full of passion as the lovers serenade.

Music is the language of all times and of all the people. It is the historical record of man, beginning from the Earliest of Ages to the Present.

## BIRUTE

The great Bunco and Card Party is all over now — but memories still linger on of what a good time everyone had.

Unfortunately Birute was not prepared for quite such a large crowd as we did have. But we hope that everyone enjoyed their evening. Mariona Rakauskaitė was just one of our professional guests. Among the other guests were lawyers, doctors, business people of all types.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone for attending our little party, and wish to apologize for not having ample room to make everyone comfortable. Yet we do hope you had a good time.

We assure you all that when Birute will have her next affair — which will be soon — we will be prepared to give our friends comfort as well as plenty of fun. — Alto.

## FAREWELL PARTY FOR MISS BUCHINSKAS

Miss Johanna Buchinskas one of the five who were awarded a two year scholarship at the University of Lithuania is having a farewell party, October 24th, at Sandara's Hall, at 6 P. M.

We wish her all the luck and success, but to tell the truth everyone will miss her, we really hate to see her leave our midst.

## Amusement Reports

### RADIO

Did you know that the radio program expense the Campbell Soup Co. comes to about \$28,000 for a single show? Ford Motor Company spent about \$870,000 for programs on the C. B. S. for the initial six months of this year. Lady Esther Company paid

esting, and Miss Bernice Balickas and a very lovely display of watercolors, and numbers were bought, and there were two favorites one was called "The Leopard" and the other "Back Street". We congratulate you for such beautiful work.

Mr. F. Bastis after so many months of illness is just as full of ambition as ever. He was seen playing the part of Host at the Junior Birute's opening.

When Mr. Vaidyla gets involved with the ladies there is trouble. Since he promised to take care of the refreshments at the Junior Birute's party. The ladies were plenty angry when he announced he had forgotten the food.

Mrs. Balickas a noted west-side seamstress was the lucky one last Wednesday night at Birute's Bunco Party. She won Traveler's Radios — a lovely radio indeed, and we hope she will be very happy with it.

Ann Jakaitis, and Ann Kuzma, both former May Queens of Sandara are now participating in another beauty contest. We hope they will be picked as Queens again.

## Vieną Vaiką

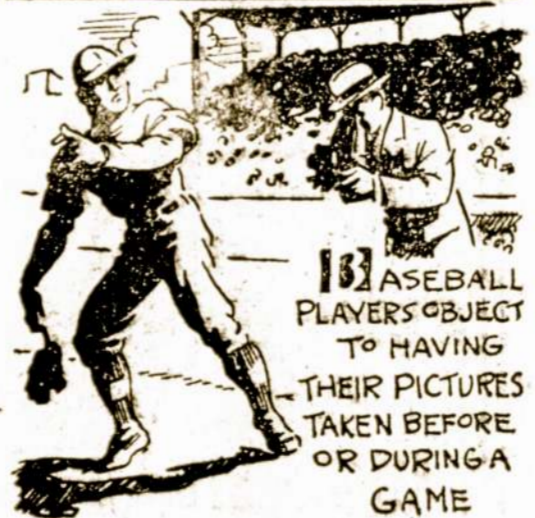
Šią savaitę Kauno apylinkės teisme buvo sprendžiama nepaprasta byla: susivargė dvi motinos savindamosi tą patį vaiką.

Bylos siužetas toks: Vilijampolėje gyvena pasiturį žmonės Giliai. Judu turi kelerių metų amžiaus vaiką. Vaikas jau lanko pradžios mokyklą. Vieną dieną užsi puolė G-lių vaiką pil. Sakalauskienė: ji tvirtina, kad vaikas esąs jos, tikrai jos. Ir labai panašus į ją.

S-nė aiškino, kad prieš ketelį metų ji vaiką pagimdžiusi, bet budama neturtinga, vaiką atidavė auginti savo pamotėi G-nei, o pati išvykus į Marijampolę. Dabar ji prasi-gyveno ir norėjus vaiką susirasti. Atvyko į Vilijampolę ir kreipėsi į pamotę. Toji ginas, kad jos vaiko neturinti — atidavus į kažkokią prieglaudą. S-nė išvaikščiojus visas žydu prieglaudas ir niekur savo vaiko neberadus. Bet netikė-

## STRANGE SUPERSTITIONS

By Edwin Finch



THE QUIETEST BELIEVED THAT THEIR MEDICINE MAN COULD DRIVE DISEASE OR AN EVIL SPIRIT FROM A PERSON BY BLOWING CIGARETTE SMOKE UPON HIS BODY

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# Traveler's Letter From Abroad

By John R. Palandech

We now turned our thoughts to the Hellenic race, as we soon were to sight the Islands of Greece and land for a few hours at the interesting Grecian City of the middle-ages period, the city of Patras. Here we found many things of interest for students of Grecian history and regretted that we could not go as far as Athens. Tomorrow we will be in Yugoslavia, and we arrive at Dubrovnik, formerly known as Ragusa, the oldest republic in the world. Before disembarking at Dubrovnik, however, we will cruise for about three hours in the famous Kotor Bay, the largest and finest seaport in the world.

The next morning we were up with the sun, and by the time we came on deck there were other passengers there just as eager as we to get a view of the Yugoslav coast-line. We hurried through our breakfast, and went up on the Commander's Bridge so as not to miss anything. The sun was now shining brightly and the sky as clear as crystal as the ship came closer to the Montenegrin mountains. Presently the great Lovćen was in sight. By this time most of the passengers were on the sun deck, trining their eyes upon the shore, where they saw, vividly, the famous Miločer, the Royal Summer home.

tai gatvėje pamačius savo vaiką einanti iš mokyklos ir pažinusi.

S-nė tvirtina, kad G-nė jos vaiką iš pamotės nupirkusi, nes ji pati negalinti gimdyti, bet tyčia atsigulus į liginę apgaudinėjama savo vyrą ir iš liginės sugrįžusi su jos pirktu vaiku.

As we passed Budva, the Serpentine automobile road leading to Cetinje could be seen. Presently we were roundin the Luštica peninsula and passed almost within a stone's throw of the two great fortifications, one on each side. Instantly the Kotor Bay opened its gates to us, and we were in full view of Herceg Novi, the key to Hercegovinian and Bosnian Commerce. Herceg Novi is being modernized and is now the chief business center and the beautiful summer and winter resort of the Boka. The fortress Spanola, which was used as an execution block for prisoners of war and political suspects by Austro-Hungarian government in the late war, towers over the city.

We were now in the bay and could see both sides of the channel. On the left we passed the Monastery Savina, the naval base, Zelenika, and many other small towns and villages which are scattered on both sides. Straight ahead is another naval base, Tivat, and just opposite is an island where the great Yugoslav Roman Catholic bishop, Učelini, who died recently, made his home.

As we passed this charming little island with its ancient monastery, we approached the „Chains“, or, a narrow pass which combines the two Kotor Bays. The name 'Chains' given to this channel, is derived from ancient times, when chains were strung from from one side to the other to keep pirates from entering the inner bay.

The big ship turned, and we were sailing back the same way as we came in. We experienced more than thirty miles of cruise, with beautiful scenery on both sides and the

shore line within a stone's throw from either side of the dock.

Within two hours after we left Boka we arrived at Dubrovnik, the Pearl of the Adriatic and our last stop in Yugoslavia.

It would take many books to tell of Dubrovnik's glorious past and its bright future. This town is a haven for tourists. There is more color, charm, beauty and novelty in the few blocks on the Stradun, its principal street, than there is in the entire length and breadth of some of the cities which we visited.

## Kokius Dainininkus Vertėtų Siūsti į Lietuvą?

Bukime atsargūs, kad nepadaryti sau sarmatos.

Ateinančią vasarą Kaune įvyksta dainos šventė. Žinoma, joj norėtų dalyvauti ir daugelis Chicago lietuvų dainininkų ir net chorų. Finansavimui šios muzikališkos ekskursijos jau pradėta rinkti pinigai. Ar jie bus sukelti, ar ne, tai kitas klausimas.

Kad keliomis į Lietuvą atsiųstų savo tikslo, reiktų gerai prie jos prisruošti. Kandi-

datai turi būti išsijoti ir parinkti tiktai tie, kurie kam nors tikę. Neuztenka skaitlinės, reikalinga ir kokybė

Kalbama ir apie pasiuntimą viso choro. Nei Biruės, nei Sasnausko, nei Pirmyn, nei Vyčių chorai atskirai paimti, nesudarytų didelio "show" dėl to, kad truksta geresnių balsų. Iš visų jų reiktų sudaryti vieną chorą, parenkant geresnius dainininkus. Tuomet turėtumėm tikrai gerą reprezentatyvų chorą, kurio nesarmata būtų pasiųstą Lietuvon.

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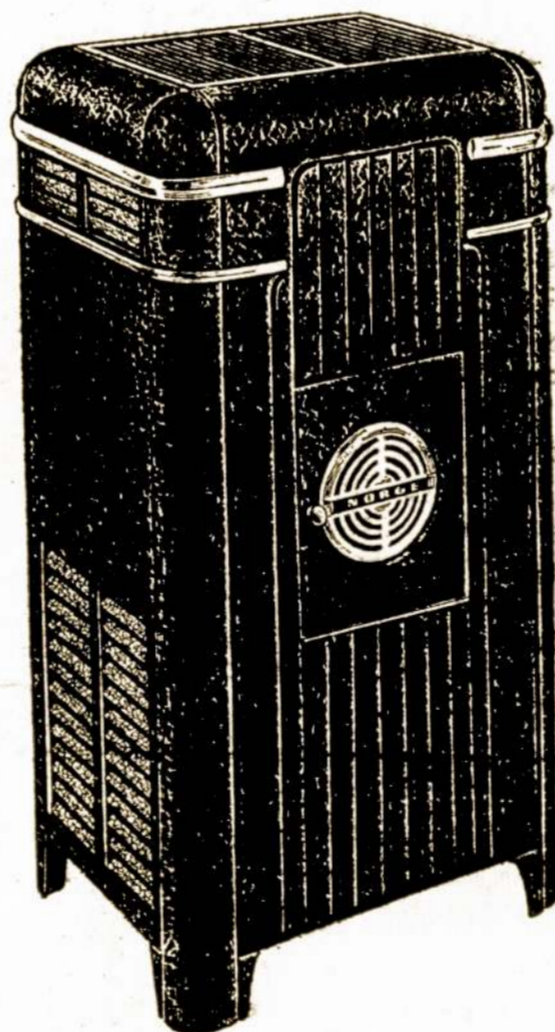
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