

## KASDIENĀ...

"Vilnies" jubilieju  
Rezignavo  
Demokratai susipešė  
Saphas

Pereitame kare labai daug plesejio apie Tautų Lygą. Tikėjosi, kad ji suorganizuos ir suharmonizuos buržuazinius valstybes ir padarys tvarą, kur buvo išlaikoma.

Dabar daugeliu giedia apie Europos Jungines Valstybes. Velaukia stebuklo. Nieko iš to nebus, nes buržuazijos negalima pasterti nekaltais eriukais.

"Vilnies" jubiliejinio numero 24 pusapai jau gotavi. Daug rasti, daug sveikinimų, daug skelbių.

Su sveikinimais jau gražina pasirodė Waukegan, Ill., Kenosha, Wis., Elizabeth, N. J., Detroit, Cleveland ir Portland-Oregon City. O Chicago, užvis geriausiai.

Literaturos Draugijos 19 kip. (Chicago) sveikinimais sukelė, rodosi, \$70.

Nekaičiai jauniesi, dranga vilnieti, jei "Vilnies" jubiliejiniam numerijui nebūtav tuo sveikinimo. Atsiminkite, kad "Vilnies" Jubiliejus ne kokia reguliariai šventė.

Tai Olimpas dviešimties metų darbo. Skubėkite su sveikinimais.

Turiu pasakyti, kad raštu turime labai daug.

Nervai ir niečiai apėmė Dala-diero valdžią. Dar užvkar jis žaibavo drąsias žodžias, o vaka jai rezignavo. Prasidėjo vi-durių sūrimas.

Chamberlainas dar drąsinas, bet jo užfrintas neturi to vieningumo, kokio jis norėtu.

Illinojaus valstijos demokratai labai iškiliai susiunčiai svitarpysti. Tie byra tokie epitei, kurių diktatoriai, sukėlai, tironai, smarvai. Gubernatorius Horner kaltina savo leitenantą Stelle, kad nuo jo dvoka žiba-liniai skandalas.

Kada politikai susiapse, geri žmonės išgirsta daug teisibyčiai.

Amerikos Komunistų Partijos konvencija prasidės gegužės 30 dieną ir tėsis iki 2 d. birželio.

Buošiantis prie konvencijos pradėta leisti "Party News". Pirmas leidinys labai turinimas.

Partijoj — vienybė ir susi-klausymas. Ji auga. Tie, kurie pranašavo pakriptinį patys lininką.

"Jau saulelė vėl atkopodama lindina svetį ir žiemos šaltos triusius pargriaudama juokias". Taip Kristijonius Duonelaitis rašė apie prisertinančią pavasa-

ri. Siemės suneina 160 metų, kai K. Duonelaitis mirė. Jis praleido savo gyvenimą Prusijos Lietuvos, netoli nuo Gumbinės.

Kraštai, kuriamo jis augo ir veikė, perduojuose suvokietai.

Vokiečiai ir lenkai, jų auksčiai klasės ir valdžios, daug tikru lietuvių žemų suvokietai ir sulenkino. Su rasty tautų lietuvių santiukinius susidėjo geriau. Iš tos pušies skriaudė nebuvo, nors carizmas ir varė rusinimo propaganda.

Indijos Nacionalistai vadas Gandhi daugiausiai maitinasi ožkos pienu. Matyt, tas daro savotiškas itakos į jo smegenes. Ožkos pienas prastas stimulian-

## FRANCIOS MINISTERIŲ KABINETAS GRIUVO

### Negavo Parlamente Pasitikėjimo, Pre-mieras Prigautas

Paryžius, kovo 20. — Francijos ministerių kabinetas rezignavo. Prezidentas Lebrun paskarė Paul Renaud sudaryti naują kabinetą. Renaud sutiko pasiūlti su kitais ir stengsis sudaryti ministeriją.

Premieras Daladier tikėjosi gauti pasitikėjimą, bet jis pri-

gaudas gudresniu politikierių.

Jis norėjo ministerijoj perorganizavimo, bet tikėjosi gauti pasitikėjimą, tai pati hutzai kai kuriuos ministerius prasaliūs, o kitus pasiliūs, bet išėjo kitaip.

Balsavimas buvo pasitikėjimo, tiki 239

balsavo už ir vienas prieš, o 300

atstovų susilaikė. Tas parodė

kiek manži pritarėjų ministrui-

tei Daladier. Jis tuomet buvo

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Smugis Vyriausybė.

Vakar prasidėjo hyla 44 koministų parlamento narių, kurių taciaus tik 35 buvo teismutuoti.

Byla bus didelė ir svarki. Komunistai kaltinami "žygiausėmis" "prieš savo šalies reikalais," nes jie reikalavo taikos.

Isleminas jis yra parlamento ir suvienijimo buvo reikalaujantis, kad uždarytų turinį opozicijai. Bet kaip tik su pradžia bylos griuvo ir Daladiero ministerija.

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Vokietija pristatė Suomijai veiklą visa artillerija ir kulkosvaldžia. Sisypis ginklai dangujantiai atimti iš Lenkijos.

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Angliai blokadous toms šaliems aliejaus pristatym.

NAUJAS KINŲ REZIMAS,  
JAPONIŲ IRANKIS.

Nanking. — Su kovo 30 praeiapančiuoju Kinijos valdžia, kuri bus Japonijos užimtoj teritorijoje ir bus japonų irankis. Kinai jis neprisiima.

—L. Pruseika.



Scena prie Willow Grove anglakasyku St. Clairsville, Ohio, kur jvyko baisi ekspliozija ir užgruviu 200 maininių. 19 lavony jau išėta. Dar yra užgruviu 52. Jų likimas nežinomas.

### Milionas Kinų Veikia už Japonų Fronto Linijos

Pekinas, kovo 20. — Japonijos karo štabo pripažyta, jog štūri Kinijoje ir po priešreito metu karo vien yra daugiau milijono kinų reguliarės armijos, kurios dalys veikia, pudinėjantys seni ir tėtai.

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Angliai Norejus Pulti Vokie-

cius iš Skandinaviją

Berlynas, kovo 20. — Vokietijos ambasadai o rūs von Schulenberg atskubino čia ir tuoju nuoje pas SSSR premjera Molotova.

Sovietų ambasadui Berlyne, Aleksander Svarcev, par-

leka su svarbiomis žiniomis.

Londono daviniai sako, jog Churchill deda pastangas artinti Londona su Maskva.

Angliai mano, kad po Suo-

mijos karui Sovietui politika

pasidardė ar neprisklaus-

mei ir yra progy santiukis pa-

gerinti. Vokietiai bijo, kad

SSSR neatrisukytu prie juos.

Maskva, kovo 20. — Sovietų

Sajungai priesiūgia Suomijos ir

Svedijos nuo Norvegijos sajungai,

kaip Sovietai žiuri i Hitleris su

Mussolinio susitirupu ir pastangas įtraukti į kanblon Sovietus.

Vyriausias nazių organas "Volkischer Beobachter" prini-

tiu tokiniu loka.

Is Londono gauta žinių, kad

Berlyno Churchill dešias pa-

stangas patrukiu Sovietų Sajungai

atitraukti iš kanblon Sovietus.

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## ŠI LIET. DAR. SUSIVIENIJIMO 2 APSKRIČIO KOMITETO SUSIRINKIMO

Jau Yra Gauta Apskrityje Per 150 Naujų Narų į Lietuvą  
Darbininkų Susivienijimą.

Vaikus Reikia Apskričio Valdybos Nariai Lankys Knopu Susirinkimus.

Pirmadienį, kovo 18 d. išyko LDS 2-ro apskričio valdybos susirinkimas. Komiteto pastariniuose diskusijos centrą, tai naujų narų vajus ir prisirengimas prie apskričio konferencijos. Pirmyninkas S. Juška atidėrė susirinkimą ir pasiūlino, kad naujų metų paraginimo raportas tuo bus priraengtas. Kovo 17 d. paraginimo raporto nėra, tačiau numatyta tuo pagaminti. Parengimas duos biskį pelno.

J. Skeberdėlyje raportavo, kad turfiliukas yra Gary, Indiana. Tebykštis kuopas valdyba prasidėja atsižiūstas iš jų pramogų balandžio 6 d. Apsčiūnė nuvynioti M. Solomskas S. Juška, F. Jurgal ir M. Sakalienė.

Nutaria, kad butinai atlankytu jaunimo kuopas prieš apskričio konferenciją, kuri ylks balandžio 21 d., "Vilnies" atstovas, kuris raportuoja apie prie jubilejaus prisirengimą.

Jubilejus jau netoli. Koncertas ylks balandžio 14 d., Ashland Auditorium.

Mes, ciceriūcias, pasidariuokime gerai del atžymėjimo 20 m. dienraščio jubilejaus.

Visų laukime šiam susirinkimui.

—Jubilejus Komitetas.

## Puse Darbo Jau Atliko Subvij Budavojime

Philip Harrington, subvyk komisionierius, paskelbė, kad jau puse subvij pravedimo darbo atlikta. Yra iškasta tunelis ir išmuryta 40,500 pėdy ilgio kelias.

Subvij kasimo darbų pradėjo gruodžio mėnesį, 1938 metais.

## Gražus Vaiku Teatras "Marytės Auka"

Kovo 31 diena Lietuvio Auditorijoje, Bridgeporto vaikų drāgoje, yra, lietuvių kalbos mokyklas studentai suvaidinėjai labai gražu veikalą "Marytės Auka".

Apart vaidinimo bus gražus vaikų choro programas. Vaikai pasakys gražių dekamadijų. Yra rengtiems tam idomiam ir gražiam paranginėm dalyvauti. Pradžia 4 val. po pietų. Nu 6 val. vakaro šokių grieš šausmės orkestras.

Vaikų mokyklių pamokos ylks kai kurios kai kurios "Vilnies" salėje, nuo 1 val. iki 3 val. po pietų.

—Komitetas.

## Serga N. Yurienė ir E. Juškiene

N. Yurienė serga influenza. Ji buvo kiek pasveikusi, bet vėl turėjo atsigulti į lovą. Darbar jį geriau jaučiasi.

Drauge S. Juškiene dar vis tebeserga.

Yurius gyvena po adresu 950 W. 54th st., Juškai — 7139 Winchester ave. Ablidvi draugės ramdomi namuose.

—P.

## Apsilankius Chicagojo

Pereitos savaitės pasirogo teko buti man ir žmonai Chicagoje.

Ta praga turėjome su geriausiai veikėjais pasikalbėjimą progresvio judėjimo klausiniais ir Europos karo klausiniais.

Budami Chicagoje, apsistojome per draugus Pecknus, gerus vilnietišius ir veikėjus pažangiam judėjimui.

Drugas Pecknis turėjo operaciją. Apie jau buvo rašyta, tai plačiai nėra kaž ymėti, o tik tiek noriu pasakyti, kad dar Pecknus nesiejaučia pilni sveikas. Tačiau su kuku pasveikis. Jis turi barbiere, 33rd st., netoli Hul-

dr. Nep. Lygos Narys.

Linkin liguoniu greit pasveikti ir gryžti į darbą.

Seštadienį rytė einaut "Vilnies" rasti galvė sutikti senų pažystamų ir gera drauga J. Matzeitik ir jo sūnų Henry. Kai sunus, tauri ir tėvai gerai atrodo, sveiki ir energingai dirba. Jisai žymėjo, kad Halsted galvės visi bizinieriai bus aplankytų dėl "Vilnies".

Trumpai pasikalbėjus apie bėgamus reikalus, jis manu užkvicei buti "Vilnies" jubileiniame koncernte balandžio 14, Ashland Auditoriume.

Užėjus į "Vilnies" rasti galvė, kuris yra ištikėjus "Amalgamated Clothing Works of America" yra dalis CIO unijos centro ir po štai dienai palaikė "100" nuosimų su tuo centru.

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Sių maž žinutę rašau tuo tikslu, jog supažindinti lietuvių kriaunai su manų unijos nuostatomu. Mat, yra ir musiškai turė, kuri manu, kad kriaunai unijos trauksis iš CIO. Musų unijai kaip buvo taip ir pasilaikė dailis CIO.

—VVV.

"VALKATA KARALIUS" 4 Veiksmų Operetė

Statys L.K.M. Choras

Balandžio 7, 1940

—Kriaunės.

## 4-to Kongresinio Distrisko Legislatyvė Konferencija

Darbe Neptūnijė Lyga šauja plėcia legislatyvę konferencija 4-to kongresinio distrisko atstovų iš darbu unijų, fraternalių organizacijų, visuomenės klubų ir kt.

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.. "Sustidėrė pavojus, jog kongresas gali sumukiinti visus iki sių pasiekstus legislatyvius laimėjimus, kurie buvo laimėti dėka Darbo Neptūnijės Lygos darbystumo. Kongresas, kuris darbas posiedėja Washingtone, yra stambiobis bižnės įtakos ir kerta smugus žmonių gerbūvilių.

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## PROBE OF WIRE-TAPPING ASKED BY SENATE COMM.

### To Publish Handbook of 'Learn Lithuanian' for Lith-Americans

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—A 256 page handbook designed to be a self instructor in the Lithuanian language will be published by the Lithuanian Daily "Laisve" by July of this year, it has been announced.

To be written by Dr. J. J. Kashkevich the book will contain a vocabulary of all the words used and will have chapters explaining the Lithuanian grammar and syntax. The author is an excellent linguist, speaking German, Russian, Greek and French with equal fluency as Lithuanian and English.

The price of the book will be \$1.50, but whoever orders and pays for it in advance before July 1, 1940, will have the book for \$1.25. The book will be published as soon as the publishers receive sufficient subscriptions in advance of \$1.25.

Send your orders to: Laisve, Lithuanian Daily, 427 Lorimer St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

### Evil Spirits Told to Keep on Move

If any one had prepared a handbook for architects in Illinois during pioneer times, he doubtless would have included much of the advice that was then common among home-builders.

According to the Illinois Writers' Project, W.P.A., many persons believed that work on building a house should not be started on a Saturday if the owner wished to be spared constant trouble during its construction. Others held that a gate should not be built closer to a house than 15 feet in order to avoid bad luck.

For added protection, it was held that a horseshoe should be placed in the brick work of the chimney, so as to close every avenue of entrance to evil spirits.

### IRON CITY YOUTH CONCLUDE C.I.O. COOPERATION PACT

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Cooperation between the CIO and the American Youth Congress, as offered by John L. Lewis in his speech to the Youth Congress' Citizenship Institute in Washington, D.C. some weeks ago, took shape here when the Steel City Industrial Council last week voted to carry through joint action with the Pittsburgh branch of the Youth Congress.

This action was taken after the Steel Council heard Frances Williams, National Administrative Secretary of the American Youth Congress, speak on the Youth Congress movement, the American Youth Act and the needs of the young people.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—An exhibition of painting and sculpture by young Negro artists in the Southern states will be a feature of the Fourth All-Southern Negro Conference when it meets in New Orleans, Louisiana, from April 18 to 21.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Event of the week in Washington is the report of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee favoring a \$25,000 investigation of wire-tapping by government and private police and detective agencies.

The report recommends passage of S Res 224, introduced by Senator Green of Rhode Island. While it deals with only one phase of lawless practices charged to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and to countless other police bodies throughout the country, the investigation called for would expose to public light one of the most flagrant evils of "law enforcement"—and of unlawful spying as well. Although the resolution has been reported favorably to the Senate, a wide public campaign may be essential in obtaining its passage.

The public clamor which has arisen out of disclosures of illegal activities of the FBI—first the denunciation on the floor of Congress, January 9, by Vito Marcantonio, of J. Edgar Hoover's card index files of persons with those economic and political views Hoover does not agree; then in the brutal and unlawful treatment of eleven persons arrested in Detroit charged with recruiting for Loyalist Spain—bears its first fruit in this week's Senate Committee recommendation.

### Whipping Post Used in Du Pont's Town

WILMINGTON, Del.—Eight men were given a total of 80 lashes in the courtyard of the New Castle county workshop recently in the country's most dramatic application of this form of punishment that has come down from colonial times.

As a driving sleet and snow storm swirled about them, the men were led in pairs, stripped to the waist and shackled to an ancient whipping post, with their hands and arms above their heads.

At the same time, ever since the return of the delegates from Washington, there has been an increasing amount of activity in connection with the American Youth Act. As a result of a talk made at a legislative conference in the Allegheny Valley two weeks ago, local unions throughout that area have been inviting the Pittsburgh Youth Council to send speakers.

Of signal importance is the establishment of a Youth Auxiliary Organizing Committee at East Pittsburgh. In that town, more than 300 young people were present at a meeting sponsored by Local 601, of the UERMWA. This is the local in the Westinghouse plant.

After listening to Frances Williams and to returned local delegates as well as the union speakers, the young people set up an executive committee of 25 which is empowered to proceed with the organization of a youth auxiliary for the union.

## Anti - Alien Bills Slip Silently Into Congress

### Soviet Spend Millions for Health, Education of Byelo-Russians

BYELOSTOK, USSR—The 1940 budget of the Baranovich region of the West Byelo-Russia testifies to the concern of the Soviet government for the health and cultural development of the population.

The expenditures on education run to 68,000,000 rubles. Kindergartens alone are assigned 1,900,000 rubles.

3,100,000 rubles have been assigned to adult schools in which 75,000 people study.

Expenditures on public health amount to 35,000,000 rubles.

The budget totals 177,000,000 as against 9,100,000 rubles for the former Novogrudski Voevodstvo as the Baranovich region was formerly called.

### Nearly Half of America Lives On Less than \$50 Per Month

NEW YORK — Economists studying the results of a survey made by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the Bureau of Home Economics and the WPA have learned new facts concerning American living habits:

Nearly half of America lives on less than \$50 per month and two-thirds of all the families in the country average only \$16 per week.

Fourteen per cent of the total population exists on \$26 per month.

Richest one per cent of the population has as much income as the 40 per cent of the population in the lowest brackets.

Fourteen per cent of the people spend only \$1 per person each week for food—they get only 6

### Marcantonio to Speak for 3 'Contempt' Victims Mass Meeting, March 23

Congressman Vito Marcantonio (American Labor Party—N.Y.) will speak at a mass meeting called by the Budenz-Patterson-Wirtz Defense Committee, Saturday, March 23, 8 p.m. at the Midland Hotel, 172 West Adams.

The meeting has been arranged to protest criminal contempt charges in the court of Superior Court Judge John J. Lupe against Louis F. Budenz, former editor of the Chicago Daily Record; and two ILD leaders—William L. Patterson, national vice-president; and Bob Wirtz, acting state secretary.

On the afternoon of the 23rd, Congressman Marcantonio will speak on his enlarged WPA bill at a mass meeting called by the Illinois Conference on Social Legislation at Ashland Auditorium, Ashland Ave and Van Buren Sts.

Statistical studies indicate that 11th year of life is the safest. At that period, the individual is past the hazards of early childhood and on the threshold of adult risks.

Moisture in the soil, an important factor in crop production, can be measured quickly and easily by a new method, invented by experts of the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station.

### Bills That Would Restrict, Intern, Deport, or Jail Foreign Born Are Not Publicized But Endanger Political Rights of American Residents

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Under the cloak of frenzied ultra and pseudo patriotism, bills that would restrict, intern, deport or jail the foreign born have been slipping quietly into the congressional hopper, offered mainly by Bourbons from the poll-tax states.

Publicity has been hushed, controversy avoided.

As Kenneth Crawford, president of the American Newspaper Guild, declared at a recent conference to protect foreign born, "one of the great frauds of American politics is being perpetrated."

Passage of this legislation is a threat in today's warmongering. Tomorrow it may be a weapon

to smash all political dissidence. Some of the bills now before Congress follow:

HR 7922, Woodrum, D., Indiana—Amendment enabling FHA to bar non-citizens from federal low-rent housing projects.

HR 8438, Schulte, D., Indiana—Amendment (Navy Department Appropriation Bill) barring non-citizens from skilled, technical, clerical, administrative, or supervisory positions in Panama Canal Zone.

HR 8668, Lanham, D., Texas—Amendment (War Department Appropriation Bill) with same provisions as above, applying to positions under War Department. Passed after House had been made aware it would abrogate Panama—US treaty proclaimed by President July 27, 1939, assuring no discrimination against natives of Panama, who may have become American citizens.

HR 6724, Starnes, D., Alabama—Provides for deportation at any time after entry of non-citizens admitting in writing they engaged in "sabotage" or "espionage"; passed by Senate with amendment after passage by House; at present in conference.

HR 5643, Hobbs, D., Alabama—Provides possible imprisonment for life without trial for certain non-citizens; pending on Senate calendar.

HR 2330, Stewart, D., Tennessee and S 409, Reynolds, D., North Carolina—Provides for registration of non-citizens; both bills reported by Senate Immigration Committee and on Senate calendar.

HR 4860, Dempsey, D., New Mexico—Provides for deportation of non-citizens believing in or belonging to organizations advocating any "change in the American form of government".

Besides these, there are numerous other bills, at least twenty, which are pending in the various congressional committees.

## BRITISH WORKERS HAIL SOVIET-FINNISH PEACE

Special to Inter-Continent News  
LONDON—(ICN)—Working class organizations here are expressing widespread satisfaction with the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty.

The official leadership of the trade unions and the Labor Party is pursuing its usual course of attacking the Soviet Union, but this is not cutting much ice with the rank and file movement.

The general attitude in the working class movement is shown by the fact that the executive Committee of the 350,000 strong National Union of Railways passed a resolution just before the peace unanimously rejecting the Trade Union Congress appeal for funds for the Mannerheim government. The executive Committee also condemned the recent delegation to Finland led by Sir Walter Citrine and called upon the National Labor Council to refrain from actions likely to split the working class movement and extend the war front.

The London Peace Federation which has many thousands of members affirms the peace with satisfaction. The Federation "Congratulates the Scandinavian peoples for their determined maintenance of neutrality" and calls upon its supporters "to celebrate the peace by rigid opposition to further attempts to spread the war against the Soviet Union or against other neutral states and to intensify the campaign for ending the present unjust war."

The Manchester Branch of the Upholsterers Union denounces the "policy of the present government to drag the people of this country into war against the Soviet Union", in a resolution which declares the present war is being fought for profit and colonial domination and can only bring the workers "further misery, bloodshed, and sacrifice". These examples are typical of large numbers of resolutions passed by working class organizations throughout the country.

# Soviet-Finnish Treaty Is A Victory for Peace

MOSCOW—March 16.—(ICN)—The significance of the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty extends far beyond the relations between the two countries, declares Izvestia, organ of the Soviet government, in an editorial. The treaty has not only liquidated the anti-Soviet military base which the enemies of the USSR so carefully prepared for ten years; it has destroyed the Allied plots against the independence and peace of the neutral countries.

The treaty shows, says Izvestia, "that neither in diplomatic negotiations nor after a successful test of her military might does the Soviet Union present demands to anybody, be it her smallest neighbor, which would be incompatible with its national independence. It shows further, declares the editorial, that once having advanced just demands the Soviet Union "has every possibility of achieving their realization within the shortest space of time even under the most unfavorable conditions."

And finally, declares the editorial, the treaty shows that "small (and not only small) countries which rely on all kinds of 'guarantees' become the tool of interests alien to them, take a dangerous path" and can rid themselves of the terrible consequences of this "only by coming out on a path of independent and judicious policy."

Izvestia points out that the treaty lays the basis for the development of stable and good-neighboringly relations between Finland and the Soviet Union and emphasizes that "neither in spirit nor content" does it encroach on the independence or sovereign rights of the Finnish Republic.

The editorial, "The Triumph of the Peace Policy of the USSR," reads:

"The peace treaty signifies something more than simply the immediate cessation of military hostilities between the Soviet Union and Finland. It liquidates the anti-Soviet military base which the enemies of the USSR so carefully prepared for ten years at the very gates of Leningrad. Simultaneously, it strengthens the security of the whole coast of the Gulf of Finland, strengthens the security of the Murmansk railroad—this important artery of the Soviet north—and finally, strengthens the security of Murmansk itself.

"The treaty of March 12th ensures this security not only through the sensible and just shifting of the Soviet-Finnish frontier alone. At the same time it lays the basis for the development of stable good-neighboringly relations between the two countries.

"The article in the treaty regarding the joint construction by the Soviet Union and Finland of a new railroad for the development of transit of goods between the USSR and Sweden, go to show that the treaty of March 12 lays a firm basis for Soviet-Finnish collaboration in the sphere of economy.

"Neither in spirit nor in content does the treaty of March 12 in the slightest degree encroach on the independence and sovereign rights of the Finnish Republic, the independence which she received twenty-two years ago from the hands of the Soviet state.

"The Soviet Union did not want to embark on military operations against Finland and did everything depending on her to avert them. But the very same forces that unleashed the new imperialist war in Europe, the very same forces that are also now striving to spread the war on a world scale—these forces urged Finland to come out against her great and powerful neighbor with arms in hand.

"The proposals which the Soviet Union made to Finland in October of last year were a natural and integral part of those peace measures of great scope undertaken by the Soviet Union in the situation of a developing war between the biggest European states. The excellent results this peace policy of the Soviet Union has yielded are known to all. The USSR's treaties with Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania have already brilliantly justified themselves. These pacts have not only ensured lasting peace between the USSR and the three Baltic countries, not only ensured the security of these countries as well as the security of the USSR on definite sectors of her vast frontier. They have at the same time helped the extensive development of economic relations between the contracting parties to their mutual advantage.

"All the more, therefore, was it necessary to ensure the security on the northwestern frontier of the Soviet Union, on the frontier bordering with the Finnish Republic. Negotiations, however, regarding corresponding changes in the Finnish-Soviet frontier led to no positive results as is known despite the reasonableness of the Soviet proposals, despite the concessions made by the Soviet party in the very course of the negotiations.

"And there came to pass what Lenin once spoke about in one of his speeches, namely, that when the Soviet power makes its proposals regarding peace, its words and statements should certainly be taken seriously, otherwise it may happen that the Soviet government will propose peace on worse conditions and receive this peace on better conditions.

"The wise peace policy of the

Soviet Union, supporting itself on the invincible might of the glorious Red Army and Navy knocked out the flaming torch from the hands of the warmongers. The wise peace policy of the Soviet government upset and destroyed the machinations plotted against the neutral countries. These countries have now heaved a great sigh of relief. The imminent danger to their independence, the imminent danger of involving them in war has passed. This is now loudly proclaimed by the press of these countries and above all by the press of the Scandinavian and Baltic states.

**The significance of the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty of March 12** extends far beyond the relations between the two countries—the participants of the treaty. The treaty is a real triumph of the peace policy of the Soviet Union.

"It shows firstly that neither in diplomatic negotiations nor after a successful test of her military might does the Soviet Union present demands to anybody, be it her smallest neighbor, which would be incompatible with its national dignity or which would in the slightest degree place in doubt its national independence.

"Secondly, it shows that the Soviet Union, once having advanced just demands, has every possibility of achieving their realization within the shortest space of time even under the most unfavorable conditions.

"Finally, it shows that small (and not only small) countries which rely on all kinds of 'guarantees' become a tool of interests alien to them, take a dangerous path and that they rid themselves of the terrible consequences of this only by coming out on a path of independent and judicious policy.

# AMERICAN SEAMEN LAUD USSR FOR BLOCKING WAR

NEW YORK—Taking their "hats off to Russia and the Red Army" a group of seamen who emphasize that they are not Communists last Saturday signed a statement lauding the establishment of peace in Finland and characterizing it as an aid to the United States in staying out of war.

The full statement with its 31 signers follows:

"As seamen who are the first affected by war in any part of the world, we want to express our opinion on the peace concluded between Russia and Finland. We are not members of the Communist Party. We do not believe in Communism.

"For a time it looked like the Scandinavian countries and the United States would be involved in war. It looked like a world gang-up on Russia. In spite of the newspaper and radio campaign, and the efforts of the Dukes and Barons and Herbert Hoover, the people would not consent to war.

"We take our hats off to Russia and the Red Army for making a promise and keeping it. They said all they wanted was to maintain friendly relations with Finland, to exchange certain territories to better be able to protect Finland and therefore be in a better position to protect herself. The peace reached shows that they kept their word.

"Instead of mopping up after Mannerheim surrendered, they just took some strategic islands and ports which they could have gotten by negotiations months ago. Finland today is independent. Today America's chances of staying out of war in Europe look much better.

"If what Russia does helps keep the United States out of war, why not friendly relations between the two greatest powers in the world? Not only to keep out of war, but to do everything possible to end the war in Europe so that there will be no war to get into."

Signed:

Alexander Litell	A.E. Boyce	Pompeipage
Henry Dugan	George Bellows	L. Thomas
F.D. Harrod	Arthur Weedfeld	Raymond Brady
M. Gomex	S. Roberts	Clarence Reed
J.J. Tober	James del Rio	Joseph Catonia
E.J. Smith	Fred Halestrag	H. D. Harper
G.W.C. Muray	J. F. Center	Frank Smith
G. Daly	Jose Robles	Thomas B. Louis
William C. James	E. D. Cassar	Thomas B. Lewis
Frank J. Karcher	Thomas Seaman	Domingo Ofida
A. Lynch	Thomas Harris	

people express their satisfaction at the fact that the wise policy of the USSR's government has established peace on the northwestern frontier of the USSR. The participants at these meetings welcome with enthusiasm and admiration the tasks set it by the Soviet Government.

"There is no doubt whatsoever that it is not only the Soviet people who are experiencing satisfaction with the conclusion of a peace treaty between the USSR and Finland. This treaty will be welcomed just as warmly and sincerely by all true friends of peace throughout the world."

## Symphony Orch. Seeks New Musicians in Drive

A recent headline in *Jaunimas*, an irregular bi-weekly journal of Lithuanian-American youth published in Chicago, reads: "Zadeikis Hails Return of Vilnius as 'Only Rightful'." It is peculiar that *Jaunimas* should at last admit the forceful and undeniable fact that the Soviet Union did a service for Lithuania. But *Jaunimas* did it begrudgingly and the Only Rightful which appeared in the heading as a quotation by Zadeikis can not be found in the text of the item that follows. We don't think this was a typographical error on the part of the editors, but rather a conscious attempt to garble the news and to diminish the significance of the service rendered by the Soviet Union to Lithuania.

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# LKM Chorus Scribe Presents Background of Vagabond King

Vagabond King is a musical play given in four parts and is based on Justin Huntley McCarthy's historical romance "If I Were King". It was first produced in New York on September 21, 1925 at the Casino.

The book and lyrics are written by Brian Hooker and W.H. Post. Music is by Charles Rudolph Friml. It has been translated into Lithuanian by J. Steponaitis and will be given by the Laisves Kanklini Misrus Chorus directed by Joseph Kenstovitz. The Vagabond King is one of the best works of the brilliant composer Charles Rudolph Friml, who was born in Prague, Bohemia on December 7, 1884. He came to this country at the age of 22 and did all of his composing here.

He began his musical career by studying the piano and later was an accompanist for a violinist Jan Kubelik for five years. Later he wrote numerous compositions for violin, piano and cello. Light operas were his outstanding successes. He is also recognized as one of the most melodic of existing composers. He was first recognized for his "Firefly" in 1912 later followed by "Bohemian Girl," "Katinka," "June Love" and "The Three Musketeers" in 1928.

Names of cast and story in brief of "Vagabond King":

Francois Villon—Whitney Tarutis  
King Louis XI—Anton Guyer  
Tristan Hermite—Walter Slench  
Lady Katherine de Vauelles  
Agnes Kenstovitz  
Rene de Montigny—Frank Sa-  
dauskas

Guy Tabarie—Frank Jacobs.  
Huguette du Hamel—Mary Shim-  
kus.

Casin Cholet—Joseph Stuglis.  
Grand Marshall Thibaut—Victor  
Piekka.

Lady Mary—Olga Sokas.  
Captain of Archers—Paul Stogis.  
Oliver—Joseph Stugafitis.

Noel de Joyls—Houston Zebraitis.  
Astrologer and Toison — Louis  
Wengel.

Margot—Frances Yurgil.

Apache Dancers—Sylvia Binkis  
and Ed Shermakas.

This vivacious story tells of the Vagabond Poet Francois Villon, once pickpocket, poet, drinker, drabber and his bosom cronies in the struggle against Burgundy. Francois Villon was born Francois de Montcorbier, an erstwhile student in a university which gave him the degree of arts, dweller in a convent where he had spent a life of priest. Was gallant at court and a hunted man who escaped the gallows. By occupation he was a thief, but lived amid the stars with the truth to the essence in ballad and rondeaux of the life he saw about him, high and low, clean and foul all of which is revealed in Paris in 1491 during the reign of King Louis XI. A Paris still feudal within whose gates forayed wolves devoured children. A Paris of silks and satins; rags and tatters, where the humble starved that the nobles may have their pleasures.

Within the Fircone Tavern hidden in an Alley which honest men avoided as they would pestilence, vagabonds and their molls reveled behind shuttered windows that shut out a cold, bitter night. They drank flagons of deep red Beaune wine served by Margot and jested of the gallows chains in which some of them were destined to dance in the glittering lights that lit the place. Grotesque, quivering shadows of lean figures of Vagabonds unfolded themselves to filch or clenched themselves to stab one back, while others dance the Apache Dance.

There was Rene de Montigny whose noble blood and breeding lent distinction to a face made evil by crime and dissipation. Casin Cholet was a slippery knave as pilfered candles while praying in church. Huguette displays the voluptuous curves of her figure and is the central star of flaunting galaxy. Ill-favored jackrels cuddle her and other molls, but Huguette has a true heart for only Villon and regards him as the only gentleman.

Rene tells Huguette that Villon has been freed from jail but two days and boasts that he can kiss as well as Villon. Rene attempts to kiss her. She draws her dagger and would have slit Rene's throat hadn't others interfered.

Barbare the comedian and great follower of Villon enters the Tavern and yells for wine. The crowd gathers around him and asked of Villon's whereabouts. Barbare revealed to them that Villon has been writing verse while in jail for a lovely lady. This doesn't interest them and the occupants slowly vanish. Two new comers enter disguised the crafty, suspicious King Louis XI in a huge black cape. With him is his bodyguard and trusted confidant, Tristan. While they order some of the smuggled wine from Margot, Villon sings the song of the "Vagabonds" which he wrote while in jail. Villon gets a hearty reception from his friends. He tells them of the loveliest lady he has ever seen in his life. He first caught her eye as she entered the church and sent verses to her when she came out again. To his estimation she was the flower of his Majesty's court.

In the meantime the King tells Tristan of his dream that he was a swine rooting in the streets of Paris and found a pearl of great price in the gutter. He placed the pearl in his crown. It shone so brightly that it lit all of Paris and with its lighting a great star fell from heaven.

King Louis XI was a very superstitious character and consulted astrologers when he dreamt. His purpose for visiting the Tavern was that he was aware of the Grand Marshall Thibaut making frequent visits here.

Villon boasts of what he would do if he were King and says the king is a mere puppet who wears a royal crown. Just then Tabarie shouts there's two women stripped to the waist outside which arouses a fight. The tavern is cleared as Vagabonds love excitement. Lady Katherine enters the Tavern. King Louis and Tristan recognizes her and hides as she converses with Villon. She asks if he wrote the verses for her. He commits himself and says he would write more if she desired. She tells him that Thibaut and d'Assygnie the Grand Marshall of France had plotted to open the gates of Paris to the Burgundians. Katherine asks Villon to kill Thibaut. Thibaut would make his entrance at the tavern that night. Villon directs Katherine to the gallery where she was to indicate when he arrived.

After Thibaut's entrance Villon gets into a sword fight with Thibaut. Villon wounds him. The Captain of the archers enters with more archers and Thibaut orders the occupants of the Tavern be herded together and marched off to the dungeons. Villions of being hanged fill their eyes. Katherine throws a rose to the floor Villon picks it up. In merriment King Louis XI commands that Villon be made King for 24 hours.

The next day in the garden King Louis consults his astrologer. The pearl of great price that he picked up in the gutter meant that there is one person who exalted would save the State. Louis immediately appoints Francois Villon the New Grand Marshall. Oliver, the royal barber, trims his beard while the pages bring him cloaks and clean linens to clothe him. As Grand Constable he must convict the prisoners as they are heard at trial. King Louis XI commands that Villon must win the hand of haughty Lady Katherine or swing from the gallows.

(To be concluded next week)

# Hot Shots to Face Sparks Keglers in Crucial Contests

The Hot Shots and Hamilton Steel keglers remain tied for first place because the former dropped two games to the Redwings A and the latter dropped two games to the B team. The double set-back plus the Sparks two wins puts the Sparks only two games behind the leaders.

Next Sunday which is Easter, will find a tussle which will do much to determine who shall remain in first place. The Sparks and the Hot Shots will clash while the Hamilton Steel draws the lowly Goopies. The struggle between the Sparks and the Hot Shots will be one worth seeing.

The Hot Shots are studded with such ace bowlers as P. Imrilek who bowls like a major leaguer and there are also M. Batutis who is giving Solomon a battle for first place and also there is J. Bernot, last year's all events bowling champ and A. Statkus and the little bundle of surprise Albina Batutis, who is sporting a 150 average which is good bowling for a woman.

The Sparks keglers are paced by D. Riva who is a consistent bowler, then there is J. Petruits an able and tireless leader and bowler; J. Lascoe is ever dangerous and T. Zebraitis is likewise dangerous.

With these keglers booming away at the maples anything may happen. The public is invited to attend these matches free of charge. The location is White City Recreation, 6320 South Park bowling commences at 2 p.m.

The Redwings A and Hot Shots bowed last Sunday and the A team beat the Hot Shots 2 games. The leading kegler for the A team was S. Bernot who bowled a 233 game and a 605 series, while P. Imrilek paced the Hot Shots with a 242 game and a 557 series.

The Hamilton Steel succumbed twice to the Redwings B team. The leading kegler for the B's was A. Jacobs who bowled 527. The leading bowler for the Monarchs was F. Solomon who bowled 224, 171.33 and 171.13. M. Batutis 66, 221, 171.13. H. Melody 32, 247, 170.10. J. Bernot 72, 228, 167.30. A. Statkus 72, 225, 166.55. A. Lucas 72, 226, 166.3. T. Zebraitis 48, 213, 162.22. G. Kwain 69, 213, 163.36. D. Riva 66, 226, 163.45. F. Kwain 63, 221, 161.6.

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Avg
Hot Shots	42	30	795
Hamilton	42	30	749
Sparks	41	31	777
Redwings A	35	37	801
Silvercup	36	36	721
Redwings B	32	40	738
Monarchs	32	40	747
Goopies	29	43	704

## INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

	Gms	H	Avg
F. Solomon	69	224	171.33
M. Batutis	66	221	171.13
H. Melody	32	247	170.10
J. Bernot	72	228	167.30
A. Statkus	72	225	166.55
A. Lucas	72	226	166.3
T. Zebraitis	48	213	162.22
G. Kwain	69	213	163.36
D. Riva	66	226	163.45
F. Kwain	63	221	161.6

## MONARCHS TO HOLD APRIL FOOLS SOCIAL

March 30th the Monarchs and their friends will gather at Ray Russell's home on 64th South Maplewood for an evening of hilarity. We invite the Redwings, Sparks, Zephyrs, Roselanders and other friends to search their brains for their favorite April Fool joke and spring it on the gang at the coming social. We want all to come and enjoy themselves. Remember, March 30th as the day for the Monarchs' April Fools Social for an enjoyable evening. Of course there will be a nominal charge but think of all the fun you can have there.

One of our Monarch lasses that we have not seen for a long time came down last Monday and was spied but a "sparkler" on that certain finger on her left hand. I hear the lucky fellow is tall, dark and handsome. We wish to extend best wishes and all the happiness to our fair Monarch lass and her beau. Who of the Monarch lasses will be next to rate a ring?

Trotted down to see Pirmyn's operetta Sunday and found some of the Monarchs members there. Notice some went home right after and did not stay to enjoy the dancing.

I am taking over the writing of this column for our regular correspondent and I hope I live up to his standards. Until next week when I hope I can do better.

Monica Cook wishes to thank members of the Monarchs for the lovely gift they sent her.

"Silly"

## MIDWEST KEGLERS TO COMPETE IN LDS TOURNEY APRIL 20-21

The Midwest LDS Bowling Tournament, the only meet of its kind, will be held April 20 and 21 at White City, 6320 S. Park, Chicago.

The tournament will commence with the teams rolling on April 20 and the singles and doubles will be held the following day, Sunday.

All entries must be in by April 7. Entries must be accompanied by money for participating teams. Entries will not be received after this date.

The fee is only \$1.50 for each

event for the men and \$1.00 for each event for women. A beautiful trophy of Sun Ray color will be given to the winning team. This trophy is 22 inches in height and engraved in gold.

Interest in this tournament has been shown by the number of entries received. Out-of-town teams that have sent in requests are Rockford which is led by Twardy who finished second in tournament which had bowlers from Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa. He was two pins behind the leader and compiled a 217 average for nine games.

Other teams sending in blanks were Waukegan, Rockford, Cleveland and Roseland.

The LDS clubs from Chicago also have sent in many bowlers.

The all-events winner of last year John Bernot will be there to defend his laurels as well as F. Solomon, M. Batutis and the team champions and the runner-up Sparks.

There will be no handicap because the keglers have no established averages for the year.

All entries must be sent to J. Petruits, 3130 S. Lowe Ave; Al Lucas, 4125 S. Campbell; or Vilnis, 3116 S. Halsted.

All out-of-town keglers will be furnished with lodging during their stay in the tournament. This tournament is for sanctioned LDS members of good standing.

Any team sending representatives or using false names will forfeit all prize money.

## Bits and Tid Bits

Monte Carlo Nite with the Sparks!

Did you ever attend one? Well confess that this was our first one but we're only sorry we didn't attend the previous ones.

First we glanced at the dancing couples. A beautiful slinky blonde swayed by with Andy Mazeika. Wow! If she were in my arms I wouldn't have been so dis-interested...

What's this, a fortune teller? Ah me, if only she wouldn't insist on telling me the unpleasant truths and continue on with my rosy future. Pretty good, the Helen.

We were told, confidentially, of course, that a well known Redwing couple were secretly wed. Who? Who? Who?

When you think of it the Helen's were going strong Sat. Helen Armand, for instance, had every unattached male hanging onto her every word; Helen White from the shurum-burum gang making whoopee with one Joe Stuglis; and Helen the LKM flitting up from various bottles. (She insisted it was only pop.)

The one and only Bud Jasen worked behind the bar all evening—did you feel like working, or wasn't she there, Bud?

Who was the handsome fellow the Gizevich sisters were talking to? We noticed Helen Lane took quite a shine to him—was he from Southern Illinois?

The Phantom

# Redwings to Feature Russ Bothie's Band at Spring Dance

The Redwings Annual Spring dance, a big LDS feature, is drawing near. April 6 is the big nite when Russ Bothie and his Rose Room Rhythm will make the Palady Ballroom a merry center for a first class get together.

Since the dance takes place just two weeks after Easter our patrons will be able to attend in their new Easter clothes. Realizing that the barroom is always a congenial meeting place between numbers, liquid refreshment of all kinds will be served, including a Redwing special concocted for the occasion.

The general atmosphere will be one of good fellowship. A stag line will be formed to keep the girls dancing and the Redwings girls will break the ice with bashful boys. Thus not only will this be a public dance but also a per-

fect example of the kind of event the LDS can put over, an incentive for new members to join.

Through the growing ad book, business men and their families are becoming more familiar with the name of Redwings, who are noted for the style and splendor of their dances.

The orchestra engaged for the evening headed by Russ Bothie and featuring Joan Meyers is equipped with the latest hits and gives out with a rhythm unequalled heretofore in any of the Redwings dances. The audience may follow the songs on the screen. Changing colored lights will lend an atmosphere of charm and romance.

All this and a great deal more is scheduled, then, for April 6 at the Palady, 3450 S. Archer Ave., entrance 8:30 p.m., admission 40 cents.

H. K.

## CLEVELAND YOUTH GROUPS to SPONSOR JOINT EASTER DANCE THIS SATURDAY; CHORUS PREPARES FOR OPERETTA

CLEVELAND—Hear ye! Hear ye! This notice concerns all Lyros Chorus members, LeaDers and Collinwoodites and all of you lads and lasses from near and afar. It is by this proclamation that we make it known that Easter Sunday, March 24, 1940 we are having a big gala Leap Year Dance. The place is the Lithuanian Hall, 6835 Superior Ave. The dance begins at 8 p.m.

The Swing Kings, and their make you want to dance band, will furnish their syncopating music, and when they swing out with their dreamy waltzes, lively fox trots and peppy music that will start your feet tapping and soon have you gliding out on the floor amidst your friends, where gaiety and laughter will prevail all evening long. This evening of fun and enjoyment will not be an ordinary dance for it you don't have any place to strut your new Easter outfits you can strut them off at the dance. With this gala event only a few days off, the committee is rapidly putting on the finishing touches for the dance. The affair has all the aspects of being the top notch dance of the year.

You can get your tickets from any member of the Lyros Chorus, LeaDers or Collinwoodites. Tickets are 20 cents in advance and 25 cents at the door.

The Lyros Chorus monthly meeting was held March 14, at 920 East 79th St. With the cooperation of all the members in attendance, many things were discussed and much work was accomplished. Things that were mostly stressed were to get as much advertisement as possible for the operetta and to have regular attendance at rehearsals.

Friday, March 15, the chorus held its rehearsal with much gusto, vim and vigor. The chorus seems to be rounding out very well, for the length of time that we have been rehearsing the songs. The girls had a longer intermission than the boys, but we didn't mind, for here is where the boys get a chance to shine with our solo. It seems that Joe J. lost his best friend or is it the crush he has on Eleanor Masky, a new chorus member. Gee, ain't love grand.

Sunday brought us to our first serious rehearsal,

I wonder why Aline Cimber, Helen Young and Henry McLanu weren't at the chorus rehearsal Friday. Remember the success of this operetta depends on how much work we do and the cooperation we receive.

Rehearsal Friday, March 22 at 920 East 79th St. at 8:30 p.m. promptly.

'Sparky'

Scottdale—here we come. We haven't forgotten the wonderful hospitality of our Scottdale friends and were delighted to hear from them again. It won't be long before we're shaking hands and exchanging a "how nice to see you again."

Where are our old members? We want to see you all. How about it?

Joe Urban, Tony Urban, Mr. Urban, Nellie Zuraits, Mary Zuraits, Dorothy Karinoff, Emily Jakens, Al Jasaitis and Ed Petrella are among the missing.

See you all Sunday morning at 10:30 sharp.

Violet.

## L.U.C. Looks Ahead to Its Varsity Frolic; To Hear American Youth Congress Leader

"What does college mean to you?" a dreamy eyed adolescent was asked.

"A song and dance act against a background of athletics and romance, interrupted by attendance in classrooms during the day," came the dreamy response.

This definition of college life will no doubt change after he has been on the campus for a month. Nevertheless there is a charming carefree aspect of college atmosphere and this will be the setting for the Annual Varsity Frolic arranged by the Lithuanian University Club for April 6.

The Collegians, an orchestra which plays at many social events at the Northwestern University Campus and other places as well, has as its leader, Al Maysky, a senior at Northwestern. They will supply music in a typical collegian manner.

The locale of the Varsity Dance is, of course, the Darius-Girėnas Memorial Hall, 4414 S. Western and the tickets are 40 cents.

The next regular meeting of

the club, which is March 31, will take up in a vigorous fashion vital interests of the day. The whole nation is peace-conscious, and the club is no exception. However, in order to guide its activities in a logical manner, a Peace Committee, comprised of Stan Drigot, chairman, Julie Rachens and Joe Janis are investigating various possibilities, including that of coordinating its efforts with those of the American Youth Congress.

A comprehensive report, therefore, on the American Youth Congress will be read. In addition, the president of the Chicago Council of the A.Y.C., Jack Fishbein, has been invited to speak, so that the membership may gain a first-hand impression of the policies of the A.Y.C.

Last Saturday Nite was a hilarious occasion for the male element in the LUC. Al Childs was the gracious host, and Al Prusis, good, naturally dominated the scene. The Stag Party was a happy success.

J. J.

## MANUSCRIPTS FOR 16 PAGE EDITION MUST BE RUSHED SO THAT WE'LL GET THEM NO LATER THAN MARCH 25

Monday next, March 25 is absolutely the final day when manuscripts for the special Jubilee edition of the Vilnis English Section will be accepted. All those who have promised to submit material for this edition are informed that all their contributions must be in by that date, if

they desire to see print.

Organization histories, of choruses, youth branches and other organizations, and special feature articles must likewise be in by that date. All contributors who have prepared manuscripts for this edition are asked to get them into the mails so that we shall

have them on hand no later than March 25.

Already, we have received contributions from many sources but there are others outstanding. RUSH YOUR MANUSCRIPTS. We don't want to disappoint anyone, but we'll have to get your cooperation to please you.

late this summer will be made with an effort to mobilize the largest possible delegation.

### Good Youth Group Expected

Special efforts to prepare the Youth branches for participation in this conference will be made and plans laid at the District Council meeting last Monday call for youth leaders to visit the six LDS youth branches in Chicago. Frances Yurgil and Matt Sholomskas will pay a visit to all the branches at their forthcoming meetings. Branches are asked to cooperate and strive to have well attended meetings.

## 2ND DISTRICT CONFAB TO SPEED MEMBERSHIP DRIVE; PREPARE FOR NATIONAL PARLEY

CHICAGO—From seventy-five to one hundred delegates from Chicago and surrounding territory representing the 16 LDS branches in the Second District will assemble at Vilnis Hall 3116 So. Halsted St at the semi-annual conference on Sunday, April 21.

The central theme of the conference will resolve itself around the mapping of plans for the speeding up of the LDS membership drive and for an early completion of the quota in this area. Likewise, preparation for the Fifth Bi-annual LDS Conference to be held in New York

branches would come. We would like to make our first social a success. Admission is 25 cents.

The Zips will hold a bowling party on March 29 at Windy City bowling alleys. We certainly would like all of the Zips to attend. Bowling will commence at 7:30 in the evening. Every bowler will be required to pay for his own games.

K. Stankevich

## CALIFORNIA STUDENTS FIGHT BAN ON BRIDGES MEETING

BERKELEY, March 11 (ICN)

—An administration ban on Harry Bridges, among other asserted violations of civil rights on the University of California campus was the subject of a projected conference this week between an official student committee and the university administration.

The American Student Union chapter here has charged that on two occasions it was denied permission to invite the longshoremen's leader to speak on the campus on the question of peace, whereas the administration welcomed Pierre de Lanux, avowed official propagandist for the French government, and permitted him to speak at Wheeler Auditorium.

Other grievances of the A.S.U. are:

1. Despite unanimous permission granted by the Associated Students of the University of California (ASUC) executive committee, student governing body, the administration forbade the sale of "The Yanks Are NOT Coming" pamphlets and buttons on the campus.

2. A gag decision has been handed down by an administration spokesman to the ASU, prohibiting discussion of certain topics, like the recently recommended dismissal of liberal professor Beecroft, at ASU meetings held on campus.

The ASU chapter, heading a delegation of 100 students, presented these grievances to a meeting of the ASUC executive committee which appointed two sub-

committees which appointed two sub-committees to elicit reasons from the administration for the action taken.

### Aido Chorus Notes From Detroit

DETROIT—Well here it is just a few days before Easter and the chill winds still blowing. I wonder how many of our fair damsels will be decked up in their glad rags this year, if the weather keeps up this way.

Speaking of Easter, we will be minus a member on that day. He is Jerry Vadovic, who is going back to Pennsylvania. We'll miss you, Jerry.

The event of the evening was the introduction of the boys from Gary, Ind. who came out here to play in the IWO league. We are proud to say they received a trophy for third place. The boys who were present were Vic and Chris Malls, Richard Davies, Johnnie Brown, James Sutherland, Bill Stembeck and Johnny Harbovitz.

The jitterbugs of the evening were Nelle Pludokas and Eddie Puento. It's a surprise as to where they get all their energy.

Why doesn't Stella bring her brother down to rehearsals. It seems a shame to let a handsome boy like that at home.

Thanks to Mrs. Jakstys who worked all evening in the kitchen. We also wish to thank those chorus members who gave up some of their time accordingly to help out in the check room and kitchen.

We received a card from Tony Machlis, who went to Phoenix Arizona quite unexpectedly, and we wish to say that we miss him. Tony was quite an active member and had to give up a part in our operetta when he left. Best of luck to you Tony and don't forget us.

Chorus rehearsal will be held this Tuesday at 7:30. Chorus rehearsals will be held Sunday at 10:00 sharp.

So until Friday. Mary