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## KASDIENA...

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SLA Balsavimai

Kongreso įeigų parūpinimo komitetas siūlo pakelti įeigų taksus taip, kad pavienis mokėtų taksus jei uždirka bent \$500 į metus. Tokiems, žinoma, reikės mokėti nedaug.

Karui reikia lėšų.

Kareiviams pakėlimą algų iki \$50 mėnesiui užgers visu šalis, išskyrus tuos, kurie nori padėti sąiai.

Teisybė, kad yra kiekvieno pareiga tarnauti savo šaliai, bet ta pareiga malonesnė, kuomet kareivis gauna dar ir užmokėti kiek daugiau.

Nemažai kareivių jau paliečia žmonas. Visi turi tėvus, motinas.

Dr. Eduard Beneš įstikėjęs, jog Čekoslovakija visu išlaisvinta apie kalėdas. Taigi, jis mano, kad karas baigsis šiomet.

SSSR vadovybė irgi sako, kad šiomet ašis bus sumušta.

Atidarius antrą frontą Europoje tas būtų užtikrinta.

General L. K. Smith, Amerikos fašistų lyderis, prisiekto savo kompanijai ir pulk. McCormick, Coughlin, Lindbergh ir cilę aršius fašistus, anti-semitus.

Kai kurie prisimėte neva demokracijos gėnytojus. Gerai, kad fašistų lyderis juos surinko savo pulkan.

CIO, ADF ir Gelžkelių Brolijos laikė Minneapolisje bendrą konferenciją suderinimui veikimo karo laimėjimui.

Tai girtinas žygis. Unijų rolė neapsakomai svarbi karo laimėjime.

Hitlerio pasigyrimas Krymo fronte kai kam Chicagoje pritaė nepaprasto smugamo. Paėyzėdai, "Naujienos" uždėgė didelę antsvajį: "Rusai traukiasi Kerčio Pusiasalyje."

Kiek tai džiaugsmo p. Griaiėniui.

Sovietų daviniai ngina nacių laimėjimus. Sovietų kariuomenė taip prasimėte per Clarkovo apsigynimo linijas.

Tatai paskelbė tikė laikraėiai, bet ne "Naujienos." Tik Hitlerio žinios gesina jų redaktorius troškulį.

Dar vienas Japonijos laivas nuskindintas. Skaiėius jau pasiekė 235.

Japonijai laivynas labai reikalingas, o jis skubiai nyksta.

Galutini rezultatai, kaip paduoda "oficiali" komisija, rodo: Du tautininkų kandidatai Laukaitis ir Kilinga gavo balsų 2,723. Bagoėius gavo—2,613.

Taigi, Kilinga faktinai padėgė išrinkti Bagoėiui.

SLA seime bus trys grupės delegatų. Jei seimo sudėtis teks balsavimuis, seni viršininkai turės tuos mažumą, nes juk ir Bagoėius daugumos neturi, jis tik už Laukaitis daugiau gavo balsų.

Seimas taria galutinį žodį viršininko užtvirtinimui.

Reikia laukti gan tvirtų susirėmimų seime.

Progressiviai išgelbėjo Mažką. Jis gavo 317 balsų daugiau už savo opونتą. Jei būtų ir misiškių kandidatas, Mažkąna

# Raudonoji Armija Atakuoja Charkovą

## Traukia Tieson Rusus Fašistus, Vadovaujamas Vonsiackio

NEW YORKAS, geg. 14.—Federalis teisėjas Murray Hulbert autorizavo iškrepti popo Aleksandro Gogolevų kleboniją ir užgriebti visokius dokumentus, surištus su "rusų tautos revoliucine partija."

Federalis investigacijos biuras sako, minėtoji partija yra grynai fašistinė. Jina turi skyrėjų kitose šalyse. Su pagelbia nacių ir japonų valdžij siekia si nversuti Sovietų vyriausybe.

Amerikino partijos skyrėius centras randasi minėto popo klebonijoje, New Yorke.

Kelios dienos prieš tai, vyriausybė agentai iškreptė Anaslazo A. Vonsiackio butą, Thompson, Conn. Pastarnas skaitosi vyriausiu vadu "rusų tautos revoliucinės partijos." Pas Vonsiackį rastus dokumentus perdavė federali grand džiurei, Hartford, Conn.

## Daug Tūkstančių Kanados Kareivių Atgrenta į Angliją

ANGLIJA, geg. 14.—Amerikos ir Anglijos karo laivų tykmini konvojai, su daugeliu tūkstančių kareivių, atplaukė į Angliją. Konvojų kelionė busi be prieikių. Bet prapūsias karo laivai mėtė į vandenį gelmių bombas, kas vedė prie sutarpmo, kad puolama priešo submarinai.

Kaip tvirtinama, kanadiečiai daliniai būsių invazijos avangardu. Išlipę į krantą kanadiečiai šaukė: "Mes jau atvažiuome; galite karą pradėti dabar."

## Lozovaja Miestelyje Naciai Nuzudė 876 Sovietų Piliėcius

MASKVA, geg. 14.—Specialiai Sovietų komisija skelbia kiek vokieėiai žmogžudystėjų papildė, plėšimui įvykdė ir kitokių piktadarėsių padarė būdami Lozovaja miestelyje. Komisija atranda, kad vokieėiai ir rumunų banditai nuzudė 876 ramybė mylinėius miestelio gyventojus ir belaisvius raudonarmieėius.

Tuo paėiu sykiu išovėgė visuomenės turto sumoje 26,346,364 rublių. Į šių sumų neįeina tos vertenybės, kurias vokieėiai ir rumuniški banditai išplėšė iš pavienėiu gyventojų.

## Nuo Zemės Drebejiu Ekvadoriujė Zuvo 60 Žmonių

GUAYACUIL, Ekvadorius. —Nepaprastai stiprus zemės drebejimas sukretė Guayacuil miestelį ir plataką jo apylinkė. Drebejimas tęsėsi vienu minutė. Pirmieji apskaitiniai rodo, kad vien tik Guayacuil mieste žuvo 60 žmonių ir keliolika namų sugriuvo.

nebutų išrinktas.

SLA seimas prasidėsi birželio 29 diena. A.

## DABAR LAIKAS ATIDARYT ANTRĄ FRONTĄ

NEW YORKAS, geg. 14.—"Daily Worker" patalpino pirmame puslapyje editoriaėią, raginantį Angliją ir Ameriką dabar atidaryti antrąjį frontą Europoje.

Laikraštis sako, nacių ataka Kerė pusiasalyje reiškia pradži Hitlerio pavasarinio ofensyvo. Hitleris deda desperatiškas ir miliniškas pastangas atgriebti iniciatyvą, kurią Raudonoji Armija išveržė iš nacių kariuomenės, jai neįstengus paimti Maskvą praėitą rudenį.

Hitleris spaudė visos paverttos Europos karo industriją daugiausia gaminti ginklų ir vertė pastumdėliškus savo "talkininkus" duoti jam daugiau kareivių.

Dabar jis ta pėklišką jėgą meta į mūši, kuris yra neėias pavyojumi Anglijai, Jungtineim Valstijom ir taipiau Sovietų Sąjungai. Hitleris pasimėgo sunaikinti arba sužaloti Raudonąją Armiją, kuri neleidžia jam eiti į Kaukazo alėjus laukus, neleidžia susisiekti su Japonija ir stovi keltyje tiesioginiam užpuolimui ant Anglijos ir Jungtinių Valstijų.

Laikraštis priminė aną sekmadienį sakyta Churchillio kalbą per radiją. Toje kalboje anglų premieras tada pasakė, kad "užpuolimui ant vokieėiu Europoje talkininkai turi visko kiek reikia."

"Daily Worker" todėl sako: "Hitlerio pavasarinis ofensyvas jau pradėtas. Atidarykite antrąjį frontą dabar."

## Vokieėiai Susprogdino Munchicė Stambų Ginklų Fabriką

STOCKHOLMAS, geg. 14.—Vokieėijos žmonių nepasitenkinimas kriminališkai Hitlerio darbais vis labiau aėtrėja. Kelios dienos prieš tai Munchicė susprogdino didelę ginklų ir amunicijos fabriką. Fabrikas negalės karo reikmenų gaminti per daugelį mėnesių.

Ant Munchico sienų ir tvorų tankiai iš po nakties pasirodė tokio turinio sūkiiai: "Salino kriminalistinj kar!" "Tegyvuoja Sovietų Sąjungai!"

## SUORGANIZAVO POLITINĖ PARTIJĄ ANGLIJOJ

LONDONAS.—Keliolikos parlamento atstovų iniciatyva paskelbta nauja politinė partija, kuri partinai "laudes partija." Partijai imasi vadovauti senesai ir parlamente išrinktas W. B. Brown, buvęs darbietis.



Maršalas S. Timošenko. Jo komanduojami Raudonosios Armijos daliniai pradėgė galingą ofensyvą Ukrainoje.

## Okupantai Vokieėiai Nuzudė 7 Belgus Patriotus

LONDONAS, geg. 14.—Ghent mieste nacių okupacinis tribunolas nutėisė miritin septynis belgus patriotus už priklausymą prie slaplos sabotažo organizacijos, vadinamos "baltoji bėgėda."

Pirmu kartu į teismo salę buvo įsileisti spaudos atstovai. Belgai komentatoriškai daro išvadą, kad teroro atžvilgiu okupantai ketėia taikišk. Nesusiėkė neropų rezultatų iš slapto teroro, okupantai iškėlia terorų į viešą.

## IR NACIAI MANO, KAD JAPONAI PERDĖDA

BERLYNAS.—Nežiūrint japonų valdiškų šaltinių tvirtinimų, kad Coral jūroje japonai nuskindino kelis talkininkų kovos laivus. Naciai betgi mano, kad jų biėituliai išėktų mejuoja.

## Vokieėiu Kareiviai Graikioj Atsiskako Vykt į Rytų Frontą

NEW YORKAS, geg. 14.—Londono radijas skelbia, kad ir Athenose atvažiuo nepaprasta Hitlerio komisija iširti pasireikiantj nerimą vokieėiu kareiviuose Graikioj, kurie neretai atsiskako vykti į rytų frontą.

Ant Londono radijo. Athenose esamas vokieėiu aviacijos skadronas griežtai atsiskakė važiuoti į rytinį frontą. Už tai visai lakiniai susaudyti, išskyrus du, kurie beabejotus buvo gestapo agentai.

Antros pasipriešinimas įvyko graikų Chios salukė. Didėsė pusė garzinozo kareivių atsiskakė rengtis į rytų frontą. Į krantų išlipė marinai kareivius nunginklavo grėsdimais apšaudyti iš karo laivų kanolių.

## AUTOMOBILIŲ KORAS GALĖS BŪT APRIBOTAS SALIES PLOTU

WASHINGTONAS, geg. 14.—Su liepos pirmą diena kartais gali būti įvesta visos šalies apribavimas gazolinu. Iki šiol tas apribavimas praktikoje jama sė vien rytinėse valstijose.

## Beneš Tvirtina, Kad Jo Vyriausybė Būsimas Kalėdas Švęs Pragoj

LONDONAS, geg. 14.—Čekoslovakijos prezidentas ištrėtime Eduard Beneš tvirtinaciai pareiškė, kad "sekanėias kalėdas mano vyriausybė jau švęs savo šalyje."

Jo finansų ministeris šių nuomėnė piltinausia remia. Kalėdamas Liverpoolyje jisai priminė paėiu nacių žodžius: "Kad išsigelbėti nuo susmukimo, dar šią vasarą privalome sumušti Sovietų Sąjungą."

Daug kas mano, kad hitlerinė Vokietija šių vasarą susumks, bet mažai kam norisi tvirtinti, kad jina sumušty Sovietų Sąjungą.

## Palinkėjo Vengrams Kareiviams Sugryžti Su Kanuolėmis

ZURICH, geg. 14.—Pašitėind Vengrijos valdžia slūndė į rytų frontą dar daugiau kariuomenės dalinių padėti Hitlerio govdom. Premieras Nicolas von Kallay kalbėdamas išvykstanėiam pulkui atkartojinašė bėgėto nepalikti mūšio lauke kanolių.

Kaip jau žinia, neretai yra atsilėkė, kad rumunai ir vengrai susidūrė su Raudonąja Armija mėtė šautuvais ir bėgo iš pozicijų arba su šautuvais ir kanuolėmis pereidavo į Sovietų pusę.

## Stimsonas Daleidžia, Kad Japonai Gali Pulti Vakarų

WASHINGTONAS, geg. 14.—Karo sekretorius Henry Stimson pareiškė, kad nėra jokios abejonės, jog bile dieng japonų bombieriai gali pulti Californios, Oregono ar Washingtono valstijų pajūrio miestus.

Stimson sakė, šių vasarų įvyks didelio masto kariuomenės manevrai, kuriuose bus dēta daug svarbos į ofensyvą.

## Viesula Užmušė Keturis Asmenis Ir 15 Namų Sugriovė

MORTON, Minn., geg. 14.—Minesota upės kolumi nusitautė žvėri visula, kurios pasekoj keturi žmonės užmušta ir 15 namų sugriauta.

Morton gyventojai, kurių viso tėra 904, pamatė viesulą atžindant susuko slėptis namų rūstuose. Tačiau miestelį viesula kaip ir nelietė. Tik suradė nedidelę mokyklą ir apardė lažnyėią.

## Talkininkų Aviacija Sunaikino 65 Japonų Lėktuvus

NEW DELHI, geg. 14.—Talkininkų aviacija, ypatingai angly ir amerikieėiu, puolė japonų bazes ir lėktuvų aikėtes sunaikino 65 priešo karinius lėktuvus. Be to, nuskindino 3,000 tonų prekybinį laivą ir sužalojo kitus du laivus.

## KARO INICIATYVA BUVO IR BUS RAUDONOSIOS ARMIJOS RANKOSE PAREIŠKĖ SOVIETAI

### Baltiko Raudonasis Laivynas Pleškina Nacių Pozicijas Visu Užlajos Pakraėciu

MASKVA, geg. 14.—Praneėimai iš fronto tvirtina, kad Sovietų jėgos pradėgė galingą ofensyvą Charkovo fronte ir jau atėgė ties pat Charkovo durimis.

Ofensyvus ant Charkovo nesęs

### Trumpi Praneėimai

MASKVA, geg. 14.—Baltiko Raudonasis laivynas išplaukė iš Kronštado bazės į Suomijos uėlają, visu pakraėciu pleškina nacių pozicijas.

MASKVA, geg. 14.—Leningrado fronte Raudonosios Armijos daliniai, sustiprinti tankais ir aviacija, prasimėte per pirmą nacių fortifikacijų liniją ir jau išėkto giliai švarplais antrojoj linijai.

MASKVA, geg. 14.—Praneėimai iš fronto parėžia, kad Amerikos ir Anglijos atėstisi tankai ir lėktuvai Ukrainos ofensyvoje vaidina labai svarbią rolę.

### Kinai Ragina Neduoti Japonams Atsikvėpti Pacifike

CHUNGKING, geg. 14.—Kinijos valdiški šaltiniai tvirtina, kad nacių ataka Kryme yra signalu japonams pulti Sovietus Sibire. Vyriausybė oficiozas ragina talkininkus neduoti japonams progos atsikvėpti. Pacifiko pietvakarinose japonus esę reikia pulti be palovės.

EAGERVILLE, Ill.—Gelbėjimo darbininkai išėmė iš Superior Coal Co. Mine I angliakasio Frank Bertagnolli lavoną. Pratikę bentadienį velionį ir kitus tris angliakasio išitko kasykloje nelaimė.

### Paėistų Submarinas Nuskindintas St. Lawrence Upėj

OTTAWA.—Fašistų submarinas, kuris praėitį pirmadienį St. Lawrence upėj nuskindino du talkininkų prekybinėiu laivus, manoma, bus toje pat upėje nuskindėtas arba pasprukęs į Atlantą.

## ANGLAI SAKO, NACIŲ PRANEŠIMAI APIE LAIMĖJIMUS NETEISINGI

LONDONAS, geg. 14.—Vokieėiu praneėimai, kad Krymo fronte jie sunaikino Sovietų jėgas ir paėmė daug karinio grobio, perlėgy perdėti, sako anglų karo žinovai.

Nežiūrint šėių dienų įurtisio mūšio, londoniečiai mano, kad Raudonoji Armija tebesilaiko pusiasalio gale, o už atsiėktus laimėjimus, kurie nelabai žymūs, kareiviams ir karo medžiagai vokieėiai labai brangiai užmokėjo.

Londono karo žinovai įlygiai netiki ir kitoms nacių praneėimams. Ypatingai įtartinai žiūri į praneėimus apie karo grobio.

Nacių praneėimai sakė, kad Kerėtėius pusiasalyje jie sunaikino 260 lėktuvų, 170 tankų ir 598 lauko kanuoles.

Angliai sako, tokio didelio skaiciuzos karo pabūkytame fronte Sovietai iš viso negalėgjo turėti.

Vokieėiai šitap esę giriats tikriausia dēto, kad jie tikėojosi per Kerėtėius pusiasalį lengviausia pereiti, bet sutikė taip stiprų Sovietų jėgų pasipriešinimą, mėgina savo susilpnėję pridėgti Sovietų ginklų nebūta gausa.

Jėgu Kerėtėius pusiasalį vokieėiai vėliau ir užimty, tačiau jie neturės pajėgų persikelti per siaurą sąsmauką į Kaukazą. Vokieėiai neturi pernykėio pajėgumo.

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Krymo Fronte

Hitlerio pavasarinis ofensyvas pagaliau pradetas. Idomu, kad jis pradetas Krymo pusiasaly. Teisybė, iš čia yra arčiausia į Kaukazo aliejaus laukus, bet ir taigi teisybė, kad ir laimėjus čia dar nereikiška pergale.

Atrodo, kad Hitleris ieško kokio tai bent moralio laimėjimo gal pateisinti savo suvėluoto pavasarinio ofensyvo. Gali būt ir tas, kad Hitlerio generalinis štabas turi kokį kitą skyrmą.

Šis ofensyvas ar bile kokis skyrmas galima ištaškyti, jei vakaruose būtų atidaryta naujas frontas. Apie jį daug kalbama. Anglijos vyriausybė kaip ir žada, bet kol kas antro fronto vis dar nėra.

Dabar načiams susikoncentravus savo ofensyvui rodos turėtų būti geras laikas antram frontui.

Kieno Taika?

Popiežius Pius XII savo radijo prakaiboje ragina kariaujančias šalis eiti prie taikos, nes kitaip laukia "baisus sunaikinimas."

Jis sako, laike savo popiežiavimo dirbęs dėl taikos. Apie tai pas daugelį ir katalikų bus abejoniu. Juk dar senesai tas buvo, kad popiežius davė Mussoliniui apie \$240,000,000 karui vesti Etiopijoj.

Idomu, kad laike to karo apie taiką popiežius irgi nekabėjo.

Taipgi idomu, kad jis siūlo taiką tada, kai eina kalbos, kad Hitleris su Mussoliniu irgi nusitarę siūlyti taiką.

Hitlerio taikos siūlymą niekas neima rimtai. Tai yra vienas jo ir jo karo mašinos skymų įnešti pasiskirstymą, pasidalinimą Jungtinių Tautų frontan.

Ar ir popiežius tuo tikslu siūlo taiką, netvirtinsime. Jo pasiūlyme nieko nėra apie fašizmo sumušimą, apie demokratijos pergalę, o kad ašis dabar turi užėmus, pavergus bent 16 tautų, reikia suprasti jo pasiūlymą kaip naudingą ašiai, o ne demokratijos frontui.

Aišku, tas pasiūlymas neris pritarimo demokratijos pusėje.

Dabar Tik Liudi

Iš Stockholmo praneša, jog vokiečių laikraštis "Das Reich" labai guodžiasi žemės ūkio padėtim, ypatingai Austrijoj ir Westfalijoj. Tas laikraštis sako:

"Luznansburg miestukas yra pietrytinė daly Austrijos arti Vengrijos sienos. Praeityje valstiečiai šioj daly buvo gražiai pasirėdę ir linksni. Dabar gi jie net šventadieniais vien liudi."

Tas pats laikraštis nurodo, jog daug kaimiečių paimta į frontą. Kareivio amžiaus vyrų veik nelikę. Iš 520 valstiečių 130 paimta į armiją, likę žabi ir seni.

"Dauguma ūkių apdirbama vaikų ir moterų," sako "Reich."

Tai vienas daugelio pavyzdžių.

Visai natūralu, kad valstiečiai nusiminė, vien liudi. Jie veikiausia žino, nežūrint nacių cenzūros, kad iš fronto retas jų vyrų grys, kad keli milijonai jau kritę.

Kita, valstiečiai nenekėnia nacių jungo jiems užkarto.

Gal panaši padėtis visoj Vokietijoj. Westfalija ir yra dalis Vokietijos. Ir valstiečiai, ir darbininkai nepatenkinti, jie dabar tik liudi ir veikiausia laukia momento, kada jie galės nacių smogti.

CIO Laimi

CIO plieno darbininkų unija susitarė su U. S. Steel Corporation praversti įmonėse balsavimus, ar darbininkai nori išimtinai tik CIO uniją juose atstovauti.

Balsavimas pradėta USSC mažesnėse įmonėse, o paskui pačiose svarbiose tos korporacijos įmonėse. Jis apima apie 175,000 darbininkų 13-jė valstijų.

Pradžią balsavimui rodo didelį laimėjimą dėl CIO. Balsų paduota sekamai: Už CIO uniją 4,538, prieš 199. Balsavusieji prieš irgi faktinali neina prieš CIO uniją, bet jie mano, kad ir kita unija gali tos korporacijos darbininkus atstovauti, kur dauguma darbininkų už tai pasisakys.

CIO unijos, nevien' plieno darbininkuose, bet ir kitų industrijų įsigyja pasitikėjimo. CIO gerai darbininkų kovas išvedė. CIO unijos taipgi nepasidavė izoliacinei J. L. Lewis politikai, kuri būtų pakenkus gamybai ir sekmingam karo vedimui prieš ašį.

Nėra abejonės, kad didelė dauguma plieno darbininkų pasisakys už CIO uniją pilną tos industrijos darbininkų atstovavimą.

Amerikos Darbo Federacijos Pildanti Taryba pradėjo savo posėdžius Washingtone. Atvyko ir Anglijos Darbo Unijų atstovas Sir Walter Citrine, Darbo Partijos žymus veikėjas.

Citrine, sakoma, atsivežė Anglijos darbo unijų pasiūlymą sudaryti galingą federaciją iš Amerikos, Anglijos ir Sovietų Sąjungos darbo unijų. Suprantama, jį tą federaciją būtų primamos ir kitų šalių darbo unijos, bet svarbiausia susitarti šių trijų šalių darbo unijoms.

Ar ADF tai priims, pamatysime vėliau. Reikia pabrėžti tą faktą, kad ADF vadovybė pastaruoju laiku veikia pagrįdai. Jos atsinešimas link Sovietų Sąjungos irgi geras. William Green, ADF prezidentas, pats pirmutinis užgėrė Sovietų Sąjungos herojišką kovą prieš ašį.

Jei Anglijos darbo unijų pasiūlymas bus priimtas, bus padaryta labai svarbus žygis. Tai susidarytų galingas tarptautinis darbininkų kūnas, galinga organizacija, kurios įtekme paveiktų į karą ir pasukl taiką.

Jei šį sykį tas ir nepavyks, reikia tikėtis, kad vėliau tas bus atsiekta.

Browderio Reikalu

Wisconsinio laikraštis "Capitol Times", kuris eina valstijos sostamiestyj Madison, pasisakė už paliausavimą Earl Browderio.

"Capitol Times," pats svarbiausias laikraštis Wisconsinie, nurodo, kad Browderio nusikaltimas visai menkas, ir kada jis laikomas kalėjime taip ilgai, tai parodo, jog jis persekiojamas už jo politinius įsitikinimus, kas šiuo tarpu ypač neturėtų būti. Browderis juk yra griežtas fašizmo priešas, ir dabar jis būtų naudingas, jei laisvėj būtų

Tas laikraštis taipgi nurodo, kad pasmerktas už apgauliojamą Amerikos valdžios trims metams kalėjimo Joseph Shenk, jau gavo bausmės sumažinimą iki vieno meto. Mat, jis yra turtingas, milijonierius. Browderis, kuris yra neturtingas, darbininkų vadas, už menkesnę bausmę sėdi įkalintas ilgiau. Tai yra diskriminacija, nelygybė, sako tas laikraštis.

Zymus jūristas, Zaharian Chefee, Harvardo Universiteto profesorius, taippat pareiškė, kad Browderis reikia paleisti iš kalėjimo. Jis sako, Browderis jau atmokėjęs už tą menką prasikaltimą kelerio pai.

Prezidentas Rooseveltas gerai padarytų paliausodamas Browderį.

KAINŲ KONTROLĖS PROGRAMA

Kainų Administracijos Ofisas ragina visuomenę turėti kantrybės ir tolerantiskumo pakol kainų kontroliavimo programa pilnai išsivystys.

Amerikiečiai pripažins, kad kainų aukštis (ceiling) yra jų apsauga prieš kylančius pragyvenimo kaštus, Administratorius Leon Henderson sakė.

Pavykimas programos reikalauja pilnos kooperacijos vartotojo. Šeiminninkė ir pirkėja gali padėti suprasdamos kaip kainų aukštis veiks ir turėtų kantrumo, pakol tokis milžiniškas programos pradės veikti.

"Patvarkymai" uždeda daug naujų ir kėblių sunkumų ant krautuvninkų ir jų pristatytojų. Pirkėjai turi suprasti, kad su gegužės 18 d. kiekvienas krautuvninkas turi pertvarkyti jo daiktus, kad sutikt su kainų patvarkymais, ir po gegužės 18 d. jis negali parduoti daiktus virš aukščio. Tai milžiniškas darbas, ypatingai smulkies krautuvninkams, kurių rekordai neužbaigti.

"Vartotojas neturi tokios problemos. Valdžia, įsteigdama kainų aukštį atlieka darbą dėl vartotojų, kurį ji arba jie sau vienas negali atlikti. Bet vartotojas privalo apsipazinti su pagrindiniu kainų patvarkymu.

"Tikima, kad per pirmas kelias savaites po gegužės 18 d. bus daug neaiškių klau-simų ir bus nesutikimų tarp vartotojo ir pardavėjo apie maksimumo kainas. Jie neišvengiami, net ir kada krautuvninkai įsteigė savo aukštį sulgi nustatytų parūpinimū.

"Kada nesutikimai pasirodo, patartina, kad pirkėjas ir krautuvninkas bandytų susitaikinti. Tik kada jie vis nesutinka ir pirkėjas gali įrodyti faktų, kad nepri-laikytia prie kainų patvarkymū, tik tada reikia pranešti patvarkymų pildytojams."

Kainų Administracijos Ofisas išleido trijų punktu rodyklę, kuri išdėsto kaip šeiminninkė pirkėja gali prisidėti prie įvykdinimo kainų aukščio.

1. Prieš liepos 1 d. susipažinkite su kainų patvarkymais ir kaip jie veikia.

Nebokite kainų poliecinuku. Palikite tą darbą Kainų Administracijos Ofisui. Nuo pat pradžios OPA prižiūrės kainas, vartodamas pilnai prityrusius technikus darbininkus iš Darbo Departamento Statistikų, sužinoti kainų kryptį.

2. Po liepos 1 d. Kainų ir Paskirstymo Tarybos-komitečiai iš jūsų kaimynų—jų veikis ir priims skundus. Žinokite kaip ir kur pranešti apie patvarkymų laužymą. Tarybos išklauskys skundus ir sutvarkys kur galima, bet ypatingi atsitikimai bus pavestai OPA pildymo oficialams dėl galutino nusprendimū.

Tuo tarpu, OPA išlavins profesionalius pirkėjus dirbti su kiekviena Karo Kainų ir Paskirstymo Taryba daboti kainas ant vietos.

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MAUDYKLIŲ SARGAIS PRIMS JAUNESNIUS VAIKINUS Iki šiolie maudyklių sargais negalėjo būti jaunuoliai, jaunesni negu 18 m. Dabar imant domėtis tą faktą, kad beveik dauguma sargų išėjo į kariuomenę ir kad bendrai sunku yra gauti to amžiaus vyrų tokiam darbiui, nuslėpta, kad sargais bus imami 16 ar 17 metų vaikinai. Jis prašytis net buvo planuojama imti tam darbiui merginoms, bet paskui tas klausimas atpūlo.

DIDYSIS FONTANAS ATIDAROMAS GEGUŽĖS 20

Grant Parke esantis didysis, neseniai statytas, taip vadinamas Buckingham fontanas, b. ir atidarymas šio mėnesio 20 dieną ir veiks kiekvieną vakarą. Kaip yra žinoma, šis fontanas yra vienas didžiausių ir gražiausių įrengtų pasaulyje. Jo įrengimas kainavo apie 500,000 dolerių. Prie fontano yra pritaistos įvairios spalvės šviesos, kurios prididina fontanui fantastišką grožį.

Nuolatinis Aptamsinimas Chicagoj?

Paašikėjus, kad New York'e gal visas miesto centras su jo galybe šviesų bus aptamsintas kiekvieną naktį, girdimos kalbos, kad tas pats gal bus reikalinga ir Chicagoje. Tiek galima pasakyti, kad kaspin New Yorko, tai tas yra vien projektas, planas, o Chicago, aišku, randašis šiek tiek tolimesniam pavojuje negu New Yorkas. Bet kaip tai nebūtų dabartiniu momentu, mes ką nors panašaus galime tikėtis ateityje, greičiau nebatai tolimoje ateityje.

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Pagaliau išleistas patvarkymas, kuris reguliuoja paštą už nesilaikymą reguliacijų aptamsinimo metu. Tie, kurie paliks šviesas namuose, ar nepakankamai gerai uždengs langus, tie, kurie kitokiu būdu laužys reguliacijas, bus baudžiami \$200 pinigine kaucije ar viešais metais bausime.

Aptamsinimo laiku uždrausta rinktis gatvėse į didesnius būrelius. Keturi ar penki žmonės yra ryba - daugiau skaitosi susirinkimu, kas griežtai bus draudžiama.

"RAUDONOJI SILKĖ" MIRĖ, SAKO "CHICAGO TIMES" "Raudonoji Silkė", o tai yra kišmas visur komunizmo ir kaitinimas kiekvieno pažangaus komunizmo, kaip tai daro reakcininkai, yra atgyvenusi savo laiką, editoriale sako "Chicago Times" dienraštyje.

Tame pačiame editoriale dienraštyje paminai, kad tokie kaip Curran ir Bridges, kuriais "vaikai buvo gaudinami," pasirodė kaip tikri mistų šalies patriotai.

Chicago Kontraktai Auga

Industrijos centras Chicago vis daugiau gauna karinių užsakymų. Pagal paskutinius pranešimus įvairiems fabrikams duoti kontraktai vertę yra penkis kartus didesnę už per paskutinio puslino karo lygį laiką gautą vertę. Jie siekia maždaug \$2,220,000,000.

Nors Chicago dabar gavo labai daug kontraktų, bet nurodoma, kad proporcingai tai nėra per daug. Jei palyginti su kitais miestais, Chicago dar turėtų tekti daugiau. Rep. SAVO MYLIMAJAI NUZUDE JAUNUOLIS GAL NENORMALUS

Clarence McDonald, jaunuolis, kuris vasario mėnesį nužudė kino-teatre savo jauną mylimąją, dabar yra teisišamas. Pats jaunuolis dabar teisišamas, sakydama, kad jis tuo momentu, kada šovė į mergaitę, buvo nepilno proto. Kaltinamojo motina paremia tą, sakydama, kad jos sūnus ne visuomet elgėsi kaip sveiko proto asmuo.

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CIO Prieš Aukštas Rendas

CIO valstijos Taryba pasiūlė laikš Kainų Administracijos Biurui, kuriame sakoma, jog Chicago organizacija turėtų darbininkai stoja už tai, kad rendos būtų tuojaus tvarkomos, kad nebūtų laukiama dviejų mėnesių iki patvarkymas pradės galiooti.

CIO laikosi nuomonės, kad Chicagoje, kaip kariniame zonoje, vasario mėnesio rendos yra taip pat per aukštos. Reikėtų kaip rendų maksimumą paimti sausio mėnesio standartą. Svarbią pastabą CIO padarė savo laiške klausdama, ar rendų tvarkymas reikiama vien reguliavimų kainų, ar į tą sritį įeina ir kova su rasine diskriminacija, surišta su rendom, kaip neleidimas negras apsigyventi tam tikrose vietose ir panašiai.

Kaip jau buvo pranešta, Kainų Administracijos Biuras pradės tyrkti Chicagoje rendas po dviejų mėnesių, kada pagal patvarkymą rendos bus numuštus iki vasario mėnesio lygio. Bet didieji savininkai jau dabar grąso, kad jie su tuo nesutinka. Jie net grąso išleisti taksų nemokėjimo streiką, jei į jų reikalavimus, kurie neišlaiko jokios kritikos, nebus atsižvelgta.

CIO savo laiške pareiškė visų darbininkų, plačiųjų masių, nusistatymą tuo reikalu. Unijistas.

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12:05—WGN—Dinnerbell Time
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12:20—WGN—Arthur Van Horne, WLS, Noon Time News
12:45—WGN, Markets
12:55—WGN, News
1:00—WGN Don Norman's Date
1:05—WGN—Vincent Lopez
1:15—WGN—Joyce Jordan
1:30—WGN—Music Over the Coffee
1:45—WGN—The Goldbergs
1:55—WLS—News
2:00—WGN—News
2:05—WGN—Jane Tucker
2:15—WGN—David Harum
2:20—WGN—Voice of the Bleachers
2:30—WGN—Every Woman's World
2:40—WGN, News
2:45—WGN—The Lead Off Man
3:00—WGN—City Service
3:15—WBBM—Yogi Yorgenson
3:20—WBBM—Treasury Program
3:45—WBBM—Novelty Area
4:00—WGN—To Be Announced
4:15—WGN—Sing Along
4:30—WGN—Musical Moods
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5:00—WGN—Uncle Henry's ABC Club
5:15—WBBM—Russ Brown Sings
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6:00—WGN—Don Winslow
6:15—WBBM, Amos 'n' Andy
6:30—WGN, News
6:45—WLS, Smile Market
7:00—WGN, Cal Timmer
7:15—WGN—The Hopple Hour
7:30—WGN—Ted Ween's orchestra
7:55—WBBM, News
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8:15—WGN, News
8:30—WGN—Lawrence Week's orchestra
9:00—WBBM—United Nations Program
9:15—WBBM—Jerry Wayne — Songs
9:30—WGN—How Am I Doing?
10:00—WGN—Army Jay's Orchestra
10:15—WBBM, Sports Review
10:30—WBBM, Todd Hunter, News
10:45—WBBM—Moods & Music
11:00—WBBM, News
11:30—WGN, News
11:45—WGN—Orin Tucker's Orch.
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8:30—WGN, Morning Program
8:45—WGS, Lih. Housewives
9:00—WBBM—Morning Melodies
9:15—WGN—A.E.P. Message From Australia
9:30—WGN, June Baker
9:45—WGN—Treasury Star Parade

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10:30—WBBM—Let's Pretend
10:45—WLS—Poultry Service Time
11:30—WGN—Boake Carter
11:30—WGN, News
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### Nemato Skirtumo Tarp "Social Justice" Ir "Tribune"

Jie Abu Lygūs Mūsų Krašto Karo Pastangų Priešai, Sako R. Travis

Kalbėdamas CIO valstijos Industrinės Tarybos posėdyje tarybos vice-pirmininkas Robert Travis pasakė, kad, jo nuomone, nėra pagrindinio skirtumo tarp "Social Justice", kurį valdžia uždraudė vežti paštu ir "Chicago Tribune", ultra reakcinio ir deficitinio Chicago dienraščio.

Skirtumas tame, sakė Travis, kad tuo tarpu kai "Social Justice" kalbėjo pilna burna ir atvirai reikėjo savo pro-nacinį veidą, "Tribune" tai daro daug gudriau, pridenčiai. Rep.

### Pilnos Teisės Negrams, Sako E. B. Dickerson

Kalbėdamas prieš Rotary Klubu mitingą, žinomas negrų vadas Earl B. Dickerson pasakė, kad pilnos teisės negrams visose gyvenimo srityse turi būti suteiktos, jei mes norime laimėti karą ir palikti demokratišką šalimį.

Susivienijusių Tautų karinėse jėgose kaunasi daugiau "spalvotų" rasų žmonių negu baltųjų. Mes negalime laukti, kad visos Susivienijusių Tautų jėgos mestų į kovą savo pilną jėgą, kol negrams nėra duodama galimybė dalyvauti kare kaip pilnateisiams kariaim, galintiems pasiekti bent kokį laipsnį ar atlikti bent kokias pareigas, — sakė Dickersonas.

Karinės Gamybos Atstovas Chicagoj

Karinės Gamybos Taryba paskyrė visą šalį į tam tikras sritis (13) ir kiekvienai sričiai paskyrė atstovą. Chicago paskirtas J. Overlook. Minimas atstovas, kaip ir kiti tos Tarybos pareigūnai, yra tiesioginiai atstovai D. Nelsonui, Karinės Gamybos Tarybos viršininkui.

### ANTI-GASINĖS INSTRUKCIJOS

Ateinais savaitė pradžios mokyklose civilio apsigynimo veikėjams bus praversti trumpi kursai, per kuriuos jiems bus pateiktos pačios elementarinės anti-gasinės apsaugos reikalingos žinios. Pamokos įvyks pirmadienį, trečiadienį ir penktadienį.

### Skelbimai-Pranešimai

Visi skelbimai ir organizacijų pranešimai privalo pasiekti dienraščio raštinę mažiausia diena prieš patalpinimą. Visuomet atsiminkite, jog administracijai įteiktas pranešimas vėliau antros valandos po pietų negalės tilpti rytojaus laidoje.

### "V." Adm.

#### DIREKTORIŲ SUSIRINKIMAS

Darbininkų Spaudos Bendrovės direktorių (senų ir naujų) susirinkimas įvyks atėmusį pirmadienį, gegužės 18, 8 val. vakare, "Vilnius" svetainėje. Visi seni ir nauji direktoriai, taipgi ir alternatyvūs dalyvaukite ir pribūkite laiku, nes yra daug svarbių reikalių apsprasvinti.

Sekr. M. Batutis. (15c18)

### Roselandietis A. Kavaliauskas

Teko susieti su roselandiečiu A. Kavaliausku, iš kurio išgirdau tikrai malonų žinutį.

Prieš "Vilnius" šerinių kuvo važiuojam A. Kavaliauskas gavo 4 naujus šerinius kuvo 1 naują skaitlytoją. Sakosi dar daugiau gausių.

Grandpa ir Grandma Matuliai užrašė "Vilnius" šerį savo anūkui Jonukui-Edwardui. Jonukas yra jauniausias "Vilnius" šerinkas, nes turi tik 30 dienų, o dabar kelias dienas daugiau. Jonuko motina buvo Aido choro pirmininkė, o grandma priklausio prie LDS. X.

### "MERGINA IS LENINGRADO" MONROE TEATRE

Sovietinės filmos darosi vis populiariskesnės Chicagoje. Seniau vienas teatras rodydavo filmas, ir tai labai retai. Dabar beveik nuolat sovietiškos filmos yra rodomos bent dvidešete teatruose. Visi gerdojimo apie "Merginą is Leningrado". Kas dar tos filmos nematė, gali jį dabar pamatyti Monroe teatre, pačiame mieste centre.

### SAUNIAI PASIDARRAVO

Marcelė Keval, 4359 So. Rockwell, puikiai pasidaravo "Vilnius" šerinkų bankietui. Ji parėdavo bene daugiau, kaip 35 tikietus!

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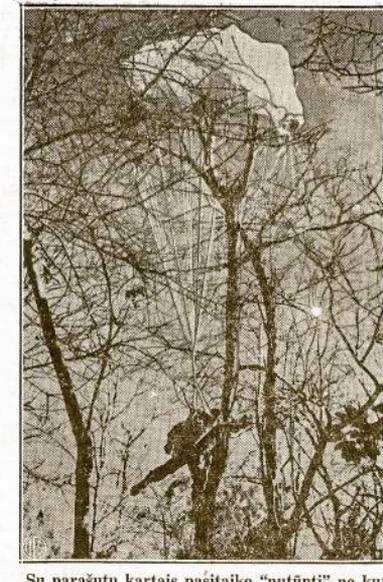
### CHICAGO IŠKILMINGAI PALYDĖS SAVO JAUNUOLIUS Į ALMIJĄ

Chicago miesto taryba nutarė, kad iškilmingai būtų palydėti rekruitai, kurie išvyksta į kariuomenę. Iki šiolie rekruitai palikdavo miestą daugiausia individualiai, be jokių oficialių išsveitimų. Dabar bus bandoma sudaryti didesnes grupes ir jas palydėti iškilmingai, su kariškais benais, gėlėmis ir taip toliau.

Tokiais iškilmingais palydėjimais siekiama pakelti išvykstančių kariuomenės morala.

### Valstybinis Namų Projektas Bridgeporte

Tuščiam žemės plote, kuris randasi tarp 31-os ir 32-os, tarp Lituanica ir Halsted, valdžia pradėjo statyti visą eilę namų, žinomąja federalinių projektų sistema. Statymus prasidėjo kelios savaitės atgal ir atrodo, kad darbas varomas greitai tempu. Galima laukti, kad varasai pasibaigsis, namai jau bus pabaigti. Kol kas dinamitu sprogdominiai seniau tuo pačioje vietoje buvusių pastatų pamatai. Rep.



Su parašutu kartais pasitaiko "nutūpti" ne kur nori, bet kur vėjas pučia. Štai chiegiatis parašutistas Roland F. Machinskis, pasiūbabinės medžio šakose. Machinskis' tarnauija marijų aviacijos korpusu ir šis nepasiekė šakos įvyko dėl perdidelio vėjo kurnors North Carolina valstijoje. Parašutistas nesusižeidė.

### Pullman Darb. Organizavo Anti-lyktuvinę Apsaugą

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### V. Agaris

"Vilnyj" nebuvo, paminėta, kad šerinkų suvažiavime dalyvavo Vldas Agaris iš East St. Louis. Šerinkų suvažiavimas Vldui labai patiko ir jis žadėjo daug pasidaruoti "Vilniai" savo mieste. Sakėsi smarkiai plintasi "Vilnius" didžiojo pikniko serijas. Frentas.

### Illinois Bonų Vajus Pasiekė Savo Tikslą

Karo bonų ir ženklų pardavinėjimo valstijos viršininkas Norman B. Collins praneša, kad pagal lygšiolinius davinius trijų dienų bonų pirkimo pasidėjimo vajuus atnešė gerą rezultatą. Jis mano, kad užsibrėžtas tikslas—gavimas pažadų dėl \$49,300,000—be abejo bus pasiektas. Patys savanoriai, kurie tą didelį darbą atliko, sako, kad jie visi gavo geriausią kooperaciją iš gyventojų puse.

Vajaus pasisekimas yra labai svarbus, nes daugelis abejojo ar tokiu būdu (savanorių pasidėjimu) galima ką nors pasiekti. Illinois gyventojai parodė, kad jie yra geri patriotai ir surpanta reikalo rimtumą. X.

### APSKAIČIUOJĄ MIESTO CENTRO TRAFIKĄ

Užvakar Chicago miesto centre pravaista registracija kiekvieno auto, pravažiuojančio tam tikrus punktus. Jaunų skautų. Registracija vesta nuo 7 A. M. iki 7 P. M. Registracija vedė apie 1,400 automobilių. Panaši registracija bus pravaista kelis tikus kartus taip, kad sudaryti bendrą, maždaug teisingą skaičių.

### Vietos Pranešimai

**BRIGHTON PARK**  
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Liebuvių Eksperimentų Klubu susirinkimas įvyks sekmdienį, 17 dieną gegužės, 1:30 val. po pietu, C. Ushelo svetainėje, 3436 So. Lituanica Ave. Po šiame susirinkimu, vasaros klubo turėsimie portuokla kaup ir perėjimą. Kurie esate užsilike su duoklėmis malonekite užimokėti. Turėsimie svarbių dalykų svarstymai—kviečiame visus atsiankyti. Valdyboje  
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LDS 2-ros APSKR. POSĖDIS įvyks pirmadienį, gegužės 18 d., 8 val. vakar., "Vilnius" svetainėje. Pradedame dalyvauti visus apskaitės komiteto narius ir kuopu atstovus, kurie buvute išrinkti pirmąjį kartą. Štai chiegiatis parašutistas Roland F. Machinskis, pasiūbabinės medžio šakose. Machinskis' tarnauija marijų aviacijos korpusu ir šis nepasiekė šakos įvyko dėl perdidelio vėjo kurnors North Carolina valstijoje. Parašutistas nesusižeidė.

### Pranešimai iš Kitur

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# WHO SPEAKS FOR THE ENSLAVED PEOPLE OF LITHUANIA?

Lithuania is enslaved. Its millions are being tortured, raped, sold into German slavery. The people are fighting back courageously, boldly. There is a war going on against the Nazi invaders of Lithuania.

Early in April, a group of persons who came to this country after a stop-over in Berlin held a conference in Chicago. They had fled to the nazis. They made a declaration—in which they stated they were speaking in the name of the people of Lithuania. They did not denounce the nazis by name. They only mentioned the Nazis in passing as though it was merely a side issue—a distant

side issue for them in respect to the Lithuanian problem as a whole. In their declaration they showed the Lithuanian Americans exactly what they were... without any room for a doubt.

Late in April, there was a conference of Lithuanian people who fled FROM the Nazis. They met in the city of Moscow. They also adopted a declaration. This declaration was different! It stressed the fight against the Nazis. It was not afraid to mention the Nazis by name. It was not afraid to call Hitler what he is. It was not afraid to list the horrors which the Nazis perpetrated upon a defenseless people. It was a reso-

lution and a dedication to annihilate the enemy of Lithuania—the brown beasts from Berlin. Lithuanian Americans will compare the two declarations and draw their own conclusions, whether they will support those who held the conference in Chicago, arriving there after a stop-over in Berlin, or whether they will support the powerful anti-nazi declaration of the conference of Moscow.

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### Lith Pro-Nazis Have Same Fate In Store

WASHINGTON.—A sign that pro-Nazi Lithuanian publications will have to fall in line with U. S. governmental policies or stand to have their mailing rights lifted, was indicated recently by the banning of "Publicity," newspaper published in Wichita, Kansas, from the U. S. mails.

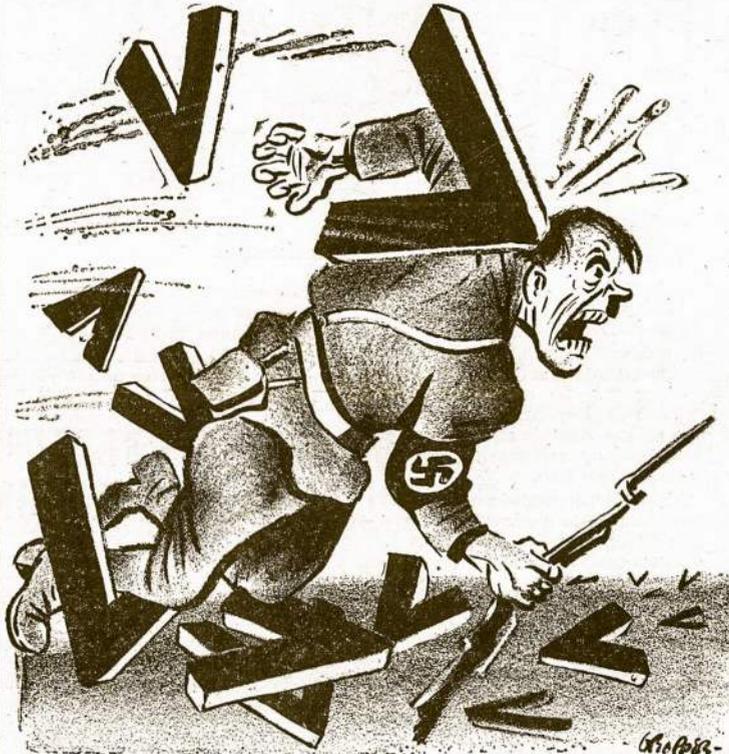
The content of "Publicity," its general line and policy is typical of what appears in Lithuanian pro-Nazi publications which publish propaganda from Berlin via Lisbon, Portugal channels.

### Three Act Plays Wanted By Lithuanian League

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—The Chairman of the Lithuanian Fine Arts League (LMS) announces the beginning of a three-act play contest sponsored by the League.

"What is needed," the Chairman said in an interview with an English Section correspondent, "is three-act plays of any type and nature that are based on Lithuanian themes. We are especially interested in plays written by young people, members of various choruses and LDS branches, who can write about the things they have learned in their own childhood and in their contact with Lithuanian organizations.

"The field is rich—immensely so. The LMS will be giving three large cash prizes for the plays selected. They can be written in English as well as Lithuanian."



## NOW HIT THE ENEMY ON LAND

AMERICA rejoices at the news of the great naval victory which our fleet has scored upon the Japanese off the Northeast coast of Australia. The battle apparently is still going on but it is already clear that 11 enemy ships have been sunk with six others severely damaged.

At the same time a communique from General MacArthur's headquarters asserts that the "enemy version" of the battle is "entirely fictional." America's losses were "comparatively light" the communique stated further. The American people pay the highest tribute to their courageous and intrepid sons in the United States Navy.

The battle off the Solomon Islands is the answer to the lies from Tokio that the American fleet was no more, that it had been wiped out. It is also an answer to the defeatists and other pro-fascists in the country who are forever whining

"where is the American fleet? Bring it home." The appeasers do not want the U. S. Naval forces to deliver sledge-hammer blows upon the enemy.

The losses inflicted upon the Japanese will have enormous significance for the defense of Australia and the future conduct of the war.

But above all, the battle of Solomon Island shows the advantage of the attack. Our naval forces pounced upon the Japanese fleet and broke up its plans. Here indeed was the spirit displayed at Madagascar where Allied action was taken in time.

While reinforcing our fight against Japan, let us now follow up with a gigantic attack against the main enemy Hitler. The spirit and lesson of Solomon Islands is for a second European front on land to crush the Nazis between the Soviet and British-American armies in 1942.

### New Lithuanian Play Is Published

BROOKLYN, N. Y. — A new one act play in the Lithuanian language has been recently published by the LDS National Youth Committee in cooperation with the Lithuanian Fine Art League. The title: "Kas Mūs Mamei Pasidarė?" It is a fine comedy and can be presented at the National Drama Tournament. There are both Lithuanian and English explanations.

A sample copy may be had by writing to the LDS National Youth Committee, 419 Lorimer Street, Brooklyn, N.Y.

The new play requires eight characters which can be found in any LDS Youth Branch and is in the Lithuanian language. It has not been presented anywhere to date and with a bit of good acting will stand a chance of copping the prize in Chicago. The estimated length of the play is 30 minutes.

### Liths Participate In Folk Festival At New York Garden

New York, N. Y.— Vivid costumes flying fet make Lithuanian folk dances as colorful and lively as any that have been brought to this country by Europeans.

These qualities demonstrated by dancers of Lithuanian descent at the National Folk Festival held Monday, May 11th, at Madison Sq. Garden led by V. F. Beliajus, folk dancing director for the Chicago park district.

# LITHUANIANS HOLD CONGRESS IN MOSCOW

## LATVIANS FIGHT SIDE BY SIDE WITH LITHUANIANS; PLEDGE HITLER DEFEAT

## Pledge Victorious War; Greet Americans, Thank Them For Assistance; Paleckis Speaks

MOSCOW.—Fighting side by side with Lithuanians, Latvians, are thousands of Estonians who escaped the Hitler brown shirt murderers. Members of the Soviet Red Army, the Estonians have displayed galantry and heroism untold in this world-wide fight against the Axis hordes for the freedom of their country.

States a communique on the heroism of the Estonian Red Army men:

"The headquarters of one Estonian unit was set up at Station Dno when the German detachment was rapidly breaking through. There were hardly any defenses here but the position had to be held until reinforcements could be brought up. Twenty men entered into unequal combat with the Germans. They held out for eight hours. Four of them survived when reinforcements arrived. These brave men were led by assistant political instructor Arnold Meri. He was wounded in the right arm, twice wounded in the leg, in the left shoulder, left side and lung.

"He was removed from the field heavily bleeding only when the Germans were repelled. That is how the Estonians fight. Arnold Meri is only 21, a lad with an energetic youthful face. Today he wears the gold star of a Hero of the Soviet Union.

"The Estonians pledge to be devoted and brave fighters and they will remain true to their word. When New Estonian units were being formed, they were joined by men who had never served in the army.

"The Estonians from the most remote spots of the Soviet Union, even as far off as Bokhara, thronged to join the colors. There were numerous applications from women. No one wanted to be behind in this great struggle to win back the homeland.

Young Captain Pais is in charge of a battery which has already brought down 27 German planes. Captain Jacobson is 61, a veteran officer who had been on a retired list for seventeen years. But as soon as the Germans attacked, he joined up as a volunteer.

"Why did you join," someone asked him. His reply was laconic. "Because those Germans are frightful scoundrels."

"Battalion Commissar Tarnpia, deputy of the Supreme Soviet of the USSR, spent eight and a half years in prison. Commissar Allik, member of the Central Committee of the Estonian Communist Party and Member of the Estonian government, spent fourteen years and three months in prison. Red Cross nurse Elfrida Morgesson spent fourteen and a half years in prison.

"There are many more of these intrepid men who are urged on by a desire to regain their homeland. And standing there listening to them read the solemn words of their military oath, one feels that they will win, that they are bound to win."

### Lith Newspaper Editor On Mayor's Committee

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Fiorello H. LaGuardia, Mayor of the City of New York, invited Roy Mizara, the editor of the Lithuanian Daily Laivis, to serve on the Mayor's Committee for two of New York's largest patriotic spectacles "I Am An American Day" and "New York City at War" celebration.

"I Am An American Days" has been proclaimed by President Roosevelt and will be celebrated in Central Park on Sunday, May 17th. "New York City At War" will be dramatized in a parade of stirring magnitude on Saturday, June 13th.

These joint festivals have been planned to give every New Yorker an opportunity to participate in inspiring patriotic rallies.

"I am counting on you to serve on the Committee," wrote the Mayor to Roy Mizara, "for I am relying upon the cooperation of outstanding citizens to give these celebrations prominence in keeping with the leadership of New York City. We intend to show the world that New York leads in patriotism, as in everything else."

### Free Browder, Says Methodist Weekly

The nationally known Methodist weekly, Zion Herald, founded in 1828, contains in its current issue the following editorial calling for the release of Earl Browder:

"Free Earl Browder. Why? Not because he is a Communist, but because it is a fundamental American principle that justice shall be accorded to every man regardless of race, creed, or color.

MOSCOW.—Representatives of the Lithuanian people, meeting in Moscow April 26, appealed to Lithuanians everywhere to struggle against Hitlerite Germany and addressed a message of greeting to Stalin, pledging to fight until the invaders are driven out. The proceedings were broadcast by the Moscow radio.



Justas Paleckis, President of Soviet Lithuania, and Gen. V. Vitkauskas, both of whom were present at the Lithuanian meet in Moscow.

Among the speakers were Paleckis, Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the Lithuanian SSR; Red Army Lieutenant General Vitkauskas; the director of the Dotnuva Agricultural Academy, Professor Ionas Krisczunas; Judjda, Deputy People's Commissar of Education of the Lithuanian SSR; and Preikšas, Secretary of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Lithuania

Americans Greeted

A special greeting was addressed to "American Lithuanians, who are giving assistance in the struggle for liberation waged by the Lithuanian people." Several messages from Lithuanian organizations in the United States were read at the meeting.

In its appeal to the Lithuanian people, the meeting called for united struggle against Hitlerism, proclaiming that "in future the motherland will appraise every patriot by his activity in the struggle against the Hitlerite invaders." Widespread guerrilla warfare, the appeal said, must expand into a nationwide Lithuanian war against the Germans.

The appeal traced the rapid unfolding of Lithuanian industry and culture and the progress made by farmers under Soviet rule and contrasted with this period of Lithuanian prosperity the famine, oppression and exploitation which Lithuanians are suffering at German hands. Lithuania's historic resistance to German attempt at expansion eastward was emphasized.

In his address, Chairman Paleckis drew a horrifying picture of fascist rule in Lithuania. Every route taken by the invaders, he said, is lined with burned villages. Mass shootings, outrage of women and plunder of property are commonplace.

Lieutenant General Vitkauskas spoke of the heroic and important share of Lithuanian troops in the Red Army's victories. Other speakers related the exploits

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## LITHS MAY BE INVOLVED IN BRAZILIAN SEIZURE OF "LETTERS FROM LISBON"

By FRANK STULGIS

The Associated Press news agency reported in a dispatch from Rio de Janeiro on May 7th that the Brazilian postal authorities had seized, on that day, thousands of letters brought from Lisbon, Portugal, aboard the Portuguese ship Serpa Pinto for clandestine delivery "to innumerable American destinations." The letters, bearing no stamps, were reported to have come from Axis and Axis occupied countries.

The letters, which were fully addressed, were to have had Brazilian stamps pasted on them and sent on their destination. Who was supposed to receive

this mail? Where was the mail to have gone? What were those "innumerable American destinations" to which these letters from Axis and Axis occupied countries, containing Nazi propaganda were to have gone?

It will be interesting to wait and see who will be affected by the seizure of these axis letters in Brazil. This item sent out by the Associated Press may have some repercussions among our own Lithuanian Americans and their newspapers since quite a number of them have been publishing axis propaganda which was labeled as having been received "by mail, via Lisbon, Portugal."

The question is, how long the current supply of daily propaganda in the newspaper will last.

It is reported that there is quite a furor about the whole incident and when the Brazilian FBI investigated, they found that one of the seamen on board the Serpa Pinto had \$15,000 on him in United States currency which had been supplied to him by "an agent to buy platinum." Each one of the innumerable destinations are being investigated by the authorities.

Three seamen aboard the ship were arrested and held for further investigation.

### \$1,500 In One Hour At Vilnis Shareholder Meet

CHICAGO, Ill. — It was a real anti-Axis Lithuanian delegation that attended the held Vilnis, Lithuanian Daily, shareholders meeting this past Sunday. And to show just how they felt about the war, and how much they supported our country's endeavors against the Axis aggressors, bought in the space of an hour \$1,500 in war bonds.

VILNIS, to date, has surpassed every Lithuanian publication in the sale of U. S. War Bonds.



# REDWINGS DANCE IS A SUCCESS; MANY LITHS FROM U. S. ARMED FORCES ATTEND

Those fun lovers and dancers, former Redwinger, recently married, commenting that he expects to be a service man soon—

As you recall it was held at the American Legion Hall which has a background symbolic to the present conditions. Our branch can take top honors in presenting a dance which was superb in every way. Of course, we thank all our patrons because without them no affair is a success.

However, the most interesting feature was the presence of the service men—sailors, army men who were all invited free of charge.

This was the first L.D.S. affair in Chicago which I am sure the service men were so many and had a good time.

I, myself, want to give credit to the committee for their way of presenting everything, their hard work in getting ads, other details—also many thanks to the workers of every phase. Now I want to relate a few of the antics which I gathered by spying by ear and eye.

**Redwings Rambles**  
I came in and sat on the side purposely to gaze in on the few highlights—the first thing I noticed that the sailors were con- voying the beautiful gals around the floor—I got next to the stage to listen in on the conversation when Olga T. wanted so much to meet Cliff of the orchestra—Hy Punishka coming in from De Kalb to the dance—and take in everything we had to offer—Vollie and Ed sitting on that side and Vollie commenting that the Redwings are hogging the spotlight.—Valeria B without Ed Ziny on the dance floor dancing with a girl friend and Ed Z. only a few paces away dancing with Phyllis R.—Stan V. of Roseland just can't keep away from our merrymakers—how's the Miss from Rockford, Stan—Paps Riva is feeling much better, I noticed, from that Detroit trip—oh, yes, much better when he danced with Nancy Piels.—One of the Ravens dancing with a pair of blue slacks (?).—Helen D. and Helen A. dancing to give the service men a treat.—"Stevie" of Andy Senics' orchestra looking very stunning, sang very wonderful with the satisfied approval of the crowd.—Jim "Daisy June" Usuaks singing do-dee-do—and in a few minutes every one mocking him.—Ann of Redwings now residing in Indiana keeping the boys at the bars busy.—Ozzie, a

## L. K. M. NEWS

We... did it... before and we... can... do it again... La, la, la?? We did it again (we sneaked in naturally). Here is the story on how we did it... While taking our daily dieting soar through a cool spring breeze or night, or what ever you want to call it, we hit against a hard breeze which was quite soothing to our wings. Like all birds we followed this breeze until we came upon a familiar howl (Mrs. Radauskien's dog, you know the one that always gets on Joe's nerves)... We made a three point landing and ended up in the hall (Hollywood In). Simple ain't it????

Jenny's uncle has kissed his crutches gootby (he is using a cane now)... Valeria wishes she had his crutches. She came to rehearsal with a limp. (Was that gym test really that bad or is the old age a'creeping' on yo' lil' por sole)... Tony's hand is starting to heal much quicker since he was surrounded by victory... A curse from the heavens was put upon a certain soprano. (Irene D. you should have gone to the Lith. Aud. instead of taking care of that little kid last Sunday. Maybe you wouldn't have suffered with laringitis)... Mary K. came to rehearsal with a foreign body (in her eye). We are glad to see that you and??? are back together again (but if you because we called you a you would have slapped one of WOLFESS, OH! Mary!)... It was good to have the two of the three come to rehearsals again. (Say you two where did you leave Peggy???)... Also we raise our wings (of destiny) to Helen D. (We hope you will stay for good now)... The chorus was working on page three and Vitkus was an page seven. (Something mighty funny or should we say peculiar is going on)... Tony has music written all on one page, or is it continued on another page when it gets a bit crowded? (That was a \$64.00 question. If you answer correctly you pay us \$64.00) There was a bit of silence, a shuffle of feet. Time out rehearsal is over... The juke box was put on in a split second and Lillian S. grabbed Mary (WOLFESS) K. and did their stuff with the polka (what was the matter gals? It seemed as though you two couldn't keep in step or was that some new dance?) Do you know that Valeria was very popular Tues. (was it because she couldn't dance? that everyone asked her?)... By the way Ed Z. why didn't you accept that lift home? Could have been that certain soprano that kept you occupied? (Ed is sort of a handy man. And since the girl was, should we say slightly crippled, someone had to see she got home safely)... EXTRA!! EXTRA!! Our sincerest congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. All Miller. Even if Al is back only for a short time, he popped the question to her and she accepted. These two a very, very happy couple, were joined and tied together last Wednesday. Again congratulations Al and Ann, and may you be happy always... Another surprise marriage is Sylvia Binkis' to ???. Congratulations... Well we birds ain't had an edjiew. kayshun like son of a ritzie people have had or has got (we no no gramer). Before we leave we must tell about that show we saw Tues. We think it is called Jewditsue. U know where one fellar takes another fellar for a swing over his shoulder. (Poor fellar.) This show was given by Shingards and Al L. Pretty good boys, but try to do it without fighting over a girl... We lifted our fragil wings and made way toward the north. But we didn't get far because we hit a heat wave (and by now you people

# ROSELAND AIDO CHORUS AT SAND DUNES; SING AT MOTHERS DAY CONCERT

Well, here we are near the end of another week with memories of the past one hanging heavily still.

Last Sunday nine ambitious chorus members left for Sand Dunes at 7 A.M. fresh as daisies, but when I saw them come back that evening they were haggard and worn—out! Marvelous how slick an clean they looked when they arrived at the hall to sing!

I'm so glad to see that Mrs. Muralis is feeling more like her own happy self again after that terrible cold she had. Take care of yourself.

The Chorus was complimented by many people on their fine performance at the Mothers' Day Concert in Roseland. Especially on the way they sang "Stout Hearted Men." Several said they felt like getting up and marching. You were really the groove. Sing gang—Make it better!

Things are coming my way. You have to stick your nose in

know that we are very much attracted to heat waves. Here it is Saturday night at the American Legion Hall (D. G.) (Darius-Girenas). We think it is the Redwings Dance. (by golly it is.) Well we flew up and up to???

Well it is customary to check your feathers (coats to you). As we told you, we flew up a flight of stairs and we almost keeled over Guess who was working in the wardrobe like mad? Yes, that polka fiend, Valeria Bernot... While checking our feathers we greeted Helen A., Helen D., Monica and Stanley, Franny Y., Jessie S. and many others. While we were greeting these people another attraction was blazed upon us. Hiding in the clothes was another polka fiend, Irene D. (your throat seems to have healed very nicely)... Helen A., you seem to enjoy introducing that soldier to all those gals... Stella Kelly former L. K. M'er was in close company with a sailor (part time)... Al and Ann Miller were parted most of the evening (They didn't argue, because Al was helping at the bar. But every once in awhile he would come and sit with his sweetie pie)... There was a peculiar odor passed around the hall by Stanley's pipe (Monica, how can you stand that smell? It almost knocked us cold)... Bruno (Moon) M. was a busy man sampling (he takes one girl, dances one dance with her and changes. What will Lillian say?)... By the way, where was Lillian? Someone said she was at the Trianon. Is it true, LIIP... Sailor was a wee bit an' her own yard)... Ziny seemed lost Caz and Al L. and Shingards disappeared from the dance in the latter part of the evening. Jenny M. was considered a fast stepper... About 11:23 P. M. practically a whole section of the hall was filled with people that wore snowflakes. They were nice. Even we got some. They were supplied by Valeria (from her own yard)... Ziny seemed lost for reasons unknown? The music was very good the vocals were fairly good... The service men were let in for six. (so were we)... What's the matter, were you people tired that you left early? We birds slept in a corner almost all evening so we were full of energy... We can see by the expressions on your faces that you are getting tired of reading, so we're lifting our dainty fragil wings (of destiny) off of the typewriter... So till our next boring column,

and listen if you want to know—so here's the dope on that Sand Dunes Outing as I heard it.

After running down a high hill, Wally M. decided to sit down, but he soon found out that fences have no back-rests! Wasn't it nice the way the sand came up and hit you?!

Richie should be more gentle with girls. When he and Jessie fell he gave her a neat kick.

Connie M. was walking gracefully across a stream on a nice round log when Stanley V. decided to lend a helping hand by holding out a stick for her. He slipped, holding the stick (bad) and as she was holding the other end of it (too bad) she fell in! (Tragedy) Richie M. pulled her out—brotherly love!

Poor Johnny R! When dying of thirst, he discovers that water pumps run dry!

Dorothy R. made a pot of coffee and Johnny was going to be helpful, by lifting it out of the fire with his "lifter-upper" but found it didn't work! (foiled again!) So he yells, "Wash the floor while the coffees hot!"

I wonder why Dorothy and Connie used all fours to climb hills at the end of the day!?? Poor Dorothy, every time there was a pile of people, she was a pile of people, she was under it! Funny how people revert to their ancestors. I hear that Connie, Johnny and Nellie (or was it Helen?) were sitting up in a tree looking very natural! (Did you swing by your tails?)

By the looks of the whole gang, I don't think there was much work done Monday morning!

What chance has a girl? Josie bought a drink and what happens—the boys sing. "For she's a jolly good sucker." Such gratitude!

Richie was so tired he forgot to be bashful when he sang his solo. Nice swining, kid!

I guess there's no priorities on furs—did you see the nifty chubbie on Connie.

The Aido Chorus picnic is to be held at Willow West, June 28, and a good orchestra is hired. If things get worse and there is no more Sunday driving the committee has romised to get a horse and wagon to bring you all there. You know it's not such a bad way to travel. Just think—no flats to fix!

Was it Mr. Ernazius who paid \$1.10 for a cake?  
Roses are red,  
Violets are blue,  
Sugar is sweet,  
and so fattening.—  
By Edgar Allen Whoa.  
—Duckfeet.

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"The Three Ravens".

## SPARKS BRANCH HOLDING MERIT AWARD BANQUET, MAY 23RD AT IVANHOE'S

Preparations are going full swing ahead for the Chicago LDS Sparks Merit Award Banquet. It will be held at the Ivanhoe, a ritzy spot situated on the near north side. Last year the Midwest Youth Council sponsored their school graduation at the same place.

Every Spark member is asked to attend this, the first merit award banquet sponsored by the branch. Some fourteen members will be decorated with awards for their contribution to the branch's progress.

Outsiders too, are invited to celebrate with the Sparks. Members of the Redwings, Monarchs, Roseland branches can join in the festivities.

Date of the banquet is May 23rd. Starting time is 8 p.m. sharp and each person is asked to be there at the proper time.

The recent meeting of the branch brought forth these decisions:

1. Contribution of ten dollars to the LDS convention arrangements committee. A five dollar ad to be inserted in the convention program book.

2. To rapidly proceed with drama tournament plans. Cast has been selected and play is being written by branch member Anne Petrusis.

3. Three dollar donation was agreed upon for Russian War Relief.

4. Two delegates were elected to the Chicago held Youth Conference to Free Earl Browder which will be held at the Hotel Sherman, May 22nd.

5. Three new members were accepted to the branch. Several others will be enrolled prior to membership drive end.

## CHICAGO LDS SORORITY IS WRITING TO MEMBERS IN ARMED FORCES; MEET JUNE 5

Friday, May 8th, the Lambda Delta Sigma had their May meeting at Hollywood Inn. Aldona Pavelonis reported on the Midwest Women's Auxiliary Conference which was held recently. Cel Riva, Ann Peters, and Frances Yurgil also attended this Conference. The main topic of discussion at this conference was Civilian Defense, and the women pledged themselves to do all they could for this.

At our last meeting, we wrote to Tony Vasaris and Muke Pecelunas. At this meeting we received replies from both of these fellows, telling us all about their life in the Army. Muke enclosed a snapshot of himself for which we thank him. The fellows tell us that there is nothing like news from home or a letter from a friend to keep up morale. So if you have a friend in the service of Uncle Sam, do your bit by dropping him a line now and then.

Jessie Shaiko, one of our very active members, has been confined to bed with pneumonia. We wish to say that we miss her presence from our midst, and hope that her recovery will be a speedy one.

Our hostesses for this meeting were Frances Stein and VOLLIE YUSHKA. Those cookies and sundaes were very yummy.

It has been voted upon to have meetings once a month instead of every other week during the summer months. Therefore our next meeting will be held on Friday, June 5th. The meeting will fall on the first Friday of each month during the summer. Don't forget to mark your calendars, Sisters.

### NOTED HITHER AND YON

Well, the Redwings Annual Dance is all over with, and I noticed while a watchin' and a listenin' that all who attended really enjoyed themselves tremendously. JESSIE SHAIKO (always a loyal Redwing) surprised us by dropping in for a couple hours with FRANK VESSELY even though she is a sick young lady. VOLLIE YUSHKA was there wearing a corsage she received from guess who. ALDONA PAVELONIS and FRANNIE YURGIL came in late after attending the Mother's Day Program at the Lithuanian Auditorium. Among the snooty ones I noticed THE ESCORT behind the bar. He knew that was the best place to view the going-ons

## Imprisoned Leader Warned U. S. Of Coughlin

Earl Browder warned America against the danger of Coughlin as far back as six years ago.

The Communist Party leader, now kept in prison by the black-mailing pressure of the pro-Coughlinites, helped his country see the Coughlin menace.

June 24, 1936, Browder warned his fellow-Americans:

*"Father Coughlin with his radio appeals and his Union for Social Justice closely apes Hitler and Mussolini."*

Again in 1936 Browder sounded the warning:

*"This game of Coughlin's will have its little day... But the game cannot be carried as far in the United States as Hitler carried it in Germany. Coughlin imitates Hitler, but he forgets that the masses have learned about Hitler as well as he did. They are asking questions which Coughlin will have to answer before he is able to silence all questioning lips with the concentration camp and the executioner's axe."*

## Chicago Alderman, Union Head Ask 5th Column Roundup

The Hon. Earl B. Dickerson, Chicago alderman, and Reid Robinson, president of the International Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, have endorsed the Open Letter from Congressman Marcantonio to Attorney General Biddle, supporting the Department of Justice's action against domestic fascists.

The Congressman's letter which calls for the ruthless prosecution of internal enemies is being circulated among thousands of progressive Americans, trade unions and mass organizations.

Announcing the progress of the drive, the International Labor Defense stated, "We know the every patriotic American join in support of the Attorney General in this course... The ILD is confident that all citizens who have been and are active in defense of the Bill of Rights will rally to the battle for civil liberties in support of the war with 'no quarter to the bogus patriots and traitors behind lines."

## PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Proud is the father of Adolph and Walter Ogar of E. St. Louis, Illinois. Both boys are in the U. S. Air Corps... Adolph is a sergeant and brother Walter top sergeant. Both are reader of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION as is father Vladas... Photos of both boys will be published in a future issue of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION...

Cpl. Edward Pran (Praninskās) U. S. Marines, who was mentioned in last week's issue of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION as a participant in a winning battle over Axis submarines and planes, won another battle while on leave in his home-town, Chicago. He became engaged to a certain Miss Alice...

### READERS WRITE:

Walter Kubilius, Laisve English Section: "I know many of your readers take in plays. I have just seen "Guest In The House," a play at the Plymouth Theatre in New York which no doubt will make an appearance in Chicago. The play is quite good in spots but somewhat morbid."

Thanks for letting our play-goers in on "Guest In The House," Walter...

Many items of interest regarding the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics and the gallant Red Army which has dealt crushing blows to the forces of Hitler, has been brought to our attention by readers.

WRITES DR. A. L. RUTKAUSKAS OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS:

"With inauguration, by Joseph Stalin, of the 5 year plans of reconstruction, rebuilding of industry, and free education to everybody young or old; providing primary schooling in the native languages of about 120 different nationalities composing the USSR, I became firmly convinced on the goodness of the socialist system of society.

Again after the purge of the Trotzkyites, Hitler's agents in that country, I became of the opinion that the 'universally dreaded' communists evolved from 'revolutionists' into progressive evolutionists of the highest order.

"Scientific education of the masses without religious clouding of the intellect, is the noblest attempt ever tried in history.

"This self-revealing truth is easily understood by any person free from prejudice.

"Among 120 different nationalities equal opportunity to vie for distinction in any field of scientific endeavor is the secret of the Red Army's high morale, and of partisans self sacrifice in the battle against Nazi barbarians."

### ON THE SIDE

"Young people of America are determined that America must win this war. Nothing must stand in the way of this aim. Youth asks, therefore that Earl Browder be freed as a measure of strengthening the link of equal justice in the chain of national morale," thus states the call to the Chicago Youth Conference to Free Earl Browder which will take place at the Hotel Sherman, May 22nd.

Endorsing the youth move to free the noted labor leader who has been imprisoned on a minor passport technicality is VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION editor Joseph Sacal... Youth Branches of the Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) have elected delegates to the conference.

One of the largest Russian relief benefit affairs has been arranged by the Brooklyn, New York section of the Lithuanian Committee to Aid the Soviet Union... The benefit arrangement will be staged at Grand Paradise Hall, May 17. Biruta Ramoska operatic star and a number of Lithuanian choral groups will participate on the program. Speakers include noted Dr. Thomas L. Harris, Dr. J. J. Kaskevich, Roy Mizara, editor of the Lithuanian Daily Laisve.

Lithuanian MINUTE MEN who participated in the sale of U. S. War Bonds in Chicago the forepart of this week are Houston Zebraitis, George Kwain and Joseph Sacal.

Over \$1,500 in U. S. War Bonds was sold in an hours time at the recently held Workers Publishing Association and VILNIS Lithuanian Daily shareholders conference this past Sunday... One wonders what other "Lithuanian" newspapers in Chicago are doing as regards the nationwide bond drive...

## THE VILNIS

—ENGLISH SECTION—

### Slashing Hitler's Spring Plans

A fact of epic proportions is unfolding in the Soviet territory still occupied by the Nazi armies.

The fact is that Soviet guerilla fighters—men, women and children—are answering Stalin's summons with such relentless bravery and ingenuity that Hitler's dismayed generals are now compelled to launch a major military offensive against the civilians behind their own lines.

The history of people's struggles for freedom has never seen anything like this.

This is the first time that civilians behind the lines of an invading army have created a network of resistance so great that a special full scale military attack must be launched upon the "conquered" people themselves.

There can be no doubt that the delays in the much-publicized "spring offensive" of Hitler can be traced in part to the ceaseless activity of the millions of Soviet men, women, girls, boys and even children behind the Nazi lines.

Thus, while the Red Army in front has knocked 15,000 Nazi fighting planes out of the sky, behind the lines the formidable guerrilla warfare slashes in to Hitler's plans and tears at his armies from behind.

The fearlessness of the Soviet guerrilla fighters takes on sublime proportions when one remembers the horrible fate into which the Nazis deliver every one they seize.

In Molotov's record of Nazi atrocities the United Nations get a view of the unspeakable but systematic terrorism Hitler's armies are letting loose upon the Soviet people.

Yet nothing that devilish Nazi ingenuity can create in the infliction of pain daunts the Soviet population. Burning, gouging out of eyes, revolting defilement of women and girls, and the savage massacre of children and infants—this is the punishment Hitler's generals wield over the civilian population to beat it into submission.

But nothing of Nazi cruelty or murder avails in the face of Stalin's summons to his people.

The people defy the Nazi terror, they answer Stalin. They strike in the dark. They are everywhere. They hide. They are in the forests, in the secret places of the towns. They have become a vast network, imbued with the determination to crush Hitler in 1942. They are a powerful striking force harrying the enemy—our enemy!

Every one of these valiant guerrilla fighters is fighting and dying for us as well as for his own land.

We belong with them in this fight. America must rush them weapons, food, supplies. The appeals of Russian War Relief should be answered generously and quickly.

Above all, as they slash at the Hitler armies, America and Britain need to move up the tanks, planes and guns of an invading army on the coasts of Europe.

The Second Front must join the epic blows which our Soviet ally rains down on Hitler.



**CURB GOES SLACK**—Girls replacing men on New York Curb Exchange formerly wore knee-length skirts and when on elevated platform they caused traders to forget quotations. Then came official edict that slacks be made the fashion. Now traders keep their minds on their work.

### ON THE EVE OF BEING INDUCTED

By Clem Graham

Waiting, waiting I have nothing to do but wait  
For a notice in an official envelope,  
With an invitation to participate  
In doomsday rituals somewhere in ruined Europe.

I sit home, waiting, neglecting my routine task:  
Why should I exchange my face for a gas mask?  
Why should I wear a steel helmet for a hat?  
Why should I slink about just like an alley cat  
In the ruins of a terrifying battlefield?  
Why should I give up my home, why should I yield  
My everything and leave my ego behind?  
Why should I give a damn what happens to mankind?

Because I fear my feelings, I cry for reason.  
And what can I say to myself in due season?  
Over my windowsill comes the insistent song  
Of a pianist who tries hard but cannot play,  
And still I sit here, waiting, waiting for doomsday:  
Waiting, waiting, waiting, have I waited too long?

I walk into the street and hunt for happiness:  
I try to fill in my innermost emptiness,  
But frustration rises like a beleaguered wall,  
And I cannot scale its heights, I am not so tall.

The truth drops out of the sky like a flaming bomb,  
To shatter my self-pity, I am frozen dumb.  
The huge sea of destruction, in our world so rife,  
Pounds against the imperfect circle of my life,  
And I know it will pound and pound until after  
Tyranny's sunset leaves the clouds and man assuages  
The harsh metallic guns that send their messages  
To sagging human flesh, to end man's laughter  
In a cry of anguish, in a creaking comment,

And I go home. I go home and wait. I wait  
For my induction notice, I anticipate,  
Waiting for the official statement that will say:  
**YOU'RE IN THE ARMY.** And I am ready now  
For I know that no ego is safe anyhow  
In a world where brutal tyrants hold freedom at bay.

### As We See It In Lith Circles

The "Lithuanian National Council" is not getting all the support from Lithuanians of this country it expected.... Reason: "weak-sister" attitude toward fighting Nazism and the fact that at least seven out of the twelve have come to this country after "stop-overs" in axis countries while they were at war.... Vitalis Buksnaitis, Brooklyn columnist for the "Weak-Lithuanian American" is due to get another lacing from "Pop" Grigaitis... His column has been chastising certain pro-Nazis among Lithuanians. He hasn't named them yet, but Pop is worried and keeps telling Poshka to kick him off the staff of the "Weak".... Besides having a good reason for changing its name from Jaunimas to the "Weak Lithuanian American" Poška also had a good reason for dropping E. J. K. from the assistant editorship of the sheet and for yanking the sub blank adv. which urged soldiers to subscribe to the paper.... A good friend of Anthony Stelmok in New York City has been trying to contact him without avail and has asked the help of our paper....

Bagogius' bluff about threatening to sue four papers was designed to be an election stunt in the SLA, but turned out to be a boomerang, when neither of the four papers took him seriously. The allotted time for retraction and apologies has passed more than a month ago and there were no apologies and no answer has been received.... Certain quarters have been hinting that a Ukrainian personage who was a "democratic" leader would sue Laisve, Vilnis and the Hour all at once, but he will think twice since it has been found that he wrote a certain unsigned article in the (now desolved) Hetman organization's paper. The Hetman banners have been seen side by side with those of the bund, we hear, in parades....

Conventions of the LDS and SLA will be smaller this year because of defense work, tire and gasoline rationing.... The anti Bagocius elements will be in the majority at the SLA cleavage it is said, because Boston and Chicago are far away.

Look for a "dues raising" plan in the SLA Convention proposals.... Of course it will be camouflaged... The only interesting development in the LDS election is that the youth of Chicago are campaigning for their candidate George Kwain for Second Vice President... But unless the adults show more spirit, he may lose... SMETONA'S MEMOIRS: The story circulating about Smetona's Memoirs which he advertised so loudly upon arrival in this country over a year ago is this: On his way over, Smetona met a person who said he represented a large publishing concern in the USA and gave Smetona a contract to publish the "memoirs." Smetona, according to the story turned the manuscript over to him, and after he got off the boat, did not hear of the man nor the publishing company, or the manuscript anymore!

Banning of Social Justice has the publishers and editors of Darbininkas, the South Boston Lithuanian echo of the fascist radio priest, worried.... The other week Keleivis has no "news via Lisbon by letter." The U. S. Submarines have been more active recently against the axis on the Atlantic coast....

The first person to find a "relative" in the list of 12,000 names sent over by the Nazis to certain Lithuanian papers was none other than fascist editor of Brooklyn Vieniybė, Tysliava.... As the reader probably knows, the list is supposed to contain the names of persons evacuated from Lithuania just before the Nazis came in, for whatever reasons (for no reason at all, the Nazis say). Tysliava bemoans his sister's fate because the Soviet Union saw to it that she was taken where Nazi rapists could not reach her. Would Tysliava rather have it that she was in Lithuania today?....

The organization which publishes Garsas, a Lithuanian Weekly in Wilkes-Barre-Pa., recently sent the government a pledge of loyalty. In the last issue, the Garsas published filthy Nazi propaganda....

# EDITORIAL:— LIST OF 12,000 NAMES

"The Weak Lithuanian American" (formerly Jaunimas) raises the devil with us for Frank Stulgis', recently published article exposing the many possible sources on the list of names which is currently being published in a number of Lithuanian American Newspapers

- Mr. Stulgis stated that the names could be any of the following:
1. Names taken from tombstones of the Kaunas and other Lithuanian cemeteries.
  2. Names of those Lithuanians who were butchered by the nazis when they invaded Lithuania, subsequently blaming the Red army for the murders.
  3. Names of those sent into forced labor slavery from Lithuania into Germany by the nazis.
  4. Names of persons with pro-nazi leanings, potential fifth columnists, who were sent to the interior of the Soviet Union together with their families just as our own American government is sending potential enemies into the interior of the country from the danger zones.

The names could be those, or any other names. No one knows whose names they are and no one can check them. The nazis sources from which they come say that they are names of persons exiled into Ciberia where they are starving and freezing.

The "Weak Lithuanian American" agrees with this explanation and wants us to believe it, too. We didn't bite!

No neutral sources have checked the list. It was prepared by nazis themselves or by their hirelings. Why should we take the work of Joe Poszka and agree that the list is what the nazis say it is? Do the nazis have such a good reputation for telling the truth?

**Not with us, they haven't!**  
Has anyone checked the list?  
Has anyone seen these people "in the tundras of Siberia"?  
No one has.

The nazis say that people bearing the names of those listed in the 12,000 are in the tundras of Siberia, Joe Poszka says it is so, and condemns us for questioning it. Let us go one step further....

**What guarantee is there that these people who bear the names listed are not "safe and sound" in Lithuania today?**

Can Poszka prove that they aren't?  
Can Poszka prove that this isn't a just one big hoax—as big as the one about the "revolt" the pro-nazi Lithuanians announced from Berlin when the "unbelievably efficient legins" of Hitler began the invasion?

Will Poszka not admit: there is a possibility that some of the people whose names are mentioned might possibly be fighting in one of the three Lithuanian divisions on the Eastern Front against the Nazis?

Will Poszka be willing to vouch that the nazis, who prepared and forwarded this list to this country, did not do it for the anti-Soviet propaganda value it contains?

Will he vouch upon his honor that each and every person whose name is on the list is really in the "tundras of Siberia" and is "starving and freezing" there as the nazis say he is?

Will Poszka be willing to give his personal guarantee to the veracity of the list sent here by the nazis?

If he cannot do that, how can he expect us anti-Nazis to believe it?

But has Poszka thought of this angle:  
Suppose the list IS A BIG NAZI HOAX  
Suppose that it IS A FAKE!  
Suppose it IS NOTHING BUT CALCULATED NAZI PROPAGANDA AGAINST THE ALLY OF THIS COUNTRY?

Suppose it is propaganda against our ally which President Roosevelt said "destroyed and is destroying more armed power of enemies—troops, planes, tanks and guns—than all the other United Nations put together"?

What then?

Does Poszka realize that he is sending this material to Lithuanian American soldiers of the United States Army—who are supposed to fight side by side with the Soviet Red Army—the very army of the country which he says is torturing, starving and freezing his kinsfolk?

Does Poszka realize that he is sending his sheet to defense workers who are making weapons for the members of the United States Army and for the Allies, members of the United Nations. Among whom is the Soviet Union?

Does Poszka realize that those publishing the list (some of them admitting: "Look in the list for names of your relatives, friends and acquaintances—it is arranged in alphabetical order for your convenience!" and those guaranteeing its veracity are, in effect, telling the defense workers that they are making arms for the country which is holding their kinsfolk in exile, starving and freezing them in the tundras of Siberia)?

Does Poszka and other editors know what this means?  
We ask very humbly—do they think they are serving the best interests of the United States and the best interests of the United Nation's all out war effort for victory over the axis by publishing this list of names they received from nazi sources?

If they think they are serving the best interests of the war effort, then we say—it is a darned funny way of doing it!

## Liths Pledge Victorious War

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of Lithuanian guerrillas fighting behind enemy lines, and told of the war role of Lithuanian women, Prosperity in Soviet Lithuania

Deputy Commissar of Education Judzda, describing the achievements of his department in a year of Soviet rule, said in part: "The whole of Lithuania was covered with a network of elementary, secondary and vocational schools. Higher educational establishments became accessible to the masses. The Academy of Sciences of the Lithuanian Soviet Socialist Republic was founded and favorable conditions were created for development of literature art. The Hitlerite vandals destroyed these major achievements and are continuing their destruction."

Secretary Preikšas said in part: "The Soviet system freed Lithuania's national economy of all fetters and created every precondition for its rapid rise and progress. The number of industrial workers in Lithuania grew more than fourfold. Unemployment was completely eliminated. The impetus given the development of industry stimulated all other branches of the economy and created a stable basis for the material and cultural progress of the Lithuanian people

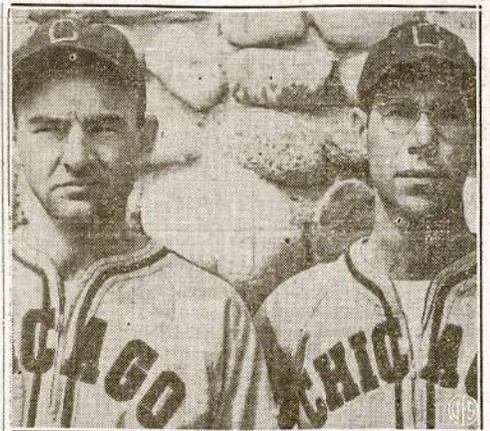
"But in 10 months of bloody Hitlerite occupation, the Lithuanian people has been robbed of its great conquests. The Hitlerites have forced starvation on the Lithuanians. They have carried away food and other goods to Germany, after methodically plundering the Lithuanian population. But the Hitlerites will not succeed in enslaving or exterminating the Lithuanian people. True to the traditions of their heroic past, and guided by the genius of great Stalin, the Lithuanians have risen to fight the German invaders."

### Message to Stalin

The greeting to Stalin read as follows:

In the grim days of sacred patriotic war of the Soviet people against the German fascist invaders, we representatives of the Lithuanian people gathered at our meeting in heroic Moscow send you, Comrade Stalin, our ardent greetings!

Under your wise direction and with the assistance of the peoples of the Soviet Union, the young Soviet



**WHITE SOX MEN**—Veteran fly chaser Wallace Moses, left, who hit .301 for Philadelphia in 1941, and rookie outfielder Thurman Tucker, brought from Oklahoma City, working out with Chicago White Sox baseball team

Lithuanian Republic in the very first year of its existence took the path of impetuous progress in the whole political, economic and cultural life of the Lithuanian people. The treacherous invasion of our motherland by the German fascists suddenly cut short the happy, peaceful life of the Lithuanian people and brought us major trials and grief. The Hitlerite highwaymen devastated our country and robbed thousands of Lithuanians of their homes, families and lives.

This is not the first time that the freedom-loving Lithuanian people has experienced the horrors of invasion by its ferocious enemy—the German invaders. At one time a fierce and stubborn life-and-death struggle between Lithuanian and the German orders of crusaders and knights of the sword, ancestors of the imperialist plunders of today, continued incessantly for two centuries. Then the Lithuanian people saved its country by heroic efforts. Another time, under the guidance of Vitautas and in cooperation with the Russians and Poles, the Lithuanians finally defeated the Germans in the battles of Gruenwald, which will remain famous for ages.

The Lithuanian people is full of unshakeable confidence that the German invaders will be defeated, as they were 500 years ago. This confidence is based on the power of the Soviet Union, on the great friendship of fraternal Soviet peoples, on the heroic Red Army, which under your leadership is battling the German highwaymen. We express our hearty love and firm, unshakeable determination to struggle with still greater stubbornness and firmness against the worst enemies of all humanity—the German in-

### Lithuanians Fight On

In our motherland, occupied by the fascist barbarians, daring Lithuanian guerrillas give no respite to the occupants day or night, striking behind their lines and mercilessly wiping them out. These brave sons of the Lithuanian people cannot be checked by mass death sentences so frequently passed by German "courts" on the finest sons and daughters of Lithuania.

On this side of the front line thousands of sons of our people in the ranks of the Red Army have repeatedly displayed fearlessness and courage in battle defending Soviet soil from the fierce invaders. The men, commanders and political workers of Lithuanian national units are filled with determination to uphold the glorious fighting traditions of their heroic ancestors in fighting the German invaders.

We know, Comrade Stalin, that we shall win, for truth is on our side, and strength too. The hardships of war do not frighten us but only serve to steel us. Long live free Soviet Lithuania! Long live the great Soviet Union—the fraternal Union of free Soviet Republics! Long live our heroic Red Army and Red Navy! Long live Stalin—organizer of the great approaching victory that is deciding the destiny of all humanity!



# KENOSHA LDS YOUTH GROUP PUSHES BASEBALL PLANS; PREPARING FOR CONVENTION

The third L. D. S. Royals meeting was held and a fine cooperative spirit prevailed. There were 21 members present. The baseball team has started their practicing and practice at every available time. Mike Lemmesus was chosen as the manager of the team. He is out there fighting to make the team the best there is. Besides this he is also the catcher of the team. Our advisor Paul Sprindis secured the uniforms which the former Royals had. The boys are proud to wear them. We have thirteen dollars and seventeen cents in the treasury. This was donated to us as part of the proceeds from the last concert. Our future meetings will be held at the German-American Home. Due to the increase of members, Paul Sprindis has given us encouragement to form one of the best Youth organizations in this district.

Virginia Lisneck.

# DETROIT HAS PICNIC THIS SUNDAY; LITHUANIANS HAVE RED CROSS BENEFIT AFFAIR

First and foremost—what do we have to look forward to? Don't you know? Why, our picnic, of course! Time—this Sunday, May 17, at Beechnut Grove, on Middlebelt road. You will have a treat in store—they are going to serve the public potato pancakes which are so good in the open air. Now all I hope for is a nice warm day and it will make it perfect to dance to the music of the Buccaneers.

With a minority group present, we had a short meeting Sunday. This group is in favor of a vacation for the chorus beginning May 15. However, we will have chorus rehearsal this Friday and a regular business meeting with more members in attendance on May 24.

Mothers' Day was duly celebrated. The Girls Ensemble and Mrs. Paleviciene were on the musical part of the program while Mrs. Geraht introduced the speakers—the mothers who had

sons in service. These mothers were presented roses. A few tears were shed at the thought of losing their boys—but all of them are willing to do their part to keep this country out of the claws of Fascism. It remains for us to do our part. Certain members of the Aido Chorus were going strong on the delicious buffet lunch that the women's organization had prepared. They should have a lunch like that more often. It hit the spot.

A very small public turned out to the American Lithuanian Congress affair Saturday night. We did our bit. However, even with such a small audience, a collection of \$50 was made for the Red Cross and the money turned over immediately to the Red Cross representative who told us how we could do our part to help the Red Cross besides giving money.

Blue Monday Correspondent, A. V. L.

# SCOTTVILLE, MICHIGAN, LITHS HAVE RED CROSS BENEFIT SUNDAY; HAVE GALA PROGRAM

With so many interesting and entertaining affairs being presented in all other cities, a guilty sense of duty has persuaded us in Scottville to arrange something also.

This Sunday, May 17, the Lithuanian Literature Society (ALD LD) has prepared a patriotic concert. Proceeds of the arrangement will be turned over to the American Red Cross.

The concert will be held in the Scottville High School auditorium starting at 2 p. m. The Scottville High School auditorium is featured on the program as will Casimir Zilinskis and Billy Prizer of Grand Rapids. The latter two individuals will present piano accordion and violin solos.

Chicago artists are included on the program proceedings. That city's well known Women's Trio consisting of D. Yuden, Dockus, and K. Abek are listed to appear as is A. Vaizgela and N. Roman who will present solos.

This patriotic endeavor will be the largest held in Scottville. It will be a step toward unification of all nationalities behind our country's win-the-war policy.

Following the concert and as soon as farm chores are finished, in the evening, a celebration will take place. It will be held the home John Juozaitis.

The concert arrangement committee invites adjacent cities and town to attend. We're looking forward to representation from Grand Rapids, Muskegon, and Hart.

V... — For Victory, Pauline Stakenas.

## Chicago LDS Member Is Cadet In U. S. Air Corps



Cadet Al Perchess.

The United States armed forces have fighting men in

## Chicago Monarchs

The Chicago teams sure made a good showing. Just about all teams came into a high place. Final results will be published soon.

It seems 9 qts of that high powered stuff were devoured within 2 or 3 hours. The rooms 1060 and 1064 will bring back memories of quite a hot time, especially to Joe Krep of Cleveland and Rita Carroll also of Cleveland.

These married men sure are some creatures. Tex and Al Klaud had a wonderful time as usual although their wives were not there.

Frances Stein sure got a surprise when she saw her husband in the hotel lobby.

Bertha Baronosky got quite snappy remarks about the pimple on her nose. The way things looked she might have received one around her eye but as arguments go the best friend usually gets the other one out, eh! Lil.

Albina Batutis went to town on her singles and came in flying to 2nd place. Congratulations.

Joe Sacal looked quite fresh the night after the party.

Millie from Cleveland sure made the rounds and quite a few friends; especially male.

Tony Litvin and Ray Russell were the men that carried the stuff up to the rooms. Ray is the one that collected the money and practically arranged the party.

Sylvia Binkus put quite a few people behind the eight-ball so to speak by not showing up. Now we'll know what to expect in the future.

Cel Riva and Paps sure liked it up. They were full of fun and made everyone happy.

Vera Pocius wasn't up to her regular bowling and so felt like the last oyster in the ocean.

Frances Stein, Albina, Vellie, Ed Barr, Wally Stein, Ray Russell talked to Jessie over long distance and she sounds as if she's in the pink. It's good to hear she's picking up.

Frances Yurgil and Helen Lane led the party into some gay songs, as usual.

There was a Monarch meeting a week ago Monday on 69th—between Maplewood and Rockwell in back of the new tavern.

The Monarch dance has been postponed indefinitely so tear down your hopes at least for a little while longer.

We hear that Bill Rasins and Helen Armon have been seeing each other quite frequently lately. Is this leading into another romance.

By the Spirit.

their ranks. And in these ranks are hundreds of members of the Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS).

One of the many LDS members serving his country in this all-out war against the Axis aggressors is Cadet Al Perchess of the U. S. Army Air Corps.

Perchess is a member of the Chicago LDS Redwings branch and according to a recent letter received by us, is most anxious to do his bit for democracy as soon as possible.

Cadet Perchess is stationed at Lowry Field. His mailing address is 365 Tech. S. S. (SP), Barrack-665, Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado.

# A WEEK OF THE WAR

(Prepared by the Office of Government Reports, Distributed by the Common Council for American Unity.)

President Roosevelt said the cost of living has advanced about 15 percent since the autumn of 1939, and "we must now act to keep it from soaring another 80 percent or 90 percent during the next year or two—to hold it to somewhere near the present level."

## RATIONING

The OPA announced appointment of 60 specialists to OPA offices throughout the country to serve as technical aides in handling problems arising from the sugar rationing program. Motor vehicles in essential services may not have new tires if recycled ones will serve their purposes, the agency said. New and used typewriters are not under quota restrictions but are available to eligibles who can establish their needs for the, OPA reported.

## WAR STRATEGY

The President in a radio address said American warships are in combat in the Arctic, Mediterranean and in the North and South Pacific. American troops are at stations in South America, Greenland, Iceland, the British Isles, the Middle East and the Far East, the continent of Australia and many islands of the Pacific. American planes manned by Americans are flying in actual combat over all the oceans and all the continents, he said, and Flying Fortresses will soon be fighting for the liberation of Europe. Australia, New Zealand and much other territory will be bases for offensive action, the President said, and the U. S. is determined that the territory which has been lost will be regained.

## THE WAR FRONT

Admiral William Stark, commanding U. S. naval forces in European waters, said the submarine menace off the U. S. Atlantic coast is being beaten. Gen MacArthur's headquarters in Australia reported a six-day aerial offensive by United Nations bombers against Japanese bases north of Australia destroyed more than 50 enemy planes, sank one transport and inflicted heavy damage on enemy ground installations.

## ARMY AND SELECTIVE SERVICE

The War Department established an Eastern Military Area, including all of the Atlantic seaboard. Secretary Stimson said no mass evacuations of citizens are contemplated, but vital areas will be policed to prevent potentially dangerous persons from entering them. The Army announced establishment of "Port Agencies" in principal U. S. seaports to coordinate and speed shipment of war supplies to all United Nations. Mail to American prisoners of war in the Far East whose names have appeared on official lists of the February 16 will be included in June calls of every SS local board, said.

College students enrolling in advanced ROTC courses will be required to enlist in the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps if they have reached the age of 18, the War Department said. The Department reported 327 Negroes are now enrolled in Office Candidate Schools. Selective Service Director Hershey said men who registered last February 16 will be included in June calls of every SS local board.

## NAVY

The Marine Corps announced its maximum enlistment age is now 33 instead of 30, and height requirements range from 63 to 75 inches, instead of 64 to 74. The first submarine completed in the Great Lakes was launched at a Wisconsin port. The Navy Department reported Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard casualties from December 7 to April 15 totaled 6,393, including 2,991 dead.

## PRODUCTION AND CONVERSION

War Production Chairman Nelson said although the U. S. is "over the hump" in war production and United Nations output exceeds that of the Axis by a considerable margin, the real production war has just begun because of the head start of the Axis. More than 1,000,000 men and women are working in war plants where joint labor-management Production Drive Committees have been set up, he said. The War and Navy Departments announced jointly the establishment of a Price Adjustment Board in each Department to review financial set-ups of war contractors whenever there is reason to believe excess profits are being made.

## WAR LABOR SUPPLY

President Roosevelt said plans to register women for war work have been abandoned for the present because there are more women workers now who want jobs than there are jobs available. He said any woman wanting to get into war work may register at a U. S. Employment Service office. War Manpower Chairman McNutt said the number of persons employed in war work by the end of 1942 may reach 17,500,000 compared with 1,500,000 at the beginning of 1941. He said a million or more additional women will be employed in war industries this year. Mr. McNutt issued directives to the 1,500 Employment Service offices in regard to the placement of women and of men over 40.

## WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

The President told his press conference he hoped people would buy War Bonds and Stamps out of current earnings rather than cash reserves. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau said investments of employees in firms operating under the Payroll Savings Plan must be raised at once to a minimum of 10 percent of the gross payroll. He said the number of employees purchasing Bonds regularly must be doubled, and average purchases raised from \$7.50 to \$20 per month.

# ROCKFORD LDS WOMEN BOWLERS, CLEVELAND MEN COP TEAM HONORS AT DETROIT HELD BOWLING TOURNAMENT; CHI TAKES DOUBLES

(Special To VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION)

(Due to a set deadline, the complete listing of the LDS Midwest Bowling Tournament which was held in Detroit, Michigan, May 2-3 will not appear until the following week.—EDITOR.)

## Rouner Upper Writes:

### LDS MERRY GO ROUND

#### ATTENTION DRAMA DIRECTORS!

There is just a few months left to prepare the drama groups for the Drama Festival which will take place during the LDS convention. Mr. Joseph Stalor requests that all of the drama directors of each branch who will present plays for the occasion, to please send a copy of the script of the play which they intend to present to 3116 S. Halsted Street. This is very important so that the Council Drama Director may work out a program suitable for the occasion. Please do not delay as this notice should be sufficient in informing all of the branch drama directors to give the council director their fullest cooperation.

#### MEMBERSHIP DRIVE PERKS

For some time the membership drive in the Chicago area was at standstill. But with less than a month to go before the drive is over, the youth branches show an advancement in the figures of enrollment of new members. 'Tis heard that the Monarchs have added one to their list while the Redwings former president, Julius Urbikas, who is in the army now, will get credit for one member. Meanwhile Anthony Urbikas, Julius' brother, will soon become a full pledged member and seems very proud. . . . Those Sparks must have been frightened by the Clevelanders as nothing is heard from them. They might have given up all hopes of further competition. Remember there are a few weeks left to get those members into your respective branches. It is the duty of each LDS member to do their part toward winning the trophy.

#### GOLFERS GET IN TRIM

With the golfing tournament nearing there should be many from Chicago already getting in trim for the National golf tournament. It seems that this is one sport feature that will have the most participants. A Chicagoan won the title at the New York LDS golf tournament but who will take it this time? The golf tournament which was sponsored by the Midwest Youth council was very successful. There should be women entering the National tournament. There are several good golfers in each locality that can show real competition.

#### ANNUAL SPRING PICNIC

There have been so many indoor affairs sponsored all winter long that it is about time for everyone to get adjusted to the great outdoor life. The first LDS picnic will be held at 83rd Willow Springs and Wolf Rds, Willow Springs, Ill., May 24, 1942. Five cash prizes are being given away that day. Raffle books have been distributed to all of the youth branches and it is very important that all of them are sold as each branch will benefit by the sale of these books. Keep the date in mind and round up all of your friends for the first LDS picnic of the season.

#### CAUGHT BY THE EYE AND EAR

During the past few weeks several Chicago LDSers have gotten married. . . . A happy bride is Sylvia Binkis of the Sparks. Al Miller of the Redwings now has a bride. The couple are L.K.M. members. . . . Very shortly Al may be called to serve for Uncle Sam. Congratulations are extended to the newlyweds. . . .

Last Saturday the REDWINGS dance proved to be successful and full of spirit. . . . There were many new faces seen at the dance. . . . To honor all of the Redwings the orchestra played the Redwing's song. Lads from Massachusetts, who are now sailors stormed in at the dance. . . . soldiers were also seen and took advantage of the free admittance offered by the Redwings. . . . Helen Kasro the studious lass, was very happy about the proceedings that took place and happily relieved the wardrobe attendants time and again. . . . Little Valeria Bernot was never with the same gent but found much time to spare for Ed Ziny. . . . Joe Satchel was seen with a "maish" either under his arm or at his side. . . . For an unknown reason Tony Litvin claimed a Spark as his wife. . . . Sorority sister Martha Rogers lulled several men to sleep at the bar. . . . Garbed with a wreath of lilacs, Aldonie Pavelonis with no trouble at all was snatched away to do a bit of jibberbugging. . . . Helen Armon doesn't know it but she was to have met a gent at El Chiccos. . . .

The Mother's Day affair was enjoyed by many adults who attended. . . . There were just two men who participated on the program, Alex Vaizgela and Tex Zebraitis. . . . By the way, call Tex, "Ponas Zigmus" and watch the reaction. . . . John Petritus and Albert Pavelonis were the official stage hands. . . . Paps has a weakness for Strumberries. . . . Toni Zigmant was the star in the short play given last Saturday. . . . All Mary Shimkus had to do was look at her brother-in-law and tears came streaming from her eyes. . . . Anne Garsinskas was an ideal mother. . . . Ann Petritus can always be counted on to cleverly present substitutes for the equipment to be used in a play. . . .

To be sure that the youth got the fullest support, Stanley Juska, better known as the "LDS pop" packed a car full of his friends and

New bowling champs were born the forepart of the month. In the LDS sponsored Midwest Bowling Tournament which was held at the Detroit Art Center Bowling alleys, May 2-3, it can now be revealed OFFICIALLY that in team events, first place was copied by the female side of the Rockford, Illinois, Rockets and in the male field, by Cleveland, Ohio, with A. Skogus topping the list.

Of the 12 male teams participating, in team play they stand listed as follows:

1. Cleveland No. 1
2. Foul Balls—Chicago
3. Fordson Theatre—Detroit
4. Redwing Bombers—Chicago
5. Kraml Dairy—Chicago
6. Cleveland No. 2
7. Felix Bar—Detroit
8. Roselanders—Chicago
9. La Dee Das—Chicago
10. Porter Bar—Detroit
11. Manila Bar—Detroit
12. Cleveland No. 3.

Ten girls teams were involved in the tourney. Their listing is as follows in team play:

1. Rockford Rockets—Illinois.
2. Detroit—B. Geralt-Capt.
3. Detroit—I. Goodman-Capt.
4. Chicago — Redwings Squaws
5. Chicago—Monarchs
6. Cleveland No. 1 Team
7. Chicago Sparks
8. Detroit-I. Brazosky-Capt.
9. Detroit—J. Kruchen-Capt.
10. Cleveland No. 2 Team

In the following events we are announcing only first, second and third place. Complete tallies will be in the following issue of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION.

#### Men's Single Events

1. P. Vaite—Cleveland

was off to the Redwings Dance. . . . It was thoughtful of Frank Vesely to bring Jessie to the dance for just a little while. . . .

Wonder if John Orman's conscience isn't bothering him about that song book that he has possession of. . . . Remember it belongs to a girl with a southern accent from South Lowe Avenue. She would appreciate it very much if he returned it immediately. . . . Sully almost breezed into town in time for the dance but just stayed long enough to greet several people. He's setting a record and wants to find out how long it will take him to make the trip between Columbus and Chicago so that by convention time he'll be able to be in with a flash. . . . Helen Pankstys is wearing an LDS emblem and regards it as her most precious possession. . . . Mrs. Klaud and Mrs. Baranauskas were in deep conference concerning some infant's clothing and furniture they will soon be needing. . . . Cel Riva rounded up many bowlers and is cooking up something. Let's hope the idea is carried out. . . . Tony Damaska of the Redwings may leave for the army shortly. . . . Kiki is worried as to whether Percy is a male or female. And now that the correspondent has ceased writing, is terribly upset. . . . "How many bonds have you lady?" were questions brought forth by George Kwain and Tex Zebraitis Monday. . . .

## Foreign-Born Rally Behind Victory Drive

CLEVELAND.—A drive to mobilize the 14,000,000 foreign workers behind America's drive for victory over the Axis and a stirring call for a second front were the highlights of the sixth national conference just concluded here by the American Committee for the Protection of the Foreign-Born.

"Americans All—Fighters All—For Victory" was the banner under which the conference met. Its proceedings were devoted to considering "the ways in which the foreign born can be encouraged and enabled to increase their contribution to the victory effort."

Delegates hailing from points as far west as Seattle and as far east as New York, from unions, from national organizations and from civil liberty groups were told by Abner Green, committee secretary:

"This conference may justifiably and proudly regard itself as an arm of the government and an instrument through which the government can realize its objective of rallying all Americans for winning the war."

This was the theme, too, of Hugh De Lacy, president of the Washington Commonwealth Federation, who was unanimously and enthusiastically reelected National Chairman of the Committee for Protection of the Foreign Born. With him will serve five vice-presidents: Pearl Hart of Chicago, State Senator Stanley Nowak of Detroit, Edward Lamb of Toledo, Max Yering and Dr. Arthur Upham Pope of New York.

## Need More Nurses For War Service, Miss Beard Says

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Enrollment of nurses in the Red Cross for service with the armed forces must be stepped up to meet the increasing needs of the expanding military forces, Miss Mary Beard, director of the Red Cross Nursing Service, announced.