

KASDIENA...

Jų Galas Kelio Kas su Kuo Leland Stowe Ispūdziai Koks čia skirtumas?

Pilsudkis buvo socialistas ir visi žino kuo jis išsiginė. Musolinis buvo socialistas. Visi mato kuo jis išsiginė.

Žymiausias Amerikos rašytojas Theodore Dreiser sveikina prez. Roosevelta už Browderio paliošavimą ir sveikina patį Browderį

National Maritime Unija saliuotuoja prez. Roosevelta.

Jūrinio transporto fronte, šio karo metu, ši unija stovi pirmose eilėse.

Chiengos demokratų "Daily Times" duoda gerą editorialą apie Browderio išlaisvinimą.

Piktai kvaki ti Coughlinai, Hoffmannai, McCormickai, Grigučiai, Prunskiai ir tili kongreso renkėtininkai.

Tai balsas penktos kolonos, ar ty, kurie arti jos stovi.

Leland Stowe, Chicago "Daily News" korespondentas, aprašo savo kelionę iš Kaukazo Maskvon. Raudonarmiečiai, gerai nprėdyti, starkingi, sveikiti, daro j j puikų įspūdį. Taip-pat ir civiliai.

Anei krislo nervuotumo. Didžiausias savim pasitiekėjimas.

Gelžkėlini transportacija paruošta karui siebtiniu efektyvumu.

Chiengos menševikų laikraštis Irodinėja, kad tarpe tautininko Laukaitio ir "demokrato" Bagociiaus mišniniskas skirtumas.

Skirtumas tik tas, kad Bagocius prie SLA lovio, o Laukaitis netoli jo.

Bostone smetonininkai ir "socialistai" neseniai atlikė bendrą konferenciją... "Lietuvai gelbėti."

Jų "ginčai" tos pačios šeimos narių purškavimas. Tautininkai Klingai ir Tysliava Bagociūni artimesni negu Laukaitis Smetonai.

Kas vadovauja "Lietuvos Pilečių Sąjungai"? Ogi pulkininkas Grinius, smetoninis karo atstovas Berlyne. Abudu penčiosi is tu paties šėdo.

Jei šiandien jie kiek apspykto, tai rytoj vėl susivienys duete prieš Lietuvos demokratiją?

Tai koks tarp jų skirtumas?

Apie 2,000 delegatų suvažiavo plieno darbininkų konvencijon Clevelande.

Karo laimėjimo obsaias nutelbė viską. Barniai ir kivirčiai j šalį!

"Plieno darbininkų vyriausias darbas padėti Amerikai laimėti karą" (Phillip Murray).

Japonai mokosi iš Hitlerio. Sanchajai, Hongkonge, Singapore jie sunkmėo belatvisių j kalėjimus. J vieną kamera sugrėdo po 20-25 žmones. Su jais elgtasi biauriau negu su krinimalistais.

Geltonskūriai arijonai tokie jau žvėrys kaip ir baltaskūriai.

ATKAKLIAUSI MUŠIAI TIES PAT CHARKOVU

JUREIVIAI RA-GINA PRADET ANTRA FRONTA

MŪSU GYVASTYS, MŪSU VI-SO GYVENIMO LIKIMAS PRI-KLAUSO NUO ANTRJO FRONTO, SAKO JIE

NEW YORKAS, geg. 20.—National Maritime Unija narių susirinkime priėmė rezoluciją, reikalaujančią nevilkinant atidaryti Europoje antrąjį frontą.

Rezolucija patysta prez. Roosevelti ir kitoms vyriausybės nariams. Susirinkimas nutarė kopijas rezolucijos išsiuntinti visoms Amerikos darbininkų unijoms kaip raginimą, kad ir jos rūpintasi antrąjį frontą. Kita atveja nutarė atsiųsti delegatus į New Yorko ir apylinkės unijų lokalių susirinkimus agituoti už antro fronto rezoluciją siuntimą vyriausybei.

Prezidentui pasistoję rezolucijoj jureiviai pareiškia, kad "svarbiausioji karo valanda jau čia pat. Mūsų prakaitas, mūsų gyvastys, didieji mūsų pasiaukojimai ir visa mūsų ateičiai priklauso nuo atidarymo antro fronto."

Kitoj rezolucijos vietoj pasakalia, "atidarymas antrojo fronto dar labiau sujungtų mūsų tautą, pridotu stipresnio įkvėpimo ir pakeltų karo gamybą ir karo pantangas iki dar neįgerdžtos aukštumos."

Jureiviai pripažino, kad iki šiol tik viena vokiečiams kilitas stovi kelėje. "Taja kilitai yra Raudonoji Armija ir Sovietų Sąjungos žmonės. Jie kausiai ir už mus. Mums būtina su ginklu stoti greta jų."

Okupantai Naciai Dar Nuzudė 15 Belgijos Patriotų

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Belgų žinių agentija praneša, kad okupantai naciai šiomis dienomis nužudė dar 15 žymių belgų. Penkis nužudyti kalinio mėginimo susabotazuoti vokiečių aviacijos lėstųjy Bruselyje.

Minėta žinių agentija sako, nežinanti kokius kaltinimus naciai primetė kitiems nužudytiesiems.

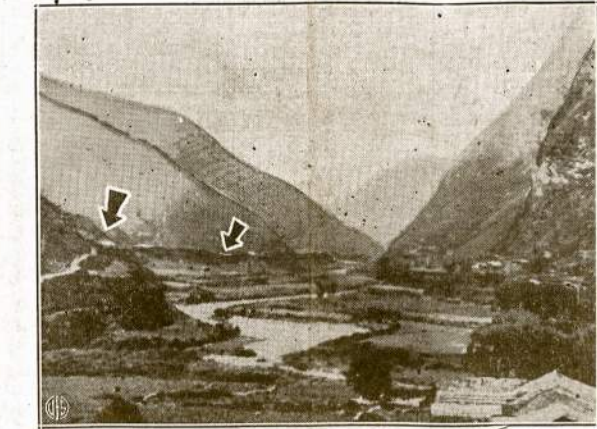
Is kur semiasi įkvėpimo ir medžiagos tie laikraštėliai, kuriuos valdžia skaito išdavikais?

Is Chiengos "Tribune" ir Hearsto laikraščių.

Tame prisipažino tūlas Asher, kurio laikraštį "X-Ray" valdžia nori uždaryti, kaip išdavikiską.

Tas svarbu įsitęmii.

Indijos Gandhi taikosi Quislingo rolei. Jo pastarasis pareiškimas tai amunicija Japonijai.



Burmos vieškelį japonams atkirtus, kinams teliko tik toki, kaip šisai atvaizde, keliai susiekti su talkininkais. Vis dėlto kinai pilni entuzizmo kautis su priešu ir esą įsitikine, kad kovą laimės.

Bulgarijos Kareiviai Dedasi Prie Jugoslavijos Partizanų

JERUZOLIMAS, geg. 20.—Pastaruoju laiku jugoslavai partizanai, komanduoja jimi gen. D. Michailovičius, nudėjo daugybę italų kareivių.

Komunikatas praneša ir apie kasdieninius partizanų susirėmimus su vokiečiais Belgrade ir Plankoj, 60 mylių nuo Dunojaus. Netoliese Metkovič miesto, Dalmacijoj, partizanai nutarė nuo bėgčių naujų kariuomenės traukinį. Traukinį su-naikino ir nemažai kareivių užmušė.

Naciai loviėsi sugtį bulgarus kareivius prieš jugoslavų partizanus. Kaip patiria, bulgarai kareiviai gavę progą juos uars pereina į partizanų pusę.

Hitleris Spiria Francuziją Pavest Fašistams Tunisą

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Londono šaltiniai tvirtina, kad Hitleris daro nepaprastai sunkų spaudimą į Lavali, kad užleistų fašistų karo jėgom Tunisą.

Tuo pačiu sykiu pranešimai iš Sveicarijos tvirtina, kad Musolinis pasiruosia grobti Korsiko salą, Tunisą ir Nice sritį.

Paryžijne einanti Lavali ir hitlerininkų konferencija neba-pa sklandi. Naciai būtinai reikalauja užleisti jiems Tunisą, kad atsverti Madagascaro užėmimą ir Martinique salos neutralizavimą.

Hitlerio atstovai liepia Lavaliu sakyti visuomenei, kad Tunisi gresia pavojus is Amerikos ir Anglijos pusių, todėl jisai praršs Hitlerio pagelbos padėti apginti Francuzijos imperiją.

NESUGRYSTA IS ATLANTO ITALIJOS SUBMARINAS

ROMA.—Italų karo vadovybė skelbia, kad vienas Italijos submarinas per ilgai nesugryžta j bazę, dėlto jį skaito Atlante žuvusiu.

Jugoslavijos Partizanai Smarkiai Atakuoja Okupantus

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Jugoslavijos partizanų kariuomenės daliniai energingai puola okupuotus vokiečiams šešiose vietose Bosnijos kalnuose.

Jugoslavų vyriausybės išėrmime gauti dariniai rodo, kad mūšiai labai atkaklūs, bene tik bus už visus buvusius mūšius atkakliausi. Priešui suduonia ytin sunkūs nuostoliai.

Talkininkai Pasistato Lėktuvų Daugiau Už Fašistus

NEW YORKAS, geg. 20.—Fairchild motory ir lėktuvų korporacijos viršininkas J. Carlton Ward Jr. tvirtina, kad Su-vienytos Tautos jau pasigamina virš du kart tiek karo lėktuvų, kaip Vokietija, Italija ir Japonija

Jo apskaitymu, Vokietija ir jos okupuotos teritorijos kas mėnesis pagamina po 2,900 lėktuvų; Italija po 700 ir Japonija po 500.

Is talkininkų pusės — Jungtinės Valstijos kas mėnesis pagamina po 3,300; Sovietų Sąjunga po 2,900 ir Anglija po 2,400.

Slaptas Holandų Laikraštis Turi 200,000 Skaitytojų

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Slapto holandų savaitraščio "Parole" kas savaitė išspausdina 200,000 kopijų. Hitlerio slaptoji policija savaitė is savaitės sniukštineja kar tik imano, o laikraščio spaustuvės visvien nesuseka.

Tai vienintėlis Holandijos laikraštis taip plačiai paplitęs. Jį rennia visa liaudis ir visa liaudis jį platina.

Belgijoj okupantai paskelbė dekretą, kuris sulaukio visokią fabrikuose gamybą, kuri "nebūtina vokiečių ekonomijai." Tuomi okupantai nori belgus paversti bedarbiais ir išgabtinti j Vokietiją priverstinėmis darbams.

Anglų Aviacija Bombardavo Industrinį Vokiečių Miestą

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Is praežasties nepalankus oro 11 dieny niko neveiktusi, Anglijos aviacija vakar energingai puolė nacių industrinį miestą Mannheim ir suburbanų bazę okupuotoj Francuzijoje.

Aviacijos ministerija sako, is atakos negryžo 11 lėktuvų, jų tarpe du kovos lėktuvai. Mannheim mieste yra stambūs chemijos fabrikai ir ginklu fabrikai. Mannheim skaito ir uosta, nors miestas ir tolokai nuo jūrių. Laivai j Mannheim atplaukia navigacijai pritaikyta upe.

Submarinų bazę anglai atakavo St. Nazaire, Francuzijoje. Tuo pačiu sykiu smarkiai apdužė nacių karo pozicijas ir Holandijoje.

Finansų Komisija Siulo Pakelti Asmenišku Įeigu Taksas

WASHINGTONAS, geg. 20.—Atstovų buto finansų komisija sutarė siuluoti sumanyti dviem nuosimėiais pakelti asmeniško įeigo taksus. Jei komisijos sumanymas bus kongreso priimtas, už asmeniškas įeigas reikėtų mokėti šešis nuosimėčius, vietoj iki šiol mokėtų keturių.

Padidintom taksom komisija tikisi per metų sukelti tris bilionus dolerių. Kitokiomis taksomis komisijai teks sukelti dar penkis bilionus dolerių. Šios papildomos taksos reikalingos finansavimui padidėjusių karo išlaidų.

KINAI TIKISI, KAD LICITYS JIEMS PADES

CHUNGKING.—Burmos šaurėj ir anoj pusėj Kinijos sienos vakar labai smarkiai lijo. Kinai mano, kad tai pradžia žinomo sezoninių liūdių Yunnan provincijoje. Ty liūdių kinai laukia, nes tikisi, kad tuomi būsių galima sulaukyti japonų brioivimąsi į Kiniją Burmos vieškeliu.

RAUDONOSIOS ARMIJOS DALINIAI ĮSILAUŽĖ Į VIDURĮ CHAR-KOVĄ GINANČIŲ FORTIFIKACIJŲ

Ir Kituose Frontuose Sovietų Jėgos Stumia Vokiečius Atgal į Vakarus

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Sovietų komunikatas praneša, kad maršalo Timošenkos galingos ofensyvas jau įsilaūžė į paskutines fortifikacijas ginančias Charkovą. Kaip sako komiunikatas, nepasitai nacių tiesiog broferišky pastangų ofensyvą sulaikyti, ofensyvas visvien eina pirmyn be atvangos.

Laukiama sprendžiamos atakos ant paties miesto ir mūšių gatvėse.

(Kryme vokiečiai būk telkia 100,000 parašutininčių užpuoliamų Sovietų jėgų Kaukaze, kurių nuo Krymo skiria keturių mylių platumo Kerčinsko sąsmauka. Kiti šaltiniai žinios nepatvirtina).

Laikraštis "Pravda" nuginčina nacių pranešimus, būk Krymo fronte mūšius naciai baigia likviduoti. Laikraštis sako, Kerė pusiasalis bus antruoju Bataanu.

Sovietų pranešimai mini, kad 80 mylių pietuose nuo Charkovo vokiečiai stengias sulaikyti Sovietų ofensyvą ties Charkovu. Raudonosios Armijos dalinius naciai tenai kontratakuoja tankais ir aviacijos skardronais.

(Londono karo žinovai linkę manyti, jei vokiečių kontrataka pasėkminga išsivystytų, kartais galėtų sudaryti Raudonosios Armijos kairiajam flankui pavojų).

Kalinino fronte kavalerijos daliniai atkariavo kelioiki kaimų, užmušė 700 priešų kareivių, keletą šimtų paėmė ir ne-laivų ir pačiupo karinės medžiagos.

Tik viename Charkovo sektoriuje ir tik per dvi dieni, raudonarmiečiai nudėjo 1,650 vokiečių kareivių ir karininkų. Is karinės medžiagos pačiupo 37 kanuoles, 57 mirtarus, 19 kulkovaidžių, 340 šautuvų ir 40,000 ryšulių amunicijos.

Anglai Pataria Sumazint Valdžių Ištėrmime Spaudą

LONDONAS, geg. 20.—Anglų spauda pradėjo kelti klausimą ar reikalinga vyriausybės išėrmime leisti 30 dienraštį, savaraktiščių ir žurnalų.

Klausimą anglų spauda kelia ryšium su pasunkėjusiom sąlygom gauti spausdinamos medžiagos.

Is pamintėto skaičius laikraščių—lenkams priklauso septyni, laisviems francūzams penki, holandams, belgams ir čekams po keturis. Kitoms tautybėms po mažiau.

Rumunijos Fašistai Susiniovė už Atimtą Is Žydų Turta

GENEVA, geg. 20.—Tarpe "geležinės gvardijos" fašistų ir "piemero" Antonescu fašistų kiliu piovyne is žydų atimto turto klausimu. "Geležinės gvardijos" fašista pasiumtė delegaciją pas Antonescu ir pareikalavo 50 nuosimėčių atimto turto jiems atiduoti. Jie esą pirmieji pradėjo agituoti už žydų turto nusavinimą.

"Premiero" Antonescu klika turty irgi ištroškus. Is savo puses spaudžia "valdžią" neduoti "geležinės gvardijos" klika nieko.

LISSABONA.—Po ilgios ir atkaklios kovos nacių bombieris nuskanidino prekybinį anglų laivą netoliese Portugalijos krantu.

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Prezidento žmonos Patarimas

Prezidento žmona Eleanor Roosevelt savo kasdieninėje kolonnoje “My Day” rašo:

“Karo žinios iš Rusijos yra geros. Aš tikiu kad tos didingos pastangos, kurias daro rusai, paskatins visas organizacijas visoje mūsų šalyje remti kiek galima Rusijos šelpimą. Man buvo gaila, kad negalėjau dalyvauti tam tikslui rengtuose mitinguose Miami ar Los Angeles, nes abi vietos kvietė. Bet esu tikra, jog mano ten buvimas ir nebuvo labai reikalingas pasiekimui pilno pasisekimo. Mes juk esame tiek daug skolingi Rusijai ir Kinijai ir galime išreikšti savo dėkingumą jums tik duodami mūsų galimą jų paramai.”

Taip kalba mūsų šalies prezidento žmona, kuriai rūpi sumušimas fašizmo, išgelbėjimas demokratijos ir kultūros nuo barbarizmo.

Ji pataria, juo daugiausia remti SSSR ir Kiniją, kurios taip atsidavusiai kariauja prieš ašies grobikus.

Jos paraginimas remti Sovietų Sąjungą turėtų būti pamokinis tiems, kurie, glaudžiai Hitlerio propagandistų, nuolat atakuojančių Sovietų Sąjungą, bet prisiekaujančių, jog jie tai daro demokratiškai.

Jis Darosi Atviresnis

Joseph E. Davies, buvęs Amerikos ambasadorius Belgijai ir Sovietų Sąjungai, tvirtina, kad suėmimas grupės generolų ir klickos civilių Sovietų Sąjungoje išgelbėjo civilizaciją, nes eliminavus Hitlerio agentus ir jų talkininkus Sovietų kariuomenė ir visuomenė, SSSR gali visomis jėgomis netrukdomai kariauti prieš Vokietiją.

Tai patvirtino ir kiti tarptautinės situacijos žinovai.
Bet štai ko reikalauja iš Sovietų valdžios “Naujieji” redaktorius P. Grigaitis, to laikraščio nr. 119, gegužės 20 dieną:

“Browderio paleidimas turėtų teigiamą rezultatą, jeigu sovietų valdžia susisarmatytų ir paleistų iš kalėjimų ir koncentracijos stovyklų savo politinius kalinius.”
Matote, “socialistų” vadas reikalauja, kad Sovietų valdžia paleistų iš kalėjimų Hitlerio agentus, kurie skymavo išdavimui Sovietų šaliai, kaip francūzai — Hitlerio agentai padarė su Francūzija.

Kitokių politinių kalinių Sovietų Sąjungoje nėra.
“Naujieji” redaktorius mini vardus Alter ir Ehrlich, kurie esą žydai socialistai ir organizavę lenkų armiją, bet suminti.

Kas tikės, kad Sovietų valdžia suminė Hitlerio priešus, kurie organizuoja Lenkijai armiją? Juk Sovietų valdžia lenkams tuo žvilgsniu davė laisvę.

Kad Sovietuose sumta socialistai, tai galima, nes juk ir Grigaitis skaitosi socialistu, bet jis kasdien savo laikraštyje deda nacių propagandą ir to padeda Hitleriui. Tas nebūtų leista Sovietų Sąjungoje.

Radekas ir jo draugai irgi buvo socialistai, net prie komunistų stojo, bet pasukui jie veikė su Hitlerio agentais ir dėlto uždaryti kalėjimais.

Tai gal p. Grigaitis reikalauja jus paliuosuoti?

Pažymėtina, kad “Naujieji” redaktorius vis atviriau skelbia hitlerinę propagandą, atviriau naciams talkininkauja.

Del Browderio Paluosavimo

Kaip tik pasirodė žinia, kad prezidentas Rooseveltas paleido iš kalėjimo Earl Browderį, pasipylė visokie komentarai. Pažangi spauda ir visi pažangūs žmonės, kuriems rūpi šalies vienybė karo laimėjimui, išreiškė pasitenkinimą tuo Prezidento žygiu. Chicago Sun ir Daily News užgyrė tą Prezidento žygi.

Reakcininkai betgi ėmė rekti, kad Prezidentas negerai pasielgė. Kai kurie reakcininkų tiek nusigandę, kad rodo nežino ką kalba. Pavyzdžiui, tūlas Lawrence McNally, New Yorke, pareiškė, jog Browderio paluosavimas jį labiau supturė, kaip supurtytą žinija, jog Japonija nuskandino visą Amerikos laivyną Pacifike.

Kitai sakant, jam karo pralaimėjimas nebūtų taip baisus. Tai kaip jis reakcininkų patriotingumą persto.

Daugelis reakcininkų geriau bevelija matyti savo šalį fašizmo smaugiamą, negu darbininkų organizacijas laisvas, aktingas, jų vadus laisvus ir veikiančius šalies apgynimui.

Tas mums padeda geriau suprasti, dėl ko Francūzija sumuko, dėlko kitose šalyse naciai rado taip menko pasipriešinimo. Mat ten valdžios įstaigose buvo žmonių, kurie labiau bijojo savo šalies darbo žmonių, kaip Hitlerio budelių.

Milijonai Amerikos žmonių, visų darbo žmonės ir visi, kam rūpi Amerikos demokratijos išsilikymas, tačiau prezidento Roosevelto pasielgimą su Browderiu užgirs.

Tegul reakcininkai sėlsta. Jie visuomet atakavo Prezidentą už kiekvieną jo žygi naudingą daugumai Amerikos žmonių.

Prezidento pajėga, jo galybė yra Amerikos liaudyje, o ne sukerpėjusiose reakcininkuose.

ANGLAI NERIMSTA

Anglijos parlamento kilo didelė audra prieš premjerą Churchill dėl antro fronto Europoje. Netik darbičiai ir liberalai to reikalauja, bet ir daugelis konservatyvių partijos—Churchill partijos žmonių to reikalauja.

Daugelis parlamento narių gan rūščiai kritikavo valdžią už atidėliojimą antro fronto. Premiero pavaduotojo majoro Attlee pasakyma, kad prie pirmos progos antrą frontą bus atidarytas, parlamentui nariai pavadino pradines mokyklos berniukams kalba.

Parlamentas reikalauja tampsrnių ryšių su Sovietų Sąjunga. Pataria netgi šaukti Islandijoj konferenciją — Stalino, Roosevelto ir Churchillio.

Lordo Beaverbrooko laikraščiai reikalauja antro fronto.

Londone rengiama masinis mitingas, Trafalgar Aikštėj, kuriame Emanuel Shinwell reikalauja tuojaus daryti invaziją Europon.

Pažymėtina, kad šį sykį už greit atidarymą antro fronto stojo eilė tų, kurie pirmiau to nedarė.

Vienas militarinių žinovų taip sako, kad pirmą sykį šiame kare aliantai jau viršija ašį ir armijos dydžiu, ima laimėti jūroj ir sausžemij. Jo manymu, dabar reiktų smogti Vokietijos armiją, kuri vis dar yra svarbiausia ašies fronte, o sumušus ją būtų lengva su Japonija apsidirbti. Italija gi veiks nėra faktorius šiame kare.

Vokiečių pavasarinis ofensyvas išrodo daugiau yra Sovietų ofensyvas, nes tam ofensyvui prasidėjus naciai jau gerokai apmūšti, ypatingai Charkovoj fronte. Jie kiek laimėjo prie Kerčio, bet nedaug.

Libijoj ir kitur pasirodė vis daugiau italų orlaivų. Sakoma, kad nacių aviacija visa sukonzentruota Sovietų fronte. Invazija dabar atrodo būtų gera strategija.



A P Ž V A L G A

DAR VIENAS LAIKRASTIS IKLIUVO

Muncie, Indianoj, eina laikraščių vardu “X-Ray”. Kaip kunigo Coughlino laikraštis, “X-Ray” rašęs prieš Amerikos ir jos Sąjungininkių karo pastangas, varęs fašistinę propagandą.
Dabar jo redaktorių-leidėjas turi teisintis.
Jdomu, kad raštus pripažintus maistingais, jis sako ėmęs iš Chicago Tribune ir Hearsto laikraščius. Tik kai kur šį tą savotiškai pasakęs, ar parašęs.
Tai jau kelintais laikraštis pakliuva bėdon už fašistinę, ar pronaicinę propagandą.
Jei keli lietuvių laikraščiai susilauks to paties, jie tik patys save ir tegalės kaltinti.
Ištikro, keli lietuvių laikraščiai perdaug atvirai Hitleriui bendradarbiauja.

DAUGIAU HITLERINES PROPAGANDOS

“Naujienos”, nr. 118, geg. 19, dėdėjo štai kokias “žinias”, suprantama nacių agentijų “laišku per Lisaboną” pristatytas:
“Patirta, kad sovietų okupacijos laiku rusiškioj cėka pradėjo labai smarkiai persekioti Raseinų gimnazijos mokinius.”
Matote, kokia svarbi žinia apie Lietuvą, kuri naciais paverpta.
Kitas šmotas hitlerinės propagandos, irgi kaipo “žinia”:
“Sovietų cėkos agentai pasiliko kalėjime šešis Raseinų gimnazijos mokinius.”

RUSŲ FASISTO BĖDOS

Buletinas The Hour, kuris stengiasis numaskuoti fašistus ir nacių propagandistus, ir kuris jau 1939 metais kelė aikštėn, kad Anastazas Vonsiakis yra fašistas, organizuoja rusus fašistus nuvertimui Sovietų valdžios, dabar vėl rašo:
“Kada federalų Grandžiurė pradėjo tardyti šią savaitę, Hartforde, pirmas liūdininkas buvo The Hour reporteris, kuris padėjo paruošti straipsnius prieš Vonsiakį.”

Vonsiakis kaltina mąs dirbimo naudai Hitlerio ir Japonijos valdžią. Sakoma, jo byla bus labai svarbi.

Reikia pažymėti, kad neseniai The Hour taipgi smarkiai atakavo lietuvių laikraščius — “Naujienas”, “Draugą”, “Keleivį” ir “Vienybę”—už skleidimą hitlerinės propagandos Amerikoje.
Verta pažymėti ir tas, kad “Naujienos” ir “Keleivis” daug sykų džiaugėsi, kad kas tai traukiąs The Hour ir teisma, bet šie du laikraščiai nesiskubina net ir ne užsimena apie ėjimą į teismą. Matomai jaučia, kad susilauktų daugiau ne-gu iki šiol paskelbta apie juos.



Šitai atrodytų 20 milimetrų kanuolė, jeigu jūs ją žiūrėtumėt iš priešo pusės. Anoj pusėj kanuolės stovi amerikietis jūreivis ir iš jo veido išraiskos numanu, jog su priešu baikų jis nekurstų. Paveikslas nutrauktas ant vieno mūsų prekinio laivo kurnors Atlantike.

VISAS KANADOS LIETUVIŲ KOLONIJAS, ORGANIZACIJAS IR INDIVIDUALIUS LIETUVIUS

Pasaulinis karo gaisras, kurį sukūrė ašies agresinė klika: Vokietijos naciai, Italijos fašistai ir Japonijos militaristai, įsuko į audringas bangas pasaulio žmonių ir tokiu būdu prieš mus pastatė didelius ir neapsakomai sunkius uždavinius. Demokratinių šalių, laisvę ir kultūrą mylinčių žmonių priešakį atsistojo klausimas: Nuleisti rankas ir pasiduoti fašistinį Hitlerio gajų dominavimui pasaulio, grįžtant prie vergijos ir fašistinio barbarizmo; ar kovoti ir laimėti pergalę prieš juodąjį fašizmą, kad apsaugoti kultūrą, civilizaciją ir demokratines teises dėl savęs ir sekanciom kartom? Demokratinės valstybės, jų žmonės, pasirinko antrąjį kelią. Šale pirmiau, taip heroiskai kariavusių Kinijos, Didžiosios Britanijos ir Sovietų Sąjungos žmonių, sausio 1 d. 1942 m., Washington'e, 26-šios valstybės sudarė sąjungą pasirašydamos bendrą sutartį kariauti iki galo, kol fašistinės ašies agresorių juk masinerija bus sutriuškinta, PERGALE prieš hitlerizmą, taika ir žmonių laisvė laimėta!

Šis karas prieš hitlerizmą ir ašies agresorius, yra žmonių karas. Kanada, yra sąjungininkė 26 valstybių, prieš ašies agresorius. Todėl, Kinijos, Didžiosios Britanijos, Jungtinių Valstijų, Sovietų Sąjungos ir visų santarvininkių, įskaitant ir Kanadą, žmonių pareigos yra lygios. Jei fašistiniai ašies agresoriai laimėtų, Kanados žmonės pavojūs būtų didelis, grėsiantis užpuolimu Vokietijos ar Japonijos barbarų ant Kanados šalies. Aiškų, visi Kanados žmonės lojalūs savo šaliai, yra pasiryžę daryti lygų pasiaukavimą karo reikalams prieš agresorius, už bendrus žmonių reikalus, už apgynimą savo mylimos šalies Kanados, savo papročių ir tradicijų. Mes lietuvių esame dalis Kanados žmonių; esame šios šalies gyventojai. Mes kaip ir visi Kanados žmonės, nuoširdūs laisvės mylėtojai, turime prisidėti visų kuo, kas tik galime, rėmimui Kanados karo pastangų. Turime gebėti Kanados Vyriausybei visais galimais būdais sustiprinti karines jėgas: kariais, ginklu gamyboje, transportacijoje, civiliniam aptarnavimui ir vieur, kur tik yra reikalas.

Abudu komitetai sudarė bendrą vieną Kongreso Saukimo Komitetą iš penkių asmenų, būtent: J. Žukauskias, J. Vilkėlis, J. Urbanavičius, K. Kerbelis ir J. Lesevičius. Todėl šis Kongreso Saukimo Komitetas kreipiamės į tas Kanados lietuvių kultūrinės organizacijas, paelpines draugijas, ir visas lietuvių kolonijas ir pavienius lietuvius ir lietuves, duoti nuoširdų atsakymą į bendrą mūsų visų reikalą.

Mes kviečiame visas organizacijas išrinkti atitinkamą skaičių delegatų ir atsūsti į Kongresą. Kur nėra jokių organizacijų, bet randasi būrys lietuvių ir sutikty prisidėti prie Kongreso virš pakeitais klausimais, kviečiame atsūsti savo atstovus. Taipgi mes kviečiame individualius lietuvius, kurie turėtų noro dalyvauti Kongre ir padėti jo kilniems tikslams, atvykti ir užsiregistruoti delegatu su patariamu balsu.

Tikimės iš visų lietuvių ir organizacijų nuoširdžiausios kooperacijos ir skaitlingo skaičiaus delegatų Kanados Lietuvių Kongrese.

Kanados Lietuvių Kongreso Saukimo Komitetas,
Pirm. J. Žukauskas.
Sekr. J. Lesevičius.

Lavalis Atsiuntė Amerikos Vyriausybei Notą

VICHY. — Vietos spauda praneša, kad Lavalio valdžia siuntė Jungtinių Valstijų vyriausybei notą Martineuje ir kitų salų klausimui.

Notoje Lavalis žada pakartoti pareiškimą, kad Francūzijos karo laivai nebus atkreipti prieš Suvienytas Tautas. Prizada nuoginkuoti tris karo laivus Martineuje saloje. Bet sakosi nesutiks su reikalavimu Amerikai pavedti 140.000 tonų prekybinių laivų, kurie taipgi randasi Martineuje saloje.

PARDAVĖJŲ KONVENCIJA LEWISUI: SUSTABDYK SAVO ARDANTĮ DARBĄ!

Antradienį Morrison viešbutyje įvykusioje United Retail, Wholesale & Department Store Employees of America (CIO) konvencijoje pareikštas griežtas išspėjimas John Lewisui, kuriame reikalaujama iš jo, neleikiant pabaigti savo ardančio darbo CIO judėjime. Konvencijoje dalyvavo apie 900 delegatų, kurie atstovauja apie 110,000 šios unijos narių.

James B. Carey, CIO sekretorius, pareiškė, kad CIO judėjimas priklauso darbininkams ir neleis jokiems avantiūristams ir karjeristams pravesti jame savo ardančius ir žalingus planus. Tas pasakymas — aiškiai nukreiptas prieš Lewisą — konvencijos delegatų tapo sutiktas audringais aplošimtais.

Lewisas konvencijoje viešai kaltintas esant destruktyviu elementu ir CIO užsimojimų priėsiu. Krautiūvi parduavėjų konvencija dar kartą parodė, kad vis daugiau ir daugiau frakcijų CIO judėjime ne vien priešina Lewiso planams ir remia vadovybę, bet pradeda suprasti, kad Lewisas dabartinio laiku vaidina penktos kolonos rolę pačiame darbininkų judėjime, pačiame CIO.

Konvencija pasisakė šimtu nuosiūgiū remiantį Murray ir mūsų šalies prezidentą, siekiančius greitos pergalės mūsų šaliai prieš ašį. Prieš Lewisą pasisakė ir Frankenstein, CIO viceprezidentas, kuris kalbėjo toje konvencijoje.

Svečiai iš Los Angeles.

P. ir M. Dravidžiai iš Los Angeles, Calif., šios savaitės pradžioje atliko į Chicago. Jie pirmiau daug metų gyveno Detroito. Per paskutinius tris metus gyveno Los Angeles. Dravidžius sako, kad jam patinka tiekysis oras, bet Dravidžienė mano, kad klimatikos aplinkybės įvairiau ten, kur būna žiema ir vasara. Nuolatine vasara monotoniška.

Svečiai iš Californijos turi sūnų Detroito. Tai ten mano kiek ilgiau pasibūti. Dravidžienės pusbrolis gyvena St. Charles, Ill. Mano ten pabūti dieną kitą. Taipgi važiuos į Wisconsin. Sako, nori pasimatyti su Justiniu Baltušiu ir su Dr. A. L. Graičūnu. Rep.

Skelbimai-Pranešimai

Visi skelbimai ir organizacijų pranešimai privalo pasiekti dienasčio raštinę mažiausia diena prieš patalpinimą. Visuomet atsiminkite, jog administracija įteiktas pranešimas vėliau antros valandos po piet negalės tilpti rytojais laidoje.

"V." Adm.

Atsilankius Oak Lawne

Gegužės 16 dieną turėdamas laiko nusprendžiau aplankyti senus kanklicius Marijona ir George Paser, kurie apsigyveno Oak Lawn apie 18 metų atgal. Marijona Miwidukė, — dabar Paserkienė, savu laiku buvo gan darbšti kanklicė. Paseriskiai buvo įsigiję namuką ir 5 akrus žemės, bet Hooverio laikais, be darbo tą viską prarado.

Draugai dabar vėl turi savo namą; trys šeimos nariai dirba. Jie užsirašė "Vilni". Prie Paserių taipgi gyvena senas kriaučius, buvęs A. C. W. of A. 269 skyriaus narys, draugas Milvidas, kuris šiuo laiku jau praleido 78 metus, bet dar yra tvirtas ir sveikas ir mano pasiekti 100.

Gegužės 13 jauniausias Milvidų sūnus įstojo į kariuomenę. Pati Milvidienė gyvena prie vyresniojo sūnaus susidėjusi su Paseriskiais. Patsai Oak Lawn miestelis paskutiniu laiku nemažai paaugo. Atidaryta naujas kino-teatras, kuris, kaip man pasakojo, turį nemažai lankytojų ir iš aplinkinių miestelių. Tame teatre telpa net 2000 žmonių.

Miestelyje randasi 9 lietuvių šeimynos, bet gaila, kad man neteko jų sutikti. J. D. B.

Lietuviai sužeisti Auto Nelaimėje

Pereitą sekmadienį nelaimė ištiko grupei lietuvių, kurie važiavo į pikniką. Prie 47-tos gatvės ir Halsted automobilis, kurį vairavo Čiura, susitrenkė į trokš, kuris važiavo nepaisydamas raudonos šviesos. Čiura ir Jonas Nakvosas tapo lengvai sužeisti. Jie dabar randasi Sv. Povilo ligoninėje (Halsted ir 35-ta gatvė). Taipgi sužeistas tapo G. Adomavičius, kada nelaimė su jo automobiliu atsitiko važiuojant iš to paties pikniko.

Siandien Bando Naują Galingą Sireną

Siandien, tarp 11:30 a. m. ir 1 p. m., chicagiečiai girdės kaukiant sireną, kuri yra bandoma tikslui sužinoti, kaip efektingai ji veiktų oro alarmo metu. Sirena yra naujai pagaminta ir, kaip pranešama, gan galinga. Ji girdima 7 mylių radiuse.

Pranešama, kad tai bus vien bandymas sirenos galingumo; eliniai piliečiai neprivalo aplėisti gatves ar panašiai.

Miestui Reikia 27,000 Jaunuolių-Pareigunų

Majoras Kelly skelbia, kad Chicago miesto reikia mažiausiai apie 27,000 jaunuvių vyrų tarpe 16 ir 21, kurie tarnautų civilės apsaugos ar policijos pareigūnų padėjėjais karo metu, tai yra kada aktualūs karo veiksmai prisitartų prie mūsų miesto. Tie jaunuoliai tarnautų kaip pasiuintiniai, dalinimui kaukių, padėjimui evakuotis ir tt.

CLARENCE McDONALD PASKELBTAS NE-NORMALIU

Psichologų-daktarų komisija, kuri tyrinėjo jauno žudiko Clarence McDONALD'o psichinę padėtį, pagaliau pareiškė, kad jaunuolis yra dvasinai nenormalus. Tas reiškia, kad kaip teismas nesiabigtų, McDONALD išvengia mirties bausmę, kuri paprastai gresia tokiu atsitikimu.

NUSKANDINO KANADOS KELEIVINI LAIVĄ

OTTAWA. — Kanados karo laivyno žiniomis, japonų submarinas nuskandino Kanados keleivinį laivą "Empress of Asia". Laivas buvo 16,909 tonų didumo.

SAN JOSE. — Costa Rica buvo pirmąkart Lotynų Amerikos respublika paskelbti kary Kokie, Italijai ir Japonijai ir dar pirmąkart nutraukė diplomatinis santykius su Bulgarija.

Dariaus-Gireno Posto Žimios

"Aš Esu Amerikietis" Diena

Garsioj "Aš Esu Amerikietis" dienoj mes nekaip pasižymėjome. Atrodo, kad kitaip negalime visas legijos pasirodyti, kaip tik po bažnyčias. Aš manau, kad gerai ir bažnyčiose kelti amerikonizmo ūpas, bet reikia išeiti plačiau. Pats legijos būty turėjęs surengti iškilmę.

Sekmadienį mes ryte dalyvavome tloj bažnyčioj prie 35th st. Kai iš ten sugryžom, tai skaitėme, jeigu patys nieko nesurengėme, tai bus gerai ir į parapijos pikniko nuvažiuoti. Bet kaip ten nuvažiuome, tai irgi demonstratyviai teko mums pasirodyti. Kažin dėl ko nekuriu mūsų organizacijos narių painioj ir tik po pusvalandžio networko susirinkime ir įmaršavome į pikniko daržą.

Posto Konstitucija

Šiuo laiku Postas svarsto naujos konstitucijos priėmimą. Nekurie posto viršininkai nori priimti reaktines konstitucijas. Kai keletas narių pasipriešino, kad negalima į konstituciją dėti punktus, kurie atimtų pažangesniam nariam teises, tai pasitenkino pažyminti, kad tie negali būti posto nariais, kurie veikia prieš valdžią. Aišku, tokiems vietos negali būti ir mūsų tarpe tokių nėra.

Jau nekuriš laikas iš Dariaus-Gireno mano prižiūrėtojo vietos pasitraukė Kale-dinskas-Kelly. Dabar naujas asmuo tas pareigas eina. Del seno vedėjo pasitraukimo buvo bisų ginčų. Dar tas klausimas kilo ir pereiname susirinkime dėl kokių ten raportų.

Tenka prisiminti, kad Postas turi gražų savo namą. Visi aukavome ir dirbome, tai turime puikią vietą. Mūsų posto nutarta, kad kai narys mirytų, tai šeimai turėtų duoti dovana, arba privilegijos pošte palieka jo šeimai.

Tai gerai, kad taip yra, nes visi dirbome, bet neturi būti toleruojama tie žmonės, kurie nori organizaciją padaryti savo įrankiu. Mūsų organizacija privalo būti pažangi, demokratiška ir turime remti Rooseveltto politiką.

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12:00—WGN—Tune Up America
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12:15—WBBM—Woman in White
12:30—WGN—News
WLS, Noon Time News
WBBM—Vic and Sade
12:45—WGN—Don Norman's Date
WLS—Lloyd Burlingham
WBBM, Road to Life
1:00—WGN—The Deacon
WBBM, Young Dr. Malone
WLS—Ramblers
1:25—WLS, News
1:30—WGN—Thistle Over The Coffee
WLS, Homemakers' Program
WBBM—We Love and Learn
1:45—WGN—Rhythmair tyune
WBBM—The Goldbergs
2:00—WGN—News
WLS—Gene Merrill
WBBM, David Horum
2:15—WLS—Prescott Presents
WBBM—Between Us Girls
WGN—Edna O'Dell and Len Salvo
2:30—WGN—Voice of the Bleacher
WLS—Men of the Sea
WBBM—Every Woman's World
2:45—WGN—Lead off Man
WLS—Julian Benthly—News
WBBM—Jimmy Hillard
2:55—WGN—Baseball
3:00—WBBM—News
3:15—WBBM—Yog Yegesson
3:30—WBBM—Treasury Program
4:00—WBBM—Novelty Aces
4:15—WBBM—Bonni and Bob
4:45—WBBM—Scattergood Baines
WGN—Swing It
WBBM, Amos 'n' Andy
5:00—WGN—ABC Club
5:15—WBBM—We Love and Learn
5:30—WGN, Jack Armstrong
WBBM, Ted Hunter—News
5:45—WGN, Captain Midnight
WBBM, World Today
VAKARE
6:00—WGN—Don Winslow
WBBM—Amos 'n' Andy
6:15—WGN, Bob Elson
WBBM—Glen Miller
6:30—WGN, News
WBBM—Maudie's Diary
WLS, News
6:45—WLS—Hal Culver
WGN—The Inside of Sport
7:00—WGN—To Be Announced
WBBM, Death Valley Days
WLS—The Lone Ranger
7:30—WBBM—to Be Announced

WLS—Prairie Farmer
Discussion Club
WGN—Short Stories
7:45—WBBM—Eddy Duchin
WLS—Dorothy Thompson
8:00WGN, News
WBBM, Major Bowes.
8:15—WGN, News
8:30—WBBM—Big Town
WGN—Americans at the
8:45—WBBM—News
9:00—WGN—Raymond Gram
Swing
WBBM—The Flirt Line
9:15—WGN—Sanders and Savage
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WBBM—Public Affairs
9:45—WBBM—News
WBBM—Star Gazing
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10:15—WBBM, Sport Review
WGN—Chicago at Night
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The News.
WGN, News
WBBM—Moods and Music
WGN—Jimmy Evans
11:00—WBBM—News
WGN—News
11:30—E. C. News
WBBM—Ramon Ramo
11:55—WBBM, Press News
12:00—WGN, News
1:00 A. M.—WBBM, Headlines
1:30—WGN, News Roundup

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7:30 A.M.—WLS, Mac & Bob
8:00 A. M.—WGN, Your Morning
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WBBM, News
8:15—WBBM, Silverleaf Sport
WGN—American Football
Star Column
WLS—Erin Lewis—News
8:30—WBBM—John Harrington,
News
8:45—WBBM—Thus we live
WGN—News
WLS—Ramblers
WBBM—Valiant Lady
WGN, Keep Fit Corps
WLS—Musical Millwheel
9:15—WBBM—Stories America
Loves
WGN—Morning Melodies
WBBM—Jane Tucker
9:30—WGN June Bake
WLS, Breakfast Club
WBBM, Stepmother
9:45—WGN, Linda's First Love
WBBM—Painted Dreams
10:00—WLS—Second Husband
WBBM—Novelty Aces
WHIP, Saltmarias Hour
WGN, The Editor's Daughter
10:15—WBBM—Meet The Missus
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WGN, Hearts in Harmony
10:30—WGN—Happy Meeting Time
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Sū tėvu, motina ir abiem sūnais tankiai tenka matytis lietuviškuose parengimuose.

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J. Misėvičius, kuris mane kaiku parvežio, sakėsi stojis į didelę darbą. Jis jau planuoja plačiu užsimojimu. Naujū skaitytoją iš Roselando bus daugiau negu tikimasi.

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Ji gabi moteris, jei po jos vyro mirties pajėgė išlaikyti tokį biznį. Beje, šiuo laiku ten galima pasipirkti pavienį kopijų "Vilnius". Roselando lietuviai vis labiau mėgsta skaityti "Vilnij".

Pas Dr. P. P. Žalį. Dr. dentistas P. P. Žalys plačiai pažystamas ne tik Roselande, bet ir visoje Chicagoje. Perna jis buvo Doktoru Draugijos pirmininkas, o šiomet tas pareigas eina Dr. Zubrickas. Doktoru Draugija, kaip pasakė Dr. Zalus, turi 65 narius.

Išrodo, kad D-rui Žaliui gerai sekasi. Jis išrodo sveikas, energiškas.

Gaila, kad neradau ofise Dr-o Makaro ir Petrėičio. Gal kada vėliau teks pasimatyti.

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Anauzeris.

JAUNAS INŽINIERIUS JENČIUS



Gerų vilniečių Jenčių, gyvenančių 827 W. 33rd St., sūnus Frank John Jenčius, išvyksta į Bostoną, kad tęstų savo studijavimą valstybinėje mokykloj. Minimas gabus jaunuolis yra pabaigęs aukštąjį mokslą ir gavo mechanikos inžinieriaus laipsnį.

Jaunasis inžinierius dabar vyksta į Bostoną, kad dar pagilintį savo išsilavinimą. Pabaigęs trumpą papildomąjį kursą, jis pašvės savo kaip visuomet, smagūs ir draugiški. Kalbamės apie jų dukterį Violą, kuri iš universiteto sugrįžė namo šią pėtnyčią, o paskui dėtinaim mokysis universiteto vasa-rinėj mokykloj.

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Lith-American with AEF In Australia Urges Production For Victory

American fighting forces are stationed in far-off Australia. In their midst are hundreds of Lithuanian-Americans. The writer, PFC Albert Sweyrush of Chicago, Ill., is one of them. Sweyrush is well known in midwest Lithuanian circles and is a member of the national fraternal organization—Association of Lithuanian Workers, Inc. (LDS). He belongs to the Redwings branch.

—Editor).

(Special To V. E. S.)

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By PFC Albert Sweyrush
(Somewhere in Australia)

This is a convenient means of writing to all of you in one letter. I've been following Lithuanian - American activities with interest insofar as information reaches me. I would, of course, be very pleased to receive letters from all of you. In that way I could be far better posted on your doings.

Although I can't tell you exactly where I'm located, I can at least say that I'm somewhere in Australia. We have been informed and are very pleased to be under the command of General MacArthur. Every American has the greatest confidence in his experience and leadership. Under such a man we have every hope for an early victory.

Perhaps you would like to know something about Australia itself. It's beauty is something that one reads about but seldom sees. We have seen here very fertile farms and large ranches. The vegetation is both tropical and semi-tropical. The country seems to have all the natural resources of America. I couldn't help being impressed by its vastness.

AUSSIES HOSPITABLE

In spite of its size the country has a population about equal to that of New York City. But what they lack in numbers the Australians make up in hospitality. They not only make personal sacrifices so that American troops may have plenty of food, but they receive us very pleasantly wherever we go and make every effort to make us comfortable and keep us entertained. They are fine people and worthy allies. In fact the Australians seem to be more American than British.

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EARL BROWDER, labor leader who was released from prison by presidential decree last week. Lithuanian-Americans endorsed the presidential move which will do much in strengthening national unity. Browder was imprisoned on a minor passport technicality.

BROWDER RELEASE HAILED BY LITHUANIAN-AMERICANS; PRO-NAZIS HOWL WITH ANGER

Brooklyn, New York:—Commutation of sentence of Earl Browder, labor leader, by President Roosevelt was greeted with roaring enthusiasm by Lithuanian-Americans here; an enthusiasm indicative of the type expressed throughout the nation by every anti-Axis man and woman who have worked hard for the release of a man who now free, will weld in unity the forces of democracy.

Browder was released from Atlanta Federal Penitentiary this past Saturday after serving over a year on a minor passport violation.

Urges Unity

Upon his release, Browder urged "unbreakable national unity for victory in the war."

Browder, his hair grayer than 14 months ago, and his mustache shaved off, was smiling and looked sunburned. He wore a blue pin-striped suit, blue tie and white shirt. He passed around a typewritten statement which said he was "naturally pleased at the President's ac-

tion and the fact it enables me to take my place in the great war effort."

"I hope that every one who is interested in my release will make it the occasion, as I will, to intensify every efforts to wield unbreakable national unity under the Commander-in-Chief for victory in the war. That is as far as my plans can go now, until I have had a brief period of re-orientation."

The release of Browder by the President was a setback to appeasers and pro-Nazis forces in America.

White House Statement

A statement concerning the release of Browder was issued by the White House. It read as follows:

"Browder paid his fine of \$2,000 and has now been imprisoned for a year and approximately two months. The sentence imposed upon him was longer than the usual sentence imposed for offenses involving the fraudulent obtaining and use of passports.

Lithuanian Leaders Call For Relentless Struggle Against Invading Nazis

(Special To V. E. S.)

At a meeting of representatives of the Lithuanian people held in Moscow last month a stirring declaration of firm opposition to the Nazi occupationists was made. In this declaration the hatred of fascist oppression is voiced. The unconquerable will and determination of the Lithuanian people that Nazism will be destroyed and that Lithuania shall again be free is exemplified in the following declaration:

Epidemics are raging in Lithuania. The occupationists are poisoning the soul of our people. With the help of lies and deceit, threats and bribery, they are recruiting spies and traitors from among the country's population. They are sowing foul race and national hatred in Lithuania in an attempt to hide from the population that the German fascist freebooters and their lackeys — traitors to the country, are the sole and bitterest enemies of the Lithuanian people.

But the Hitlerites cannot deceive and intimidate the Lithuanian people. It is not the first time that they are face to face with a mortal enemy — the German occupationists. But the German invader has always encountered stubborn resistance.

CITE HISTORY

Remember our glorious history, a considerable part of which deals with the struggle of the Lithuanians against the German invaders. Remember the bright image of the Hero Keistutis, who fought against the crusaders all his life.

Remember Pilenas, Prince Margis and the unforgettable exploits of Grajina. Remember the mighty Vytautas, remember how at Grunwald the Lithuanians together with the Slavs — the Russians, Poles, and Czechs — inflicted a mortal blow on the German crusaders advancing on the east.

And today the Lithuanians are fighting German fascism together with the great Russian people, together with all the people of the Soviet Union, together with the freedom loving peoples of the whole world.

Brothers and sisters Lithu-

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Lith-American with AEF In Australia Urges Production For Victory



PFC ALBERT SWEYRUSH
Chicago, Ill.
"Somewhere in Australia"

"Yanks" find themselves very much at home here except when they have to drive on the wrong side of the street and pay "threppence" for an ice cream cone instead of a good old fashioned buffalo nickel. We even get paid in Australian money and there's much head-scratching before the fellas can figure out how much pay they're getting.

This country doesn't seem to have even begun to exploit her resources. That means, of course, that they are very dependent upon you people at home for many manufactured products. We are very proud of the contributions that America is making to our common cause. They seem very grateful for our help and seem to appreciate the quality and quantity of American products as much as we do. The "Aus-sies" for instance, are just as fond of American cigarettes as we are, and they are amazed at the effectiveness of American equipment. Newspapers often comment upon the power of American planes.

I have been asked about our needs and the things we would like to receive from home. For boys in the "States" I suggest any sweets or luxuries you can send them. As for ourselves, don't take up valuable shipping space to send us cakes or candies. Besides, the damp, salt air may not agree with them. Send us instead, for those who smoke — American cigarettes, snapshots of our relatives and friends, American picture and news magazines and lots of letters. As for the necessities, we have them.



2nd Lieutenant Elsie Netty Auseus, LDS member from Worcester, Massachusetts, is second from left in this photo of nurses serving with the United States Armed Forces. She was stationed in California and stopped to chat with VES editor Joseph Sacal while passing through Chicago to California.

Chicago Lith Mother Hears From Soldier Son —Is In Australia

Chicago, Ill.—VILNIS reader Mrs. Grigas of this city was surprised the other week. A letter from her son, Corporal Anton A. Grigas came through.

What surprised Mrs. Grigas especially was this fact—Corporal Anton is in Australia with the AEF!

Wrote Anton:
DEAR FOLKS:

I have arrived in Australia. I'm in the best of health and enjoying myself out here very much. The food is good and there is plenty of it out here. The only thing that is pretty hard to get is razor blades. I sure would like to get some Gillette double edge blades.

This is a very nice place. The weather is real warm, we had some rain the other day. The nights are real cool and it is ever good sleeping.

I had quite a hard time trying to get used to this money out here, but now I think that I know how to spend it and the value of it. They don't have dollars out here, they have pounds, crowns, florins six pence, thrip-pence, one penny and a hay penny. Then they have a lot of slang names for their money.

I sure did get a kick out of the trains that they have out here. I think that you saw quite a few of them in the movies. They are all them compartment cars and half the size of ours. I do like the country out here.

Remember that your work at home is just as essential to a speedy victory as ours here. Work hard to produce and we will be back with you soon..

Lithuanians Join With Millions In "I Am An American" Observance

Millions of Americans, from coast to coast, joined in united cry of "I am proud to be an American" during "I Am American Day" festivities observed this past Sunday.

Thousands of Lithuanian-Americans joined in that tumultuous cry, a cry that made shudders course up the spine of pro-Nazis and appeasers.

Lithuanians in New York poured out enmasse for the festivities. Roy Mizara, editor of Laisvė brother daily of VILNIS had issued a call urging all-out attendance. He was on Mayor LaGuardia's "I Am An American Day" arrangement committee.

In Chicago thousands of Lithuanian participated. Noted Lithuanian attorney Charles P. Kal addressed one of the huge assemblages. Other meetings were held throughout the city.

On the west coast it was the same. Lithuanian-Americans turned out enmasse to demonstrate their loyalty to America and hatred for the Axis Powers, their cohorts and stooges in the United States.

You Help Our Boys
By Contributing To USO

Everything is green and a little old fashioned. All the automobiles are small and they drive them on the left side of the street. Some of the cars use coal instead of gas.

I guess that I will close now. I do hope that I get to hear you real soon.

LOVE,
COMP. ANTON GRIGAS.

Lithuanian Leaders Call For Relentless Struggle Against Invading Nazis

anians, all who treasure the destiny and future of Lithuania and the Lithuanian people!

Rise up in sacred war against the Hitlerite occupationists!

Strengthen the united anti-Hitler front of the Lithuanian people; strengthen the committees of struggle against the occupationists.

The fatherland will judge every patriot according to how he fought against the Hitlerite occupationists.

Intensify guerrilla warfare in Lithuania!

Let the guerrilla warfare turn into a nationwide war of our people against the fascist freebooters.

Show no mercy to the Hitlerite occupationists and their satellites!

Exterminate them wherever possible!

Workers! Sabotage production of arms; damage machines and equipment. Form militant organizations!

Don't allow yourself to be sent to backbreaking toil in fascist Germany; don't allow them to recruit you into the ranks of the Hitlerite police and Hitlerite army!

Peasants! Don't comply with the fascist orders; refuse to work for the Hitlerites. Don't let a single colonist dare to defile the Lithuanian soil.

DESTROY NAZISM!

We know of your sufferings and torments. We hear your agonizing cries under the yoke of the German fascists.

But the hour of liberation is nigh.

The true guarantee of approaching victory is the words pronounced by the leader of the peoples of the Soviet Union, Stalin.

HAIL AMERICANS

We salute our brothers and sisters, the American Lithuanians, who are rendering assistance to the liberation struggle of the Lithuanian people!

Death to the German occupationists!

Death to the traitors of the Lithuanian people, to the Kubiliunas degenerates.

Long live the Lithuanian people, fighting for liberty!

Long live the Soviet Union and the inviolate friendship of its peoples!

...Long live our heroic Red Army!

Long live the Lithuanian people's best friend, the great leader of the peoples of the Soviet Union and the organizer of our victories, Stalin!

Over 150 Midwest Bowlers Participated in LDS Midwest Pin Meet; Cleveland, Rockford Copped Team Prizes, Chi Doubles; Detroit Congratulated

By AL KLAUD

LDS Midwest Sports Director

Undoubtedly, all the bowlers who participated in the Detroit Midwest L.D.S. Bowling Tourney are very anxious to know the final results. So after receiving the results I want to give a slight resume of the results, tournaments as a whole, and emphasize certain facts.

Joe Adams did a wonderful job of the actual running of the tournament, also credit goes to the staff of helpers he had. A tournament of this kind which was more or less a "shot in the dark", because of present conditions proved to be 100% more successful than the one in Cleveland, in every phase of its organization.

150 IN TOURNEY

Now for some facts—approximately 150 men and women bowlers participated in the tourney. Bowlers come in from Chicago, Cleveland, Rockford and Detroit.

The bowling took place at one of the most beautiful bowling alleys a tourney ever could be held. Twenty two five men teams participated which included men and women. Thirty two and twenty two pairs in double event in men and women respectively. And 97 bowlers bowled in the singles event.

MEN'S DIVISION WINNERS

Cleveland's No. 1 team came in Detroit Sunday morning to do exactly what the Redwings, last year champs did. They came in late and bowled so superb to cop the five man team title. Foul Balls of Chicago came in second, also in fourth and fifth came Redwing Bowlers and Kraml Dairy respectively.

DOUBLES WINNERS

I, for one can be called a lucky man. Usually the so-called committee of the tournament almost never win a prize but this was different because CHICAGO came in FIRST in the double events—president and vice-pres. of the Redwings Al Klaud and George Juozaitis. They eked another team, Gross and Abner out by five pins.

SINGLE CHAMP

Bowler P. Vaite of Cleveland did some uncalled for sensational rolling. Coming in rather late and of course, strange alleys bombasted the pins to a staggering total of 662 pins WITH OUT handicap, this would have won easily that way. Vaite's scores were 209—221—232 and having a .75 pin handicap gave him a grand total of 737. B. Baron of Chicago was first place winner in Chicago entries, he got a 619 total.

ALL EVENTS CHAMP

D. Heiden of Cleveland was a very lucky man after the tourney was over because getting most pins over a total of nine games. This total pinage for all events was 1866. H. Zebraitis of Chicago was third with 1832 being first for Chicagoans.

D. Heiden also was the winner of the M.Y.C. Special Award sponsored by the Sports Department. He will receive a gold medal significant of his bowling in Detroit. He will receive this very shortly.

WOMEN'S BOWLING

After the pins have been silenced and bowlers gone home we found

out that a "dark horse" team of women bowlers won that title. Rockford girls led by B. Bliznick (lucky gal) nosed out last year winners, that is Detroit, by about 25 pins.

Champs of Chicago, Redwing Squaws only could do enough to get 4th place. Missing Jessie Shaiko the team was only fair.

DOUBLES EVENT

Leading only by 5 pins G. Bekevic and A. Bekevic nosed out our Chicago entrants. B. Baron and Lil Retis came in second. Jacobs and Batutis, third, Lane and Yuska fourth last three all from Chicago.

SINGLES

B. Bliznick of Rockford copped the Singles title by 30 pins her total pins being 633. Batutis and Retis of Chicago came in second and third respectively.

ALL EVENTS WINNER

Miss Bliznick having bowled very sensationally in all events really deserved to win that title. This Gold Medal for All Events in Women's Division will go to her! I hope she will respect what the M.Y.C. of Chicago Sports Department has offered.

The people who care to know what your friends did we have made complete listings which you will find herewith.

Roseland Aidos To Hold Picnic; Scribe Urges V.E.S. Subs

After rehearsal last Friday the Chorus held a meeting with Richie M. as chairman, who made it a meeting with a bit of humor. Connie M. took over the job of Financial Secretary.

The members have all decided to see: "Good Night Ladies" Sunday evening and all the others who would like to go are invited to come along. It should be fun!

I saw Frank Burnetsky at the back of the hall, but he later disappeared. What happened to you?

My how the Vilnis Section gets around now. Could it be that I created a sensation? I guess now is the time to ask the members to subscribe to it. It comes out once every week. You can get it for only \$2.00 a whole year. Now isn't that worth it to read about yourself. You can give your orders to Mr. Misevich.

Gosh, how Wally Muralis gets around the girls—what have you got that I haven't?! (Don't answer that!)

After two beers, was Richie lovey-dovey with Nellie and Jean! Yeah man!

Too bad Dorothy and Nancy couldn't go horse back riding Sunday morning, but they had to go to Michigan! We all missed you girls.

Johnny Razmus dared his appendix to act up by getting on a horse again! Hurray for our side! Connie M. still refuses to go for the same reason. (Johnny done do'ed it!)

Richie M. took the job of President of the Roseland L.D.S. with Wally M. as Vice-President. Richie goes on nights, so Wally gets the job. Nice of him, huh?!

The members of the Roseland L.D.S. have decided to reorganize their club and making it especially inter-

Picnic Is Sponsored By LDS District Committee Sunday

The first picnic of the year sponsored by the 2nd LDS District takes place this Sunday. It will be held at Willow West Grove, Willow Springs, Illinois.

Dancing and general fun raising is scheduled for all those that attend. It being the first picnic of the year, a large crowd is anticipated.

Cash prizes are being awarded to attendants. A gala program has been arranged and will be presented during the day.

All Chicago branches of the LDS are invited to attend. A special invitation has been issued LDS youth branches and their many members.

Willow West Grove can be reached by bus. 83-rd-Willow Spring and Wolf Rds. is the stop for the grove.

So c'mon you patrons of fresh air and sunshine, let's make it a date. Your car is still available and you may as well use it as you can.

—Caman, Member.

LDS Youth Branch Of Roseland Elects Exec; Plan Social

Hi-dee Folks; The RoseLanDerS didn't wither away. We've just been hibernating and now it will be "Full Steam Ahead." I feel it my duty to acquaint everyone with our new executive officers (especially the RoseLanDerS that don't attend meetings). So here goes; President — Richie Macevich, Vice-President — Wally Morales, Secretary — Joy Seseigis (Vander Wey), Treasurer — Helen Lengoud (she held this office last year) and Financial Secretary — Emily White. This will be her 4th year in the same capacity. She is quite indispensable to us and we truly appreciate it. So, three cheers Emily and Helen.

We have many new ideas and plans, most of which are still pending. One of the special items is to hold more get-togethers, and we are starting off pronto. Make a note of this chums, a wham-bang-! social to be held Tues. eve., May 26th, at our usual stromping grounds, 10413 S. Michigan Ave. You are cordially invited to bring a guest. If you wish to know any other details come on down to the social and we will get together on some chin music.

That reminds me of something else; The Spring Picnic to be held May 24th, Sunday at Willow Springs. Put this on your must list also. Toodleloo folks and we'll meet again via this column.

RoseLanDerS Newsette.

esting. Just watch them grow now. Three cheers for the RoseLanDerS! (What's this I hear about a private Club house?)

Don't forget to keep June 28th open for the Roseland Aido Chorus picnic to be held at Willow West. There will be many special attractions and plenty of mystery, involving a nice young lady from Hammond and a "lugon" detective. Plenty of fun is promised for everyone! I'll personally guarantee you all a swell time and I will be there to dig up the dirt.

Those of us who wanted a bicycle when we were kids, and never got one, will probably get one now!

(So will I.)

—Duckfeet.

Sparks Branch Merit Award Banquet Saturday

DINE AND DANCE

At The Ivanhoe

With The Sparks, May 23rd

An evening of fun is in store for every lad and lassie appearing at the Ivanhoe this Saturday, May 23rd. There you can enjoy a good dinner while listening to the melodious music of the Ivanhoe orchestra and also partake in a bit of nite-life. In the midst of all this fun-making, 14 Sparks members are to be presented with merit awards. Everyone is invited to join the Sparks in making a nite of it. So—come on all you night-hawks. We'll see you at the Ivanhoe, 3000 N. Clark St., Saturday, May 23rd, 8:00 Sharp.

Chicago Redwing Scribe Urges Rapid Member Enrollment

First and foremost what I want to emphasize is the urgent need for Redwingers to solicit new members for our branch.

As you all know month by month our stalwart young men leave for the service. Thus we have to replenish our organization with new members.

How about each member bringing a prospective member to our next meeting which will be in two weeks.

Also at this meeting very important details of forthcoming events will be the gist of each question. Probable arrangements of a picnic and an outdoor hike or outing. Details of the coming convention will be made concrete.

Sport lovers in the meantime, can practice golf, or baseball. These two sports are positive. Also people, be on the lookout for housing facilities for incoming conventioners.

SPARKS HAVE BANQUET

Remember the Sparks Merit Award banquet. Redwingers should try to attend this affair and see what sort of competition we can have. This is the Sparks' first merit banquet so you can give them sincere support by attending—read the details in their column.

Another affair is the LDS picnic at Willow West Grove, May 24, Sunday. The raffle tickets given out to the branch members should be sold without any excuse.

BOWLING ACHIEVEMENTS

Now to elaborate a bit about the bowling achievements made by our members.

Most important is—the winners of the doubles event in the men's division. President Al Klaud and vice-president George Juozaitis outmailed the other 30 teams to come out on top. We have some kind of champs anyway. In the men team division, the Bombers and Kraml Dairy came in the 4th and 5th respectively. The second place La Dee Das of the Chicago league ran in bad luck and placed ninth. Our Redwing Squaws came in fourth in the women's division this year.

Also in a restricted ten place division of doubles B. Baron and Al Jacobs placed 8th in the women's Ann Jacobs teamed with A. Batutis to place third. Lil Retis and Berth Baron of Monarchs placed second.

Singles in first ten men — B. Baron, third—F. Kuchinskas, seventh.

While in ladies we have L. Retis, third and S. Stankus, eleventh.

The Escort.

Attend LDS Picnic Sunday, Willow-West Grove

Scottville-Custer Lith Affair Success; Thanks Extended

We want to take this opportunity to thank the Custer and Scottville, Mich., people for the fine way they accepted us last Sunday.

As we stood on the stage singing our numbers, our hearts were filled with gratitude, and we were proud to look out into the audience, to see young, and old, Lithuanians, and other nationalities, sitting side by side in the same hall, each one with the same determination in their eyes, to do their part in helping the Red Cross.

We thank our chairlady and those who did not understand Lithuanian, but sat through the whole affair and donated their time and money to a worthy cause.

Keep it up, you people on the farms, we must all do our part. All nationalities must unite. You sure showed wonderful cooperation.

CONGRATULATE BAND

Now may we send our congratulations to the Scottville High School Band, who opened up the meeting with the National Anthem and played other selections.

Not even here in Chicago have we ever heard a High School Band play as well as they. It was wonderful to stand behind stage and feel tears spring to your eyes while the whole hall rang with music that came from the hearts of young students who gathered to play, and pay tribute to the Red Cross.

You students should be proud of your band—and your young director Mr. Marston Styles who with his great ability should have a great future ahead.

Here's hoping some day we may have the honor of hearing you play again, and good luck Mr. Styles for the future.

She want to thank Miss Donna Wicklund for playing the piano for our duet. Thanks you from the bottom of our hearts. You sure were swell to do us that favor, and we appreciate it very much.

To the Reverend who spoke at the meeting. We want to say we enjoyed your speech, and apologize for forgetting your name, but your speech we cannot forget.

THANK COMMITTEE

Now last but not least, we thank Mr. and Mrs. Juodaitis and their daughter Ruth, for accepting us in their home and treating us so well. We only hope some day we can repay you for everything.

And thanks to all the folks who gathered at the Juodaitis home Sunday night with food and beverages to have a little feast for us, and to Mrs. Juodaitis and Mrs. Stakenas for the cheese.

Let us tell you our hearts are filled with gratitude and were proud that we know people like you.

"LET US STAND UNITED"

So let us all stand united, you on the farms and we in the city, let us be one happy family fighting for the same cause. Down with Fascism and the Hitler regime! Long live democracy and a free world to live in! Buy war bonds and stamps and help the Red Cross.

Nancy Roman,
Dorothy Yuden.

Lithuanian Unionists Back Green On All-Out Aid To Soviet Union

Lithuanian-American unionists, in mine and mill have come out unanimously endorsing the stand of American Federation of Labor President, William Green, for complete aid to the Soviet Union.

Green made his statement concerning the nation which today fiercely battles the Nazi menace following the opening session of a ten-day meeting of the AFL Executive Council a week ago Wednesday. Early this week, the body will have already arrived at a conclusion on a proposal by Sir Walter Clegg, Secretary of the British Trades Union Congress, for an alliance of British, Soviet and American unions.

The AFL chief declined to comment on this plan until Clegg appeared before the Council personally to present details of his proposal for Soviet-British-American trade union cooperation.

But Green told a press conference that we wished to make plain his personal support for all-out aid to the Soviet Union, and pointed to his action in becoming a member of the Board of Russian War Relief as an indication of his attitude.

PRODUCTION GAINS

Green presented to the Council a report showing astounding progress in the war production program.

Rockford Branch of LDS Youth Out To Organize Rifle Team

Last Sunday the Rockets held an outing. Nearly everything was on the program for the day. ANN T. was very surprised to catch so much fish on one line or was it one hook? VIO LET Z. turned out to be a fair cook, everybody was eating the cooked fish. STANZA sure had to struggle to clean some of the fish. Looks like she might have cleaned fish before, 20 years ago. Everyone had a swell time. Lets have many more outings like this, and also, have many bowlers like BERNICE B. We also have a football player on our team, ALGIRD P. He made a flying tackle for a Weenie.

Sunday, May 24, the Rockets are again going to start something new, A RIFLE TEAM. At 9:00 o'clock we are to meet at Nelson Bridge and then proceed to the Rifle Range. The Girls seem very interested in this event. Please be prompt. Results of this new sport will also be reported so other branches can follow our activities.

Sunday, May 24, there will be a discussion on world affairs; to be held at Montague House, at 2:00 o'clock P.M. This discussion is sponsored by a few members of the L.D.S. Rockets. All are welcome.

Rockets Coresp.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

If time would permit, a conclave of Worcester, Massachusetts Lithuanians could be called in Chicago. As it is, last week five of that city's one-time and still residing residents held a pow-wow at Ye Olde Cellar. Persons involved: Dr. Vitold Arnett-Sukackas, Mrs. Peter Yesikenas, Misses A. and I. Kalakauskas, Joseph Sacal...

Chicago members of the Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) lose a good member this week. He is Raymond Russell, member of the Monarchs branch who leaves for the Curtis-Wright Aeronautical Institute at Glendale, California... Russell at Curtis-Wright, will take up aeronautical engineering. Grand Central Air Terminal will be his headquarters... While residing in California, Russell expects to make contact with many LDS members, especially those in Los Angeles...

Mr. Peter Yesikenas and wife (he formerly of Norwood, Mass., and she of Worcester) are Tulsa, Oklahoma bound. The couple have been residing in Louisville, Kentucky where Peter has been supervisor in a munitions producing plant... Mr. Yesikenas' position in Tulsa will be much the same as that in Louisville. Both Mr. and Mrs are members of the LDS...

This column wonders whether the Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) knows that Joseph Stankus, U. S. Navy who was killed when the destroyer Reuben James was torpedoed by the Nazis, has a mother, father, two sisters and a brother who are members of that organization???

Pauline Stakenas of Scotville, Michigan wants to know if it is all right to contribute to this column... All we can say is "Send it in. We'll be more than happy to publish your material"...

PFC Albert Sweyrush, LDS member now in Australia and whose article appears elsewhere in this issue of the Vilnis English Section has this to say about the "land down under":

"I hope people don't get the impression that I'm somewhere in a vast unexplored region surrounded by kangaroos and thirty foot snakes. I'll have you know that Australia has no thirty foot reptiles. They're born forty feet long and increase proportionately. Seriously though, I'm leaving what details censorship permits me to write the enclosed article. Although people may not be charmed by my literary style, I'm flattered to have been asked to write..."

Midwest Lithuanian-Americans were delighted with this past Sunday's issue of the Chicago Sun supplementary picture newspaper "Parade." In the supplementary were two pages devoted to Al Blozis, Shot Put King... This column suggests that midwest Lithuanians read the Chicago Sun, letting Colonel McCormack and his Tribune appeaser outfit look for customers amongst those who are friends of Der Fuehrer... It might interest Lithuanian-Americans to note that Blozis appeared and participated in the '40 LDS Track and Field Meet held in Brooklyn, New York...

Happiness was evident in Lithuanian circles at the news that Earl Browder, labor leader had been released from Atlanta penitentiary by presidential decree. Browder was imprisoned on a minor passport technicality... The freeing of Browder will do much in solidifying America's labor ranks. Even President Roosevelt sensed that when he stated that the labor leader was being released "to further national unity"... Watch the pro-Nazis rave now...

Lithuanian-Americans throughout the nation observed "I Am An American Day" this past Sunday with real spirit. In New York City, Roy Mizara of "Laisve", brother daily of "VILNIS" was on Mayor La Guardia's "I Am An American Day" arrangements committee... Pro-Nazi Lithuanians as usual, attempted to cloak their nefarious fascist activity with the "I Am An American" banner... We don't think they will get very far. Especially when one reads important material relative to the rounding up of fifth columnists...

One of the oldest Lithuanian residents in the U. S. died recently. He was Anthony Olszewski. Olszewski resided in Chicago and edited one of the first Lithuanian newspapers... He was 82 years of age...

Attached to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics General Consulate is Paul Rotomski, Lithuanian. Rotomski spoke at a monster mass meeting arranged by the Lithuanian section of Russian Relief, Inc., in Brooklyn, New York this past Sunday... Chicago Lithuanians would if possible, like to hear his excellency, Paul Rotomski. A talk by the Lithuanian attache to the Russian consulate would do much in driving Chicago Lithuanian pro-Nazis to cover of their swastika decorated headquarters...

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Lithuanian-American Fighting Forces

Thousands upon thousands of United States troops and material have landed in Northern Ireland. Thousands have disembarked in Australia, the land down under.

Among these khaki clad fighters for democracy, soldiers of freedom, are Lithuanian-Americans. The exact amount one cannot foretell.

We at home are proud our Lithuanian-American soldier. We're proud of the role they are playing and will play in the destruction of those that have created a holocaust out of a peaceful world.

But it isn't enough to be proud of our boys. We too, we on the home front, have a battle to win. That is the battle of production, salvage, conservation. On us depends the supply of arms to our boys and our allies. And we must see to it that we do not fail in this endeavor.

The boys who landed in Northern Ireland recently and those before them, are an invasion army. In all probability some section of the continent under Hitler occupation will be stormed in the near future, thus creating that necessary 2nd front which will relieve our brave Red Army allies and deal a death blow to the head of Axism—Nazi Germany. But to deal this blow which is most necessary NOW, constant production of materials from shops, mine and mill for the boys over there must be forthcoming. To insure victory for those "over there," we "over here" must produce, produce, produce! In our hands, on the home front, the lives of brave men depend on our speed, on our production Second Front.

A Slight Change Is Introduced

With this issue of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION noticeable is a change. It is not a drastic one, nor one which our readers will disagree with. For in our opinion the change will have improved the newspaper.

Technical difficulties have forced our hand. But it is a difficulty out of which a much neater appearing english section will appear weekly.

For us to go into an elaborate why and wherefor on just what technical difficulty forced our hand, suffice it to say that the unknown hardworking linotypist who sets up the material that you read weekly is a much happier man. For it was he who had something to say about the change.

Al Blozis Takes Bow In Chicago Sun As "Shot-Put King"

Chicago, Ill.—Al Blozis the 245 pound man of steel who participated in the '40 Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) National Track and Field Meet is in the headlines again.

In the May 17 issue of PARADE, supplementary magazine section of the CHICAGO SUN, two pages were devoted to the "man of steel" under the heading of "SHOT-PUT KING."

Stated PARADE:

BIG Al Blozis, the Georgetown giant, was practicing putting the shot one day, and he heaved the 16-pound lead ball nine inches beyond the world's record mark.

You won't find that unofficial exploit listed in track and field manuals, but Al holds the world's indoor records for heaving the eight-pound and 12-pound shot, and he's thrown the 16-pound weight farther than any living man but one.

Blozis sticks six and a half feet into the air—and weighs 235 pounds, with his gunboat shoes off. He can scale a discus

173 feet and can sling a pie plate out of sight. No one knows how far he can heave a marble.

Al started heaving the shot around when he was a high school athlete in North Bergen, New Jersey. He kept it up through four years at Georgetown University, until today, as a senior, he holds almost every record in the books.

When he leaves school next month, Big Al is going into the Army. He wants to find out how far a man his size can throw a Jap.

Million Greetings From American Youth To Youth Of Russia Sought

CHICAGO, Ill.—A drive for 1,000,000 signatures on a "Scroll of Greetings" from young people of America to the youth of Russia has been launched on college campuses throughout the country, it was announced by Mrs. Philip Wyatt Moore, co-chairman of Russian War Relief.

"The greetings will be no empty phrase," said Mrs. Moore. "Each signer will make a contribution for emergency relief supplies for Russia and the scroll will note the amount of contribution as material evidence to the Russian people of American support."

Aid Our Ally—
Give To Russian Relief

As We See It In Lith Circles

By WALTER POZER, JR.
(Guest Columnist)

A LITTLE ABOUT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

If you ever decide to take a motor trip, you should by all means keep St. Louis, Mo., in mind for it really is a metropolis of unique variety. It is quite different than most other towns of the middlewest.

Before actually entering St. Louis, the Mississippi River had to be crossed. The beauty and the vastness of this historical river would amaze any stranger. The shadows of the river's edge cast by the moonlight is really a sight one would remember for a long time. The city itself is rugged and tough just like an old time frontier town where everybody "gets drunk and whoops it up." The buildings of the downtown area are not as tall as the Chicago buildings. The city has both street cars and buses with trolley lines.

Washington University, located at the western outskirts of the city, is a school of renowned splendor and beauty. The campus is rich in trees, grass, and long walks to and from classes. All of the buildings on the campus are made of the same type of brick. The football stadium is made of concrete and holds at least 30,000 fans. Besides the football stadium, Washington has a spacious fieldhouse, a large practice gymnasium, and a 25 yard swimming pool equipped with both high and low diving boards. The best part of the entire athletic department is the large training room located in the basement at the old gymnasium. The quadrangle of the University is located at the eastern end of the campus where all the students meet to discuss classroom activities and "love" affairs. It was discovered that the quadrangle is the most popular student "hang-out" on the campus.

Another beauty spot of St. Louis is the famous Forest Park where most of the city's recreation facilities are located. The park has a number of golf courses located at both ends. The park itself is 14,000 acres in size. The Lindbergh trophy building is located in the center of this park. There, medals from Hitler, Japan, England, etc. can be seen on display next to each other. Besides the many Lindbergh trophies, there are also other historical implements of wars on display in another part of the building. One can see guns of the Civil War, German helmets of the world war, swords of the war of 1812, uniforms of the revolutionary war, and hundreds of other such features. Here visiting soldiers can see the vast change in war machinery from the the revolutionary war to the present war against gansterism.

One may hear many Missourians discussing the heroism and bravery of the Russian Army on the street cars, on the street corners, and in the railway stations. It is like all over Cirkvetaoinvbgkzjetaoinvbgkzj It is like that all over the U.S.A. The American people are actually realizing that the U.S.S.R. is a land of freedom and outstanding patriotism. It is this wonderful fighting spirit of the Russian people that is beating back the hordes of vicious Nazis and Fascists.

The unique part of the city is the fact that all the government buildings are located in a group of four blocks immediately south west of the business district. All of the courthouses, the city hall, the world war memorial tomb, the county building, and other federal buildings are included in this group of blocks.

Because Fort Leonard Wood and the Jackson barracks are so close to St. Louis, the city is always crowded with thousands of soldiers walking up and down the streets in all parts of the city. The city itself has provided all types of recreational facilities for the visiting soldiers. Perhaps the "Gypsy Inn", located on the river banks in East St. Louis, Illinois, is the most popular center for most of the men in uniform.

It was also discovered that Al Rasinas, an LDSer from St. Louis, has been in the army for some time and his whereabouts is not known. But it is believed that he is safe and well, and possibly, located in a far-off defense point of our U. S. forces.

This story of St. Louis is nothing more than a trivial experience which possibly occurs to all you readers.

The..... Inner Circles

It was interesting to note that Naujienos published the joyous news of Bazookas' reelection to SLA Supreme presidency in the spot that is daily reserved for the news "received by mail via Lisbon, Portugal." It no doubt made interesting reading for those who send the news to that paper, too... From Brooklyn comes news that the reason for Vieniye's apparent dropping of anti-semitism recently (and some of it was vicious stuff and straight from Berlin!) was a delegation from a prominent organization of Lithuanian Jews which visited Tysliava in his editorial offices. The editor of Vieniye was so frightened, he not only promised to blue-pencil all anti-semitic remarks from his sheet, but also offered to carry news of Lithuanian Jewish activities which he has begun to grudgingly print now and then in his paper.

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Lith. Fascist-Nationalist circles are splitting up, with Tysliava reportedly aiming at a job with Keleivis in Boston after supporting Bagocius in the SLA elections against his former pal, Laukaitis, and with Klinga (a voldemarite pro-nazi) running to split the nationalist vote in favor of Bazookas. Result was defeat of the Nationalists and victory for the Grigaitis-Michelsonas-Tysliava-Bazookas axis....

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There is a Lithuanian girl singer in Worcester, Mass., who still brags that Hitler and Goering used to come to hear her sing when she was in the Berlin opera before the United States went to war. Recently the pro-Coughlin "Darbininkas" (which on the day Social Justice was banned from the mails called Charley Coughlin another Jesus Christ) gave a concert for her....

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A fellow to be congratulated for his courage, is that "formerly Jaunimas" columnist from the East, Vitalis Buksnaitis. He has taken several good cracks at some of the pro-Nazis among Lithuanians and socked the pro-Coughlin Darbininkas for its un-American tendencies. He hasn't named any names, but should a patriotic American hide the pro-Nazis among Lithuanians in these times? It would be allowing him to spread his poison... Another source tends to confirm the statement last week that Grandpop Grigaitis, the brains behind "Formerly Jaunimas" still insists that Poška stop printing the "Take it or Leave it" column... Joe Poška will deny this, but he has had a man to man talk with the great democrat, Grandpa Grigaitis....

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E. J. Kubaitis, the fellow who wrote "three cheers for Hitler" in Jaunimas when it was still known by that name recently resigned from the Lithuanian Cultural Institute and wrote a tear-soaked editorial in Vytis, which he edits, bemoaning the 12,000 Lithuanians which Hitler says the Soviets took beyond his reach... Names of those lucky people (Provided what Hitler says is true about them, which we doubt) are currently running through several Lith. papers. Tear spattered Vytis should be sent to Hitler who would award a Lindbergh medal to the editor... Some say that the 12,000 names includes some of the 30,000 Lithuanians murdered by the Nazis and Hitler is trying to convince us that Soviets exiled them to Siberia... It is rumored that Gen. Rastikis' small children, reported by Nazis to be in Siberia, were in the Palanga Camp for children when Nazis invaded Lithuania and crushed the small bodies into a pulp under the caterpillar wheels of the tanks which ran through the camp there....

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It is reported that certain Ukrainian nazis have traveled extensively with Lithuanian passports issued by the Smetona ministers. Is this true? Omilan Senyk Hribivski was known as Olimanas Grybauskas and as Bizkauskas... Lukas Misūgas was the name under which another Ukrainian is said to have had a Lithuanian passport....

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The other week Teyyne's editor Bajoras quoted a news item from Laisve without a sarcastic remark... An effort to appease the editors of that paper who have been exposing pro-nazi propaganda in that paper. What Bajoras should do next is to stop publishing the list of names sent to him by Goebbels.

—F. S.



CO-ED TOO — Jean Stuhler, member of widely known Long Island, N. Y., golfing family, is high-scoring and only girl member of Queens College golf team. She's shown with Paul Rochford, Jack Duffy, Russell Gough, Bryon Senholzi and John Geib, Queens is New York City suburb.

Office Civilian Defense Commends Lithuanian Fraternal Organization

Brooklyn, N. Y.:—The Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) who recently issued a pamphlet in the Lithuanian language giving instructions on civilian defense, has been commended for its work by the Office of Civilian Defense.

Following is a letter of commendation received by the association:

OFFICE OF CIVILIAN
DEFENSE,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. John Orman,
Assoc. of Lithuanian
Workers, Inc.
419 Lorimer Street,
Brooklyn, New York.

Dear Mr. Orman:

Your interest in a civilian defense program among the Lithuanian speaking people of this country is very commendable and we are more than glad to cooperate with you in this project in any way that we can.

We have therefore sent you under separate cover a copy of each of our publications. You have our permission to translate any of the material in these booklets into the Lithuanian language.

We hope that you will not hesitate to call upon us at any time.

Sincerely yours,

Burton E. Palmer
for
Corrington Gill,
Deputy Director.

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Vilnis English Section

Pvt. Bilinski Rescues Girl And Gets Soldier's Medal


Pvt. John Bilinski (23) of Philadelphia, Pa., received his second decoration although he has been in the Army less than a year. His second decoration was a soldier's medal for rescuing an officer's daughter from shark infested water on February 10th. He is stationed at Howard Field, Canal Zone.

Champion Joe Louis Contributes \$550 To Russian War Relief

Chicago, Ill.:—The Jewish Conference to Aid Russian Relief meeting held in this city last week received greetings from Joe Louis, national heavyweight boxing champion. A check of \$50 for Russian relief was also enclosed.

This marks the second contribution to the people of Russia by the soldier-fighter. A previous contribution of \$500 was given at a rally in New York's Madison Square Garden.

FOR VICTORY



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American Democracy in Song and Dance Lithuanian Group Is At Folk Festival

(Special To V. E. S.)

It was a happy thought to bring the ninth annual Folk Festival to Madison Square Garden. Many pageants, many mass meetings and national political conventions of every kind have assembled in that great amphitheatre. But it is doubtful if any has so truly combined the spirit of America, past and present, as this ten-hour-long display of the people's culture of the nation on Monday afternoon and evening, May 11.

The Festival, sponsored by the New York Evening Post, was a living demonstration of national power and national unity, expressed in terms of culture. Its songs and dances not only stemmed from the past of America, but they proved the validity of the democratic system, together with certain of its weaknesses as practiced in our nation. Here was America in which all people meet in peace, in which all people sing and dance their national spirit. The Indians of the plains, the hill billies of the South, the stern New Englanders, the broad-chested western youth, the Negroes of plantation and city, the coal miners of Pennsylvania—and many, many more met under one roof to celebrate their traditional joy in life.

And the newcomers to America, beginning with the Englishmen who pioneered, though the French of Canada and the French of our own central states, to the Russians, the Lithuanians, the Jews, the Poles, the Rumanians, the Italians—all appeared in their national dress and danced and sang until well past midnight.

Here were no clashes of political ideas. Instead, the identity in dance and song proved the common human denominator which brought all these people together. America... democracy. Before the eyes of the 15,000 in the audience, one could perceive its living essence — the people.

High spots were so many that space precludes mentioning more than a few. I liked best of all the deep voices of the anthracite miners from Pennsylvania with their "Johnny Mitchell, Man" ballad, and the spirited western dancers, the Pioneer Promenaders from the University of Denver. These boys and girls literally swept the audience off its feet with their vivid reproduction of old frontier dances.

Then there were the bounce-

ful boys and girls from Asheville, in North Carolina, who executed a square dance that raced like a pattern of joy about that floor. Previously several Indian tribes, in gorgeous trappings performed ancient ceremonial dances, the Kiowas from Oklahoma, the Iroquois from New York, and the Jemez from New Mexico. An Old Mexican dance included a remarkable performance by a tiny girl of

five, together with the spirited national step by the ensemble, "the Sadonga."

Late in the evening the Russian group of young men and women received an ovation as they were announced. Something of the freshness and power of the Red Army's spirit was transmitted in their fierce Cossack sword dance and the Byelo-Russian Polyanka or peasant dance. They brought down the house.

A choral society of Negroes from Richmond, Va., and another from Elizabeth, N. J., sang spirituals, and grand old W. H. Handy thrilled the assemblage when he sang the original words and music from which his fa-

mous "Memphis Blues" was derived.

To Mrs. Sarah Gertrude Knott, who founded the National Folk Festival Association nine years ago, and who directed this mass performance in New York, a tribute is due. She has gathered together some of the best things in American life. She has linked the democracy of the festival to the democracy for which we are fighting this war. Her work has been fruitful; the spectacle she created was a ceremony of faith in the future of America.

Lithuanian Included In Navy Department Casualty List

The United States Navy Department's third casualty list, covering the period from Dec. 7, 1941, to April 15, was released last Thursday. 323 men were listed as missing from four Midwestern states. Chicagoans missing included three officers and thirty men, while from Chicago suburbs and other Illinois points three officers and 102 men were reported as missing.

Among the reported missing is Joseph Anton Bubnis, 1st class seaman; Bubnis resided at 10240 South Indiana ave., Chicago, Ill.

The three other midwestern states with casualties listed were Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Polish Sources Report 10,780 Jews Killed In Lithuania

London (ONA): — Polish sources reported here today that 10,780 Jews were known to have been killed in Lithuania by the Germans in pogroms of extermination in a number of localities, including numerous instances where babies were murdered with rifle butts.

Most of the executions were by machine gun fire, during which the victims stood naked before the soldiers. Sometimes men and women were slain with knives, it was reported.

In a number of towns the Jewish population was annihilated to the last infant and old woman. Polish sources listed the following towns and the toll of Jewish deaths there: Diemenchin, 600; Nowavileika, 1,000; Eisyskis, 180; Troki, 2,000; Shavli, 7,000.

Of 70,000 Jews of the city of Wilno, only 30,000 remain, most having been deported to Ponar, a small town nearby. How many were executed was not stated.



Have You Someone

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You write him, of course. But it isn't easy to tell him all, to elaborate in detail Lithuanian - American activity. There's something else you can do—something that will put him in touch with home more completely than any letter you could write. Why not give him a subscription to the Vilnis English Section... a real American newspaper... a paper that will bring his OWN home closer to him every week.

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LDS MERRY-GO-ROUND

SPARKS MERIT AWARD FEAST AND CEREMONY

For the first time the Sparks will honor their members with some type of an award for the merits they have earned while working for the LDS. This new event will take place at the Ivanhoe Restaurant, 3000 N. Clark St., Saturday, May 23, at 8 p.m. There will be entertainment for those who attend. If one does not wish to have dinner, there are catacombs in the cellar with all sorts of spooks to frighten you as you commence to speculate on where the wines were stored away during prohibition times. There will be no extra charge to visit the cellar as there is a bar to serve the patrons who will care to indulge after the frightful tour.

It is very important that members who wish to attend make reservations with the chairlady of the Sparks' branch Anne Savukas, by calling Victory 1455. LDSers and their friends of other branches are invited to attend the feast and watch the ceremonies. Approximately fourteen Sparks members will receive awards. All who will make reservations please be prompt.

FIRST LDS PICNIC OF SEASON

Before the rationing of gas takes place the LDS 2nd District rushed ahead their arrangements for a picnic. It will be worth while to attend the picnic. Fifty dollars in five cash prizes will be given away. Who knows, but what you will be the lucky winner! So be sure to purchase the lucky ticket. After all of this rain the outdoors will be very inviting. The picnic is being held at 83rd Willow Springs and Wolf Rds., Willow Springs, Ill., this Sunday, May 24. There will be dancing and much fun making for all who will attend.

MIDWEST YOUTH COUNCIL TO MEET

There have been changes in the council and it has been very hard to get all of the council members together. All of the council members are requested to attend the usual monthly meeting at Hollywood Inn, 2417 W. 43rd St., Monday, May 25th at 8 p.m. There will be the problem of the convention arrangement to be discussed and it is imperative that every council member be present at this meeting without fail.

ABOUT LDS SOLDIERS

To date there are LDS soldiers stationed in almost every imaginable area. In Australia we find *First Class Private Al Sweeney* battling with 30 foot reptiles.... At the present time *Pvt. Edward Dockus* formerly of the "Cicero Zips", is situated at Kansas City, Mo. Ed is attending a school there and intends to be there for about 12 weeks and would appreciate it if letters were sent to him. Address his mail as follows: Pvt. Edward Dockus, Pickwick Hotel, Room 402, Kansas City, Missouri... *William Tatar* of Auburn, Illinois who was inducted last summer has crossed the waters for an unknown destination. Meanwhile, *Charles Zakaitis* of the same township has been rejected....

CAUGHT BY THE EYE AND EAR

While riding on the B & O the Rounder Upper stopped at the capitol city of Illinois to find several changes made since his last visit.... Many farmers were disappointed at Gov. Green's announcement calling off the state fair because of the war. The fairgrounds of Springfield are being utilized by the army air force supply depot... A dentist's convention took place at the Abraham Lincoln Hotel. Something like 1200 dentist attended. New offices were elected for 1942.... There is absolutely no free parking space in the capital city. Meters have been installed in the square and those who wish to park must deposit a penny for every 12 minutes. Pictures were taken of the farmer who hitched his horse and spring wagon to the meter.... There are approximately four coal mines still operating in the mining of coal for defense workers. It is quite a sight to see them come home from a day's hard work and listen to their daily experiences....

The month of May not only brings beautiful flowers but also birthdays to several LDS members.... *Joseph Stuglis* of the Monarch's and *Joseph Kenston*, better known as "teach" of the LKM Chorus, will celebrate this Friday while Helen Copinsky of the Sparks will feast with the merit awarders this Saturday.... Greetings are extended to all....

See where the Kenosha Royals are again coming to life. Could it be that Vic Kelps has come to aid them? The Royals are great soft-ball players and have already won honors at LDS convention.... *Bill Rasins* has but a few weeks to enroll those new members he promised at the conference which was held at

Sixty Days To LDS National Convention

Branches On National Scale Expected To Stage Competitive Battle During Remaining Days; Hotel Morrison Is Site Of National Youth Conference

By Observer

Sixty days remain before the big event that every member of the Association of Lithuanian Workers (LDS) has been waiting for, takes place. Sixty days remain in which every item relevant to the huge national convention of the LDS must be completed. It is a short sixty days, days which must be crammed full of undone items; items which have lagged and dragged.

It will be a struggle to gather together all loose ends. But it is a struggle which every member of the association will gird himself for, pulling away even though the load is over-taxing.

Members, new members must be gotten. The East, West and Midwest are already jockeying for position and the end of this month will reveal the results. It's a bitter battle and the one who fights the hardest naturally will win.

Drama, Sports

Drama, sports, election of delegates, everything tied up with the LDS National Youth Conference is on the tip of all members' tongue. Many cities as yet have not revealed their intentions, probably withholding until the last few days.

Chicago, the convention city, is probably the busiest of all areas. For in their hands lie many arrangements.

But Chicago is not failing. In

drama, sports, membership drive, Windy City issues a challenge to all comers. It challenges Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Brooklyn, Boston. It dares Cleveland and Detroit to come forth with better dramatic presentations for the to-be-held dramatic festival! This is the sentiment that exists.

Brooklyn too, stands in the same position as Chicago. And both cities are vying for top honors. The only thing that could possibly disrupt the progress of both is a "sneak" pulled by Cleveland.

Chicago is ready for this sneak, as is Brooklyn-Maspeth.

Completing Arrangements.

On the arrangements side, Chicago is ready. Headquarters have been obtained for the convention at the Hotel Morrison. Here the youth conference will be held.

As far as the combined sessions are concerned, the Lithuanian Auditorium in the Bridgeport section of Chicago will be utilized.

Flags of the United Nations will decorate the site of the 6th bi-ennial convention of the LDS. A complete block will be graced with the colors of America, streamers enhancing some of the larger buildings. "Welcome Delegates To the LDS Convention" signs will be visible in the Loop section as well as in the Bridgeport section.

Sixty days remain before the big event. A pulsing, rushing, full sixty days of activity. Activity which will determine the best of branches in the sphere of drama, getting of new members, in the sports line. It's a short sixty days SO LET'S GET GOING!

the La Salle Hotel.... *Rudy Baranikas* the new member of the Sparks branch willingly undertakes duties assigned to him.... Although a member for several months, *Helen Armon* attended her first meeting together with *Helen Paukstys*.... From the proceeds of their recent dance the *Redwings* will purchase Defense Bonds.... Attendance at sorority meetings has slackened somewhat. Probably on account of so many mothers-to-be and new mothers now being occupied with more home-work.... *Helen Lane* is attending first aid classes which are required of anyone who works with the civilian defense program.... The sugar rationing will affect many a sweet lass who is accustomed to using much sugar.... *Ray Russell* may leave soon for California where he will study aeronautics. It has been his interest for some time and he has finally made up his mind to go. The Monarch's will be minus a member and *Vollie* and *Ed* a companion... *Iggy Paulauskas* of Waukegan was in town a while back to see the Cub and Pirate games.... See where the *Town Crier* enjoys reading the Vilnis English Section and resents some of things that other columnists write.... He should be able to take a bit of criticism as it does become so obvious that those items mentioned are topics of discussion....