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KASDIENĀ...

Aukos
Dvi Didžios Dienos
Sekretai
Vokiečiai Belaisviai

Tik iš ligoninėje išėjus atėmė "Vilnies" ofisai Louis Casko. Operacija pavysk gerai ir Louis sako: Stai mano desintinių Russian War Relief. Būsiu ir mūsimine miltinge.

Ateina "Vilnius" malonus seimukas J. Survilas. Palaiko penkią Amerikos Raudonajam Kryžiu ir dešimkį Rusian War Relief.

A. Gukas taip pat davę dešimkį. W. Lukas \$12.

Cia sužymėjau tik kelias parvades. Jų bus šimtai.

Visa Amerika ruošiasi didžiai talkai, kad padėjus Soviety Sąjungai. Bus ir antras frontas.

Bet šiadien Chicagoje lietuviams mes skambu: Būkite visi, kas tik galite, Chicagos lietuvių Auditorijoje, rytų vakar! Rūpinkimės visi, kad tas masinis susirinkimas už Russian War Relief kuo geriausiai pavykt.

Šio penktadienio vakare, susirinkę į Auditoriją, nustatymuose gairės dar daugiam darbuoties už karą laimėjimą.

O ši nedėlė, 21 birželio, visi ir visos būkumė "Vilnies" pilninkas, tuo daugiau vienybės bus mūsų progresyvėj visuomenė.

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Korespondentas A. T. Steele bėdavuoja Chicagos "Daily News", kad niekas iš pašaicių tikrai nežino, kiek Sovietai turi lėktuvų, tankų, karo menėjimą. Bokojimai išlaikyti sekretai tai dižiausias smūgis priėj.

Amerika taip pat mokinasi sekretumu. Dar ir dabar jėponai nelinio iš kurij hazi virš Tokio pasirodė Amerikos bombardierai. Arba ir sekretas, kuris gaubė V. Molotovo atskridimą Washington.

Kelis kartus man teko kalbėtis su velioniu kunitu J. Navicku. Jis buvo ištinkinės katalikas.

Apie "Naujienas" jis man atkartotai sakė, kad tai gesefneriai laikraštis. Joms tik pinigas.

Manau, kad L. Šimutis tą gerai žino, žino ir kiti katalikų vadai. Tai kodėl jie sebrauja su "Naujienom?"

Ar todėl, kad "Naujienos" kasdien "broddestina" venuosi prie Sovietų Sąjungos?

Naciai siūlo Hollandijos buržuazijai kolonijas Rusijos. Tai sako bus atlyginamas Hollandijos už tautos kolonijas, kurias iš jos atėmė Japonija.

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MILŽINAI 52 TONŲ TANKOS TRIUŠKINA NACIUS

FRANCUZIJOJE PASIREIŠKIA DEDILIS NERIMAS; VALDŽIA NEGALI NUMALŠINTI ŽMONIŲ KILIMO

Italijos Laivynas Smarkiai Supliektas; Trys Laivai Nuskandinta, Kiti Sužalota; Dvi Ašies Atakos Libijoje Atmušta

NACIAI GIRIASI APSUPĘ ANGLUS

mi gerokai sumažinta Mussolinių laivynas.

Anglijos laivynui padaryta nuostolių bet mažesnių.

(Amerikos bombardierai, kiek pirmiai, atakavo Rumanijos olieriaus laukus ir pravedė ataką pasekmingai. Is 100 iki 4 bombardierai turėjo nusileisti Turkijoje ir tapo internuoti).

CAIRO, birž. 17. — Anglijos tankai ir kanuolės atmė dvi ašies atakas prie Sidi Rezeh ir Aeroma.

Šių jėgų komendantas gen. Rommel buvo užsimojęs atakuoti Tobruku pirmą negu pristatyti reiakalningo karo dalyku, bet pristatymas atėjo lydiant Amerikos ir Anglijos aviaciją.

Angliai čia naudoja Amerikos tankus, kurios ilguose mūšiuose gerokai nuvėlėtos ir reikiava naujų tankų.

Jie prispažino, kad su pasiūlytu taikos, birželio 17, 1940 metais, francuzų misijos suėjimo laikyti valanda.

Salies padėtis labai bloga; valstybės pajimine.

Jie tiesiog maldavo francuzus būti nuolankiai ir kantiniai.

LONDONAS, birž. 17. — Juntinginė Valstijų bombarderiai, sykiu su RAF smogė Japonijos laivyno Viduržemio jūroje.

Vienas 10.000 tonų kreizeris ir du naikintoriai nuskandinta, kiti trys karo laivai sužolėti bombų, kai kurie dega; dar vienas laivas aptaupytas.

Pranešimas iš Cairo sako, jog 7 ar 9 Italijos karo laivai aptaudyti ir nuskandinti, tuo-

Kviečia Anglijos Javimo Atstovus į SSSR

Anglijos Santikliai Su SSSR Eina Geryn

LONDONAS, birž. 17. — Is Maskovos pranešama, jog ten išreikšta pageidavimas, kuris būtų kaip į pakvietimus, kad Anglijos jaunimo atstovų būtų pasiūlyti SSSR, kur papasakotu apie tos šalies gyvenimą Anglijos jaunimui.

Tas rodo gerėjančius santykis tarp SSSR ir Anglijos.

Minėjimių metinės sakinukas Sovietų karo priėj Hitleri, renigiamai eilė mitingų, kuriuose kalbė Sir Stafford Cripps, lordas Beaverbrook ir Sovietų ambasadouras Ivan Maiski.

Kinai Atsiima Porta Yangtze, Japonai Bėga

CHINGKING, birž. 17. — Kinų armija išsijoja japonus iš vienos Yangtze upės miesto Housch, kontr - atakavę japonus i 24 valandas po jų ten įsibrovimo.

Japonas, kuris pasidavę neįsilaistę, nuvedės kinus į mieštinių informavę kai galima patiems jis.

DU LAKONAI U2SIMUSE

ALBANY, Ga. — Orlaiviui nukritus, vienas anglas ir vienas amerikietis lakinai užsimušę.

Amerikos Itekėmė Sovie-

tuose Žymiai Plinta

Mokinimasis Anglu Kalbos Žymiai Pasireiškė

MASKVA, birž. 17. — Susidėmės Amerika, po Molotovo vizito pas prezidentą Roosevelt, žymiai padidėjė. Kalbos Institutas pradėjo skleisti anglų kalbos ir rašybos vadovus, taipgi Amerikos ir Anglijos rašytojų kūrinius.

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VISUS JAUNUS VYRUS IŠ LIETUVOS VARU VEŽA VOKIEČIJON "VIENŪ METŪ DARBIUI"

Naciai Atmušti Prie Charkovo ir Sevastopolio; Brijansko Sriti Rusai Eina Pirmyn; Anglu Aviacija Bombardavo Ruhr Sritij

BERN, Sveicarija, birž. 17. — Vokiečių valdžia įsakės, kad jauni ir senesni vyrai visiems Lietuvos, Latvijos ir Estonijs vyrams nuo 21 iki 29 metų važiuoti "darbo tarbybā". Vokiečių vienėmis metams.

LONDONAS. — Apie 300 anglų orlaiviai bombardavo Ruhr srities imones, taipgi pasekiai ir Rheinlandas. Numesta daug bombo.

Tai buvo pirmos didelės atakos po dviejų savaičių tylos, iš priekštės prasto oro.

MASKVA, birž. 17. — Vokiečių sukonceptravo Charkovo frontą pučias didžiausias jėgas. Abgenta didžiosios kainos, didesnės kaip naudota perimetare kare.

Sovietų kariuomenė tačiausiai atakas atmūs.

Sevastopolio fronte eina atakos kaičių mūšiai. Naciai nori pamati šį portfelį nevezint kiek tai jėgas.

Praėjimas jėgas bent moralinį laimėjimą duotų.

Sovietų jėgos, padedamos laivinį dalinį laikyti.

Brijansko sritijje, apie 210 mylių į pietvakarius nuo Maskvos, Sovietų kariuomenė eina pirmyn.

Sovietų aviacija sako sudaužius 12 nocių tankų ir 100 trokų, kurie vežė šautuvus ir antrių orlaivinių kanuolės.

Vokiečių terkiniai ir gasolines depas išsprogdinta.

Sovietų orlaiviai taipgi nuškandinti 3.000 tonų vokiečių transporto laivą, taipgi sužalojus 4 transporto laivus ir du patruilių laivus.

Charkovo fronte Sovietų didžiaus, 52 tonų tankos, smogė į triuškiniai nacių kampuose.

Milžinių tankus atmūs vokiečių gen. von Bock mechanizuotas jėgas, davė progos komon. Sovietų jėgom pulti vokiečius.

Kituose Sovietų frontuose išvykų mažų susirklinimų, kurie tačiau nemaino fronto padėties tose vietose.

Ispanijos Laivai Pristato Kurą Nacių Submarinams

RIO DE JANEIRO, birž. 17. — Brazilijos laikraščiai kaltinata Ispanijos valdžia, kad jos prekybiniai laivai pristato kurą.

Vokiečių submarinai ir apriūpių juos viduje jūros, taip, kad nacių submarinai gali atakuoti laivus bilo kur be bazijų Amerikos pakraščiuose.

Prezidentas Ragina Apvalytų Industrines Sritis

WASHINGTONAS. — Prezidentas Rooseveltas ragina visą salį imtis apvalytų fizinių ir moralinių industrijos sritis, kad jose nebūtų moralybė ir sveikata gadinančią vietą.

LIET. MENO POKILIS MASKVOJE; STASKEVIČIUTĖ APDOVANOTA

Daug Zymiausių Visų Tautų Menininkų Klausėsi Lietuvaitės Dainininkės; Ir Pabal-

tijo Valdžia Atstovai Atėjo Pasiklausyti

Lietuvos Artistai Rado Sau Priegliando Maskvoje

Maskva, birž. 17. — (ICN) Lietuvų menas ir literatūra okupuotoje Lietuvos visai sunaikinta, bet Sovietų Sąjungoje tatai buvo išsukyti.

Ir Lietuvos artistai rado čia sau namus. Čia jėgas duota vietas ir progos dirbti, tobolinti savo talentus.

Nors karo frontas yra tik keletas kilometrų nuo čia, bet maskviesių perpildė dideli teatrų, laikė lietuvių vo-

(Tasa 2-ram Pusl.)

Nedvedusius Pirmiau Ims Kariuomenėn

WASHINGTONAS, birž. 17. — Pravesta bilius, kuris ipareigo drafto tarybas imti kariuomenėn pirmiau nedvedusius, nuo 20 iki 45 metų, o kada jų pritrūks, imti nedvedusius.

Tai pagudė vokiečių žmonomis ir seimomis, kurios priklauso nuo kareivio, bus mokaama tam tikra mėnesinė mokestis.

Kai tiks kongresas bilių užbaigus, drafto tarybos bus išnaujinti struktūra vykdys įstatyti.

(Vienas lenkas sintetinio guminio dirbtimo išradėjas taipgi jis dirba pagal savo formulą sintetinį gumą.)

Anglu Aviacija Vėl Pradėjo Atakas Europoje

VALLETTA, Malta, birž. 17. — Dešimtis ašies bomberų ir 5 naukčių orlaiviai numušta prie Malta salos hėtg 24 valandų ašies aviacijos atakų Maltoje.

(Malta yra Anglijos bazė vienas kiltų atakų ant Anglijos, bet menkas.

Du Laivai Atakoti Meksikos Ilankoj

WASHINGTONAS. — Du prekybiniai laivai — vienas Panamos, kitas Honduras —, stakutai submarinų Meksikos Ilankoj. Juos išgulos išgelbėta.

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Tai Ne Francūzijos Balsas

Vichy valdžia sako, kad ji neutralė. Tai yra akių dūmimas. Šiekdomas prakalba vienojį puotoj, kur dalyvavo ir vokiški galvariečiai, Lavalis garbino Hitlerj ir sakė, kad Francūzija turi jam padėti. Francūzijos darbininkai verčiamis vykti Vokietijon ir dirbtai nacių karo mašinai. Tuo būdu jie yra kaip ir Vokietijos ver-

gal. Lavalis drysta meluoti, kad Vokietija kariauja ir už Francūziją, nors ji Francūziją yra pavergus ir gera kraują, čiu-

pius jos gyvybinius syvus.

Šiomis dienomis ir Petainas prašveplavo. Jis ne taip atvirai turinsias priės Hitlerio režimą, bet juk visi žino, kad Vichy valdžioje tikruoju bosu yra Lavalis, o Petainas tik figurą. Petainas kai tai plepejo apie savo pasižiūrimą ir jo de-

dama viltį, kad Francūzija prisikels!

Taip, Francūzija prisikels, bet ji prisikels ant griuvėsių ne tik hitlerizmo, bet ir ant griuvėsių Vichy režimo.

Kai Lavalis ir Petainai lažo Hitlerio batus, tai Francūzijos patriotai vis smar-

kiai organizuoja.

Nacių šnipai siunta Paryžiuje ir jo

primiessiuose, areštuoją simtus žmonių,

bandydamis susukt slaptą patriotų orga-

nizaciją, kuri vis labiau ir labiau išplečia-

savę veiklą. Veltui tu krogerių pastan-

gos.

Nei žudydė, nei areštai jems nebe-

užtenkinti to masinio sąjūdžio, kuris ap-

ėmė ne tilti Paryžių, bet visą Francū-

ziją.

Balsas Lavalii ir Petainu yra išdavikų,

reptilių balsas.

Tikrosios Francūzijos balsas, balsas

didžios rūstybės ir pagiežos skamba iš gi-

liai užkonspirotu revolucioninio požemio.

Broliskumas

Pereitas nedėldienis buvo Susivieniju-

sii Tautų diena ir Sovietų Sąjungoje.

Maskvo ir kituose SSR miestuose

skambėjo Amerikos, Anglijos, Kinijos

himnai ir patriotinės dainos. Sovietų ū-

aines žmonės didžiuojasi savo talkini-

kaus.

Associated Press korespondentas prae-

nesių Maskvos, kad ten "prāždo" do-

mėjimasis Amerika, Anglijos ir visais tal-

kininkais.

Zmonės niekad tiek neišpirkdavo anglų kalbos gramatiką, kaip dabar. Labai padidėjo susinteresavimas anglų literatu-

ra. Svetimi Kalbo Knygynas atidare

Anglijos ir Amerikos rašytojų kūrinių paroda. Krutamų paveikslų teatruse

žmonės entuziastiskai sveikina Amerikos ir Anglijos ginkluotų pajėjų demonstra-

vimą. Mokyklose daug daugiau laiko pia-

švenčiamas Amerikos ir Anglijos istorijai.

Organizuojama paskaitos apie anglo-

sakų istoriją.

Inter-Continent News korespondentė

Janet Weaver praneša: "Su kuo aš tik

kalbu Maskvoje — su raudonarmiečiais,

su moterimis, su darbininkais—visi jie

reiskia savo giliusią įsitikinimą, kad sutartys, kurios įvyko paskęje V. Moloto-

vo kelione, garantuoja karo laimėjimą."

Geležiniai stipris Sovietų Sąjungos žmonės. Bet sutartys su Londonu ir

Washingtonu dar labiau užgrindino juos,

dar didesni sukelė entuziazmą.

Išiā Ėrenburg rāšo: "Pasirašymas su-

tarties tarp Sovietų Sąjungos ir Anglijos buvo tpačia dieną atžymėtas išdrėbimu

3,000 tonų bombų ant Koelno. Mes žinom,

kad orinės atakos įvyksta pirmiau, o pas-

kui prasideda atakos ant žemės.

"Žinia apie antrajį frontą Europoje nudžiugino mus, bet mums tai nebuvo suprasytas. Tai buvo suprasytas Hitleriui. Hitlerininkai bando nuraminti Vokietijos gyventojus. Bet tūkstančiai tonų bombų yra labiau įtinkantini faktas, negu visi Goebbelso straipsniai."

Tikro broliskumo jausmai liepsnoja Amerikoj, Sovietų Sąjungo, Anglijo ir visose sajungininkuose!

Lietuviški Naciai

Pro-nacių ir net visai atvirai na-

ciami pardsidavusiai gaivaliai esama ir Ar-

gentinioj ir

Apie tuos niekūs rašo Montevideo "Darbas":

"Argentinoje prabilo mūsų tautos iš-

gamos. Jie save pasekėjų turi ir čia Mon-

tevidejuje. Kaimyninėje, skaitlingoje koloniuje pagalbiai išdiršo savo judošiška

smuklė išsigimelė, lietuvių nacių.

Už juos pasisako atsakingu montevidei,

čiamas žinomas Smetonas klapčiukas, bu-

ve Ceros lietuvių mokyklas mokytojas Br.

Savickas. Nacių propagandos tiksa-

lams jis išleido purviną lapą pavadin-

ta "Aušra". Begediškai, biauriai tarsi naci-

šistas gina mūsų tėvynės laisvę. Pri-

minė ir Kinijos žmonių pa-

sivertinam kovoje su japo-

niskais plėškais.

Anglijos žmopės taip pat

pragalištingi, kai pragačiai

rezultatai Muniche išdavystės ir

prisiminė Sovietų Sąjungos išspėj-

imus, kad munichinė politika

privė prie dabartinės bai-

sių klasės.

LIETUVIS KUNIGAS.

Nežiniai iš kur atsirado

lietuvių kunigas. Jisai pasi-

prasē pirminkinio leisti jam

pakalbėti lietuviškai. Pas-

sakė esas Kazys Teliusis.

Sakė paeinės iš darbininkik-

kos šeimos ir sakė, kad j

tevai kovoje už laisvę daug

nukentėję nuo caro val-

džios.

Daug kas laukė ką tas ne-

menytas kunigas pasaky-

še manęs stovia žmogus

už kiekvieną žmogų.

Šeimai, kurių žmonės

nežino, kovoje už gyvumą ir ener-

gijos. O mes sunaujome apie 50

metų jau almanuojam esa

pasenę. Negražu!

Užkandus močiutė Bloor rodėsi la-

bai pasitenkinimas. Drauguo-

jae jinai sukėlė didelį entu-

zazmą. Kiekvienas jautėsi

pusiau atjaunėjės. Ir pati

močiutė puikio močiaus

buvo. Stebėtina kiek pas ta

senelę yra gyvumo ir ener-

gijos. O mes sunaujome apie 50

metų jau almanuojam esa

pasenę. Negražu!

Pirma išskirstymo nu-

tarėme organizuoti rinkimą

seno gumo, geležies lauzo ir

kitokių karo gamybai svar-

bių daikty, idant padėti ka-

nares pastangoms.

SUNSKINIS.

(Pradžia ant 1 pusl.)

SEKMINGA DEMONSTRACIJA PAGER-BIMUI MOČIUTĖS BLOOR SUKAKTIES

Springfield, III.—Demonstracija pagerbimui močiutės Bloor Jos 80 metų sukakties proga labai puikiai pasuko. Nors oras buvo pušėtinai vėsus, bet publikos buvo gražus būrelis. Visi atidžiai klausėsi kalbu močiutės Bloor, Beidenkopf ir Abeiko. Kalbėtojai priminė Raudonosios Armijos didvyrinumą, kuri narsiai iškilo iš Hitlérius. Nors armėjai iškilo iš Sąjungos, tautų dėl išsūtinėjimų, lietuvių nacių.

jungia į Lenkiją tik tada, kada nuo nacių smūgių elektros lenkų valdžia jau buvo pakrikus. Dar mažiau amžiaus, bet nesenai pranešta, kad galu prasstyti antrų popierių.

Klausimas: Pereita met;

man buvo pasakyta, kad ne-

galiu prasstyti antrų popierių,

pakrikus buvo svarbus, kad tie

galiu prasstyti antrų popierių,

bet nesenai pranešta, kad galu

prassty



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Two Great Nations, Soviet Russia And America Take A Pledge:

"For the opening of a Western Front, a land invasion of the European continent, Victory in '42' such has been the program of the VILNIS ENGLISH SECTION.

This past week such a program was agreed upon by two of the most powerful nations, the United States and Soviet Russia. Below is the text of the White House statement on negotiations between President Roosevelt and Soviet Foreign Commissar V. M. Molotov:

"The Peoples Commissar of Foreign Affairs of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, Mr. M. V. Molotov, following the invitation of the President of the United States of America, arrived in Washington on May 29 and was for some time the President's guest. This visit to Washington afforded an opportunity for a friendly exchange of views between the President and his advisors on the one hand and Mr. V. M. Molotov and his party on the other.



President Roosevelt

"Among those who participated in the conversations were the Soviet Ambassador in the United States, Mr. Maxim Litvinoff, Mr. Harry Hopkins, Chief of Staff Gen. Marshall, and Commander-in-Chief of the United States Navy, Admiral Ernest J. King. Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, joined in subsequent conversations on non military matters.

"In the course of the conversations full understanding was reached with regard to the urgent tasks of creating a second front in Europe in 1942. In addition, the measures for increasing and speeding up supplies of planes, tanks and other kinds of war materials from the United States to the Soviet Union were discussed. Further were discussed the fundamental problems of cooperation of the Soviet Union and the United States in safeguarding peace and security to the freedom-loving peoples after the war. Both sides state with satisfaction the unity of their views on all these unity of their views on all these questions.

"At the conclusion of the visit the President asked Mr. Molotov to inform Mr. Stalin on his behalf that he feels these conversations have been most useful in establishing a basis for fruitful and closer relationship between the two governments in the pursuit of the common objectives of the United Nations."

SALUTE TO THE FIGHTING RED ARMY



NO TRUER WORDS WERE spoken when General Douglas MacArthur stated "... The hopes of civilization rest on the worthy banners of the courageous Red Army." And it is for that reason that Lithuanian-Americans and America as a whole are observing and participating in "Aid To Russia Day," June 22. Chicago Lithuanians have arranged an "Aid To Russia" rally for this Friday.

Hundreds To Jam Chicago Lithuanian Auditorium Russian Relief Rally Friday; Paul Rotomski To Speak

Chicago, Ill.:—Hundreds of this city's Lithuanians will fill the Chicago Lithuanian Auditorium when Paul Rotomski, Lithuanian, representative of the Soviet consul speaks here this Friday evening.

Arranged by the local Lithuanian Committee for Medical Aid to the Soviet Union, the gathering is expected to bring forth monetary donations amounting to some three thousand dollars, all of which will go toward Russian relief.

Former Mayor, Russian Consul Representative Speak At Cleveland Lithuanian Russian Relief Rally

Cleveland, Ohio:—Former Mayor of this city, Edward Blythin, Lithuanian born Povilas Rotomskis representative of the Soviet consul, plus others will herald the opening of a drive for Russian war relief at a mass meeting this Sunday at the Lithuanian hall.

Arranged by the Ohio Lithuanian Unity Conference committee, the meeting promises to bring forth a huge financial contribution, all of which will go for medical aid to America's gallant ally.

Springfield Holds Victory Rally Under Lithuanian Auspices; Vilnis Editor Addresses Mass Assemblage

Springfield, Ill.:—"United Nations for Victory Day" was observed here this past Sunday.

Held under the auspices of the Lithuanian Literature Society, the Victory Day observance took place at Lincoln Park with a massive crowd in attendance. Speakers of the day were "Mother" Ella Reeve Bloor, Fred Abele of the Lithuanian Daily VILNIS, Fred Beidenkapp, nationally known labor lecturer. Them of the gathering was "Mobilizing the People For All Out Support of The War."

Plunder Of Lithuania Continues; Young Men Organize In Woods

(Wireless To Vilnius via Intercontinental News)

By JONAS SHIMKUS

MOSCOW.—The latest information from Lithuania shows that plunder of Lithuania property and shipment of able bodied population to Germany continues. Young men have taken to the woods in order to avoid seizure by German authorities. Curiously enough, these same woods afford refuge to many deserters from the German army and frequent skirmishes are known to have occurred between them and German regulars. I understand that a really big battle took place between German deserters and regulars in the woods near Akstal.

Word has come through that Lithuanian young men in hiding are vigorously organizing forces for guerrilla activity. Several detachments have been formed already.

TRAITOR APPOINTED COUNSELLOR

One of the most odious traitors of the Lithuanian people, Germantas Meskauskas, has now been appointed Counsellor for Education. There is something debased and bestial about the malice he shows towards Lithuanian schools. A few days ago he dismissed about one hundred teachers because they didn't make children greet each other with "Heil Hitler!" Because of this unsupported action, some of these teachers have been arrested and sent to Germany.

In order No. 5 sent out by German authorities to teachers, the demand is that teachers "Should inculcate National Socialist culture among pupils on a large scale." This means nothing more nor less than Germanization of Lithuania's young people. Meskauskas has threatened every teacher with instant dismissal and punishment for disobeying this order. Nevertheless teachers have not obeyed and refuse to have anything to do with those who attempt to Germanize schools and introduce fascist ideas.

From May 15th, Germantas has wielded the German demand for compulsory closing of schools: schoolchildren are being sent to fields to work. Thus Hitlerite occupation of our beloved land strikes not only at adults but at Lithuanian children as well.

Lith Born Benny Goodman Heads Youth Unit Russian Relief

Lithuanian born Benny Goodman is playing the popular tune of aid to the U. S. S. R., as the newly-elected chairman of the Youth Division of Russian War Relief.

The bandleader shares his chairmanship with Oona O'Neil, No. One debutante of the year.

Lithuanian Prisoners Forced Into Slavery By Nazi Barbarians

By JONAS SHIMKUS

MOSCOW, U.S.S.R.—Recently I had the opportunity of talking with two young Lithuanians who succeeded in escaping from fascist slavery and came across the lines to the Red Army. The first of the two men was Stepas Juška, born in 1916 in Telšiai region of Plunge Valost in the village of Noriškiai. The second was Alekas Jasionka born in 1917 in the town of Kedainiai, a fitter who worked on a municipal sawmill.

They met for the first time in Vilnius in August, 1941, while on their way to Minsk to repair a railway. Juška was taken by the German soldiers in Plunge on the night of July 20 together with about 20 other Lithuanian workers. They were sent to Vilnius under German guard where a whole army of men, mostly Lithuanians, were gathered.

"First we were told to repair telephone and telegraph lines," related Juška, "we put up poles but at night someone chopped them down again. Sometimes we had to put up poles in the same place several times. We Lithuanian received little bread and some thin soup but not regularly. We were forced to work from morning till night and sometimes the whole night through especially if some bridge had to be repaired.

"Afterwards we were so tired that sometimes I would put my arms around a beam and fall asleep, but a German would soon come along and wake me up with a kick.

CONSIDER THEM SWINE

"While we worked German soldiers with automatic rifles guarded us. If someone sat down to get a moment's rest the German would loosen his automatic rifle and shout 'Los, Los, Litauisch! Schweine!' (Come on, come on, Lithuanian swine!)

Naturally we received no money for our work. Vladas Blūsikis from Alytus region and Strimaitis from Šiauliai region worked next to me."

Alekas Jasionka took up the story. The Germans beat them and wanted to shoot them when they were unable to lift a beam and threw it aside and sat down to rest for a second. After beating they were forced to go on working.

"In winter and summer," continued Juška, "we, like the Russian prisoners, had to sleep out in the open because all the houses and dugouts we built were occupied by the Germans. We were given no warm clothes and no clean underwear and were not able to take a bath. We were told to cover ourselves with sacks in which we carried dirt. At night we slept a hundred together trying to warm each other.

One evening a shell hit a group of workers killing seventeen of them, among whom were ten Lithuanians. The Germans ordered us to bury them in one big hole. The wounded were carried away in sleds in the direction of the woods and that was the last we saw of them."

TELL OF ESCAPE

"But how were you able to escape from the clutches of the Germans?" I asked.

"We thought of running away last summer but we had no opportunity to carry out our plan." Juška answered, "We were too far away from the Soviet line. In winter our hopes rose. Finally at the end of March Red Army units broke through the German lines in the region of Bryansk. The Germans were retreating

Our Fighters Say Hello From Hawaii On Radio Series

American fighting men stationed at the "citadel of the Pacific" will greet friends and relatives on the United States mainland and contribute to a program of entertainment over Columbia network in a new Saturday series titled "Hello from Hawaii." It begins June 20 over WABC-CBS, 4:00 to 4:25 P. M., EWT.

Variety is provided by music interludes, short dramatic sketches and talk by enlisted men and commanding officers. The first program of the series, all of which originate in Honolulu, sets the pace with band music and a brief dramatic skit involving an American soldier who was visiting a sailor friend on a warship and who leaped into the fray when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor Dec. 7. With a short talk by Brigadier General Willard H. Hale, the program constitutes a salute to the United States.

Succeeding programs each Saturday will salute various states in the Union. Under present schedules, New York is saluted June 20 Nevada June 27 and Pennsylvania July 4.

Kisloski Pitching For United States Army This Season

Eddie (Cole) Kisloski, of Wilkes-Barre Township, formerly with the St. Louis Browns, is pitching for Uncle Sam this season. Cole is a private at the nation's only cavalry replacement training center Fort Riley, Kansas, and, in addition to military duties, he takes a regular turn on the mound for the cavalry baseball team.

In 1935 Cole turned in a perfect no run, no hit, no man-reach-first game for Galveston. He then went on to the major leagues, being with the Browns through the 1938-39 seasons.

After his turn with St. Louis, Cole went to San Antonio, Texas, and last campaign twirled for Seattle. In the face of fast Pacific Coast competition, Cole won fourteen games, lost only four.

leaving weapons and transport behind. Jasionka and I climbed into a trench. Those Lithuanian and Polish workers who didn't flee with the Germans and had no time to hide were shot by the Hitlerites. We hid in a trench until hearing Russian. We understood that Red Army troops had come. Then we climbed out of our hiding place and surrendered to Soviet soldiers."



TRIANGLE PICTURE—There's a boy and he's leaving for Army service. There's a girl and she's bidding her soldier sweetheart farewell. There's a little dog begging for recognition and not receiving any. But you write the sequel. Did Rags get a final pat from his master?

War Dept. Report Reveals Three Lith Army Men Captured By Japanese; Total Prisoner Amount Is 153

Washington.—The War Department made public the names of 153 Marines who are held as prisoners of war by the Japanese at Zentsuji, Shikoku Island, Japan.

The list includes 10 officers and 143 enlisted men from 33 states and the Territory of Hawaii.

Among the prisoners are 10 men from Illinois, six from Wisconsin and one from Michigan. Some of them previously had been listed as missing.

Three Lithuanian-Americans are included in the captured list. They are: Corp. John Jaspits of Chicago, Pvt. Leonard Koslowski of Calumet City, Pvt. John Budzynski, Chicago.

Chicago Opera House Is Scene Of Russian Relief Benefit; Stars Of Stage And Screen Are On Program

Chicago, Ill.—Thousands of dollars, dollars which will go toward medical aid for America's great ally, Soviet Russia, will be collected on the streets of this city and at the gigantic Russian War Relief benefit being staged at the Chicago Opera House this Monday, "Aid to Russia Day."

The benefit at the opera house sponsored by the United Russian-American Committee and American Federation of Artists, is presenting Harry Richman of stage and screen, Larry Adler, Harmonica Virtuoso, The Northerners, radio's most popular chorus plus other attractions. First Secretary of the Soviet Embassy, Vladimir Bazykin, will be the principal speaker.

Liths Participate In New York Parade Of Half-Million; March Behind Gigantic Soviet Float

New York.—Over 500,000 persons participated in the gigantic "New York At War" parade staged here last Saturday. A close second to the Chicago staged "United Nations' Day" parade, the patriotic unity march had in its ranks thousands of Lithuanians representing numerous organizations. As in Chicago, pro-Nazi Lithuanian groups boycotted the arrangement.

The Lithuanian contingent marched directly behind a Soviet float, singing fighting songs and delighted onlookers with dazzling native costumes. The float depicted various nationalities affiliated to the Soviet Union. Lithuania was included in this brotherhood of nations.

Only One Month Is Left Before National LDS Sports Tournament Opens In Chicago; Softball, Tennis, Golf Scheduled; Time To Enter Is Now!

By Al Klaud
MYC Sports Director

A little more than a month's time is left, in which the sportsmen can ready themselves for the National LDS Sports Contests.

It will be very necessary for all baseball players, to arrange their own plans, to arrive in Chicago Saturday, July 18. The softball tourney will be played in Mc Kinley Park. Two diamonds have been scheduled for all day competition. All we need now is the receipt of entry blanks plus the \$2.50 entry fee. As it has been announced a beautiful champion's trophy is offered to the tourney winners.

Let's Get Going

So what do you say, Sportmen! Round up that baseball gang for July 18 and come down to vie for that National Champs title. Cleveland and Kenosha should make good competition because of their pre-tourney contests. Chicago and other cities like Detroit, Rockford, Ambridge can furnish firm competition also.

Golf competition is what Chicago LDS'rs will give to other incoming contestants. Glen Eagles Country Club, a two course golf link has been scheduled for all the golfers. The course can give the best golfer a hard time breaking par.

A "Peoria Handicap System" and elimination process will be used to make the golfer qualify for the National title and the first place trophy awards. Chicago alone can furnish 30 golfers for stiff competition. Entry fee is \$2.00 plus green fees for all competitors.

Entry blanks can be secured by writing to National office or to Vilnis, 3116 So. Halsted St. But do it NOW!

Tennis Vigorous Game

Tennis is one sport which an excessive amount of equipment is not needed. Although it is a very vigorous exercising sport it still is a modest one. But this game requires agility and stamina.

Probably many will brush off this particular event because some regard it as a sissy's game—or is it.

Many athletes have made their bread and butter by playing this game. Players like "Big Bill Tilden", Don Budge, Frank Parker and many others— even little mite's like Bitsy Grant gained national recognition just by—lobbying a ball over the net!

Trophies Offered

Trophies also will be offered in this particular sport as in the other two. Entry fee is only a dollar a really small sum to enter yourself for a "champions title" in LDS circles.

But remember a Tournament can only be successful when a proper amount of cooperation is received. So send in your entry NOW!

Windy City LDS'ers Hold Draftee Party, Send Off Member

As you all know last Wednesday a Draftee Party was held for Tony Damaska who left for the Army last Saturday. It was a swell party, but there were many guys and gals from the LDS missing. What's the matter, gang? Tony Damaska sure was popular that night (not that he isn't always), and we sure hated to have him leave us. Bruno Baron was there early in the evening without Bertha, and everyone was asking where she was, but she appeared later in the evening. Frank Burnetsky was seen trying to croon over the loud speaker which was used for the party. I wonder what Al Jacobs and Aline Zimont were sitting on the floor for? Mrs. Pops Kwain and several of the ladies were discussing the different types of hose several of the girls wore at the party. The gang sure had fun dancing that night, and they even did a bit of square dancing for a few minutes. Ann Jacobs kept bumping into her husband every time he was dancing with someone else. I wonder why? Tony will be missed by everyone, but especially by Lil Retis. I wonder what Stan Bernot will do now without his "boy". John Gizevich attended the party, and he is also scheduled to leave for the Army on the 20th. Soon there just won't be any males left in the LDS at the rate they are leaving now. I saw Ray and Cel Kissel dancing together, and you would think they had been married only a few days. Ain't love grand?

Alex Klaud and his wife Ida dropped in for a while to see the crowd caper. So long for a while, that's all the news for a while.

"SIS"

L. K. M. To Take Short Vacation and Then Start Working

This coming Tuesday the LKM chorus will gather at Hollywood Inn. All members are urged to be present.

At our last meeting it was decided to have a short vacation following this June 23rd gathering. The chorus will reconvene for rehearsals on July 7, preparing for the picnic on July 12 and participation in the LDS sponsored concert which takes place July 23.

All members are urged to remember the reconvening date. It is on July 7 and all should attend, ready for business and ready to put on a good program for the hundreds of out-of-town guests who will be present at the LDS concert.

Aside of the above, it was good to see some of the LKM'ers out marching with the Lithuanian contingent in the United Nations' Day Parade which took place this past Sunday. Let's turn out in even greater numbers for the Vilnis Picnic this Sunday.

Pee-Wee

Blood Plasma Transfusion



Red Cross Doctor Limlingan administers plasma transfusion to wounded soldier evacuated from the Philippines to Australia on the Red Cross hospital ship MACTAN. Assisting are Red Cross Nurses Owery Vowles and Hernandez. Nurse Owery is the Russian-born wife of a U.S. Navy man. Plasma is prepared from blood donated by volunteers through the Red Cross for the armed forces.

ANNOUNCE PROGRAM OF LDS CONVENTION WEEK, JULY 18th

CHICAGO, Ill.—Complete program for the LDS National Youth Conference and General Convention of the LDS has just been announced. Being that many members and friends of the organization may be able to fit in their vacation times with the many events, we print the program as announced for the benefit of those who would like to make advance arrangements for their trip to Chicago:

SATURDAY, JULY 18th:

ALL DAY: Delegates' Registration at Hotel Morrison, Chicago. Delegates will receive housing assignments here, either to stay at hotel or other housing. Softball Tourney at McKinley Park.

EVENING: Social-Dance for the early arrivals at Vilnis Hall, 3116 S. Halsted St., Chicago.

SUNDAY, JULY 19th:

ALL DAY: Delegates' Registration at Hotel Morrison, Chicago. Golf Tourney at Glen Eagles Country Club.

MONDAY, JULY 20th:

10 A. M. TO 12 NOON: Opening session of LDS General Convention, at Lithuanian Auditorium, 3133 S. Halsted St.

1 P. M. TO 4:30 P. M.: General Convention Session, Lithuanian Auditorium.

EVENING: Lambda Delta Sigma Welcoming Party.

TUESDAY, JULY 21st:

10 A. M. TO 12 NOON: LDS General Convention Session, Lithuanian Auditorium.

1 P. M. TO 5 P. M.: LDS General Convention Session, Lithuanian Auditorium.

4 P. M.: Report of LDS National Youth Committee Secretary. All Youth Conference Delegates to attend. Lithuanian Auditorium.

8 P. M.: National Drama Tournament, Lithuanian Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22nd:

9:30 A. M. TO 12:30 NOON: LDS National Youth Conference, Hotel Morrison.

1 P. M. TO 5 P. M.: LDS National Youth Conference, Hotel Morrison.

EVENING: Convention Banquet and awards, Lithuanian Auditorium.

THURSDAY, JULY 23rd:

10 A. M. TO 12 NOON: LDS General Convention Session, Lithuanian Auditorium.

1 P. M. TO 5 P. M.: Final Session, LDS General Convention, Lithuanian Auditorium.

EVENING: LDS Convention Concert and Dance, Lithuanian Auditorium.



ATTEND GIGANTIC VILNIS PICNIC OAKS GROVE SUNDAY

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS



DR. VITOLD ARNETT-SUKASKAS

The First Lithuanian-American Scientist of Recognized Standing
By DR. J. F. BORISAS

The medicine, as a profession, dates back to an antiquity of which even its historian will reluctantly speak with any degree of certitude. Hippocrates, whose death occurred 370 B.C., is known as "the Father of Medicine." The label of paternity has been accorded him because, more than anyone previous to his time, he freed disease from the association with the supernatural—he fathered the clinical approach to drugs as to diet, fresh air and other physical causes. Added to that, he imparted a tradition in the ethics of the profession. The student, as he leaves the medical school even today in every civilized part of the world, goes forth inspired with the words of the Hippocratic oath, which is the pledge to enforce the highest tradition, to live in strict accordance with all its principles, declarations, and regulations. Since the Hippocrates time, the field of medicine has grown in what might be described of more revolutionary inner scope. Specialization has reached proportions undreamed by the men. The physicians of to-day applies himself to the prevention of diseases. The method of the science, the development in physics, chemistry, biology, electricity, mechanical inventions are generally recognized and have been all mobilized by its respective groups in war as well as in peace. Dr. Vitold Arnett-Sukaskas is member of University of Illinois College of Medicine who on April 2, 1942, gave his report at the Statler Hotel at the 54th, annual meeting of the American Physiological Society. His report was published in the "Federation Proceedings" (Vol. I, No. 1, March 1942 (page 3). The title is "Change in the Autonomic Brain Centers after repeated electrically induced convulsions." This report can be obtained in the principal Libraries of large cities.

SUKASKAS REPORT

Herewith I wish to present part of his report to the readers of the "Vilnis" English Section in summary form and simpler language: During evolution, man's brain has developed into a master organ which has not been equalled by any other form of life. It is a master organ in all ways except one—its structure is very delicate, and it is more liable to injury than perhaps any other part of the body. Brain cells die in a few minutes, if they do not receive oxygen, or food.

Almost the only food these cells can use is sugar. In normal health, the blood carries sugar to the brain every minute of the day, and night, for the brain remains active even during sleep. Thus the body must constantly renew the supply of sugar in the blood, or else brain injury and death will certainly follow. If a person does not eat any starches or sugar, the body will change fats and even proteins (meat) into sugar. If a person does not eat at all, the body by simply breaks down its own tissues into sugar. The brain has a certain power of its own to control the blood sugar. It can send messages (nerve impulses) from the hypothalamic centers which will cause the body to either increase or decrease the supply of sugar. In normal people these brain centers will raise the blood sugar level during excitation (anger, athletic activity, etc.), but in certain types of insanity (schizophrenia) this reaction may be very weak. It has been found that many of these patients can be cured if they are given a severe electric shock.

SHOCK CAUSES CURE

It is not yet known exactly how a shock can cause a cure, but it is our theory in this laboratory that the shock stimulate the hypothalamic centers to a new activity. The centers which raise blood sugar (sympathetic centers) are excited to a degree than the centers which lower the sugar (parasympathetic centers). We have been testing this theory on lab-

Many Thousands Are Expected At Vilnis Picnic This Sunday

Thousands from Chicago-land, from nearby cities and states are expected at the VILNIS, Lithuanian Daily, picnic which takes place this Sunday at OAKS GROVE.

The newspaper's picnics, largest and colorful gatherings ever to be sponsored, this year promises to be the finest held.

By car and bus, Lithuanian-Americans galore will arrive to witness a program of entertainment which includes the Roseland Aido chorus, Cicero Women's chorus, Roseland Women's chorus, plus others. The younger generation will be tickled pink when dancing to the swaying tunes of Mickey Linon and his orchestra.

The picnic is a V FOR VICTORY affair. V also stands for VILNIS, fightingest anti-Nazi newspaper which deserves your support and the support of all Americans.

Bus Transportation

Way to get out to this massive gathering of fun and frolic is via the BLUEBIRD MOTOR BUS SERVICE. This line operates from the New Trailway Bus Terminal situated at 20 E. Randolph, makes stops at Washington and Wacker Drive, Ogden and Ashland Ave., Ogden and Western, Ogden and Kedzie, 22nd and Crawford, Cicero Ave. and 22nd St., Cicero and Archer, Airport and 63rd, Clearing, Argo, Justice, Willow Springs. Picnic goers get off at Sag Bridge, from whence truck and automobile transportation will take all direct to the grounds.

Bus service is available every hour. And the BLUEBIRD BUS SYSTEM is capable and able enough to take on all comers.

So c'mon down to a V FOR VICTORY, V FOR VILNIS picnic of the year.

oratory animals, and find that a series of electrical shocks will indeed change the balance of these brain centers in just this way. We are continuing these studies to learn what happens to the brain during other conditions which may cause shock by either reducing the sugar supply (insulin shock) or by reducing the oxygen supply (high altitude aviation).

OTHER EXPERIMENTING

Dr. Vitold Arnett-Sukaskas is also experimenting with electro-encephalograph. This machine itself is only relatively new and this writer used one in Boston State Hospital for detecting the presence and location of brain tumors and other lesions. The patient sits in a chair while a varying number of electrodes are attached to the head. These are connected with the machine and the minute electrical currents in the brain records patters or waves on



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Lith Sportsman Enters In A. A. U. Decathlon Championship Events

(Special To V. E. S.)

At the National AAU Decathlon Championships which will be held in Chicago at the Key Brand Athletic Field on June 26 to 27, at least one Lithuanian will be represented. Alphonse Gavrilauic, a machine shop instructor in River Rouge High School of Michigan, and graduate of Michigan Normal College where he starred in track in 1936-1937, will participate in the two day track affair. Each contestant will compete in ten track and field events and for each event a certain number of points are given according to the ability of the athletes in that particular event. To determine the three winners points from each of the ten events are added.

Al Gavrilauic has seen better days as a trackman, but due to the love of the sport is still at it in spite of his thirty years.

Al is married and the father of two children, a boy and a girl three and five respectively.

Incidentally Al's dad is one of the charter subscribers to the Vilnis and a firm believer in its thoughts and ideas.

a long strip of paper operating much on the principle of a ticker tape or the record of a steam gage.

The wave patterns recorded give an opportunity for diagnosis to determine just how serious the trouble is, helps in the treatments by allowing the doctor to see the results, may allow him to forecast an attack a day in advance and also indicates persons predisposed to disease but not yet suffering from seizures. This last allows for prevention treatment, might keep many persons out of occupations dangerous for them and others because of the possibility of an unexpected attack or occupation of the kind likely to aggravate the trouble. The United States government noted Dr. Vitold Arnett-Sukaskas for this work and is now using low pressure chambers to test candidate flyers. Good work Vitold, I congratulate you!

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The Tempo Rises

(From The Chicago Sun)

Landing of a great new American force in Northern Ireland fortifies the promise and heaps higher the evidence of a coming second front against Hitler. The number of troops in this convoy is not disclosed, but they were double the normal capacity of the many transports employed. There were men from every state of the Union, including thousands of Negro troops. It is a modest assumption that the total A. E. F. in Ireland now runs into the hundreds of thousands.

This is bad news for Hitler, good news for the United States, Russia, Britain, Poland, Czechoslovakia and every other nation at war with or under the heel of the Nazi aggressor. On the other side of the world, Japanese troops have landed on the far western Aleutian Islands of Attu and Kiska, undefended and close to Asia. That may be only a face-saving move by the Japs, after their disastrous defeat at Midway and repulse at Dutch Harbor in the important eastern Aleutians. If it is anything more than that, it is bad news for Russia, for it is the kind of move Japan would make before invading Siberia.

Nine Americans out of ten would give a shout of joy if Japan attacked Russia. "Now," they would say, "Russia is our ally in the Pacific. Our bombers will fly from Dutch Harbor to Vladivostok, and we will begin to get somewhere." Somebody else would shout louder for joy—Hitler. He would shout louder than nine Americans, and with better reason. Aid from Japan against Russia is the last hope for his fading fortunes.

It is possible that a Japanese attack on Russia would lead to the swift defeat of Nippon. It might have very different results. No thinking person would ask Russia to attack Japan when Russia is locked in a death struggle with our other and greater enemy, Nazi Germany.

Turn the thing around. Suppose the Nazis, following their sudden declaration of war upon the United States, had invaded North America with 5,000,000 men, and that we of this continent, after losing 2,000,000 dead, were desperately holding a defensive line from Hudson Bay to Mexico. Suppose Japan and Germany then declared war on Russia, and Russia let out a yell to us: "Help! We are attacked. Why don't you declare war on Japan?"

Yet there are thoughtless Americans who want Russia to whip the Nazis unaided and at the same time help us whip the Japs. There are other Americans—not thoughtless at all, but with sinister reasoning—who want Russia to help us smash Japan and fight to a partial victory over Hitler, then drop out of the peace conference and let the United States, Great Britain and a nicely reformed Nazi state fix the future of a semi-Fascistic world.

It isn't going to turn out that way. The United States is going to throw everything it's got into this war, on both fronts. Russia, Great Britain and the United States, standing together, are going to see to it that there isn't a grease spot left of the Nazi-Japanese-Italian Fascist system when the war is over.

FOLK DANCES OF LITHUANIA

Lengvos Kojos (nimble feet)—A fast square dance of peculiar rhythm, lately revised.

Mikita (the rod dance)—The song of this dance tells how lazy farmhands are unwilling to perform duties in the field, yet when it comes to dancing the "mikita" they are never too tired to perform it beautifully.

Kalvelis (the little smithy)—A dance originated when guilds existed. It was the dance of the black-smiths guild.

Blezdingelē (the swallow)—Since the primitive days many dances have been based on the flight of birds or the movement of animals. This one imitates the swiftly flying bird—the swallow. It often is danced in open fields in this farming land, used by farmers as an autumn dance to bid farewell to their fields until spring.

Vestuvės.—A wedding dance, modern with popular polka tune.

Siumtė Mane—One of many singing games used since earliest days by people of many countries. The song tells the adventures of little Francis, whose mother sent him to the forest to gather leaves.

Sukčius—One of the oldest dances from Dzukija, a region in Lithuania, affectionately known as "Dainava"—Land of Song. It has interesting legends, dances and songs.

Kubliat (the tub)—A fast gallop suggesting the working of the Kubilas, a tublike utensil for vegetables.

The Lithuanians have preserved not only ancient forms of speech and folk songs, but also primitive dances. Originally singing accompanied the dance, later musical instruments appeared. The national musical instruments originally were whistles, horns and a species of harp. When couple dances came in they used accordions and violins, brought from outside Lithuania.

.356 Battling Leader Plays With Albany; Jumped From C to A

Fashioning a .356 average with Hutchison of the Western Association last year, Eddie Yarmul jumped from Class C. ball to Class A as Eddie is doing the back-stopping work for Albany in the Eastern League. With this latter circuit known as pitcher's loop where hits are scarce, wonder if Eddie can keep up with his stickwork.

As We See It In Lith Circles

(With Apologies to Jan Reyhan of Glos Ludowy)
By GEORGE STARKAUSKAS

As she left Lithuania Hall, where the Pirmyn Chorus gave their annual concert, Mrs. Shimkus caught sight of her friend Mrs. Zemaitis.

"Good evening, drauge," Mrs. Shimkus greeted her friend, "how are you? Won't you join us in a friendly drink at the club room back of the hall? My man is already there."

Mrs. Zemaitis disliked the insipid woman. But music has its charms and had mellowed her to the point of tolerance. Mr. Shimkus was already at the bar with his cronies. The housewives eschewed themselves in a booth and ordered bottled beer. Her thirst quenched, and her big mouth a ring of suds, Mrs. Shimkus relapsed into her habitual whining attitude.

"My God, my God, this war will be the ruin of me. Everybody knows I'm doing my part: gave the country my daughter Julia, a nurse with the army in Ireland; I put my money in war bonds. Yet the Government in Washington is preventing me from raising rents. Tell me, drauge, is this fair? Aren't homeowners the backbone of the nation?"

Mrs. Zemaitis remained calm and composed as she contemplated the obtuse grouch. While true patriots worked themselves ragged in fighting the war, this hoggish landlady mourned because the Government insisted that tenants were human beings not to be exploited. She let the would-be profiteer have it straight from the shoulder.

".... And I, too, gave Uncle Sam a child—my Alphonas is now in Australia. We skimp to buy an extra war bond, and the small ones sacrifice their ice cream cones in order to buy war savings stamps. Yet this is but a drop in the bucket. We concentrate our efforts on national unity. My man's union went on record to unite the Allies by opening up a Western Front, pronto! And all of us in the LDS and in nationality organizations assist in every way we can to defeat Hitler. While you sit here and moan because Uncle Sam put a lid on profiteering. For shame, Mrs. Shimkus, for shame."

Mrs. Zemaitis drained her glass and continued: "When we had a win—the-war mass-meeting, you gave but lukewarm support. Then came the Russian War Relief rally in Symphony Hall, an event that even Ourtown's Chamber of Commerce endorsed. What did you do them? Stayed home because some fascist Lithuanian told you that bolshevism was our greatest danger. Drauge, doesn't common sense tell you that if the Reds don't stop Hitler, the Nazis will be bombing Ourtown someday?"

The heavy beer made Mrs. Shimkus resent less the bawling out. "I was wrong then, drauge. I know what's unity now, ever since my cousin, Dr. Prelksa spoke on the radio about Aid to Russia Day to be observed on June 22nd. I'm going out with the rest and see to it that our Lithuanian Red Army men, yes, and all Red Army men get those necessary medical supplies." Mrs. Shimkus spoke emphatically.

Mrs. Zemaitis now insisted that the drinks were on her. She beamed for the first time. "I knew you'd see the light some day. By unity we Lithuanians will soon nail Hitler in his coffin."

"Yes, yes," Mrs. Shimkus nodded. "Only why don't they leave us landlords alone? Why should the government punish us. My God, my God, and this is America."



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Inner Circles

• Joe Tysliava, fascist editor of the Brooklyn Weekly, throws a few stones at us and denies the fact which we brought out a few weeks ago . . . that representatives of a Lithuanian Jewish organization called upon him demanding that he stop publishing anti-semitism. If this was not the reason for hesitating about anti-semitic propaganda, what is? . . . We have it on good authority that those representatives had something to do with it.

• **Lithuanian Funds Have Hard Time:** We wonder whether Hon. Wendell L. Willkie, Hon. George F. Barret, Illinois Attorney General; General Charles G. Dawes, Charles S. Dewey, U. S. Congressman from Illinois; Hon. Harry M. Fisher, Judge Circuit Court, Chicago; Hon. Dwight H. Green, Governor of Illinois; Hon. Edward J. Kelley, Mayor of Chicago; Hon. John C. Lewe, Judge Superior Court, Chicago; Hon. Geo. B. McKibben, Illinois Director Finance; Hon. James E. Murray, U. S. Senator from Montana; and Prof. T. V. Smith of the Univ. of Chicago, know about the Lithuanian National Relief Fund, Department of State Registry No. 486, of which Ananas Smetona is Honorary President and to which they have lent their names forming the "honorary committee" for this fund? • The facts of the fund are: • Registered with State Department two days before Nazis attacked Lithuania. • Destination of funds collected: Germany, Bachunas. • Last year the fund collected \$4,491.81 and used \$2,443.98 of it for Administration, publicity, affairs, campaigns, etc. • Only \$867.93 was used for "relief" and that was sent to Germany! • Fifty five percent of money collected went for administration of the fund, while less than 20 percent went for relief! Yes, we wonder if they know.

• **IT WILL BE NEWS TO SOME LITHUANIANS THAT:** Several funds have been "liquidated recently, but not announced in the press. These are: • American Lithuanian Society of Washington, D. C.; Organized: March 25th, 1941; liquidated: Oct. 31, 1941. Sponsor was: Attorney Supenis. Collected: \$227.09. Spent for Administration: \$37.71. • Lithuanian Relief Committee for the Aid of Victims of Tryanny and War: Sponsors: Kl. Jurgeonis; "Counsel-General" Budrys; A. Simutis, "consular" attaché; Strumskis, liquor store owner; J. Garsva, Undertaker; A. Mikaliuskas, saloon-keeper; and J. Tysliava, fascist editor of Viennybe. Organized: February 25th, 1941; liquidated: October 31, 1941. Collected: \$129.57. Spent for relief for "aiding Lithuanians in Britain, Germany, France and Italy" \$100.00. Administration expense: \$17.55

Lithuanian Charities Institute, Inc., with headquarters in Chicago, Organized: August 20, 1941 for sending "relief" to Lithuania, England, Germany and Italy. This fund did not collect any money and did not spend any money and was liquidated on March 31, 1942. Sponsors of this fund were: Rev. S. J. Draugelis, S. Grimal, A. Rutelionis and J. J. Link.

• **THIS LEAVES BUT TWO FUNDS** currently in operation. One is the Lithuanian National Relief Fund which was described earlier. The only other fund remaining is the Lithuanian National Fund sponsored by Joseph Ginkus, Mrs. Violet Tysliava, Mrs. Helen A. Jurgela, Vincent F. Janauskas, Mrs. Anna F. Lape and Joseph G. Sagevich.

This fund was organized on December 14th, 1940, has its headquarters in Brooklyn, N. Y., and its funds are "to be sent to Lithuania." It claims that it has sent \$200 to Lithuania in 1940, but many people state that Jadyvga Tubeliene (sister of Smetona's wife) got the \$200 after her arrival in New York. It has collected \$452.84, which means that less than 50% of the money collected was "used." Twenty one dollars were spent for "relief" while \$231.84 remain in the coffers.

This is the story of the funds.

In recapitulation we find that all these funds stand as follows: Collected "Used for Relief" Balance Administration

Collected	"Used for Relief"	Balance	Administration
\$7,230.64	\$1,357.31	\$3,211.94	\$2,660.93

Taking it on a percentage basis for all funds we have:

Collected	"Used for Relief"	Balance	Administration
100%	44.4%	18.7%	36.9%

This recapitulation for all Lithuanian funds reveals that less than 19 cents of every collected dollar has been used for relief; that about 37 cents of every collected dollar was used for administrative purposes and that almost 45 cents of every collected dollar remains in the coffers of the committees.

We believe that this scandalous situation is exposed now for what it is worth. Let those who donated \$100 know that only \$18.70

Scottville Is Still Talking About Red Cross Affair

Scottville people are still talking about our recently sponsored Red Cross benefit. It is most gratifying to those of us who took part in arranging it and to those, I feel certain, who participated in the program and those who listened.

That the affair was a success there was no doubt. For the hall when taken over for a concert by the high school band being well filled, was so as our arrangement. Thanks for this outpouring goes to the Chicago artists who had such magnetic drawing power. And their performance can sure bring tears from the stoutest hearts.

Others who added their entertainment qualities to the arrangement were also wonderful. Alex Vaizela gave the needed atmosphere with his splendid voice and Lithuanian costume, while Billy Pazar of Grand Rapids didn't let his age interfere. At 14 he is an accomplished piano accordionist. He and Casimir Zilinskas, a violinist who years ago played for the last Czar of Russia and still has every bit of his skill, found it difficult to leave the stage. The applause was so demanding.

The rest of the program which included: a talk by Mr. Mazeika, manager of VILNIS, plus Rev. King who spoke in behalf of the American Red Cross was also wonderful. To us the total procedure was a new experience and showed what really could be done when all nationalities join hands in common cause—that mainly being contribution in kind in form or another toward Axis defeat.

Proceeds from the affair reached \$116.58. All was turned over to the Red Cross.

Pauline Stakenas

Boy's Club Head In Chicago Is Ready For Application

School is almost over and the Chicago Boys' Club camp at Winona Lake, Indiana, is practically waiting with open arms for the first contingent of boys from the Valentine branch club to come on down and have fun.

The first big overland bus caravan will leave on June 30, right after the last day of school. Stewart W. Knarr, manager of the Valentine Boys' Club—Chicago Boys' Club, Inc., 3400 South Emerald Avenue, is now receiving applications from any of the boys of this community, whether they are members of the club or not. Those who sign early, he says, will be able to choose their preference before quotas for the various periods are filled. A period covers 11 days.

Norman H. Cook, manager of the Lawndale branch club, will again serve as camp director. He has already arranged for his staff of assistants and has made several trips down there to get everything in apple pie order.

"I've been going down to Winona every summer for a good many years," he said yesterday, "and never have I seen our camp more beautiful than it is this year. The unusual rainfall has brought out the foliage—in a riot of all shades of green. Wild flowers are in profusion. The lake sparkles in the sun and the beach is in tip-top shape for bathing

of that hundred went for "relief"—no ones knows whom, and that \$36.90 of that hundred dollars went for "administration" expense.

Roseland Aido To Sing At Russian Relief Rally

The chorus will participate at the Russian Relief affair at the Lithuanian Auditorium tomorrow (Fri.) night. Everyone will please be at the Hall on time for a change, yeah!

What happened to most of the boys Friday night? Stan V. was there! Could it be, that you're keeping an eye on Alice???

The Pazaraskas' family spent the week at Jarusz's place (Bev. Shores) so Mrs. Muralas and Wally took a ride out Fri. night to see them.

Why didn't Palmira sing? And shame on Connie for walking out! Did you see the beautiful coffin that was built for Hitler and which Nancy R. claimed for herself?

The sand hogs went out to Bev. Shores again last Sunday even though it was chilly, (we can take it—I hope!) The boys left early, played about four games of horse shoes, thinking that they fooled the girls! But lo and behold in walk the girls at noon—that's one on us. They even stole our french fries, whatta' ya know!

Their excuse was that Connie took the wrong road and got lost in Hammon. I wonder!

Did you see Johnny R. and Wally M. go spinning down the dunes? Of course once wasn't enough, they're tough—they kept it up till they got sick. How about it Wally? Then Johnny R. talks Connie M. into trying it.

Who starts that tickling? The boys are such brutes, they hold the girls down remove their shoes and tickle the bottoms of their feet. Now ain't that mean!! Mr. Jarusz doesn't mind—we sure clean up his floors.

Anyone that didn't drink when Mr. Jausz "popped" had a cute song sung to them, something like—"Josie is a sissy" (I ain't snitchin')!

Johnny R. and Richie M. felt like Hercules so they went down to the lake and began pulling out posts to hit each other with after some wrestling. (Such cave men.)

Too bad some of the girls are laid up with poison ivy and couldn't come along this time. Dorothy R. asks "What does poison ivy look like?" and when shown trots right through it!!

Did you see how carefully Wally M. handled Dorothy's hair? You're a born Beautician. Yeah man!

Who was razzing Alice about Indians, horses and garages? Shame on us.

Stanley V. doesn't seem to realize that all ground isn't level. Gosh! You "plop" so gracefully.

Did you see the fellows and girls play football? Some fun—do we love to tackle!(wooo! wooo!) It started out as a barn dance and ended up as football! That's how we Roselanders do things.

Did you see Connie play watchmaker to Lee's wrist watch? She fixed it!!!

Joke of the day—Johnny R. takes a leaping dive to tackle Stan.—thump and plosh he missed and landed on the concrete road!!! How does it feel???

Amid the creaking of my stiff joints I waddle off in the stillness of the night.....

Duckfeet.

and swimming.

"I didn't do any fishing myself but they tell me they are snapping at anything and everything and people are catching big strings every day."

Physical Fitness For War

PHYSICAL STAMINA WILL HELP WIN

by Walter Pozer Jr.

The old theory of the "survival of the fittest" would be quite suitable for our present war against the axis. For it is absolutely correct to be physically fit both at home and at the front. The men at the front must, by all means, be perfect physical specimens if this war is to be won. It is the physical stamina that the soldiers must undergo that will show which nation has the most qualitative man power. There shall be times when the soldiers will have to suffer a great deal of hardships such as lack of supplies, weather conditions, etc. Will the soldier be able to bear the strain of these hardships? That is the important question that is facing the people of every nation at war.

The men and women who are working in the war industries at home must also be physically prepared in order to meet the demand for longer hours and speed. For, the longer hours and speed will be the chief factor in beating the axis. Men and women in the mills and the factories and on the farms must keep physically fit by spending their leisure time in some sort of activity that will be of some benefit to the well-being of the body. Recreation in industry is probably very new to the people of the United States. It is because the people of America did not foresee the tremendous effect that physical fitness would have on the outcome of a coming war. The realization of this fact is becoming evident everywhere.

Schools Introduce Courses

Colleges and Universities throughout the country are introducing physical fitness courses required of every student as a part of the curriculum. Rather than a decline in athletics, there will be a revival of athletics and sports in colleges. This revival will possibly tend toward athletics among the students rather than competition between the schools. Physical fitness courses will probably be on the same level as varsity athletics, intramurals, and corrective gymnastics.

Standards for measurement will perhaps play an important part in the developmental activities. For instance, at Purdue University, students are given tests at the beginning of each semester and at the end of each semester. The outcome of the tests will show the physical progress that each student will make during each term. The tests consist of a two-mile walk for speed, chinning from

a horizontal bar, push ups from the floor, and the height of a jump from an ordinary standing position. The rest of term will be spent in all types of heavy and light activity which are apt to improve the body.

Much Calisthenics

An extensive amount of time will be spent on calisthenics, and apparatus work. Trunk bending and deepknee bend exercises are stressed in order to improve the muscles of the abdomen and thoracic cavities.

The exercises used in the calisthenic program are carefully chosen for the benefits that can be derived. Each exercise has its own individual beneficial factor upon each singular muscle. For instance, in the push-ups from the floor, the deltoid muscle the shoulder together with the biceps of the arms will tend to carry the burden of the work while the abdomen muscles will be affected slightly.

Purdue University has also facilities for the following sports in which the physical fitness classes participate: Tennis, badminton, lawn tennis, volleyball, wrestling, boxing, gymnastics, hoop-ball, softball, cross-country

running, golf, squash, handball, swimming, diving, horse-shoe playing, touch football, and all events in track and field. By participating in as many of these sports as possible, the student will have a tendency to be affected by a general all-around development of the body. Inter-student competition usually arouses and stimulates a more intensive training program for each individual participant. It is seemingly possible that competition is a major factor in obtaining the physical fitness objectives.

Lith Organization Lead?

Can a Lithuanian organization take the lead in administering and organizing a physical fitness program among the Lithuanians or certain neighborhood group? In all probability, a good strong Lithuanian organization can make physical fitness as one of the objectives or aims of its constitution. It should most likely be an insurance organization since health and physical care is the chief concern of insurance against death. An insurance organization can benefit directly by adding physical fitness classes to its many activities. It is also a well known fact that many Lithuanian-speaking people are working in war industries and, by this program, the organization can become a means to an end.



Have You Someone

IN SERVICE?

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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More Than 20 States And 200 Mayors To Honor 'Aid Russia Day'

Governors Robert O. Blood of New Hampshire and Charles A. Edison of New Jersey, and Mayor Edward A. Connoud of Stamford, Conn., have added their names to the more than 20 governors and 200 mayors throughout the country who have proclaimed June 22 as "Aid to Russian Day."

Governor Edison was one of the speakers at a joint AFL-CIO dinner in New York on Wed., June 19, sponsored by the AFL and CIO in cooperation with the Russian War Relief committee.

New Hampshire's governor in proclaiming June 22 "Aid to Russia" day called on the people of the state to give "practical effect" to the proclamation.

...WITH OPEN HANDS

He urged that they give "with open hands for Russian war relief work," adopt "in meetings of their organizations resolutions of appreciation and friendship addressed to the Russian people," and review "in their hearts our national pledge to fight side by side with all our Allies until freedom and the rule of law and honor return once more to all of that earth."

Rounder Upper Writes:

LDS MERRY-GO-ROUND

• UNITED NATIONS' PARADE

Last Sunday's United Nations' Parade proved to be Chicago's most gigantic demonstration of unity for the defeat of the Axis forces. In the city's 109 years of existence nothing so spectacular, so colorful and great has been witnessed. Mayor Kelly led the parade afoot while various military contingents followed immediately after.

Every type of organization and group participated in this gigantic parade which lasted fifteen hours. There was a grand turnout on the part of nationalistic organizations, far surpassing the expectations of the parade arrangements committee. On this day it seemed that everybody was out to do their share for victory. Bands, clowns, floats, cheers and thousands of feminine beauties livened the parade. Many LDS'ers participated in the march, others watched.

• SPEED UP DRAMA IN BRANCHES

To date only three Chicago branches have officially announced that they are presenting a play for the forthcoming LDS National Drama Tournament, which will take place during convention week of the association. It is very important that other localities fall in step, such as Rockford, Roseland. Please do not delay as the convention arrangements committee must know promptly just how many groups will participate. We have to arrange time limit and the sooner guarantees come through, that much better can preparations move ahead. Those drama groups which are already organized, should give their respective drama director their fullest cooperation.

• CAUGHT BY THE EYE AND EAR

It took the Chicago LDS Sorority sisters to lead the Lithuanian contingent that participated in the United Nations' Day Parade this past Sunday. Aldona Pavelonis, Mary Shimkus and Frances Yurgil of the Sparks alternated in the carrying of the huge American flag. Pyllis Raisins of the Monarchs and another sister carried the English flag, while Jushka of Bridgeport held aloft the red banner of the Soviet Union. Frank Kuchinskas of the Redwings and Rudolph Baranikas of the Sparks carried the huge banner containing the words "Lithuanians". Garbed in red coats the Andrew Twins marched with a young chap in tow.

Many persons were chilled by the winds of the lake during parade proceedings. However as soon as the regular march began everyone worked up perspiration. The float prepared by Mr. Misevich of Roseland took the crowd by surprise. In black crepe cloth, the float depicted a coffin with words to the effect of "Hitler in 1942." Mary Shimkus asked Joe Satchel if he was going to ride in the coffin. Throughout the parade he and Mr. Misevich rode in the float. Kirk thought he'd warm up with hot dogs. He was surprised to find the "dogs" uncooked and cold. The Gold Dust Twins, Stelle Bedokis and Anne Savukas did their bit in the parade by singing with the Cicero Women's chorus. In a decorated truck, John and Anne Peters rode down Michigan ave. Tex Zebraitis rested on a curbstone waiting for the Lithuanian contingent to move. Meanwhile John Chesna, his brudder-in-law, took movies of the parade.

• ON THE SIDE

As yet Tony Urbikas of the Redwings is unable to do justice to a steak. He had his tonsils yanked. Tis heard that Kay Michelson of the LDS National Youth Committee is to wed. Anne Shestokas, a Spark member, has a brother leaving for the army.

• SPORTS AND THE CONVENTION

The fellows of the branches better hurry up their softball arrangements. Time is growing short. Grounds have been taken for the Midwest LDS Softball tourney and all that is required now is a "whoop-up" on the part of those that are expected to participate. The same holds true for the National golf tourney. Here the girls need a bit of whooping-up, also.

• DELEGATE ELECTIONS

Some branches fell short of delegate elections to the LDS National Youth Conference. Branches meeting the forepart of the coming month should make sure that their complete quota of representatives are selected.

2,000 LITHUANIANS MARCH IN CHICAGO "UNITED NATIONS' PARADE"; PRO-NAZI LITHS GO INTO HIDING

By JOSEPH SACAL

A torrent of flags poured down Chicago's Michigan Avenue this past Sunday, a star spangled river carrying hundreds of thousands of Chicagoans with it in the greatest parade, the greatest civic emotional experience, the greatest demonstration of unity and patriotism the city of Chicago has ever seen.

INSURE YOUR HOME AGAINST HITLER!



BUY WAR SAVINGS BONDS & STAMPS

The streets rang with the music of bands from early morning until late into the night, resounded to the tread of marching feet and the rumble of floats and trucks and Army jeeps and guns. It was a parade that lasted fifteen hours, a "United Nations Parade for Victory." It was a parade in which participated nearly a million Chicago men and women and boys and girls.

Some two thousand Lithuanian-Americans, heads high, marched along the lengthy avenue. In trade union contingents, in the separate Lithuanian contingent they traversed the line of march singing, shouting and expressing their determined will that Hitlerism will be crushed and Lithuania and the world freed from tyranny.

NO PLACE FOR FASCISTS

The Lithuanian contingent was no place for Lithuanian fascists on this day. And this element was conspicuous by its absence. There was no representation from the pro-Nazi "Naujienos," "Draugas" or other suchlike newspapers. To these gentlemen this demonstration, of united might for axis defeat was a fearful thought. They played it down in their newspapers, killed the idea of participation of element that they held some sway over. "Naujienos" for instance boosted a picnic for the day.

WIPE THAT SNEER OFF HIS FACE!



BUY WAR SAVINGS BONDS & STAMPS

But only a minute fraction of Chicago's Lithuanians paid attention to the boycott-like action of pro-Nazi

element. This was verified when over five hundred strong, gathered to make up the Lithuanian contingent; a contingent which included such groups as the Association of Lithuanian Workers, Lithuanian Literature Society, LKM Chorus, Aido Chorus, Cicero Women's Chorus and others.

LED BY L.D.S. GIRLS

Led by the Chicago LDS Girl's Sorority carrying flags of three nations, Great Britain, Soviet Union and of course our country's flag; followed by a huge banner describing to the public what contingent they were witnessing, after which came a gigantic float in utter black the top of which depicted a coffin with these words "Hitler in 1942," plus "Lithuanians United for Victory Over Axis," the contingent received the cheers of thousands lining the avenue while the flags of the United Nations received salutes from legionaries, policemen, the reviewing stand and general public.

Lithuanian national songs, American patriotic pieces sung in Lithuanian by members of the Aido Chorus, Cicero Women's Chorus, LKM Chorus members, met with handclaps from the viewing audience as the contingent passed. The public sensed the spirit of Lithuanian-Americans in this unity march, sensed it in the form that we sense the spirit and courage of brother Lithuanian Red Army men who are dying so that Lithuania again shall be free.



LITHUANIA'S FLAG FLIES

The voices of appeasement were missing from this, the largest parade held in the nation. Missing were the Lithuanian pro-Nazis. And the appeaser newspaper, disruptive newspaper, the Chicago Tribune which sets the pace for Lith pro-Nazis was represented with an insignificant float. The attitude of Chicago on this day as regards the voices of Hitler was demonstrated when the CIO contingent from the McCormack plant, several thousand strong, heiled the Tribune Tower with outstretched arm. Chicago's Lithuanian fascists received the same bid when the flag of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics to which Lithuania attached itself prior to the Nazi invasion, waved triumphantly, flauntingly in the face of those who had secretly hoped for a swastika and still do.

That this element is doomed to disappointment was demonstrated throughout the parade. For out of this parade comes a determined will of the people, of Lithuanians, for the immediate invasion of the European continent, for the opening of a 2nd Land Front, for the defeat of Axis and all its cohorts in the year 1942.