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This tapestry — "The Panorama Of Life — was on Exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair in 1933. It is claimed that this is the largest weaving of its kind in the world. Surely the designer must have had the defense of the Constitution in mind when he created this work.

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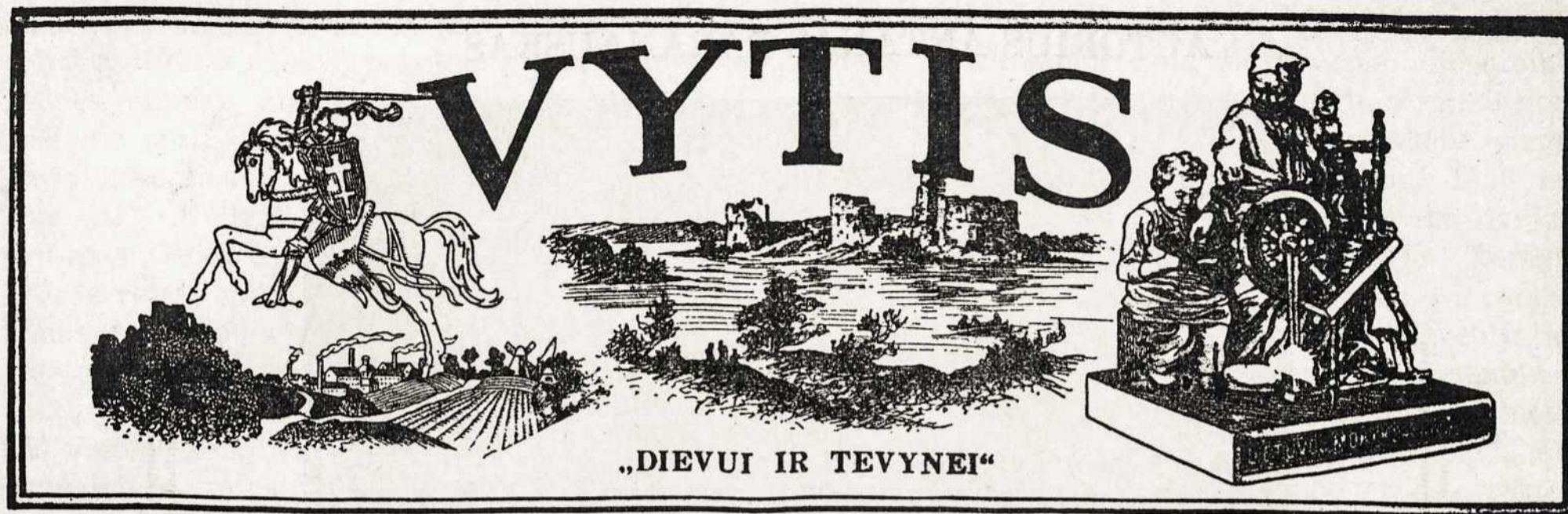
Dora spauda — tikra palaima.

Veikloje ir stropioje jaunystėje yra įrašytas ilgos ir laimingos senatvės įkaitas.

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## TO THE KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF LITHUANIA:

Another annual convention has passed, and the Knights of Lithuania are faced in the forthcoming year with many problems. There have been many new ideas expressed at the national convention, some of which I intend to take up with the membership at large through the medium of our Journal, from time to time.

May I at this time thank the delegates of the past convention for having vested me with the great honor of heading our great body of Lithuanian-Catholic Youth. I have accepted the responsibility of this position, only after due thought concerning the position that the KNIGHTS OF LITHUANIA occupy in lives of the Catholic Lithuanian-Americans and the position that we should occupy in American life.

Probably the first thing that one does after being elected to an office is to set forth one's policy. Here is mine:

I, believe that the Knights of Lithuania should take such action from time to time as might be necessary to protect the rights of people and groups professing the same faith as you and I. We see all around us at the present time bold and satanic attempts to undermine those rights that the Catholic action has gained throughout long periods of trial and tribulation. We have seen the nefarious hand of foreign influences working in America to discredit all the good that has been done, and the attempts to set up false Gods and worship of materialism. It is up to us as true Knights of old to boldly and forcefully deny all that is contrary to our belief. We must at this time combine our forces together with the forces of other tried and good men and women and strike; strike with such fervor that the might of right shall be felt by all. Open profession of Faith must be practiced by all of us. Our voices must be

raised in unison for that which is good. Are you with me?

I, believe that the Knights of Lithuania must again retrieve that which has been our rightful heritage; Sports. I, believe that the Knights of Lithuania should sponsor sports on a national scale so that our position in this field shall never again be threatened. The Knights have developed a clean sport record, having in the meanwhile developed many good men in various branches of sports. I believe that the Knights should start this coming year with a national sports Olympiad. Are you with me?

I, believe that the debt of the Center must be funded, not in the next twenty-five years, NOW. If we are to be an organization desiring to live the normal life we must at all times be cognizant of our financial obligations. There are many ways that our Bonds and other debts can be funded. The Center is taking that matter up as it comes along. We need the cooperation of the members at large and our friends. Will you help?

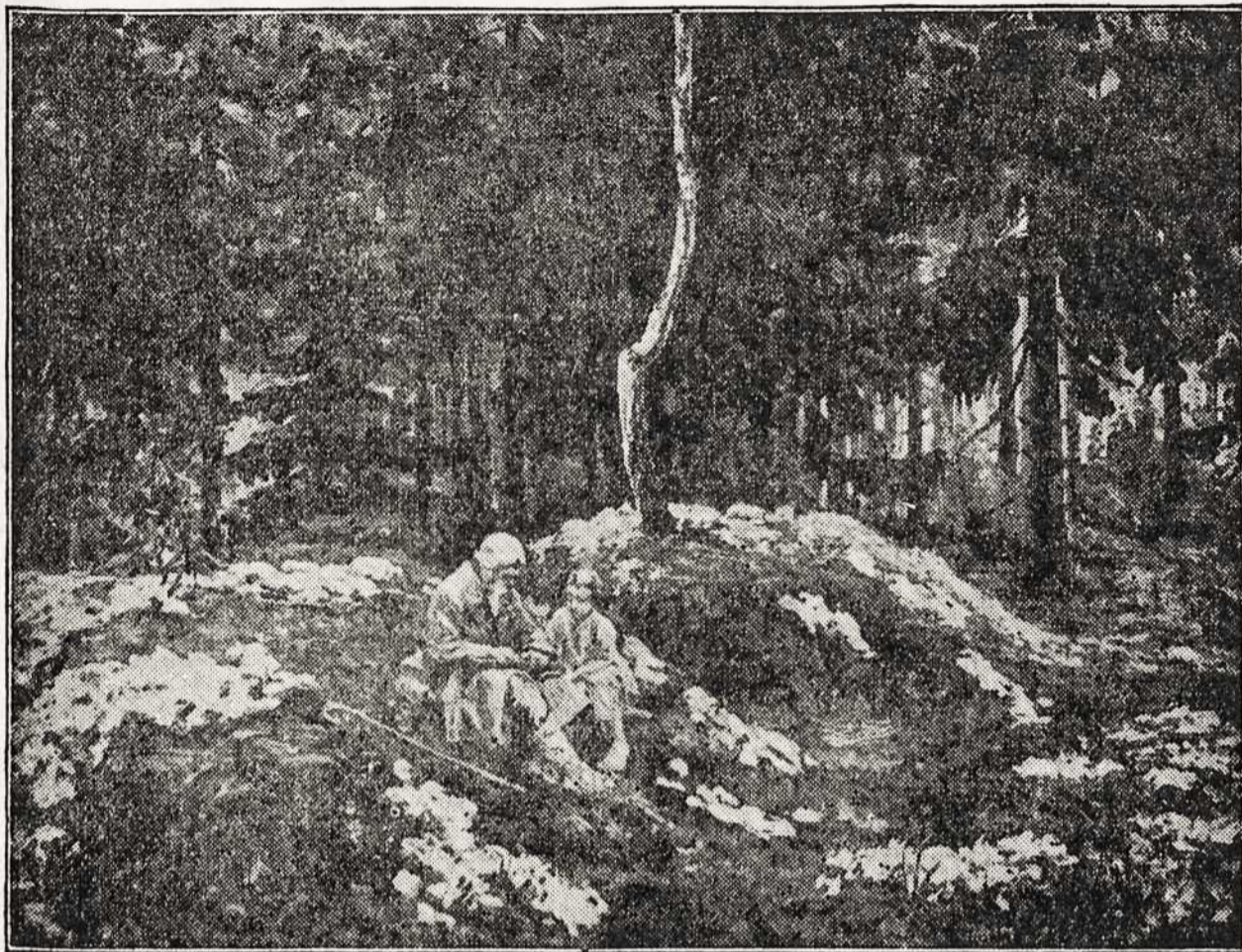
Perhaps there will be criticism of me for the use of English in my first statement. To those of you who may be offended, I say Bear With Me, I have done so to get what I had in mind, across to the greatest number of the members, who, I think read and understand English a little better than Lithuanian.

With these three thoughts, I leave you, hoping that the entire membership will assist the Center Executive Board with every means at their disposal to solve these problems and any others that may come our way. If we seek honor let us seek it as a group and not as individuals, only then shall our motto for "God and Country" be definitely realized.

Fraternally yours,

Charles F. Paulauskas, Jr.

## AUTORIUS ANTANAS BARANAUSKAS



Vyčiams patariama susipažinti su tėviškės rašytojais ir aiškiau suprasti jų kurinius. Mums ypatingai privaloma nagrinėti šių garsuolių mūsų tautos literatų darbai daugumoj vaizdinant brangiausios tėvynės praeitį be dabartinį laikotarpį. Čia randas aprašomos dominančios pasakos liečiant kaimiečių paprastąjį bet kilnų gyvenimą. Galima tiksliai orientuotis jų būdu, papročiais, kasdieniniu gyvenimu. Artimiau girdėsias ūkininkų linksmi balsai besiskleidžiant po išstisus laukus. Nakties metu vykstančioje bakužėje, regėsime rytmečio stropiai dirbančiuosius kaimiečius dabar džiaugsmingai pritariant džiuginančiai melodijai. Panašiai galima rasti iš baudžiovos laikų užrašus nupiešusius Rusų valdžios žiaurumą nelaimingiems mūsų protėviams. Jausime tas nepakenčiamas bei nepakeliamas rekvizicijas kitakartais apsunkinančias mūsų brangiąją tėvynę. Išgirsti maldaujantį Vilniaus skausmingąjį balsą, pajusti josios gyventojų didžią nuoskriaudą, kentėti nežmoniškąją bei neįmanomą apdraudą, teks mumyse išiskėpinti liūdnos tikrovės išikūnijimas beskaitant apie Vilniaus gyvenimą po tironišką priešų diktatūrą.

Mūsų rašytojai daugumai mums žinoma, esą daug kentėję, nemaža jie išsižadėjo kol sėkmingai įvykdino įamžintąją jų kurybą. Šiandien mes esame laisvi, galime veikti su lik savo noru: Suvėržiama kitataučių slėgiamoji jėga nepaliečia mus. Gyvenimas mums nepabrėžtas, ku-

pinas laisvės bei prieinamųjų sąlygų. Jei tie žymi literatai sugabo sėkmingai mumis perduoti amžiams gyvuojančiuosius kurinius, tai kam mes 20-tos gadynės Lietuvių jaunimas visa tai neįvertiname? Dabar įvairiose knygose tebėra mūsų tautos rašytojų darbai. Reikia tik pasigerinti ir naudotis.

Jei kas iš mūsų liktume apdovanoti didžiu turtu, žinomas faktas kad atydžiai mes jį dabosime, nes tai turis didžios vertės ir nelengvai įsigyjamas. Koks asmuo pavojui esant negintų savo nuosavybę? Esu įsitikinęs kad nesirastų žmogus pilnai trokštantis nuosavybės pražūtis. Šiandien mus gręse didis pavojus kursai ryžiasi panaikinti šiame krašte visa tai kas mums yra brangu. Jau dabar jaučiama mūsų tarpe sutautėjimo įtaka. Vis tolyn mes šalinamės nuo įgimtosios kalbos, savanoriškai išsižadėdami jos dėl viešpataujančio žargono. Mumis nežavėjo lietuvių kalba nes ją tik paviršutiniai težinome. Ar teisėtina galime pasmerkti mylimąją kalbą užtai kad neįstengeme ją pažinti?

Brangūs skaitytojai! Neįsižadėk to ko vėliau apgailestausi. Įpareiguok savę tiksliai suprasti Lietuviškai - kalbėti ir rašyti. Taip-gi nepamiršk skatyt įbrangintą mūsų tautosaką kuri spindi gabių literatų neišnykstančiomis pastangomis.

Antanas Baranauskas gimė Jurizdikoje 1835 m. Jojo tėvai buvo bežemės proletarai, didžiai vargingi ir nebesugabo užtikrinti sūnaus ateitį.

Jam vos sulaukiant trečius metus, mylimieji tėveliai apleido šią ašarų pakalnę. Nuliūdime paskendęs, silpnas vaikutis ilgai neramavo. Jisai našlaitis pasiliko be apsaugos, be brangiųjų augintojų, be atsargių auklėtojų. Kas dabar daryt? Kur eiti? Neilgai krintėsė mažutėlis, nes likosi priimtas Dėdės Steikūno pusvalakėje kur augo skurde retai tematydamas geresnius laikus. Steikūnas nors būdamas gailestingas žmogus nebegalėjo aprūpinti Antanuką, nes turėjo penkėtą vaikų ir liguistą žmoną. Tad Baranauskas nuo pat mažens kentė neturto našta: per dienas jisai ganė bandą, mirkti lietuj, stidenti šaltyj.

Iš jaunystės Antanas rodęs nepaprastu berniuku ir vos turįs 15-kos metų jau sakydavo draugams piemenims pamokslus, vis stengėsi dainuoti, nors balsas jam buvo neišlavintas, šiurkštus. 1845 metais, Antanas įstojo į parapiinę Anykščių mokyklą kurioje dėstė Rusas Labedievas. Mokytojas pasergėjęs jog mažiuokas Antanas sąžiningai imasi mokslo, ypač aritmetikos, įgaliojo jam prefekto teises, būtent: nubausti visus gaišinančius laiką. Tais laikais parapiinėse mokyklose vyresnieji studentai buvo mokomi Rusiškai, o mažesnieji Lenkiškai. Kadangi Rusai pedagogai ir administratoriai Lietuvoj iki 1863 m. buvo sulenkėję, liepdavo rytmetines ir vakarines maldas įstaigose skaityti iš Lenkiškų maldaknygių.

Padaręs pavyzdingą nuotaiką Anykščių mokykloj, Antanas likosi vieno kunigo pamiltas ir jam užtariant, persikėlė į Rumšiškės (ties Kaunu). Čia buvo rengiami valsčiaus raštininkai kurie vėliau taps Rusų valdžios tarnyboj. Antanas išėjęs iš namų buvo labai maldingas ir nekartais jį draugai razdavo koplyčioj besimeldžiant. Jisai nuolat jautė pašaukimą kunigybtės, išeiti seminariją, bet didis neturtas darė tai neįmanoma. Svajodamas apie tai, Antanas nemaža kankinos, nes pasilikti tik valsčiaus raštininku nebenorėjo. Laike nuliūdima, Baranauskas imdavosi eilių rašymu ir nepraleido vieno įvykio pirma jį nesueiliavęs rašte.

1853 m. baigęs Rumšiškės mokyklą, Antanas Baranauskas nenoromis išėjo raštininkauti į "Palatą" kur parašė "Atsisveikinimas Su Rumšiške." Vėliau buvo iškeltas į Raseinius kaipo Vainuto ap. valsčiaus raštininko padėjėjo. Raseiniuose Antanas išbuvo vienerius metus susipažindamas su Karolina Praniauskyte, sediške bajore ir žinoma lenkų rašytoja, seserimi garsaus preloto Otono Praniauskio, mylimiausio vysk. Valančiaus draugas ir sekretorius. Antanas pajutęs nedariąs jokios pažangos būdamas rašti-

nėse visiškai nustojo vilties būsiąs kuomi ateityje. Pažindama gilių Baranausko dievotumą ir senąjį jojo ketinimą būti kunigu, Praniauskytė įkalbinėjo Antanui mesti raštininkėlio vietą. Įdrasintas gerosios draugės įsitikimu, 1856 m. stoja į Varnių seminariją, išbūdamas ten dvejus metus. 1858 m. atsidūrė Petrapilyje kunigų Akademijoj kur baigdamas aukštus mokslus įsigyjęs Teologijos Magistro laipsnį. Išventintas kunigu, Baranauskas likosi išsiųstas užsieniuose tolimesniam mokslui. Jam sugrįžus porą metų vėliau, tapo profesoriauti Petrapilį. Čia ilgai neišbuvo, nes susigynęs su akademijos rektorium, atsisakęs profesoriavimą grįžo į savo vyskupiją kur pasiliko Vysk. Valančiaus katedros vikaru lik 1867 m. Vėliau pakviestas dėstyti Lietuvių kalbą Kauno kunigų Seminarijoj, išbūdamas čia kelioliką metų. 1879 metais pateko į katedros Kapitulą Kanauninku; o 1884 m. buvo pakeltas Žemaičių pasyskupiū. 1889 m. tapo Seinų vyskupu, pavyskupavęs nepilnai penkius metus, pasimirė 1902 m. lapkričio 13 (26) dieną ir ten likosi palaidotas Seinų Katedros bažnyčioj.

#### *Karakterio Bruožai*

Antanas Baranauskas ėjo Lenkų mokslą ir šiek tiek buvo persisunkęs jų dvasia, bet vis aukštai palaikė Lietuvių kalbą. Prof. Fr. Kuršaitis garsus litvanologas nekartais pam prikišo kad nebesugebąs Lietuvių kalbos smagumą jausti. Baranauskas šitaip teisinosi:

"Pirmieji tiesos spinduliai mano prote Lietuviškai man krutinę sušildė ir sudrebino. Mano močiutė Lietuviškai supdama liūliavo, auklėtoja Lietuviškai pasakas sakydavo. Pirmosios dainos Lietuviškai man širdį kliudė. Lenkiškos kalbos neveikiai išmokau, 17 metų turėdamas, dar netikusiai Lenkiškai kalbėjau." Ir klausia: "O delko gi ausys p. Kuršaičio neapsitrunkė nuo Vokiškos kalbos? Delko gi Tamstos ir kitų Lietuviškos kalbos mylėtojų ausys paminėtus smagumus numano, nors neseniai didžiūma iš vienu knygų jos teišmokot, nors motutė jų, kūdikiais esant, Lietuviškai nežadino?"

Baranauskas visados buvo susirūpinęs, nes ką nors dirbąs, skaitąs, ir rašąs, nelaiku tuos darbus nusitverdama ir nebenorėdamas jų beišleisti, užsimastęs pamiršdavo apsišvarinti, dažnai būdamas pasišiaušęs, nesišukavęs.

J. Šliūpas vadinaš kunigiškąjį Baranausko uolumą "aitriu fanatizmu." Religijos dalykuose,

Baranauskas kaip Valančius, Baresnevičius, Paliulionis, nežinojo ne mažiausių kompromisų, politikos ir net kultūros dalykuose tesėdamas nukrypti kartais labai toli.

Savo vyskupijoje Baranauskas pragarsėjęs filosofas visados tėviškai dabojo Žemaičių kunigus. “Kunigams ne mokslo reikia, tiksliai uolybės tarnauti Bažnyčiai” Baranauskas galėjo taip sakyti, tačiau jisai kitaip manė, nes pats mokėsi per visą savo amžių.

#### *Smulkioji Poezija*

Antanas Baranauskas tebebūdamas dar Akademiku garsiai pragarsėjo Lietuvoje šventoms giesmėmis: Bet šioje srytyj jam nesekmingiausia sekėsi, nes dainų posmai dalyse buvo nesuprantomi ir turėjo nemažą rangytų išrungojimų. Matydamas jog nevaisingas darbas, Baranauskas daugiau neberašė religinių giesmių. Jisai tik prie jų tesugrįžo į galą savo amžiaus.

#### *Labiausiai Pakenčiamosios Antano Baranausko dainos*

Dievo pieva, Atsisveikinimas, Varginamoji Lietuva, Maldos jėga, Geri arkliai, Paskutinis žodis, Naujų madų iškeikimas, Senovės giesmė, Svetimaj šalelėj.

“Varginamoji Lietuva” tai populiariausioji šio autoriaus giesmė kuri Lietuviams suteikė didžiausios reikšmės, nes jos žodžiai stiprina katalikus tikėjime, o paskui Lietuviškoj tautybėj.

#### *Anykščių Šilelis*

Autorius šį poezijos kūrinį vadina “Giesmė”. Ją yra parašęs per du atvėju, atostogu metu, sugrįždamas iš Petrapilio Akademijos į Anykščius. Čia silsėdamas nuo mokslo, Baranauskas parašė Šilelio pirmąją pusę, t. y. nuo pradžios net lig žodžiams “Oi būdavo būdavo iš mūsų šilelio.” Kitą dalį užbaigė sekančią vasarą 1859 m.

“Anykščių Šilelis” tai yra įkvėpimo giesmė, kurioj skamba ir pinasi du vyriausi jausmai: džiaugsmas ir skausmas. Čia Baranauskas tiksliausiai įrodinėjo giesmininko paslaptis: ką pats regi, liepia regėti ir matyti taip, kaip jis mato.

Pirmąją dalį rašydamas, Baranauskas neturėjo talento ir jokio pažinimo — versifikacijos ir kritikos. Vedamas vieno įgimtojo talento, jisai atrado tikrąjį kelią savo vardą nemariu palikti tarp tautiečių. “Anykščių Šilelyje” poezijos forma tobulumas, dėstis, žodžių skambėjimas, veikia taip kaip muzika. Toji taip vadinama autoriaus “Giesmė” likosi anuo amžiaus poetiniu židiniu ir nenustojusi didžios savos vertės.

#### *Baranausko Dvasiškiųjų Giesmių Chronologija*

Parašytos Seinuose 1898 m.

Graudūs Verksmai

Advento Giesmė

Skaisčiausioji Gražiausioji (Giesmė į Panelę Švenčiausią)

Velykų Giesmė (Linksmą Dieną Mums Prašvito)

O Motina Sopulinga.

Parašytos Seinuose 1899 m.

Piemenėliams Vargdienėliams

Veni Creator Spiritus

Psalmas XLV, Dievas Mūsų Prėbiega

Parašytos Seinuose 1900 m.

Piemenys, Piemenys, Betliejun Bėgo

Stabat Mater.

Šiek tiek susipažinę su Baranausko jaunyste, gyvenimu, darbuote, įvertinime mūsų Ganytojo pajėgas beskaitydami Jojo kurinius.

*Petras J. Venšlauskas, L. K.*

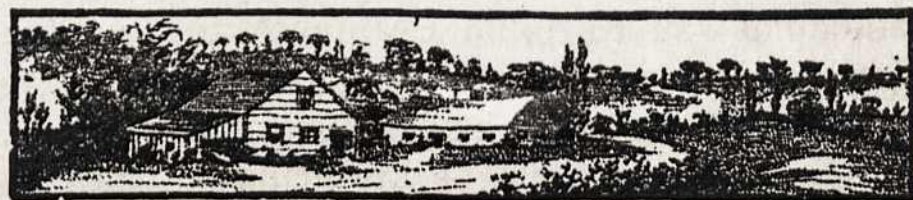
## PATAISYMAS SEIMO PROTOKOLO

Rezoliucija 10-ta kaip talpina Vytyj yra nepilna: “Jeigu Vytis apsiveda su svetimtaute — ar ji gali buti Lietuvos Vyčių organizacijos narė? Paliktas kuopų nuožiurai”. Seimas nutarė kad kaip ta komplikacija įvyksta, kuopa turi Centro Valdybai pateikti problemą su pilnais paaiškinimais ir tik visiems Centro Valdybos nariams ištyrus giliai šį klausimą, Centras duoda atsakymą kuopai, ir kuopa tuo turi būti patenkinta.

## PAAIŠKINIMAS

Penktoj dalyj priimto Ritualo, užvardintas: “Ritualo Komisija”, pirmas paragrafas skamba: “Laipsnių ir ritualo darbą tvarkyti yra steigiama nuolatinė trijų narių Ritualo Komisija. Pirmam seime renkami vienas trims metams, antras dviems metams, ir trečias vienam metui, o sekančiuose seimuose yra darenkamas vienas narys trims metams užimti vieta nario kurio terminas užsibaigė”. Todėl Kun. M. Urbonavičius yra išrinktas trims metams, Kazys Stulgaitis dviem metams ir Jonas Juozaitis vieniems metams.

*Irena J. Pakeltytė, Seimo Raštininkė.*



practical idealist. This idealistic nature created in him a passionate interest in God and His Will, coupled with a striving to be a friend to his fellow men. For that reason one found him to become immediately impatient with untruths and unnecessary frivolities, and at the same time, interested in his friends' activities and ideas.

Walter valued education and was securing it through his own efforts, although ironically enough, circumstances had combined against him to detain him from going to college. During grammar school days he cultivated an interest in radio which gradually led him to the study of electricity in general and to the application of electronics to television and the electric organ. During the third and fourth years of his high school term, Wally's family found itself in difficult straits, forcing him to work long hours each day after school hours. Nevertheless he still found time, in the wee small hours of the mornings, to keep up his studies of advanced electricity. Finally the strain of prolonged study took effect on his eyes forcing him to cut down his nerve wracking schedule, and prohibited him from entertaining any immediate plans for a formal education.

In the meantime, he was assembling ideas for a somewhat revolutionary internal combustion engine, various television improvements, and an electrical organ invention. The latter idea occurred simultaneously to a young electrical engineer in Kansas and Walter gave it up; the engineer patented the invention. While he was looking for a source of money to carry out his experimental ideas, he built a hydroplane and a canoe. The latter figuring in the present tragedy.

Finding a little time last fall Walter joined Council 24 and became involved in the Convention preparations and led the enthusiasts in the membership drive. From the results of the latter, he himself was mildly surprised to find that he alone had signed up 66 fully paid members. The Convention and the interim following is open history to everyone.

Council 24 extends its deepest regards of sympathy to Walter's mother and sisters in their bereavement. The Council lost a member whose interests in behalf of the organization have never been equalled and never will be surpassed — the family lost its only son.

Editor's note — Council 24 has suspended all its plans both social and organizational for a period of three months out of a regard of sympathy on the loss of its member.

A. † A.

### LIUDVIKAS TENZIS



Su skaudžia L. Tenzio mirtimi pereitą mėnesį, Lietuvos Vyčių Chicagos Apskričio Choras neteko vieno iš žymiausių savo solistų. Jo pasiaukojimas organizacijai bus ilgai neužmirštatis. Kaip tankiai jam reikėjo prisirengti prie sunkios rolės trumpu laiku, ir visados išpildydavo kuogražiausiai.

Apie penkius metus (1929-1934) pirmininkavo "Dainos" chorui, tame laike kada jis buvo silpniausias. Per jo vadavimą choras atsigavo ir dar smarkiai tebegyvuoja. Sunku bus chorui be jo apseiti, pasigesime jo tenoro balso, jo vieta niekados nebus užimta.



**SUPREME COUNCIL FINANCIAL  
SECRETARY REPORTS RECEIPTS  
JULY, 1938**

Chicago, Ill.	C-24	\$7.50
Chicago, Ill.	C-24	8.90
So. Boston, Mass.	C-17	5.12
Dayton, Ohio	C-96	3.14
Kearny-Harrison, N. J.	C-90	1.70
Springfield, Ill.	C-48	3.65
Great Neck, N. Y.	C-109	8.40
Jersey City, N. J.	C-124	1.80
Chicago, Ill.	C-36	2.60
Maspeth, N. Y.	C-110	3.30
Dayton, Ohio	C-96	7.50
Chicago, Ill.	C-5	6.60
Chicago, Ill.	C-112	7.20
Newark, N. J.	C-29	4.80
Kenosha, Wis.	C-38	1.00
Maspeth, N. Y.	C-110	.25
So. Worcester, Mass.	C-116	11.30
Norwood, Mass.	C-27	3.00
Cicero, Ill.	C-14	3.00
Chicago, Ill.	C-24	1.48
Springfield, Ill.	C-48	.60
Waterbury, Conn.	C-7	6.40
Brooklyn, N. Y.	C-41	1.80
Paterson, N. J.	C-61	17.10
Bayonne, N. J.	C-67	.60
Worcester, Mass.	C-26	5.31

**Anastasia M. Varanis.**

**AUGUST, 1938**

Maspeth, N. Y.	C-110	\$2.60
Hudson, Mass.	C-127	4.40
Kearny-Harrison, N. J.	C-90	7.60
Brooklyn, N. Y.	C-41	2.40
So. Boston, Mass.	C-17	5.60
Worcester, Mass.	C-26	6.75
Newark, N. J.	C-28	.70
So. Worcester, Mass.	C-116	9.00
Elizabeth, N. J.	C-52	5.57
Dayton, Ohio	C-96	3.59
Jersey City, N. J.	C-124	1.65
Chicago, Illinois	C-112	2.80

**Anastasia M. Varanis.**

**COUNCIL 23 — PHILADELPHIA,  
PENNA.**

The members of Council 23 wish to express their congratulation to Leon Macionis for the great success he has attained in the Lithuanian Olympics. I would also like to add that his brother John (United States Olympic swimmer) will become a member of our council this fall.

Our council chorus, consisting of 90 members, are invited to take part at the New York World's Fair. All the members are asked to attend our first meeting of the season on September 12th. We will decide on definite plans for the first anniversary banquet of Council 23. The matter of the dance will also be taken up; the contest too.

**Ed. Urban.**

**CENTRO PROTOKOLŲ RAŠTININKĖS PRANEŠIMAI**

Chicagos Dalis Centro Valdybos laikė posėdį Antradienį, Rugsėjo 6 d., 1938 m. Ši mėnesį sekan tieji Centro Valdybos nariai prisiuntė savo mėnesinius raportus: Kazys Paulauskas, Pranas Gudelis, Viktoras Babilas, ir Juozas Glebauskas.

Buvo prisiūsta A. Mažeiko raportas, kurį prisiuntė po seimo, buvo perskaitytas ir priimtas, bet buvo patėmijimas, kad nebuvo finansinio raporto.

Buvo nutarta kad bus daugiau paaikšyta apie apdraudą, scholarship fund, ir athletic board į ateinantį "Vytį".

Nutarta kad visų metų Vytis padaryti į bendrą knygą ir prašom visų Vyčių kuri turi labai senas kopijas prisiusti jas Joseph C. Peters, kuris tą tvarkys.

Sekantieji prisiuntė aprašinėjimus del Vyties: Charles Paulauskas ir Charles Bason.

**Bronė Rimkus,**

Centro Protokolų Raštininkė.

**MEMORIES OF CHICAGO, FROM  
THE NEWARK, N. J.  
DELEGATION**

Now that the 1938 National Convention is history, all we have left are memories, and what pleasant memories they are. Ah!...

The first pleasant memory — the manner in which we were greeted when we arrived in Chicago, near the witching hour of midnight, August 6th. We were warmly received at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peters, and there we met the whole convention committee. Uncle Mike, are you listening?

The way the young people spoke Lithuanian, was like music to the ears. Such pure Lithuanian! you'd think that they just arrived from Lithuania. Bravo to you people! During our stay in Chicago, we seldom spoke English, that's how the "atmosphere" got us. Too bad, we weren't able to stay a while longer, we might have learned how to speak good Lithuanian like the Chicagoans.

Even though the delegates had differences of opinion during the business sessions of the Convention, this was all forgotten at the social events in the evenings. We trust everything is "peaches and cream" by now.

Those evening social events. What memories! What memories! The moonlight sail . . . Darius & Girėnas monument at night, ah!... The banquet at the Hotel Chicagoan . . . paging Eddie Meyers! . . . after the banquet . . . Shoreland Hotel and ——— . . . you're killing me!

Other pleasant thoughts — Riding around and seeing Chicago by night in ———???? . . . Lake Michigan in the moonlight . . . Singing songs of a "Rushing" nature . . . who can forget sayings such as, "What'll you have for a wash", "yeah! yeah! yeah! yeah!"



The noonday meals at the Jucus Sisters restaurant. Tikrai Lietuviškai! Kopūstų, barščių, ruginės duonos. What meals! Oh waitress! make that four orders. Thank you Mrs. Stulpin for those autographed books of the lives of Darius and Girėnas.

Our pleasant relations with the delegates from all the different councils is one memory that can't be erased. We never met a finer group of people, and trust that we will see one another for some time to come.

Our visit to the Marian Fathers Seminary at Hinsdale, Illinois, was another high spot. There we were pleasantly surprised at seeing one of our own Newark boys, Brother Barauskas. We were shown through the College, and passed a delightful hour there, which unfortunately passed by too rapidly.

We would like to take this opportunity of thanking Mr. and Mrs. Petraitis, and their daughters Bernice and Mary, and son Stanley; also Mr. and Mrs. Glebauskas and their son Joseph. These two families at whose homes, our group were fortunate to stay while in Chicago, made us feel like we were immediate members of the family, from the moment of our arrival, to the time of our departure. We will never forget the hospitality shown to us, words cannot adequately express our feeling, and so simply say, "Labai Ačiu už viską".

We bow low to Council 24 for the wonderful treatment which was extended to us. All of it's members went out of their way to supply our every whim, no matter how trivial. Orchids to you Council 24, and to Mr. J. C. Peters, your Convention chairman, who saw to it that things ran smoothly all the time. We would also like to thank Father M. Urbonavičius, M. I. C., spiritual advisor of Council 24, for all the courtesies extended to us.

To the members of the other Councils of the Chicago District it was our pleasure to meet, is another pleasant memory that will never leave us. Also the people of Chicago whom we met in our limited stay, their kindness is something to remember. Everybody, everywhere, we met, were so nice and cordial to us.

It was difficult to say goodbye, and start back for Newark, after the marvelous time we had during our stay in Chicago. Several times on the journey back, we almost turned around to head back to good old "Chicago". The city of Chicago will always be in our thoughts, and we trust that someday in the near future, we'll be able to return there. Chicago, we salute you!

One final thought, here's hoping to see all our friends from the 1938 convention, at the 1939 convention, in Kearny, N. J. Long live the Knights of Lithuania!

Jonas, Juozas, ir Kazys.

#### KEARNY & HARRISON, COUNCIL 90

Our regular meeting was held on Friday September 2, due to the fact that our regular date was a holiday. We welcome into our midst the following new members: Charles Makarauskas, Matthew Sluzis, Leo Kancius and Joseph Alec.

Peter Velevas was elected captain of the married mens bowling team and John Cooper captain of the single mens team. There promises to be some keen competition between these teams to prove which is the best team. So if you want to see some fun, watch for the matches between these two teams of ours.

We learned some very interesting, as well as amusing, facts about Lithuania when the our Lithuanian Olympiad team came home. Charles Lutkus described his trip and sojourn at our meeting and we enjoyed it very much. The boys, namely, Charles Lutkus, Peter Yankauskas and Ted Stanish came home with all track honors they won from the Lithuanians. Congratulations, boys, we're glad to see you back with honor for the Americans Lithuanians, and the Knights of Lithuania.

A social was given to welcome home our convention representatives, and also to honor Charles Paulauskas who came home as National Chairman of the Knights of Lithuania. Congratulations to Charlie, and we're proud to have such a personage in our midst.

Our council is growing rapidly, and now that we have such a distinguished member, there is no stopping us.

The boat ride was a howling success and all who sailed away on that bright and sunny morning enjoyed themselves immensely doing the big apple, and eating to their heart's content. (The moonlight wasn't so bad, was it?)

Attention all New York and New Jersey Councils. Our Fall Dance on October 8, 1938 promises to be bigger and better than ever before. What with the all-girl committee working so hard to make the dance an elaborate success (as only girls can). Don't forget the date. October 8, at the New Casino Ballroom, 56-8 Harrison Ave., Harrison, N. J. Dance to the strains of Karl Hagen and his Orchestra. Tickets are only 50 cents. Hope we see you all there.

Famous sayings by famous people.

"Now isn't that a fact" ..... Cassy  
"Wait a minute, let's get this straight" ..... Willie  
"I break my pants" ..... Adam  
"You know what I mean" Pete, V.  
"Do you know WHAT" Veronica K.  
"Gee whiz" ..... Sue

That's all folks, till next month.

**Snoop the Snoop.**

### ATTENTION!

COUNCIL 90

Announces its

**FALL DANCE**

**October 8, 1938**

at the

**NEW CASINO BALLROOM**

**56-8 Harrison Ave.,**

**Harrison, N. J.**

Music by

**Karl Hagen and his Orchestra**

Tickets 50 cents.

**GREAT NECK, LONG ISLAND  
LODGE 109**

Dearest Anne,

We know it's been quite some time since our last letter but with so many doings it has almost been impossible to take time off for even this bit of correspondence. Yes, we certainly had a grand summer but are looking forward with eagerness toward the coming season and are preparing for greater activity.

About 20 of our members drove over to Jones Beach August 14th in Stanley Bukurt's and Al Wesey's station wagons and spent the whole day loafing getting kissed by Old Sol and indulging in that tasty salt water and sand mixture. The Bukurt carload after leaving the beach lingered on at Westbury where "24 oz." glasses of beer were the attraction. Then we all got together at the Great Neck Beach where we cleaned off the remaining Jones Beach sand and guess where we finally landed? At Stevenson's in Sea Cliff, that famous rendezvous on the water where our "junior set" always dine and dance. What a marvelous time. The following week everybody had a "peeling" good time. The ever popular greeting was "How are you peeling"? The gals are all gorgeously sun-tanned.

The annual parish bazaar was held that same week and some of the gang helped in the booths. Quite a few of our members were lucky winners, including Frances Zorski who won liquor, John Masulis (the lucky stiff) won \$50.00. As he was not on the grounds when his ticket was drawn, but indulging in a glass of beer in a nearby bar and grill, he only received \$50, otherwise he would have obtained the \$100. That was an expensive beer wasn't it. Charles Budris won a velocipede (three wheeler) for his little boy, Charles, Jr. Wasn't that nice? As usual, we didn't even win a box of candy. Some people have all the luck. But we did have fun. Mary Wesey was in all her glory every nite and her heart was all aflutter because a certain someone was present each nite she was there, You remember her, don't you Anne? She's the sister of our president, Al Wesey.

Our new season started off with

a very very informal meeting September 1st in our newly decorated clubrooms. The new household committee, Frances Glatke, Babs Blusonis, Mary Wesey and Anne Bart certainly did wonders. But the boys deserve loads of credit for doing such a wonderful job of painting. The color scheme is a knockout. Red brick floor, and blue and white walls and white ceiling. But you should see the curtains. They're adorable. Blue with white sailboats. We're holding the clubrooms open every nite and each and everyone is invited to come in and inspect them. Father Donovan, our pastor had the outside of the bldg. renovated and painted. We sure are proud of our place.

The organization is increasing rapidly. Three new members were added to our "junior set" namely, Frank Krauch, Stanley Sosaris, and Frank Bandelowicz. This makes a total of about 15 in our "junior set", since April. Who said we didn't have many boys in the club? They, I believe, outnumber the girls now.

The members finally gave birth to the idea to have Al Wesey's yellow taxi (station wagon) be our K of L limousine. Won't that be grand? So the club is planning to do some high and mighty motoring around to the neighboring lodge dance. We'll probably be seeing you in Newark or Elizabeth or Bayonne sometime. Don't be surprised.

We roving reporters went scouting around town recently to gather news and views and encountered the Bart girls, Anne and Amelia taking a jaunt to the beach. They cut cute figures. Johnny Zorski ("ladies" man) sporting a straw katie coming home from business. Anne Sosaris and Anne Karris, inseperables, dressed strikingly in slacks strolling down to Linda's house for a dance committee meeting. Millie Kens in the company of that N. Y. U. man again. Charlie Budris giving little Charlie, Jr. lessons on how to steer a coaster wagon. And Millie, his wife, looking grand as ever with a new uplift hair style. Mary Lazaunik faithfully practicing her game of tennis. Frannie "vištuk" Glatke smiling away at her work. Albie Lazaunik as usual fixing a

flat tire on his car. Mary Rusas driving right past us but no sign of recognition.

"Cot" Yuska, our ever popular sargeant at arms walking his well-known "Kity" Monohan home. Bernice Kardas with a great big "Hello" as we roving reporters drove by.

In your last letter you asked about certain members but we never see them around or maybe were not as observant as we should be but there will come a day when they will be caught unawares and we shall mention them in our letter.

It's about time to close this letter, Anne, but please don't forget our dance to be held Saturday, October 15th, at the Community House, Third St. & Stoner Ave., Great Neck, Yes, it is going to be semi-formal. And can you imagine, it never fails. We were almost gypped out of our selected date again, as we understood Maspeth had also picked that date. But we learned our lesson the last time and before we selected the 15th we wrote to our district secretary and found out it was open. So, we'll be seeing you the 15th. Throwaways are enclosed for you to distribute. Another letter next month.

Lovingly,

**Loopie & Snoopie.**

**Fourth semi-annual** **semi-formal**

**DANCE**

sponsored by

**Knights Of Lithuania**

**GREAT NECK, L. I.  
LODGE 109**

**October 15, 1938**

at

**COMMUNITY HOUSE  
(near r. r. station)**

**Third St. & Stoner Ave.  
Great Neck, L. I.**

featuring:

**GEORGE HILDERBRAND &  
HIS RHYTHM KINGS**

**Don't Forget**

**Oct. 15, 1938**

**COUNCIL 55 — INDIANA  
HARBOR, INDIANA**

Oh dear, what can the matter be? It just seems that there is no news for me. I will give you all I have and if the news column isn't long enough, Alice, you will have to contribute some news for next month.

Reverend Bičkauskas has returned from the Sacred Heart Sanitarium where he has been convalescing. We're sure glad to have him with us again.

Charles Koszys and Jerry Yocis have returned home from a week's vacation to the southern states. You should hear their southern drawl, girls.

Kate Laucis and Helen Strunskis, our two delegates to the convention, had a grand time during the three day stay, so they decided to extend their visit for a few more days. Who where they girls?

The members wish to extend their deepest sympathies to the ill members of the club. They are: Mary Mikalauskas, Ann Waitkus, Bernice Grimaila, Estelle Yurgutis, and Gus Mikalauskas. Hurry and get well, we miss you all.

We were just wondering why Indiana Harbor was so peaceful and our wondering was solved when we heard that Peter Genis was away vacationing in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

John Avelis and John Kolas are anxious to further their knowledge, so they will leave our midst this fall to attend college. What will our basketball team do without you boys?

Boy oh boy, you should have heard Mr. Glemza give a speech the other day! We didn't know he was so good at oration. After he was through, he had to awaken the choir members so he could hold a rehearsal.

Hey, Pete Kasper, come out of your hiding place for awhile. Someone was looking for you one Friday.

Just another word to the fellows and girls who graduated school this June, come to the meeting next month and join up with us.

So long, **Josie.**

V. y t i s —

**SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.  
17tos Alg. Kp.**

Delegatai sugryžo iš seimo, pilni išpuodžių, entuziazmo, ir su pasiryžimu kuo daugiausia veikti mūsų kuopoj. Daug papasakojo apie jų kelionę į Chicagą, ir apie gražų priėmimą jų laike Seimo. Be abejonės taip viskas ir pavyko. Chicagiečiai yra labai vaišingi. Išvykę buvo M. Matuzaitė, Ant. Gaputis, A. Marksaitė, ir J. Varnas. Matuzaitė ir Gaputis gražų raportą išdavė pereinam susirinkime.

Narys, Jonas Griciunas susituokė su p-le O. Janulevičiute. Linkime gražiausio gyvenimo, ir viso ko.

Pirm. Pranas Razvadauskas, po virš dviejų mėnesių ligoninėj, sugrižo į namus ir vėl darbuojasi tarpe mūsų. Esame labai dėkingi delei jo nenuilstančios darbuotės Vyčių labui.

Stud. A. Jakštis, mūsų narys, sugrižo į namus delei pora dienų atostogų. Linkime "Al" kad neužilgo pasiliktu Bostone ant vietos.

Kuopa rengiasi prie didelio išvažiavimo ant jūrų (Fishing Sail), kuris įvyks rugsėjo 18 d., Keiley's Landing South Boston, Mass. Visos kuopos yra kviečiamos kartu su mumis praleisti linksmą dieną. Laivas pasamdytas tiktai delei mūsų ir mūsų kitų kolonijų Vyčių, ir jų draugams, ir tėveliams.

Vytė O. Pateskaitė šiomis dienomis susižiedavo su Fred Bisson. Vestuvės bus apie lapkričio mėnesį. Sveikinu, judu.

Gyvenimas pilnas surprizų!!!

Artinasi ruduo, baigiasi atostogai, ir vėl Vyčiai į darbą. Tą mes ir mylime.

**A. E. L.**

**COUNCIL 110 — MASPETH,  
NEW YORK.**

How about turning back the pages of time and reviewing some of the good times we all had together. Let us go back to a cool Spring eve in May, the night before Decoration Day, May 29th, 1938 — the night of our Spring Dance. That night for us Maspethonians was just as exciting and as busy with preparations as Christmas eve is to Santa: worrying if the weather will be clear, whether you'll enjoy the music, if the hall will suit your taste, hoping everybody will have an unforgettable evening of enjoyment.

All these thoughts gradually lead up to our committee who are feverishly making preparations for our coming fall Dance. The date is October 15, 1938, the place — Brooklyn Central Palace, the address — 16 Manhattan Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. We enjoyed being your hosts on May 29th, may we have the pleasure of renewing this enjoyment on October 15th.

A Happy Birthday to our Sewing Circle Club whose Third Anniversary will be celebrated on September 30th. Being a real asset to the Club, the sewing circle is comprised of most of the girls of the club. They meet every Monday at different homes to do their sewing and knitting (?) and discuss the welfare of the council from the women's point of view. May we at this time extend our thanks to you for wonderful cooperation and helpful support given the council in its past affairs.

Al and Victor Thomas, our delegates to the Convention, who motored up to Chicago to attend the 26th National Convention reported many exciting and interesting experiences.

A movie short entitled "Electrifying New York", furnished through the courtesy of the Brooklyn Edison Company, was previewed at the Church hall on September 8th by the members and their friends. Presenting different sights of New York, as pictured in the night time, proved real interesting and entertaining. A social affair followed the show and climaxed a well spent evening.

May your time be our time on October 15, 1938. Adios, till then,

**Don Juan.**

Your Time Will Be Our Time  
at  
**COUNCIL 110'S  
FALL DANCE**  
on  
**October 15, 1938**  
at the  
**BROOKLYN CENTRAL  
PALACE**  
16 Manhattan Avenue,  
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

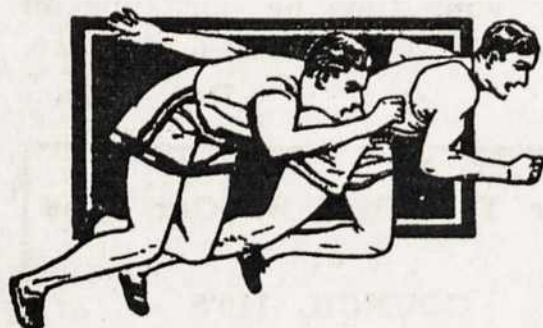
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**COUNCIL 96 — DAYTON, OHIO.**

My! Oh! My! haven't things been going in fine fashion. These summer months get under your skin, and they sure got your correspondent. He's finally writing a column, and does he love it.

The convention took up a great deal of some of the members' time. The delegates all gave very fine, fine, fine reports. A good time was had by all, and we are wondering when Joe (Augie) August is going to quit talking about the southern hospitality that he enjoyed over Karwales' home. It seems that a couple of Misses H. S. and K. L. from Ind. Harbor, have gotten two of the boys running around in circles. Who was the bright one who pulled the one about fiesta and siesta? Ah, and what ever struck Johnny M. that he liked opera, could it have been Irene of the big city? La, la, la! And my weren't those films of the 25th convention in our town the berries. Thanks to the kind work of Joe Peters. For the benefit of those who didn't get to see them, Joe promised to stop in Dayton on his way to the next convention and show them. So you'll just have to wait.

Yes! There was something of great importance going on the other Sunday at Helke's Riverview Track. Our 2nd Annual "Field Day" was held. That certain man from U. of Dayton, Johnny Scott, won the laurels of the day with a total of 20 points and Helen Keydozius, the fair sex part of the affair, with 25 pts. Other, won in the following events, with ribbons as rewards.

**MEN**

100 yd dash — Scott  
Shot put — Golick  
Broad jump — Alexinas  
Cross country run — Scott  
Base-ball throw — Vanagas  
Fat men's race — F. Gudelis

**WOMEN**

50 yd dash — Ann Scott  
Broad jump — Keydozius

3 legged race — Keydozius and A. Scott

Base-ball throw — Keydozius  
Cross country run — A. Scott

One of the features of the afternoon was the ball-game between "Kavy's Kittens" and "Scott's Sisses" and what a ball-game. Fight, pull-hair and kick. The game ended in a tie, as the umpire Ann Scott held up the game, to settle an argument, leaving for home to get a rule book, and didn't return. But, the highlight of the day was the "Polo match." The Brutes, little Joe, Zackey, and Augie, played the Brutes Kavy, Vaitkus, and Monas, with a croquet set. The outcome was one broken mallet. Our hats off to the Athletic Committee for the fine arrangement.

Don't forget you Detroiters that we will be expecting you down for the big "Athletic Club Dance." So until then. I'll be swinging along.  
**Stanley.**

**COUNCIL 52 — ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY**

While the people of the world are relaxing and thinking of the wonderful time they had during the summer months, the members of Council 52 are thinking of all the things that they have accomplished in the past year since it's reorganization September 27, 1937.

**Memory Lane**

For instance the first dance, this council gave and a big success it was, the pleasure of bowling with other councils at home, the socials after bowling, the yearly Communion Breakfast and Convention attending dances given by other councils, looking forward to going bowling out of town on Sundays, meeting the best of the best kind of people, who are always jolly, happy and friendly, and who always make you right at home even though you're miles away, and our old friend Dan Cupid also mixed in with our members. Remember that folks? We do.

**Ačiū Broliai Vyčiai**

Members of Council 52 want to thank all councils of New York and New Jersey district for the cooperation you have given us during the past year, by attending our social affairs, by doing that you have helped us make a name for the Lithuanian people

in this town and kept the Lithuanian youth together. We hope you attend our social affairs this coming year as you have in the past. Ačiū broliai Vyčiai.

**Welcome Home**

Our little big man of the club Shorty Peck, came home with honors from Lithuania and was he glad to set foot on good old U. S. A. that he kissed the ground when he landed. First things Shorty did when he got home had a nice glass of Elizabeth's famous milk, and walked down Ripley place with a smile on his face from here to the North Pole. Do you blame him????

**Sports**

Our boys came back from Paterson with the game right in their laps. Nice going boys. Keep it up. They are now tie for first place in the K of L League.

**Hats Off To The Committee Men Of 1937**

Our beloved Spiritual Advisor Father Michael Kemezis who is a true friend and advisor of ever member in this council.

Frank Yankin — President — who meant strictly business and nothing else.

Jenny Dapkus — Vice President — who attended ever meeting and listened carefully.

Ambassador Adolph Dobar — recording secretary — who always had his minutes on the P. Q.

Leocadia Mickiewicz — Financial secretary — who reminded you it was time for dues again.

Tony Barcas — Treasurer — always kept his figures straight and you couldn't fool him.

Joseph Dugan — boys' sports chairman — who worked hard to keep the boys active.

as did

Tony Yankin — girls' sports chairman.

Albert Mack — Social chairman — who saw to it that all the socials would be a success.

Tony Pinkien our own Producer who coached our minstrel and made a grand job of it.

Hats off to you all.

**Susie's Column**

What great athlete was seen riding on a bus to the dock? I always thought they preferred walking to riding. My mistake... Jenny Dapkus is doing a bit of worrying these days? Wonder

why???? Walter Budrecki was blue on the Parish Excursion cause his Newark Blonde wasn't there. Who's the certain boy who can't make up his mind between the blonde and brunette, both out of town . . . Ronnie and Locadia looked cute wading, with their skirts practically in the water at the Parish Excursion . . . When buying a soda, ask Betty to give you a straw, she has an odd way of giving it to you, Odd, I'LL SAY . . . Wonder why all our boys are coming to see all the weddings in church, are they starting to practice up little by little . . . Wonder when those three boys will take the steps to the altar . . . What do you say lets get going . . . Shorty Oskutis does alright all by himself when his girl friends is out of town . . . As does a brunette when her boy friend is out of town also . . .

Little Susie.

#### NEWS FROM SO. WORCESTER COUNCIL 116

Hello — hello everybody. Here I am back again and just managed to worm into the swing of things to catch many a soul unawares, so woe is to them.

Zero hour approaches — all along the front word passes, "The attack begins soon." Are you all set to reach that objective? Yes sir, 9 P. M. on October 7th — over the top with everybody and the drive is straight for our main objective, Hotel Bancroft's main ballroom, where all can help in celebrating our council's 10th anniversary dance. The attack will last until 1 o'clock in the morning and boy, oh boy — to cheer us on to victory is Dol Brissette and his radio orchestra, who will back up our spirit with sweet, pleasing tunes. The price of enlistment? Just enough to guarantee our covering of expenses and equipment, \$1.65 per couple. This gives you the freedom of the battle field. So come on and celebrate a glorious achievement. Remember — Zero hour is October 7th.

Now that the final activity for the summer season is over, I wonder what the club will bring forth for the fall? The beach outing was a grand climax for the summer and glancing backwards we recall — that 70 members left for the shore, while a

few were left behind — but remember the stress put on "What time the group was to leave." The blowout on Bus Nr. 1 not only gave a bit of a rest period, but also a chance for a little exhibition and still the white line couldn't be moved—eh Charlie? Overheard — "Boys only 12 to a locker, plenty of room." The All American football team swept into action until the Narragansett reserves were called out. Boy — what material for some Knute Rockne. Missing — between 3 and 5 o'clock—people—oh where, oh where could they have been? "And were those capitalists jealous when we paid them a visit" — Tony "Strongarm" T. Homeward bound and the 2 cupids began to sling their arrows hitting everyone but themselves. After all should I go and tell everything?

Softball players (ha-ha). With the team (?) enthused by their 22 to 21 victory — they marched down to Hartford, 12 strong to show the might of Worcester. Reception over, the bitter feud began in the form of a double-header. Historical day, August 27 news flashes back to the home town — "Never admitting defeat until the last one struck out — Council 116 was narrowly beaten by scores of 18 to 4 and 10 to 7. (And such a build-up I gave them). Manager-coach Tony White comments on game to press: "We were robbed and anyhow the trip down knocked us out of stride. But wait until we meet them on our home grounds. Look at what happened to our waterboy — no waterboy no winnings so ho-hum.

So even the officers of the club cannot get the entire dope on some of the activities being planned for the autumn season. Is it fair I ask?  
Deffodil Dan.

**OVER THE TOP**  
To  
**COUNCIL 116's**  
**10th Anniversary Dance**  
**SATURDAY,**  
**October 7th, 1938**  
**Hotel Bancroft**  
**WORCESTER, MASS.**  
**DOL BRISSETTE**  
**And His Radio Orchestra**  
Zero Hour 9 P.M. \$1.65 per Couple

#### COUNCIL 66 — OMAHA, NEBRASKA

Hi There. Our regular columnist, Frances Lukas, has left for Lincoln where she will enroll in Nebraska University and has left us to carry on. So, bear with me ..... here goes.

Farmers with smiles from ear to ear could be seen dancing quadrilles with the female members at a Weiner Roast held on August 6 at Plattsmouth. Did I hear "what about the male members?" well, we-uns ain't a-sayin'.

It was a lovely night. The moon was shining brightly. A cool breeze hummed along. "Pa Wilkens" had chaperoned his ten knights to Peony Park. All was lovely and serene ..... even the look on Frances Lukas's face when the others found out she knew what a canopy was. All of a sudden-like Charles Kusleika made a startling discovery. Under the table with the sawdust was the empty skeleton of old "Pa". A ..... mystery. Solution; Leo Stuper was in a "Stupor". Funeral dirges sung were "Kaipgi Gražus" and "Gerkim po Mažiuką", the latter being most impressive when led by Carolyn Balkus.

For weeks inhabitants of South Omaha recognized a Knight by "Wanna buy a chance?" But alas (I mean goody) the interrogation is no more. For when Frank Traynovicz wrote his name in Genevieve Macaites's book, little did he realize that on August 8 he would become the sole owner of the lovely, little radio.

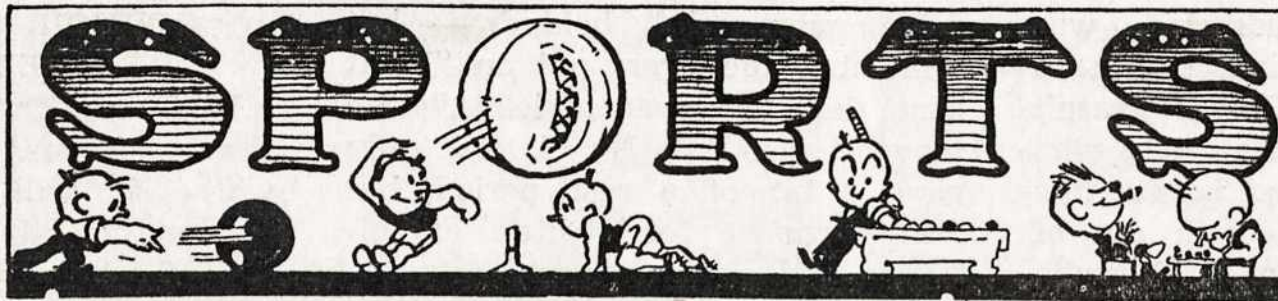
Why has Bill alias Lil' Abner Yokum commenced to attend meetings more regularly? Could Frances alias Daisy Mae Scragg be the lovely reason?

When a group of Knights visited our president, Felix Smolsky, in the hospital, he welcomed them with a tell-tale smile. Could it be the nurse with the ..... shhhhhh ..... big feet?

Orchids to Genevieve Macaitis, our most zealous worker. No, we don't want a quarter, Gen.

There was a note of anxiety in Tillie Balter's tone when she asked "Who is all coming from Chicago?" So just to help out ..... "Willie, come on out".

With the Labor Day festivities just over there'll be a lot of juicy dope for you next month. So until then,  
Lee.



## ON THE SPORT PAGE

with ADOLPH DOBAR

While baseball is taking that hurried fadeout, another gentle and fascinating sport is moving in for a chance with its short and interesting debut, football; collegiate, professional and sandlot assortments.

This strange spectacle that takes place in Autumn is not as strange as it seems to be unless strange things occur to make it a spectacle.

Year in and out, the generalissimos of the gridirons have to make repairs to plug up the holes made by the graduating stars. Mentors of the country's leading elevens keep a sharp lookout for interesting prospects; future All-Americans and wholesome toters of that famed oblate spheroid. This year's pigskin parade will start in the same manner as of the past, coaches will pull their last curly locks off their heads, bench consistent line plungers and do more worrying than an old chicken over her eggs. All in all, what the football fans and experts might make out of this rigamaroo is definitely put in a bag speared with a large question mark.

We say the question mark because the layout for the maulers of the gridiron is undetermined, the players who, before entering college might have a little so-called secret up their sleeves. Each college team will have one or two members on the downfall stride; money players, players who were accustomed to professional ball before school time. The main factor for failure of a collegiate outfit is this cause. The nation's outstanding ball players know that if they have played either semi or professional football they cannot play for a college eleven. If accepted on a squad and the heads not knowing this, and identity is brought about near the end of the school's schedule, the player, undoubtedly will be the laughing stock of football's realm, not only the player but the coach and faculty of the school.

Two years ago an investigation was held in the Mid-West regarding some semi-pro collegians. This brought about one of the hottest sessions in college football, it was hotter than the late Texas Guinan's burlesque shows. One of the leading institutions recruited A-1 football players to double up the winnings to lead the team on to victory. An investigation was staged and the team was still marching, the rumpus indicated a foul tip on the coach's part. He batted out of turn on account of taking the player's word, that he, the player, did not play pro ball. The

chap used an assumed name only to be identified by one of Saturday's millions.

Before Thanksgiving Day rolls around, the football players will wind up their performance on the gridiron, selections for the country's best will be picked, bids for the Rose Bowl will be out, but, the why, the who, and etc. is to be classified as the best is beyond our determination. A fact remains, that the "professional" collegiate's team will not be incited to any bowl, not even the dust bowl, firmly because of the money-player who toted the football just for business and not glory.

### IN THE QUESTION BOX

Mississippi Gambler from Detroit:

Classify the four Kings by their proper names as, David, Alexander, Caesar, and Charlemagne.

Miss Helen V.:

The largest football crowd on record was 112,912 at the Notre Dame — So. California game in your fair city of Chicago, November 16, 1929. Thanx for your information, great stuff; will do same for you. Better write to one of your dailies for other material, give them a break, all Chicago scribes are nice fellows, didn't you know?

### DISTRICT HOT SHOTS

Patsy Kline, former pugilist from Newark insists upon All (Eliz) Mack to turn in the cauliflower row—as the future white hope, heh, heh, watta hope . . . Martis family from Linden, N. J. have a bowling team with all brothers. Just another large Lithuanian family in the sports whirligig . . . Basketball at its best: the Quakers from Philadelphia who trounced the Flatbushers from Brooklyn in a floi-floi contest last May, want to move to the New England District for their contests . . . Cholly Bason, please note: What's this about the softball tournament taking a very fast fadeout, is this going to happen to bowling and basketball? Better get the brains of your outfit for a clean shakeup . . . Toss another stone thru the window . . . Can you people name the leading golfers who are Lithuanians? Sure we can, but can you? . . . New addition to our famed group is Al Lechowskas (Leach) from Cleveland who is going to turn pro . . . Bloomfield's added attraction is Johnny Kinder, pro at Plainfield Country Club, state pro and amateur champ of New Jersey. Oh yes, thanx girls for the compliments, sohhy, am booked up with dates with one very "special-special", unnerstan?

**THE CONVENTION  
N. Y. & N. J. DISTRICT  
DELEGATES**

Before they had been long in Chicago, delegates and visitors to the 26th Annual National Convention were wondering if it were not only better, but easier, to give than to receive. So lavish was the hospitality of our Chicago Knights, that acceptance of the multitudinous courtesies extended became a problem, but an extremely pleasant one. The solution, unanimously adopted, was to relax, put yourself completely in the hands of your hosts, and permit them to guide you gently and graciously, through three or four of the most enjoyable days. Here in Chicago, realization not only equaled but surpassed anticipation. We left the Windy City reluctantly, as one would leave home, with the feeling that our welcome had not been merely for the duration of the Convention, but that it would always remain awaiting our return some day to that friendliest of friendly cities. To delegates and visitors, their days in Chicago are more than memorable; they are unforgettable. That just about sums up the general sentiment of the delegates and visitors. The arrangements were flawless and all that were fortunate enough to be present for all or any part of the program will be willing to give credit for the perfect weather conditions, along with everything else, to Council 24's Convention Committee.

Charles E. Bason.

**KNIGHTS OF LITHUANIA  
ATHLETIC BOARD**

The Knights of Lithuania 26th Convention elected an Athletic Board consisting of five members to promote and acquaint the members in various sport activities, to sponsor tournaments, leagues, and National Tournaments and Meets before each Convention; to prepare our organization for the Silver Jubilee Celebration of Lithuanian's Independence in 1944 with National Olympics in Lithuania.

Each Council will be given fullest cooperation to arrange for out-of-town or city and city meets or games in various branches of sports.

Your council would like to be

among the leaders, why not get in touch with these individuals and render your suggestions?

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Vic Babel 31 Folan Ave., Norwood, Mass.

Joseph Goldikas 2004 Leo St., Dayton, Ohio.

John Žostautas 2356 So. Oakley Ave., Chicago, Ill. or

James R. Cherry (Vyšniauskas) 3632 West 40th Street, Chicago, Ill.

**COUNCIL 67 — BAYONNE, N. J.**

Four of our members have returned from Chicago as guests from The National K of L Convention, after having spent a wonderful time there. Mr. Frank (Whitey) Žemaitis was elected as a Marshal for the Convention Sessions and Miss Julia F. Šedvydis served on the Reception Committee, as well as a speaker at the Darius and Girėnas Monument, where all the delegates and guests paid their tribute to these two deceased flyers and also place a wreath which the delegates and guests of The New York and Jersey District K of L bought. Miss Šedvydis also was an honorary guest and speaker at the Banquet. The four of us extend our sincere thanks to the members of Council 24 for the courtesies extended to us during our stay in Chicago and want to congratulate them for the cooperative and efficient manner in which everything was conducted. We also want to thank the committee for securing the Darius and Girėnas Books as a memento which were indeed appreciated.

(Ed. note — these were donated by Mrs. Stulpinas — Darius sister).

We also send our Congratulations and Best Wishes for their Wedded Life to Andy Puplis and his wife who were recently married. We certainly are looking forward to seeing all of you at the National K of L Convention in Kearny, New Jersey next year and can really assure you that will be some grand reunion.

Now that the summer has gone by and after postponing two of our affairs, we finally settled down to work. Plans are completed for the Barn Dance which is to be held at St. Michael's Parish Hall on Saturday, September 19, 1938 for the benefit of the Parish. A prize will be awarded to the young lady having the most wedding rings as well as many other novelties. Miss Anne Novitt is

the Chairman of this affair assisted by Miss Alice Marcine, Miss Anne Žemaitis, Miss Anne Demitus, John Novitt, Gilbert Vanagas and Frank Miske.

Our Bus Ride on Saturday, September 17th to the Mardi Gras at Coney Island was postponed in order to cooperate with the Elizabeth K of L who are sponsoring a Dance that same evening.

Plans are being completed for our annual fall dance which is to be a Hawaiian Affair, to be held on Saturday November 5, 1938 at the Mt. Carmel Lyceum Ball Room with Joe Pollack and his Station W. A. A. T. Popular Hawaiian Band. Miss Alice Marcine is the Chairman assisted by Miss Julia Šedvydis, Anne Žemaitis (The Three Muskeeters) Gilbert Vanagas and Dominick Pocus. The committee is working hard to make this a grand affair socially and financially, and hope to see all of the Councils represented that night.

Mr. Peter Miske has resigned as Sports Chairman and Mr. John Novitt was elected as the new Sports Chairman for the men. Our club voted to contribute three dollars to the Christmas Issue of the "Vytyis" and voted down the Scholarship Fund. We also discussed the Debt of the K of L Press and that was dropped for the time being, especially since the next District K of L Convention is being held in Bayonne sometime in October. Dramatics were next in order and after much discussion selected a committee for this purpose which meet soon. Any of our members interested in Dramatics will please get in touch with either Miss Ann Novitt or Miss Alice Marcine.

Father John Masilius, Spiritual Advisor of the Brooklyn Council No. 41 dropped in for a while and addressed the Club. An invitation was extended to all our members to attend their Open House Night, which is held every Tuesday evening at The Parish Hall and the council decided to go together soon.

Plans are also in progress for a Dinner Dance to be held some time in January. Miss Nellie Puda, Adele Karmen, Gilbert Vanagas, and Dominick Pocus are the committee in charge of this affair.

Hasta Luego.

Anne Howe.

ANNA MAE SHALNA



A few more days and another "Vacant Apartment" sign in Chicago will be taken down because of the formation of a new family — Mr. and Mrs. Steven C. Lachawicz.

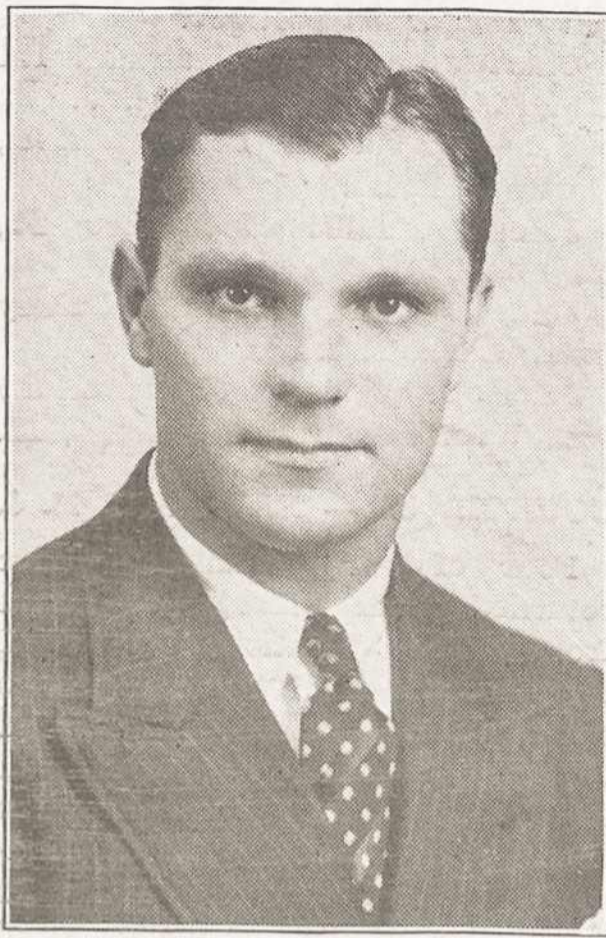
On September 24th Steve Lachawicz will take Anna Mae Shalna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Waskelis of 4431 South Artesian avenue as his bride at the Immaculate Conception church, 44th and Fairfield ave. The

#### COUNCIL 8 — CHICAGO, ILL.

Chicago, have you made your rendezvous with the All Saints Council, have you looked forward with that jitterburg itch to the one big, colossal dance of the year, the crowning social success of Roseland's cavalcade of outstanding events? Have you obtained your ticket to the "Snowwhite Swing"? Have you reserved your date for Saturday, October 1 at the K. P. Hall, 11037 So. Michigan Avenue?

Five hundred tickets, everyone in full circulation, have spread like wild fire in all parts of the city. Did you obtain yours? Sorry, you will have to buy them at the door. We knights have not a single ticket left to sell even to a cash customer. The buggy collegiates and swing fans from all walks of life have simply begged us out of the five hundred.

STEVEN C. LACHAWICZ



ceremony will take place at 5 o'clock.

Friends and relatives of the young couple will toast them at a reception which will be held at the Hollywood Hall in the evening.

The young couple is widely known and highly popular with the younger set. Steven is an undertaker and embalmer with the firm of Lachawicz and Sons, of West Side and Roseland. Steven is a member of Council 24. Best of luck!

I, George Smulkis, as president of the All Saints Council, will be there to greet you personally. If you ever even get an idea that evening that you have a lonesome feeling, just see me. I will be glad to give you the low down. Have you met Dopey? Yes, he will be there.

#### CHICAGO DISTRICT HOT SHOTS

With the great K of L Day out of the way, the Chicagoans are getting ready for their fall and winter events. And speaking of the picnic it was a success both morally and financially, enlarging the treasury by quite a few dollars.

The District Choir is starting its fall calendar the first week in October with its new director, Joseph Sauris, and heading for bigger and better things with the annual concert taking place Jan.

29th at the Lithuanian Auditorium.

The annual District Convention will take place October 16th at Our Lady of Vilna Parish Hall. This will be a very important meeting in many respects but most important in that elections of officers for the coming year will take place.

There is a great possibility of having a giant bowling and basketball tournament sponsored by the district this winter.

The district has lost one of the best, one of the most genuine and one of the staunchest members with the passing of Walter Čeikus, Everybody will remember him for his promptness in attending all meetings.

"Till next month, adios!

G. W.

#### CHICAGOS APSKRIČIO PROTOKOLO RAŠTININKĒS IR SUSIRINKIMO DIENOS

4-ta kp. — Dievo Apveizdos Par. Antanina Pikielis  
1818 S. Halsted St.

Susirinkimai trečią penktadienį mėnesio.

5-ta kuopa — Šv. Mykolo Parapija A. Valaitis  
1850 Wabansia Ave.

Susirinkimai antrą trečiadienį mėnesio.

8-ta kp. — Visų Šventų Parapija Elena Aliošius  
42 West 108th Place

Susirinkimai trečią antradienį mėnesio.

14-ta kp. — Šv. Antano Parapija Marijona Daunis  
1237 S. 49th St., Cicero, Illinois

Susirinkimai antrą ir ketvirtą penktadienį mėnesio.

24-ta kp. — Aušros Vartų Parapija Marė Brazauskas  
2232 S. Bell Ave.

Susirinkimai antrą ir ketvirtą antradienį mėnesio.

36-ta kp.—Nekalto Prasidėjimo Par. Agnietė Saučunas  
4440 S. California Ave.

Susirinkimai pirmą ir trečią pirmadienį mėnesio.

112-ta kp.—Gimimo Panelės Šv. Par. Jonas Juozaitis  
6822 S. Rockwell tS.

Susirinkimai pirmą ir trečią antradienį mėnesio.