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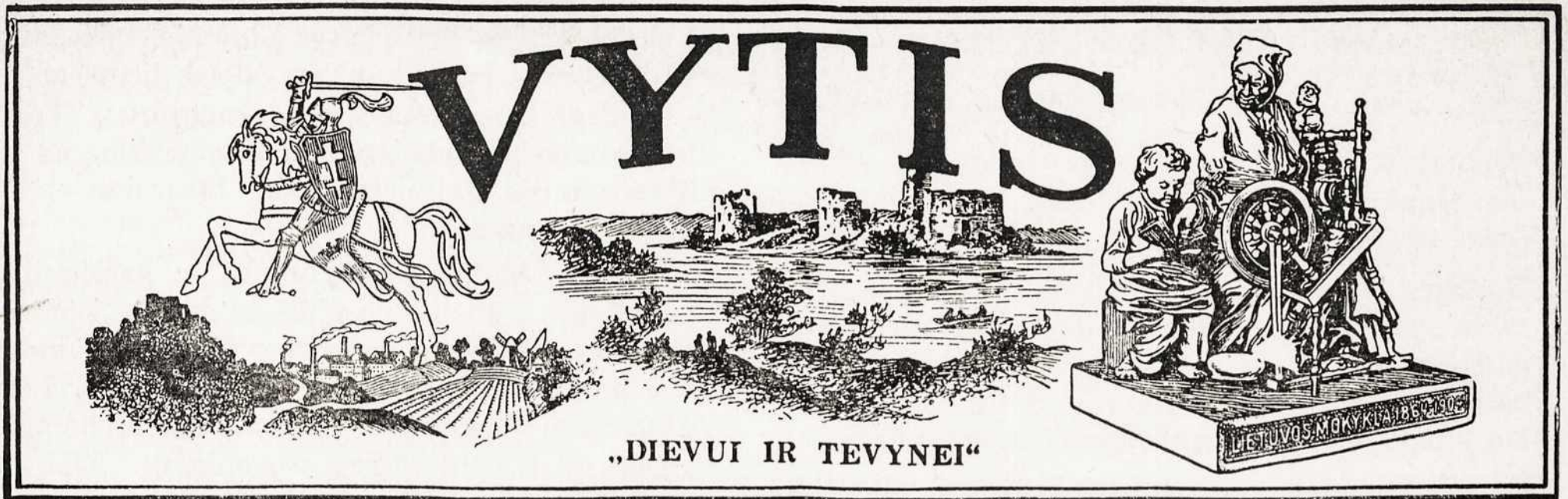
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WE'RE TRULY PROUD.....

In an idealistic organization such as ours it is very difficult for any person to place his finger on just what specific benefits are derived by being a member of that particular group.

"God and Country" is a motto that we can truly cherish. 'Tis a mode of living beloved and sought after by all. But everyone does not have an opportunity to ostentate the true idealism submerged in this motto. We're truly proud that our organization has not only the opportunity but makes use of it to the fullest extent. Each and every year the Knights of Lithuania commemorate Saint Casimir's Day on the Sunday closest to March 4th. Therein we portray to the whole world our fidelity to God by receiving Holy Communion in corpore at our respective churches in honor of our Patron Saint. This year, we gather from the various reports, that the attendance at Saint Casimir's Day celebrations has been a record-breaker. The Atlantic seaboard, Dayton, Chicago and Omaha, illustrating the different sections of the country, report that already high attendance records have been overwhelmingly surpassed.

This public demonstration of our faith should be, and is, an excellent example to other associations that the true spirit of Catholic Action predominates in the Knights of Lithuania. Herein lies one of the benefits, that of public profession of faith in Christ, which we derive by our membership. Nor does it stop there. Because this concerted action carries with it the devout reverence to the Patron Saint of youth, who is also the Patron Saint of our fatherland — Lithuania.

Once again we reiterate, "We're Truly Proud" of such laudable participation by the individual members in this nationwide celebration. A really commendable feat!

EDITOR'S MEMOS

ATTENTION CORRESPONDENTS: The Easter issue of the Vytis will be sponsored by the Chicago District and it will be mailed to the members on the evening of April 6th. Therefore it is necessary that the deadline for that issue be revised. Notice is hereby given that all material for the Easter issue should reach the editorial offices by MARCH 27th.

Our thanks to Comp. A. S. Pocius for a copy of his new hymnal. The work is entitled "Giesmynas" and was published by the Chicago L. R. C. Choirmasters Province. Comp. A. S. Pocius was the editor of this volume. Many of his original compositions appear therein. The honorary membership register of the Knights of Lithuania bears his name. Congratulations!

We have been receiving letters complaining about council correspondences claiming that such correspondences do not appear within these pages. It seems that a definite statement on this point is adamant. Every council activity that is received is published. If it comes in too late it is held over until the next issue of the journal providing the dates of future affairs are not past. The articles may be proportionately cut because of limitations of space but they are never entirely omitted.

The Ritual Committee advises that it has prepared the ceremonials and is ready to administer the different degrees. Councils having candidates for either the first, second, third or fourth degrees are urged to get in touch with the committee. As you all know that up to 1940 it is possible for any member who is now in good standing to qualify for the fourth degree directly without taking the intermediate degrees, providing of course that he has the necessary qualifications for that degree.

Former National President Anthony J. Mažeika has been appointed by President Charles Paulauskas to again lead the annual Knights of Lithuania Excursion to Lithuania. The manner in which he handled last year's excursion was very commendable and pleased the tourists. We're wishing him lots of success in this work.

Rev. M. Urbonavičius, A. Plienis, D. Varnas, Bernice Rimkus and S. Simulis of the Chicago District journeyed to Waukegan, Illinois, on Sunday, March 12th, 1939, and were successful in reviving a long deceased council in that city. To Waukegan we say "we are happy to welcome you to our midst" — to the above members, the Supreme Council wishes to extend its sincere thanks.

VYČIAMS IR VYTĖMS!

1939 m. vasario mėn. 14 d.

Mielieji ir Mielosios.

Kilnus Vyčių darbas amerikiečių-lietuvių tarpe vaidina svarbų vaidmenį mano gyvenime. Norėčiau visose kuopose dalyvauti ir visas proto ir kūno jėgas draugijos labui aukoti. Kadangi negalima gyvu žodžiu su Jumis pasikalbėti, tai tikiu, šis laiškas ras vietas visose Vyčių kuopose ir bus visų kruopščiai svarstomas.

Vyčių šūkis "Dievui ir Tėvynei" vaizdžiai vaizduoja draugijos tikslą. Taigi, kasdienė Vyčio ir Vytės pareiga yra manyti, gyventi ir mirti pagal šūkio nuostatus. Ar nariai ir narės taip daro yra svarbus klausimas.

Tuoj po gimimo, krikšto dieną, tapome katalikais. Jaunystėje susipažinome su katalikų mokslu ir papročiais. Ėjome išpažinties; priėmėme Šv. Komuniją; buvo teikiamas Sutvirtinimo sakramentas, ir kai kurie jau patyrę Moterystės sakramento teises ir pareigas. Taigi, rodos, kad visi nors truputį išlaikė pirmą šūkio dalį.

Apie antrą šūkio dalį reikės daugiau rašyti, nes žmogus negali karštai mėgti to, su kuo nėra gerai susipažinęs. Tad, jei kartais čia gimusieji lietuviai išsitaria peiktinai arba negirtinai apie Lietuvą ir jos veikėjus, tai nė dėl to kad amerikiečiai piktos dvasios, bet dėl to kad nežino. Niekad negirdėdami apie žymius Lietuvos žygius ir veikimus, jie mano kad mūsų tėvų tėvynė, "koks skurdo kraštas," "utėlių rojus" kur nėra vilties daryti nė jokios pažangos politikoje, literatūroje, mene, moksle, kasdieniniame gyvenime.

Šiame laiške nieko nerašysiu apie tas klaidingas mintis. Dabar tik pabrėšiu kodėl Vyčiai ir Vytės, ir visi lietuviai Jungtinėse Amerikos Valstybėse arba kituose kraštuose gyvenantieji, turi gerbti, turi laikyti aukštoje pagarboje tėvų tėvynę ir visa ką žodis "Tėvynė" vaizduoja.

Skaitydamas Psalmų knygą ir neseniai perskaitydamas Kun. J. Stankevičiaus rašinį "Gyvojo žodžio Tarnyboje" pastebėjau šiuos labai reikšmingus pranašo Dovydo žodžius: "Tepri-limpa mano liežuvis prie mano gomurio, jei neminėsiu tavęs, jei nelaikysiu Jeruzalės mano linksmybės pradžia" (Ps. 136/6). Taip Dovydas, karštas tautos ir tautiečių papročių mylėtojas, ŠVENTOSIOS DVASIOS ĮKVĖPTAS, išsitarė. Iš tikrųjų, jei galėčiau, tai neišdildomai įrašyčiau kiekvieno Vyčio ir kiekvienos Vytės širdyje, aukso raidėmis iškalčiau tuos žo-

džius kiekvieno lietuvio vaizduotėje taip giliai, kad iš ryto jiems keliant ir vakare jiems gulant tie žodžiai kaip šešelis visus baugintų: "Tepri-limpa mano liežuvis prie mano gomurio, jei neminėsiu tavęs, jei nelaikysiu Jeruzalės mano linksmybės pradžia."

Mūsų tėvai, mūsų giminės ir pažįstamieji iš Lietuvos. Lietuvoje gimė ir augo. Lietuvių kalba juos kalbino motinos. Pirmos pamokos buvo lietuviškai vedamos. Už Lietuvą ir lietuviškus papročius buvo sekami, ujami, botagais plakami ir į šaltą Sibirą ištremiami. Gal būt, dar iki šios dienos kai kurie tėvai, giminės arba pažįstamieji nešioja kokią žiauria rusų ranką įamžintą žaizdą. Tie patys atvyko į Jungtines Amerikos Valstybes. Pagimdė mus. Lietuviškais liūliavimais jaunųjų dienų skausmus motinos švelnino. Gimtąja kalba tėvai išmokino mus maldas bei poterius. Viską ką turime, visa ką gavome, lietuvių dvasia palietė. Taigi, mūsų, Vyčių ir lietuvių, Jeruzalė yra tėvų ir protėvių tėvynė, tėvų kalba, tėvų papročiai, tėvų dvasia. O pranašas Dovydas tarė: "Tepri-limpa mano liežuvis prie mano gomurio, jei neminėsiu tavęs, jei nelaikysiu Jeruzalės (tėvų tėvynės, tėvų kalbos, tėvų papročių, tėvų dvasios) mano linksmybės pradžia."

Tikiu kad visi Vyčiai ir Vytės, ši laišką perskaitydami, giliai svarstys Dovydo žodžius. Jei kartais išgirs jauną draugijos brolių arba seserį peiktinai išsitariant, tai mandagiai priminės šiuos žodžius. Įrodys kad mūsų žygiai, mūsų pastangos, mūsų veikimai, Dievo remiami, Dievo giriami, Dievo palaiminami. Šiuo būdu Vyčių tarpe ir amerikiečių-lietuvių tarpe lietuviška dvasia, atsigaivinus, sustiprės ir ves prie karžygiškų darbų "Dievui ir Tėvynei."

Linkėdamas kad Visagalis Dievas mūsų žygius palaimintų, ir meldamas kad visi pasiryžtų vieningai ir viena ranka dirbti "Dievui ir Tėvynei," pasielikau,

Su gilia parga,

Alfonsas J. Paulėkas, C. SS. R.



NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY DISTRICT CONVENTION NEWS

A chronological report of the District Convention held February 26, at Great Neck, New York. What a rousing convention this was. First, we had a full house as regards attendance, and naturally, on that score, the Councils are to be congratulated on their whole-hearted response to our plea, not to let the District down. Secondly there were many new faces, which fact indicates that our regulars are becoming better salesmen of informing the new members of our active 'going-on. Let's hope the rank and file continue their evident interest and enthusiasm.

Mandate Committee, reported that 49 delegates representing eight Councils were present when the roll was called . . . By-Laws were finally discussed. After a wide discussion, delegates viewpoint showed that Councils should take this matter up for consideration, submit recommendations to the Executive Board. . . . Membership drive is now in full swing. Get on the Bandwagon now, enroll new members. There's a prize (A Plaque) offered by the District to any Council who signs up the most members. Important item, new members' dues must be paid for six months in advance during the membership drive period.

The Great Neckers, deserve, a special and honorable mention, for the excellent cuisine offered during the convention. Whether it was because everyone was in such a hilarious mood of the tang of the rainy weather, we know not, but the opinion seemed unanimous that the "eats" were more palatable, hunger satisfying and plentiful than ever. Perhaps it was the capability of the assisting committee of young women. More power to them. Our thanks, gratitude to you all. While we can't help but regret losing Miss Adele Baron, Recording Secretary for two years, who served the interest of the District so faithfully and well. Preparations are underway for the District Annual Spring Frolic, to be held Saturday April 29, at St. George's Ballroom 189 New York Ave., Newark, N. J. The Committee is preparing a gala nite of entertainment.

DISTRICT ANNUAL SPRING FROLIC

Saturday, April 29, 1939

ST. GEORGE'S BALLROOM,
180 New York Ave.
NEWARK, N. J.

Maspeth Council is our host for the Communion Breakfast in conjunction with the Convention to take place in April. More details later, but I feel Councils should know something about it before hand in order to make arrangements accordingly.

ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

The Bowling League is now going past its halfway mark. It was most pleasant to see the spirit and earnestness put forth by the members of the teams. A Splash Party will be held Friday nite March 31, at the Essex House Swimming Pool, Broad Street Newark, N. J. Tickets are 40 cents, they can be obtained from the Athletic Board members. A singles Ping Pong Tournament is scheduled for Friday April 28, at Bayonne Council Clubrooms. Singles is really a fast

and furious and all those who enter will have a round of enjoyment and fun. Suitable prizes will be awarded to winning players. Entree fee per player is 25 cents.

One request it might be opportune to make here for those Council who don't have a sports representative at Athletic Board meetings. Resolve to be more faithful by sending the Sports Director to meetings. No one can feel he will not be missed. Every meeting can be made equally engaging if every Sports Director attends and co-operates.

Charles E. Bason.

TEN WAYS TO KILL A COUNCIL

- 1...Don't come to the meetings but if you do, come late.
- 2...If the weather doesn't suit you, don't think of attending.
- 3...When asked to help, "pass the buck" to the officers.
- 4...If you do not attend meetings, find fault with the work of the members and officers who do attend.
- 5...Never accept an office. It is easier to criticize than to do things.
- 6...Nevertheless, get sore if you are not appointed on a committee, but if you are, do not attend the meetings or do a thing.
- 7...If asked by the Chairman to give your opinion on some important matter tell him you have nothing to say. After the meeting tell everybody in the corridor or when you congregate how everything should be run.
- 8...Do nothing more than is absolutely necessary, but when other members roll up their sleeves and willingly and unselfishly use their ability to help matters along, howl that the Council is being run by a clique.
- 9...Don't bother about getting new members, "let Tony, do it."
- 10...Never pay any dues. Always get something for nothing.

Charles E. Bason....

REMINISCENCES

"Elizabeth K of L, Council Fifty Two,
A year reality with members true,
Quite often you found the going uneven,
But no one surrendered or said, "I'm leavin'".

Engaged in sports, you did well,
Your spirit was to win, and not rebel.
Competition entered first was in bowling,
Championship came home with good rolling.

When personal indifferences made it hard,
You straightened them out, and didn't retard.
Then with this spirit you'll surely win,
National Recognition as a Lithuanian.

John Kizelevich.

Išpūdžiai Jaunimo Dvasinė Puota Savo Globėjui Pagerbti



*Puotoj dalyvavo ir centro vice pirm. P. Gudelis
iš Dayton, O.*

Kam teko laimės praeitą sekmadienį, 9 val., patekti į Nekalto Prasadėjimo Panelės Šv. bažnyčią, Brighton Parke, tas pergyveno tokių išpūdžių, kurie negreit išdils. Tai buvo valanda, kurioj organizuotas Chicagos jaunimas — L. Vyčiai demonstravo ištikimybę savo idealams ir pagerbė organizacijos globėją, šv. Kazimierą. Jei būt pasitaikęs giedras rytas, o ne lietus, kuris sulaukė daug jaunimo iš tolymesnių parapijų, kažin, ar erdvi Nekalto Prasadėjimo bažnyčia būtų sutalpinus visus suvažiavusius į dvasinę puotą. Nepaisant lietaus, virš penki šimtai jaunimo, kurių tarpe matėsi nemaža ir organizacijos veteranų, užtvenkė parapijos mokyklą, kur pasipuošę gėlėmis ir susigrupavę kuopomis, varpui sugaudus mišioms šv., poromis suėjo į bažnyčią.

Eiseną vedė centro valdybos nariai, juos sekė Chicagos apskrities valdyba, paskui organizacijos veteranai, garbės nariai, o paskui kuopos paeiliui. Eisenai pradėjus eiti pro didžiąsias bažnyčios duris, ją patiko vargonų maršas, kurį griežė muz. J. Sauris, L. Vyčių Chicagos apskr. choro vedėjas, o pas altorių pasitiko apskr. dvasios vadas kun. M. Urbonavičius, MIC.

Mišias laikė pats parapijos klebonas kun. A. Briška, kuris, po evangelijos, prieš pamokslą nuoširdžiais žodžiais sveikino jaunimą, taip skaitlingai suvažiavusį savo globėjui šv. Kazimierui pagerbti, užtikrindamas, kad šventasis padės Vyčių organizacijai ir toliau augti bei klestėti. Pamokslą iš šv. Kazimiero gyvenimo pasakė kun. M. Urbonavičius. Begalo gražiai giedojo naujas mišias L. Vyčių Chicagos apskr. choras, vedamas muz. J. Saurio, per Offertorium paties J. Saurio parašytą į Šv. Kazimiero giesmę, o per Komuniją solo giedojo dain. J. Kudirka, parapijos varg.

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Po Mišių visi susirinko parapijos salėn pusryčiams, per kuriuos kalbėjo centro vice pirm. P. Gudelis, apskr. dvasios vadas, kun. Urbonavičius (dėlei pareigų kleb. negalėjo dalyvauti), visų kuopų, vietos Šv. Vardo Sodalijos, Sald. Širdies V. Jėzaus dr-jos ir ARD. 8 sk. (kurios sykiu dalyvavo dvasinėj puotoj ir pusryčiuose) pirmininkai, "Vyties" redakt., J. Petraitis, or-jos veteranai: dr. A. Rakauskas, I. Sakalas, adv. J. Grish. Pusryčiams vadovavo vietinės kuopos veikėjas Z. Vyšniauskas.

Lietuvos Vyčių or-jos dvasinė puota savo globėjui šv. Kazimierui pagerbti šiomet jau buvo dešimta. Ir juo tolyn, tuo jos darosi didesnės, išpūdingesnės. Lietuvos Vyčiai rodo pavyzdį visam mūsų jaunimui ir dėl to užsitarnauja, kad visi tėvai ragintų savo vaikus rašyti L. Vyčių organizacijon. Jos naujų narių vėjus prasidėjo nuo sausio 1 dienos.

Pranešus, kad šiuo metu serga Vyčių steigėjas M. Norkūnas, baigiant pusryčius pasimelsta už jo sveikatą. *Dalyvis.*

Dienraštis "Draugas" 3-7-39

PRISIMINUS ŠIRDIS NERAMI . . .

Kaip malonu, gražu
Tarp žaliųjų laukų,
Kur aguona banguoja graži.
Kiek ten laimės nūnai,
Pagautos dyvynai! . . .
Prisiminus — širdis nerami.

Vyturėlis aukštai
Vis čiūrena linksmi
Po dangaus mėlynuoju skliautu.
Jo daina taip skambi,
Taip maloni, meili,
O, dainuoti taip noris' kartu.

Kiek derlingų laukų:
Miežių, kviečių, rugių
Štai, kaip jūra žalioji banguoja.
O štai ten pamiškėj,
Ar lankoj, paupėj'
Piemenėliai galvijus raliuoja.

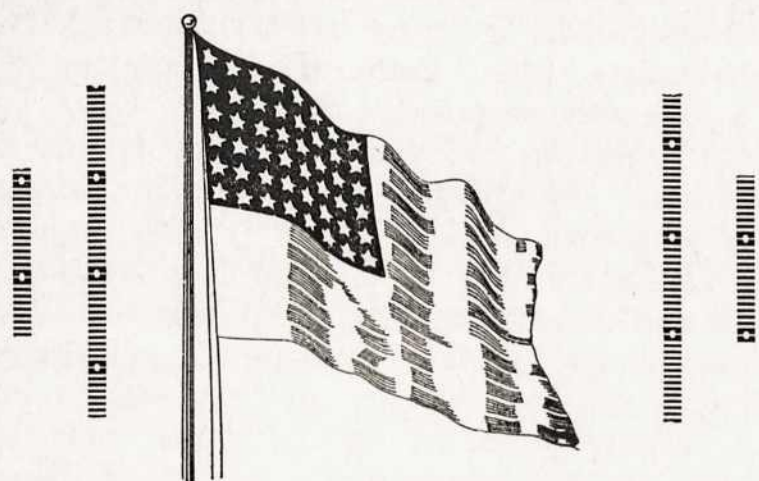
Ant baltų dobilų
Bičių spiečius darbščių
Nuo žiedelio prie kito lakioja,
Kad medūčio gelsvaus,
Taip skanaus ir saldaus,
Į korius pargabenti rankioja.

Ten ir rūta žalia,
Ir lelija balta,
Ir jurginai palangėj' margi . . .
Kiek ten laimės nūnai,
Pagautos dyvynai! . . .
Prisiminus — širdis nerami.

Laukų Gėlė.

— *Vytis*

"Americans All — Immigrants All"



The contributions of Lithuanian, Hungarian, Roumanian, Estonian, Bulgarian, Latvian, Albanian, Portugese and Hindu immigrants to the social, cultural, economic and political development of the United States will be dramatized Sunday afternoon, March 19th over 105 stations of the Columbia Broadcasting System, to an estimated audience of 8,500,000 listeners.

The coast-to-coast broadcast, nineteenth in a series depicting the role in American life of immigrant people and their descendants, is sponsored by the U. S. Office of Education, Department of the Interior, with the cooperation of the Service Bureau for Intercultural Education, and other educational agencies. The half-hour program may be heard every Sunday at 2 P. M. EST; 1 P. M. CT; 12 M. MT; 11 A. M. PT.

"This is the story," the broadcast will start off, "of the most spectacular movement of humanity in all recorded time . . . the story of millions of men and women from other lands to the land they made their own. It is the story of what they accomplished and also of what this country did for them."

The program will present a dramatization of a typical Lithuanian worker, and will tell the story of Estonian and Latvian workmen in American industry.

Other Sunday afternoon programs — to continue through May 7th, will show how American civilization has been the result of endless cooperative effort and the combined energies of every religious and nationality group which immigrated to the New World from the Old. The weekly broadcasts will develop the theme, that — "American civilization is a historical composite of the toil and thought and blood of nearly all the races and nations of the world," and therefore belongs to all: "Americans All — Immigrants All."

Is Experience The Best Teacher?

Where automobile accidents are concerned, experience is the best teacher only when it is somebody else's experience, according to a new booklet entitled "Lest We Regret" just issued by The Travelers Insurance Company. The booklet presents a comprehensive analysis, based on official reports from the 48 states, of the facts about accidents in which 32,000 persons were killed and more than a million were injured last year.

"The experience of losing his life is wasted on the driver or pedestrian killed in an automobile accident." "The experience of months in a hospital cot or of weeks in a law court is costly tuition for one's education in safety."

The experience of the thousands who had to learn their lesson "the hard way" in 1938 brings to light many interesting facts such as the following:

Exceeding the speed limit was responsible for 39.6 per cent of the deaths and 25 per cent of the injuries. Despite a decrease in fatalities in 1938 compared with 1937, the percentage caused by speed went up.

Almost 94 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents were male and only six per cent female.

More than 84 per cent of the fatal accidents occurred in clear weather, and 77 per cent happened when the road surface was dry.

More persons were killed on Sunday than on any other day of the week, while the heaviest injury toll came on Saturday. More persons were killed between seven and eight p. m. than at any other hour.

Almost 43 per cent of all victims of fatal traffic accidents were pedestrians. Almost half of all pedestrians killed were either crossing between intersections or walking on rural highways.

The average shock limit of the human body, is mathematically equal to the energy developed in an automobile moving at 25 miles per hour, to a street-width of actual stopping distance, to one "roll-over" in case of an accident, or to the fall of a person off a two-story house.

An increase in average speed from 35 to 45 miles per hour will save a little more than six hours of time in each thousand miles driven, but each of the hours saved costs about 65 cents. An increase in average speed from 30 to 55 miles per hour jumps the cost of hours saved to about \$1.20 each.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE MEMOS

Whenever anybody does any worth while work, they usually want to know the compensation it brings. Hereby, I announce the first and second prize in our annual drive. A beautiful crucifix on a stand, properly engraved, to be used for council meetings and ritual ceremonies is the first award. The second is an engraved gavel. With these wonderful prizes as incentives our membership should be tripled next month.

The second month of the membership drive has slipped by. Of course, it has brought fine results but I believe that our capable members can do much better. Won't you let us keep our belief in all?

Present highest standings:

C-17	So Boston, Mass.	190 pts.
C-12	New York, New York	125 pts.
C-55	Indiana Harbor, Ind.	80 pts.
C-109	Great Neck, L. I.	60 pts.
C-30	Westfield, Mass.	50 pts.
C-90	Harrison-Kearny, N. J.	45 pts.
C-14	Cicero, Ill.	25 pts.

Congratulations Anthony Gaputis of C-17! You are the first one to reach the goal of 100 points, thereby, winning the official K of L gold pin.

Irene J. Pakeltis,

Supreme Council Fin. Secretary.

Ritual Committee Urges Council To Begin Initiations

Dear Fellow Members:

At the 25th Annual Convention held at Dayton, Ohio, on August 9th, 1937, it was resolved that the Knights of Lithuania should formulate and inaugurate a Ritual similar to the K of C and other organizations. For this purpose a committee of three was selected. The following members were nominated to formulate this Ritual: Joseph Bulevicius of Homestead, Pa., Rev. J. Juras of Lawrence, Mass., and Anthony Mazeika of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The following year during the 26th Annual Convention at Chicago, Illinois, the Ritual was adopted with a few changes and a Ritual Committee of three members was selected, namely, Rev. M. Urbonavicius, Jack L. Juozaitis of Chicago and Charles Stulgaitis of Kenosha, Wisconsin.

The task of this Ritual Committee was a most difficult one, as not only was this Committee to provide copies and put them before the councils but also to formulate and provide copies of a Ceremonial for each of the Four Degrees, keep a record of each member, issue proper credentials, supply each council with necessary blanks, instructions, and be ready to interpret all rules and see that each one practicing initiations does it only in accordance with this Ritual.

The Ritual and the Ceremonial had to be rehearsed for both practicability and simplicity and minor

changes made to achieve this result. After five months of hard work, the Committee has presented to you the finished product and it is up to each and everyone of you to assist this Committee in putting it in practice at the earliest possible time.

We are requested to issue a warning at this time to all members. Please do not attempt to make any changes of your own to this Ritual! Please remember that over two years have been spent in achieving the final result and this was accomplished only after many hours of hard work by many experienced persons who have had only the best interests of both your councils and ours at heart. Many things which may seem necessary to you have been tried during rehearsals and found impracticable or too complicated to succeed.

Therefore we repeat! Begin to practice the Ritual immediately according to the rules as they are submitted to you. If you have any suggestions as to any improvements submit these to Ritual Committee only after the present Ritual has been put in effect and the Committee will take these into consideration.

For copies of the Ritual, Ceremonial, questions, instructions or interpretations, please address all communications to the K of L Ritual Committee, 2327 W. 23rd Place, Chicago, Illinois.

RITUAL COMMITTEE:

Rev. M. Urbonavicius, Chairman,
Jack L. Juozaitis, Treasurer,
Charles Stulgaitis, Secretary.

THE VALUE OF PUBLICITY

At the present time most of our councils confine publication of their activities to the columns of our journal "Vytis". This is commendable insofar as it goes, and we are anxious that as many councils as possible take advantage of this facility.

We should also strive, however, for widespread dissemination of information concerning K of L activities among the great mass of the Lithuanian-American public whom it is impossible to reach through the medium of our organ, since the circulation of "Vytis" is limited, with but few exceptions, to the membership. A very practical method of doing this, is to send accounts of the various council and district activities to the Catholic Lithuanian newspapers having national circulation. Most of these publications now have sections devoted to youth activities and are quite willing to print correspondences sent to them. In this way we shall constantly keep before the public the name and the prestige of the K of L organization and prepare an easier path for the establishment of councils where none now exist.

South Boston C-17, Newark C-29 and Chicago C-36 have been outstanding in this journalistic field. It would be well if other councils followed their example.

Frank A. Gudelis.

Lietuviai ir New Yorke Pasaulinė Paroda.

1939 m. New Yorke įvyksta Pasaulinė Paroda, kurioje dalyvaus ir Lietuva. Lietuviai amerikiečiai turi pagrindo džiaugtis, kad mūsų Tėvynė, vienintelė iš Baltijos valstybių, priėmė Jungtinių Amerikos Valstybių kvietimą dalyvauti Pasaulinėje Parodoje drauge su keliomis dešimtimis valstybių. Visiems mums suprantama, kad Lietuvos dalyvavimo faktą galėjo nulėmti Lietuvos rūpinimasis savo gausinga išeivija. Lietuvos dalyvavimas, be abejonės, pakels šioje šalyje visos lietuvių tautos vardą, sustiprins čia lietuvių padėtį, sužadins jaunoje kartoje ištikimesnius jausmus Lietuvybei, toliau su pažindins ją su Lietuvos praeitimi, Tautos atgimimu ir dabartine nepriklausomos valstybės pažanga. Milijonai amerikiečių ir viso pasaulio turistų turės progos patirti tikrų žinių apie mažą, bet vieną seniausių pasaulio tautų, kuri savo jėgomis kuria didžias vertenybes, puošiančias visuotinę žmonijos kultūrą.

Pasaulinėje Parodoje Lietuva ne tik turės savo Skyrių — Paviljoną, bet ji pasirūpino, kad viena diena parodoje specialiai būtų paskirta Lietuvių Tautai. Toji diena bus 1939 m. rugsėjo 10 d., sekmadienį, tuojau po Tautos Šventės (rugsėjo 8 d.). Šioje dienoje paskirta labai garbinga pareiga ir mums, lietuviams amerikiečiams. Mums patikėta suruošti milžinišką Dainų Šventę, kuri minių minioms kitataučių turės atverti gražiausias dainas sukūrusios tautos sielos gelmes.

Lietuvos atsakingų įstaigų iniciatyva šiomis dienomis New Yorke įsteigtas Pasaulinei Parodai Remti Lietuvių Komitetas (World's Fair Lithuanian Committee), kurį sudaro lietuvių amerikiečių ideologinių, fraternalinių ir profesinių organizacijų atstovai. Komiteto Garbės Prezidiumo nariais pakviesti Lietuvos Įgaliotas Ministeris ir Nepaprastas Pasiuntinys Povilas Žadeikis, Lietuvos Generalinis Konsulas Jonas Budrys, Lietuvos Konsulas Petras Daužvardis, Lietuvos Garbės Konsulas Kanadoje pulk. Grant-Suttie ir Lietuvos Skyriaus Parodoje Generalinis Komisaras Magdalena Avietėnaitė. Komitetas visu nuoširdumu nori atlikti jam pateiktas pareigas. Jo darbui reikalinga visų lietuviškų pajėgų talka ir entuziastinga nuotaika. Šio Komiteto tiesioginiu darbu bus suruošti sėkmingą Lietuvių Dieną, tinkamai priimti į Parodą atvykstančius svečius iš Tėvynės ir visomis galiomomis priemonėmis pagelbėti būsimam Lietuvos Skyriui Pasaulinėje Parodoje.

Darbas jau pradėtas. Dainų Šventei keli tūkstančiai jaunuolių jau ruošiasi savo prityrusių muzikų vadovybėje, kurios priešakyje yra komp. J. Žilevičius. Netrukus laukiame iš Lietuvos atvykstant prityrusio dirigento, muz. N. Martinonio ir tautiškų šokių mokytojos, p. Baronaitės. Mūsų jaunimas atvykstančių savo srities specialistų rankose turės geriausios progos sėkmingai išmokti lietuviškos dainos ir tautiškų šokių. Bendromis — Lietuvos ir išeivijos — jėgomis mūsų jaunimas turės sužavėti žiūrovų mases lietuvišką daina, lietuvišku šokiu, lietuviška elgsena.

Darbas prieš akis labai didelis. Jis pareikalaus ne tik įtemptų dvasinių jėgų, bet ir nemažai lėšų. Kaštuoja chorams dainų gaidų pagaminimas, jų išsiuntinėjimas, kaštuoja chorų lankymas, kaštuoja komiteto tiesioginis darbas, vedant susirašinėjimą ir visą organizacinį darbą. Kadangi Komitetas neturi jokių lėšų, todėl reikalinga skubi parama. Lėšoms sukelti Komitetas nutarė išleisti Lietuvių Dienai Pasaulinėje Parodoje paminėti ženklelius — medalionus, kurie netrukus bus pagaminti ir siuntinėjami į visas kolonijas platinti. Iš ženklelių pardavimo gautos pajamos bus sunaudotos tiktai Parodos reikalams.

Kad darbas būtų sėkmingas, reikalinga kolonijose tuojau organizuoti vietinius komitetus Pasaulinei Parodai remti. Vietinių komitetų darbas bus sukelti finansinę paramą, organizuoti gausingas ekskursijas į Lietuvių Dieną, padėti savo chorams atkelti į New Yorką, priimti svečius iš Lietuvos ir tt. Dabar dar negalima numatyti viso darbo iki didžiausio tikslumo, bet jis nuolat ryškės, kai artinsis Parodos atidarymo laikas, kai atvyks Parodos Lietuvos Skyriaus organizatoriai. Apie tai lietuvių visuomenė bus nuolat informuojama per spaudą, radiją ir kitomis priemonėmis.

Šiuo metu kviečiame lietuviškos visuomenės veikėjus, tautai ištikimų lietuviškų draugijų vadovybes pradėti steigti savo kolonijose skyrius Pasaulinei Parodai Remti ir palaikyti glaudžius santykius su Komitetu New Yorke, kurio dabartinis adresas yra toks: World's Fair Lithuanian Committee, 16 W. 75 St., New York, N. Y.

Komiteto Valdyba:

Pirm. Juozas B. Laučka,
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Ižd. Inž. P. M. Barzilauskas,
Iždo Globėjas Alb. S. Trečiokas,
Ido Globėjas Dr. A. Petrika.

L. VYČIŲ EKSKURSIJA Į LIETUVĄ IŠPLAUKS GEGUŽĖS 23 d.

Štai gera vyčiams naujiena! Šių metų mūsų ekskursija į Lietuvą išplauks gegužės (May) 23 d. tuo pačiu, kaip ir pereiniais metais Holland-American Line pačiu gražiausiu ir moderniškiausiu, laivu Nieuw Amsterdam. Pereinčių metų mūsų ekskursija buvo ir laivu, ir kelione, ir patarnavimu, ir visais patogumais taip patenkinta, kad ir šių metų ekskursijai buvo parinktas tas pats laivas.

Laivas Nieuw Amsterdam yra netik nepaprastai gražiai įrengtas, su visais moderniškiausiais patogumais, bet jis yra ir labai greitas. Mūsų pereinčių metų ekskursija tai įsitikino, nes aštuntą dieną po išplaukimo buvo jau Kaune. O kaip iškilmingai tą ekskursiją Pavasarininkų buvo sutikta Lietuvoje, nei vienas iš ekskursijos narių visą savo gyvenimą nepamirš! Minios žmonių . . . dainos . . . kalbos . . . gėlės . . . pasiliks ant visados ekskursantų vaizduotėj!

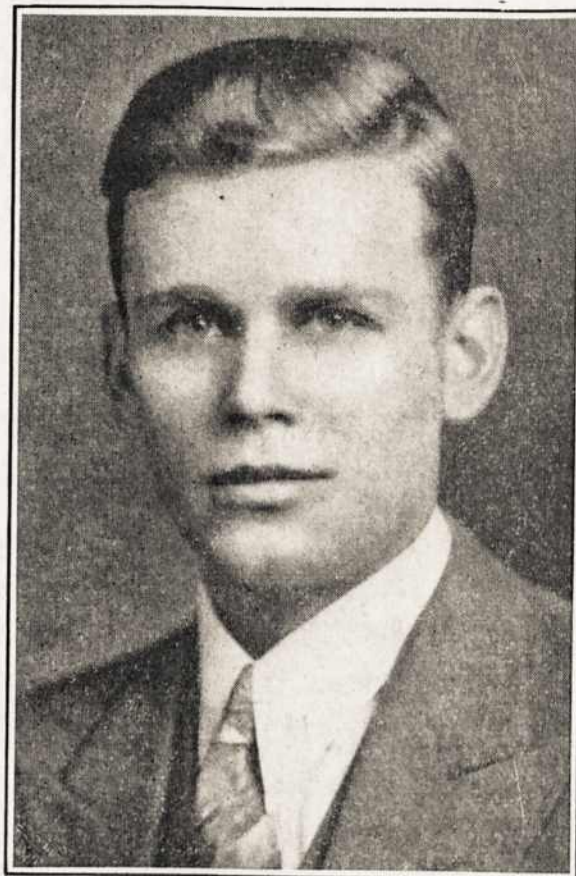
Taigi, kurie pereiniais metais neturėjo progos su Vyčių ekskursija aplankyti savo tėvų žemę, dabar lengvai gali tai padaryti. O kelione su šia ekskursija netik, kad bus labai linksma, greita ir patogi, bet visi turės progos pamatyti ir kitas šalis, kaip Olandiją, Francūziją, Vokietiją bei Angliją. Be to, važiuojant su šia ekskursija visi pasinaudos nupigintomis priešsezoniškos laivakorčių kainomis, o grįžti kiekvienas galės, kada kam patogiau.

Kadangi važiuoti šiuo puikiu laivu yra nepaprastai didelis pareikalavimas, o laiko yra likę nedaug, tad kurie norėtų prisidėti prie šios ekskursijos yra kviečiami be atidėlio jimo kreiptis į ekskursijos vedėją A. J. Mažeiką, 145 Taylor St., Brooklyn, N. Y. ir platesnės informacijos bus suteikta.

Prie šios ekskursijos kviečiame prisidėti netik Vyčiai, bet ir pašaliečiai, nes kuo didesnis skaičius važiuos, tuo ir kelionė bus linksmesnė.

Inž. Antanas J. Mažeika buvęs Centro pirmininkas vėl paskirtas vadovauti Vyčių ekskursijai. Po jo gabia vadovyste pereinčių metų ekskursija puikiai pavyko. Inž. Mažeika turi tikrą patyrimą šiam darbui, nes patsai yra dalyvavęs keliose ekskursijose, yra aplankęs Lietuvą ir kitus Europos miestus.

L. V. EKSKURSIJOS VADAS



Inž. A. J. Mažeika

Knights of Lithuania Excursion to Lithuania

The Knights of Lithuania excursion will depart from New York on May 23rd on board the new, modern Holland-America liner, Nieuw Amsterdam, the new Flagship of the Spotless Fleet.

The ultra-modern S. S. NIEUW AMSTERDAM, a \$15,000,000 Luxury Liner, is 751 feet long, 88 feet wide . . . approximately 36,289 tons register . . . 10 decks . . . modern accommodations for 1,250 passengers in Cabin, Tourist and Third Class . . . completely fire-proof . . . 8 passenger elevators . . . 2 Delft-tiled indoor swimming pools, and one outdoor swimming pool . . . air conditioning . . . dining rooms, theatre, beauty-parlor, barbershop etc., etc.

This trip will not alone be fast, comfortable, enjoyable and eventful, but also very educational. Those going with this excursion will have the opportunity of visiting not only Lithuania, but Holland, Germany, France and even England as well. This Knights of Lithuania excursion will be personally conducted by the former organization Center President Anthony J. Mažeika, 145 Taylor St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

For any additional information get in touch with organizers or the authorized steamship agents.

THE MONTH *in* BOOKS



A Guide to the Encyclicals of the Roman Pontiffs from Leo XIII to the Present Day (1878-1937) is scheduled for publication (H. W. Wilson Co., N. Y. \$2.00) March 3.

The book has the sanction (imprimatur) of his Grace the Most Reverend Edward Mooney, Archbishop of Detroit, and has been compiled by Sister M. Claudia Carlen, I. H. M. Photolithography was employed to manufacture its 247 pages.

The encyclicals are listed in chronological order, 1-44 inclusive, and include the last one to be issued by the late Pius XI. Each encyclical is listed under its Latin title, followed by the date of signature, and a descriptive title in English. The original superscription is next given, followed by the subject matter in Latin. The texts follow; the original Latin being given first, and then translations into various language groups. Summaries and commentaries follow the texts.

One section lists general collections containing encyclicals, and collections of the encyclicals of each of the four popes, the arrangement being alphabetical by author or editor.

Three sections embrace; 1, a chronological index; 2, a Latin title index, and 3, a subject index in which 209 subjects — Birth Control, Communism, Disarmament, etc. — are listed.

In the preface Sister Claudia defines various pontifical documents issued by the pope; and writes "Texts of the encyclicals are difficult to locate, though many are to be found in bound periodicals usually reposing on library shelves." The Guide is published to correct this difficulty.

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Lithuanian Hymnal — "Giesmynas" by A. S. Pocius

Meeting a long felt need the Chicago Lithuanian R. C. Choirmasters' Province has published a hymnal which is suited for American-Lithuanian choirs and parochial schools. Comp. A. S. Pocius, an Honorary Member of the Knights of Lithuania, had charge of the issuance of this book. Among its pages are found very many of his own church compositions. The hymnal contains the music as well as the words for all the necessary Catholic Church hymns.

Copies of this book and prices for same as well as additional literature and information may be obtained from Comp. A. S. Pocius, 3252 South Halsted Street, Chicago, Illinois.



**SUPREME COUNCIL FINANCIAL
SECRETARY REPORTS
FEBRUARY, 1939**

So. Boston, Mass.	C-17	\$30.00
Chicago, Illinois	C-24	1.30
Cicero, Illinois	C-14	2.40
Newark, N. J.	C-29	5.52
Brooklyn, N. Y.	C-41	4.50
Indiana Harbor, Ind.	C-55	19.45
Chicago, Ill.	C-36	3.37
Jersey City, N. J.	C-124	8.78
Waterbury, Conn.	C-7	15.60
Harrison-Kearny, N. J.	C-90	10.80
Great Neck, L.I., N.Y.	C-109	8.40
Dayton, Ohio	C-96	8.40
So. Worcester, Mass.	C-116	13.00
Chicago, Illinois	C-36	9.40
Chicago, Illinois	C-8	.60
Brooklyn, N. Y.	C-41	4.20
Jersey City, N. J.	C-124	4.28
New York, N. Y.	C-12	12.60
Dayton, Ohio	C-90-Jr.	1.54
Cicero, Illinois	C-14	3.60
Athol, Mass.	C-10	14.65

Irenė J. Pakeltis.

COUNCIL 96 — DAYTON, OHIO

Observing the feast of St. Casimir on March 5, our faithful members received Holy Communion during Mass which was chanted by our Rev. Leon J. Praspalius. A sermon was also delivered, appropriate for the occasion.

The gigantic event, held on February 10, was more than successful. The amount of the profits ran into triple numbers. The principal figures for this outstanding affair were A. Alexinas, J. Goldick, F. Gudelis, and yours truly. Also not overlooking the girls who punched and our two reliable bartenders — Mr. Zakar and Mr. Sluzas. This affair made us just one step closer to our dreamt of club house and now only months remain.

Our pre-lenten dance held on a Tuesday night, Feb. 21, proved that a week day night is the best dancing night of all. For the event, A.

Alexinas took care of the committee, and Charlie Marshall provided the music. So after lent there will most probably be weekly Tuesday night dances.

Another page in the history of our sporting activities has been written. The boys on the basketball team have accomplished the honor of winning the Bomberger American League trophy for the fifth consecutive time. This year's competition was made up of very evenly matched teams. The going was very strenuous, but our boys did the unbelievable by becoming champions. The total record for the season is 20 wins and 2 losses — a record to be proud of. The boys who composed this year's roster were G. Zelinskas, F. Goldick, J. Goldick, J. Scott, J. Rimkus, A. Alexinas, C. Vanagas, C. Noreikas, V. Yanzanaitis, and S. Vaitkus. Coaches and managers were F. Goldick, J. Goldick, S. Sluzas and J. Monas. These same boys also played on Sunday afternoons in the preliminary games during the pro-contests under the backing of the 7-UP company. Our boys have one goal to attain, that is to win the play offs at Cleveland next month. Let's hope they do.

Things that have been happening in the past, amongst our members, have brought out at least one interesting topic of conversation which is, "Why are the males so stubborn about marriage?" Their reason for this question is due to the fact that four of our girls will receive the Holy Sacrament soon. So this column has conducted a poll as to what the real ideal Lithuanian girl should consist of. The result of the Lochinvars voting is: the contours and height of A. Markey, legs of A. Zakar, hair of E. August, eyes of H. Bartellis, lips of M. Green, teeth of Mary Gudelis, complexion of B. Sluzas, hands of H. Scott, voice of

H. Naginis, humor of M. Sink, dancing ability of A. Cekus, and sportsmanship of H. Keydozius. So if there is such a beauty, she will most probably be found in heaven or perhaps the man in the moon has the answer.

Here 'tis: The 3 M's have graduated from the Gibbon's bar to the Van Cleve, due to the liking of the burning pine. We know you are all girl scouts — A new loyal order of the "Turbans" have organized with the recent addition of M. R. and their motto is "Use your heads." — Imagine a guy in a big limousine saying that coming home from Springfield through Vandalia is a short cut. It seems that John M's parrot has taught him all of that. C. N. noted speed demon, patrols the streets carefully with his new car, making sure he'll have it for convention time — A new glamour girl has risen, due to the winnings of so poverfull spirits by little J. — Big F. can enlighten you on the subject. — E. A. two time loser never a winner, being a finalist at the recent YMCA. or WW. billiards and so ends the gospel.

Stanley.

Junior Group

Sunday afternoon February 12, the Jr. Knights had their first party. The following people were on the committee; Cornelia Morrow, Chairman, Alex Cekum, Pet Petkus, and Sally Green.

Games were played and refreshments were served, Petronella Zelinskas was host to a group of the Jr. members Sunday afternoon February 19. Those present were Margaret August, Helen Fretic, Ruth Douglas, Martha Birbalas, Irene Goldick, Adella Markey, Adella Cekum, Sally Green, Theodore Sluzas, Clarence Latos, Ernest Sakalauskas, Pete

Petkus, Alex Cekum, Jimmie Racie, Joe Petkus and Joe Zilinskas. Games were played and enjoyed by all. Later in the afternoon ice cream, cake and root beer were served.

Three cheers for the Jr. K of L, we have a new member: Miss Zita Kavalauskas.

Saturday, March 4, the Jr. K of L's played St. Adlebert's and beat them 27-2'. Nice work boys. Too bad the basketball season is ending.

More news next time. **Sally.**

COUNCIL 8 — CHICAGO, ILL.

Calling all Councils.

Calling all Councils.

Roseland Reporting!

Council 8, of Roseland wishes you to keep in mind, May 13, 1939. When they will have a dance. Hoping to make this dance "Go Over", we are opening our doors to all councils, making it, really a "K of L Dance." Hoping to see many of you at the K of L Hall, 11039 S. Michigan Ave.

Stuff and Things

I noticed Council 66 had songs portraying the different people of its Council. I don't want to be a "Copy cat." But I'd like to write what I believe are "pet sayings" of some of our members.

Leo Gudas — "He's a swell guy."
Paul Latvenas — "Here's the point."
Joseph Samulionis — "Why!" (Baby Snooks).

Alex Malker — "Aw! Skip it."

Anthony Vaitkus — "Is that so."

Al Mokenas — "What's on your nose." (Your hand).

Frank Talalas — "You'r Small Enough."

Julia Shatkus — "Say that's an idea."

Sophie Gedmin — "Gee Tanks."

Josephine Normant — "Horse."

Freda Zlibin — "Ow cut it out."

Josephine Meskauskas — "It's so good to see you."

Suzanne Zolp — "I suppose so."

Violet Meskauskas — "Nuts."

Till we meet again in the "Vytis." **"Roseland's Rinso."**

DANCE

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COUNCIL 8

May 6th, 1939

K of P HALL

11039 S. Michigan Ave.

COUNCIL 55 — INDIANA HARBOR, IND.

February 6, 1939, a large group of members gathered in the club rooms for the K of L monthly meeting. The meeting was opened with a prayer said by Rev. C. Malakauskas. The minutes were read and accepted. Several letters from different councils were also read and accepted. The monthly report from the treasurer was given and it sort of looks bad for us if we don't get busy.

A report on the wedding gifts was given by Mrs. Lucas. Plans were made for March 5, 1939, this day the members will go to communion in a body in honor of St. Casimir's feast day. After Mass, everyone will come to the hall and breakfast will be served.

The following people were accepted as new members to our organization: Bernice and Christine Budris, Della and Frank Jutkus, Ann and Frances Yocis, Alvina Mustakes, Dominic Mikalauskas, Isabel Swedas, Tony Pukinskas, John Sedaugas, and Joseph Kolas.

After the meeting a social was planned by Helen Strumskis, Estelle Yurgutis, Charles Koczis, and Charles Vaisnora. Refreshments were served and dancing was the main attraction for the evening. Boy, oh, boy should have seen the gang try and do the barn dance. Were they a scream on were they?

The committee in charge of the next social consists of: George Dubickas, chairman; Rev. C. Malakauskas, Josephine and Dominic Waitkus, Isabel Swedas, Albert Petrowskis and Alice Ciparas, his most worthy assistants.

Some members celebrated their birthdays the past month; so Happy Birthday to Alice Cipares, Veronica Leskauskas and Josephine Waitkus and all the others whom I might have missed.

February 12, 1939, the members of Council 55 and their friends gathered at the church hall and enjoyed a pleasant evening by dancing, drinking, eating and just having fun. The hall was decorated in valentine effect with the lights dimmed so as to make a romantic setting and to top it all there were hearts set all over the place and that made it still more romantic.

We wish to thank the councils from Marquette Park and Gary, oh yes, and Brighton Park for their sincere support. (Dom V. do you blame me for almost forgetting you.) I'm sure they had an enjoyable evening and they didn't regret saving their evening for us. Thanks again and we'll do the same for you some of these days.

I've been giving plain facts all along now for a bit of guess work and gossip. Now no hard feelings this is all in fun.

Christine B. and Joe M. P. sure hit it well.

Kate Laucis was so exceedingly happy that evening. Oh, why doesn't somebody tell me why she was so? Maybe she's in That Certain Age or maybe it's the real thing. How about it D. V.

Oh, what have you got that gets me, was the song that Vince M. P., was singing to Alice C. Jeepers creepers maybe it was those weepers. (M. P. stands for Marquette Park).

There's a new romance blooming in our Garden of Romance and that is between Dom W. and Isabel S. Now ain't that somethin'?

Estelle Y. and Danny B. from Gary, happened to be singing Home Sweet Home together. How did that happen anyway. Puzzle after puzzle and none of them can be solved.

Peter K. seems to have a change of heart more than is good for him. He now is seen about with his first flame, J. B. Not that it's any of our business but you know how it is, Curley Top.

Peter (Stuckup) Genis was put behind the bar to tinkle with the glasses. Goody-goody for him, he didn't get to dance very much. Revenge is sweet, isn't it. Pete?

We wish to thank Marquette Park for the nice time they showed us at their dance February 14. Some of us still didn't find our numbered partners we were to dance with, oh, what's the diff'. Maybe it was for the best if we didn't. John W. would like to know who the Lady in Red was? What a coincidence he danced with her and still he doesn't know her name. Why didn't you tell him T. R.? **Josie.**

COUNCIL 110 — MASPETH, N. Y.

Maspeth Knights this month have been visiting Florida, Fireman Venskus and Fireman Visackas and your correspondent Kleizo. Probably the people in Florida do not care who they let in the state. A winter resort should be built here for all decrepit Knights between the ages of 18 and 50. You know, waving palms, sunny skies beaches and stuff.

When I last left N. Y. The Knights had quite a few things planned. A hike for one. Bowling still going strong. Our team got enough strength up to beat Patterson three games. The wedding of two more Knights was celebrated in true Lithuanian style.

Ping Pong still rages forth in our clubrooms with the question of who is champ still in doubt. Beating one of our local club went to the Ping Ponger's head and now they think they are good.

You should read our latest copy of "110 Speaks" our club newspaper & bulletin, its a wow. The editor, J. Augustinas, has some promising material in him.

Lo & Behold! and another candid cameraman joined our ranks. John Bray has transferred his attentions to Maspeth. Another former Knight "Shorty" Januskaitis rejoined and will make an admirable adjunct to our Bowling team.

Plug: Knights 110 Spring Dance.

May 23rd at Grand Paradise Hall.

Spring is in the air and we could see quite a few Knights get that longing look in their eyes. Certain red headed girls are getting quite a bit of attention. The firemen in our club all have that mating feeling. I suspect quite a few weddings for this year.

Talking about fireman, our Oake Visackas rescued a girl from a blazing building a few days before he went south and another Florida tourist Joe Venckus nearly expired in a cellar fire. Every day in these boys' lives is a dangerous and thrilling one.

Jules.

SPRING DANCE

COUNCIL 110

May 23, 1939

GRAND PARADISE HALL

Maspeth, L. I.

OMAHA, NEBR. — COUNCIL 66

For once Spring's on her way but no "spring fever" for the Knights. True Lent has caused them to tone down a bit on merriment, but don't get us wrong, they haven't become inactive by no means.

The Annual St. Casimir breakfast was enjoyed by all the Knights at the St. Anthony School Hall, Sunday, March 5. Every year this affair is looked forward to by all.

Again the social was a great success. This time it was the highlight of the membership campaign now on. The prospective members who attended were Irene Tamulavicz, Virginia Bazar, Stella Rukas, Bernice Nowicki, Dorothy Bazar, Richard Kalasky, Steve Shimkus, Peter Uzdavinis. We mustn't skip over a favorable comment on the food. Thanks to Pat Didik, Helen Alukonis, Steve Tonasek, (a grand new member) and Victor Lawry.

Since nobody dances during the holy season, Chinese Checkers came to the rescue. Vic Lawry made a funny sight trying to put up the tables cause every one would slip down again. More elbow grease, Vic.

Naturally there must be singing wherever there are Lithuanians. Recently, trying to revive old tunes, "Vieni, Vieni" was sung. As a result, Ed Shukis has a complaint to make. There are too many "bella's" in that song. Woe is me. What to do? What to do?

Psssst. A SECET: While the singing was going on Gen. Jesonis was at the piano strumming the Wedding March from Lohengrin. All of sudden one interesting discovery was made. Our one and only Charles Kusleika was holding hands with our new member, Irene. Charlie just wastes no time at all. Tsk, Tsk.

Catherine "Kay" Leonovicz was married a few weeks ago. Her friends wish her all the happiness in the world.

We're sorry to say Frances Macaites has been ill with the Flu. But "Smoky" fixed that. Didja see the way he hurried over when Gen notified him. A-huh. Looks bad. Then to top it off, all the marbles fell down and rolled and rolled. The boys, too lazy to pick them up, played marbles on

the floor. Boys will be boys, y'know. Finally the girls picked them up, themselves. Upon request the following is printed: FOUND: One white button believed to have been on a pair of crimson winter necessities. It is round with four holes. For further information contact Miss Helen Jesonis, the finder.

To Guess Who and Relatives:

Dear Sirs:

In regard to the insults you have sent Omaha about Nebraska's sportmen, may we quote the following: "People who live in glass houses should not throw bricks." Figure it out for yourself.

The Recipient.

A very successful card party was held at the school hall a few nights ago. The Knights wish to extend public appreciation to all those who donated the lovely prizes.

May all the Knights everywhere enjoy the holiest, happiest Easter ever.

Lee.

COUNCIL 4 — CHICAGO, ILL.

Council 36, we thank you! The commemoration of the Feast of St. Casimir was befittingly celebrated. The breakfast itself was truly a social event.

John Damanskis, our new sports director is seriously intent upon getting some colors this season... with Rev. Pastor Albavičius a supporter, why not?

Intra Council Queries . . . Since Eddie Daujotis spends every Thursday with the local Lithuanian Amer. Scout Troop, does anyone know something about his Wednesday nites? Why, when it rains, don't our girls drive the cars?

According to the last issue . . . Joseph Boley "you've got something there," we're anxiously awaiting the reports of the Lithuanian Book of the Month Club . . . Wm. Grinevich, your "Convention Locale" is an excellent address of Harrison-Kearny, N. J. Possibly in a future issue you could stretch your description out a few more miles for us western motorists Convention-bound this summer?

"Daffodil Dan" of So. Worcester must be a florist.

Miss Toni.

COUNCIL 26 — WORCESTER, MASS.

With the Osmanski testimonial all wrapped, sealed and delivered and praises from all sides pouring in at the great success of the affair we as a council are indeed inspired to go on, should I say, to greater glory, under the guidance of our new leader Charles Tagman.

Now that the season of Lent is here again and we must subdue our social activities a little, lets just relax and reminisce on the fun of the past and make plans for the future. K of L members are you still with me? Well let's go.

Past —

Athol — What did you people do to our little Mickey at your snow carnival? She seems to be walking around in a coma and your not telling me that that is her natural expression. Or am I wrong? (tsk-tsk).

Council 116 — One of our practical jokers was up to her tricks again at your pre-lenten kiddie party. 'Twasn't her birthday at all gang, she just wanted to know whether you people could sing.

Present —

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buckley on their first wedding anniversary.

Success to Peter Parolis and Stanley Kamandulis in their new business venture. If you promise to take my picture boys I'll tell the general public what business your in. (tsk).

Maize Zilch — how come you rated that birthday party that Miss F. P. honored you with? I hear that they ran short of candles.

Future —

Captain Tillie Aukstikalnis reports that the girls bowling team is in very good form and keen for competition. So any other good team challenging their good standing and desiring a good match may get in touch with Cap. at 38 Providence St. or D-60557. (Now listen boys, that is not the fair Tillies personal number just the business one soooo—).

Frame work, for the County Fair, to be held right after Easter, is shaping right along. 'Tis going to be a gala affair boys and girls so watch for the date and save your pennies.

L. E. A.

COUNCIL 41 — BROOKLYN, N.Y.

Land ho! On the starboard, man those boats and steer for that shore. As we gaze at our crystal we see the tiny grains of sand sifting away and we find another month has passed beyond recall.

Our log for the past thirty days tells us that our members are resting from their hard winter campaign and getting ready for the spring parade. With spring in the air and many other things, (don't forget our dance) the next few months promise to be zippy and gay. We did not have a social last week as the gas range was faulty and not a plumber in the house, (maybe they forgot to drop a nickel in the slot). Shakespeare was to have said, "what's in a name" I say plenty. We have three Petes and they're all over six feet tall; two of them have mustaches!!! (line forms on the right girls). The love bug seems to be around, notice our members going home in pairs.

The news from Great Neck had us listed as the friendliest so we hereby thank them for their gracious compliment. I think that it is needless to say that our members have the same opinion concerning their lodge.

Well I'll close now as there are no more tid-bits to give out so you Knights climb aboard as we start to sail for home with the drifting ebb tide.

CHIT-CHATS: — Who is the baseball player that has been knocked for a home run by Dan Cupid. — Who kids whom by calling him Clark. Who was the fellow that made the other boys mad when he escorted that girl home Sunday. — Do the members know that they miss a good night's fun by not coming to the meetings, (important events too). — Who is the most quiescent member (all you 41'ers will think of the wrong person I'll tell you his name in the next issue).

Funny Bun.

COUNCIL 124 — JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY

Time marches on and once again comes a report on the doings of Council 124 of Jersey City. Right now, the members are out

campaigning for new members, as the Council is conducting a Membership Drive of its own, and will award a prize to the Knight getting the most points. How about it girls, are you going to let the boys get ahead of you?

As is the custom on St. Casimir's day, the Knights of Lithuania together with the Choir and the Sodality received Communion in a body and afterwards had a Communion Breakfast in the parish Hall. There were several addresses during the course of the Breakfast. All commented on the splendid showing of the younger element of St. Ann's Parish.

Flash! Plans are well under way for our Annual Spring Affair, which promises to be bigger and better than ever. Great care has been taken to make this Dance a tremendous success both financially and socially. However, not one council can make a dance a success by itself, so we ask the cooperation of all councils and in turn we will reciprocate. Remember the date APRIL 22, 1939 ANNUAL SPRING DANCE OF COUNCIL 124 of Jersey City, to be held at PEOPLES CENTER 158 MERCER ST., Jersey City, New Jersey.

By the way what has happened to our new member, Joe Wilson? Did the girls scare him away? What would you think of a member who said a certain movie was made to fit the intelligence of a twelve year old, and then turns around and goes to see the same movie. Say Joe Sable you're slipping, where is the material I'm supposed to get from you? Let's see what you can dig up for next month?

A. H. R. B.

Annual Spring Dance

COUNCIL 124

April 22, 1939

PEOPLES' CENTER
158 Mercer St.,
Jersey City, N. J.

COUNCIL 29 — NEWARK, N. J.

Hello everybody, this is your friend X-Ray once more. Now that the necessary repairs have been made, hope the X-Ray machine doesn't run down again.

Wonder what's the reason for so many of our members becoming scholarly minded of late? Aw c'mon, let's in on the secret.

Wonder if the loquacious member in the rear, will learn how to use the soft pedal?

Oh where, oh where, can that KEY be?

Wonder what happened to our old pal Ambidexterous?

What is this talk going around about organizing a Lost Battalion? A little spot-light on the subject please.

The member with the boarding house reach is still going strong, but now he has two new rivals competing for honors.

Hip! Hip! Hooray! notice the rapidly in which the meetings are now being conducted? Is everybody happy?

At long last. Our girls bowling team can really win a few games. For further proof, ask Kearny, and Jersey City.

Cazzy Kazlauskas of Kearny, was unusually attentive to what fair maiden? Nice going Cazzy.

Oh girls, did you all notice the cute grin Spike of Elizabeth has? My oh my!

Didn't our Pres. look handsome in his Tux. What waiter did you borrow it from Joe?

Who was the good samaritan who treated the Jersey City lassies to ice cream cones?

Phil K. of Linden was in very high "spirits," no wonder, you'd be too, if you saw what X-Ray saw. Who is she Phil?

Who was the blonde from Bayonne with the great big smile?

Tony L. of Paterson, and his charming girl friend Marion. You've got something there Tony.

Orchids to all the councils who attended our dance. Hope you enjoyed yourselves as much as we enjoyed serving you.

Hats off to our newly discovered artists, for the "artistic" drawings that draped the landscape. Didn't know you had it in you boys. Nice work, Vito B. and Landy. How did you all like it folks?

A word of praise to the commit-

tee and their able staff of assistants for making things run smoothly, even X-Ray was amazed.

Overheard in passing:

Joe G. "Būk vyras, nepasiduok."

"Casey" V. "Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah."

Jack R. "I'm so unhappy."

Frank W. "I don't wish to be sarcastic."

Hilly K. "I don't get it."

See you anon, maybe before that.

X-Ray.

February 18th came and went, and with it Psychopathic Night. The 18th is now long forgotten, but not so Psychopathic Night, for that will long remain a pleasant memory for those who know.

If you lived far away, you probably got a ride to the hall and had fun, like you do, riding in cars, with a get-in-the-mood-before-starting cocktail, or two, or more. But we don't live so far from the hall, so we walked (not that we didn't have a car, or anything).

New York Avenue, lined with all kinds of cars, told us the Night was a success, and the revelry floating out through the windows proved it. For a moment, I thought me and me escort were a couple of celebrities, for no sooner do we open the door than a couple of guys wants to take our pitchers. So in a flash I straightens me hat, push out me curls, duck the gum, and put me hand on me hip. A course, I sorta placed my supports (laigs, to you) in a conspicuous position. And then I smiled. I watched the birdie (did you?), but when I wasn't looking it jumped outa the camery and hit me in the breadbasket. They all laughed, so I did too; but I did want me pitcher took. Oh, well, I thought, some other time.

Then the president's right hand man comes up to welcome us. He shakes me hand first, and I thought it was the cocktail I had; but, no, it was some thing-a-magig in his palm that give me the electric wiggles. Den me escort goes to put away me wrap and I give the place the onceover.

Our prez— (Gee, I forgot, this is supposed to be classy. I'll have to go Park Avenue). Hm, ahem-m-m. Our president looked

especially well in a tux, was in an especially gracious mood all evening, and made especially swell company, especially with Fran. Fran looked sophisticatedly demure in her black gown and white lace jackette. That lovely lavelier she wore around her throat kept catching my eye all evening. Her outfit was topped with a corsage. Vito Dauksys we only saw snitches of, but that was because he was supervising everything without seeming to do so — and very efficiently too. He made an enviable impression, methinks. Eva and Tony, the by now not-so-newlyweds, were there with that shiny look still about them. Her brother, from the Kearny council, was also having himself a time.

Sisters Adele and Helen were among those sporting corsages. Rather nice, though; it seems Adele's escort brought a corsage not only for her, but one for her sister, too. Wouldn't you gals like to have a sister like that, or a sister's boyfriend; or have you got a sister, or a boyfriend? Judy looked like a flower in a den (fella's room, y'know); that chartreuse was certainly becoming.

Unexpectedly I bumped into Mrs. Paulauskas, who always looks as though she just stepped out of a handbox. Said her husband was there somewhere, but we missed him in the crowd. Guess he was reading the signs.

That was Joe Monty with his assistant, or was it the assistant with Joe Monty, working in the cloakroom; and Billy B., and Fran, and sometimes Hilly taking care of the door; Lanky and his aides were taking care of the dull moments (very jovially, too); and Jack R. and Poddy and their team were holding down the fort (bar to you).

Gilbert and lots of others from Bayonne were doing all right for themselves, and showing fine taste in dancing partners. From Paterson came those lovely misses (no wonder Paterson rates aces with our boys) and those others, like for instance Tony B, Mickey, Jules (the suave dancer), and Tony (bring - em - back - without - any - horns) Lackewicz. Charles Bason and the other Jersey City-ites

were going strong, and the Elizabeth representation was keeping up with them. Although Isabelle R. came way out from New York, she had to leave on the stroke of twelve; no, not a Cinderella act, but another date in N. Y. Gracious Tony B., from Paterson, drove Isabelle to her destination, and Helen J., among others, went along just for the ride. Johnny Beck (Kearny) was among those present and accounted for (part of the time, anyway), 'cause we heard him bargaining with Hilly for the 77th dance, or somethin. The Washkewicz boys were there too, and as usual, were being very helpful. Those jitterbugs must have been Anne B., Simon K., and Teddy B., though we wouldn't swear to it. Dot Simmons looked lovely in her pastel gown. Vincent and Alice Sabbath (Alice wore an attractive red gown) were also among the staunch supporters (they certainly show up some of our old members; I bow my head). Anne Garnevich, whom we hadn't seen for oh, so long, made a nice picture in her swell dress. Of course Willie G., also from Kearny, upheld our cause; well, we didn't actually see him, but if we know Willie, he was there. (He's tops with us.) In fact, there was fine support from all councils, and in case we forget later on, we want to thank them all for their loyalty — and hope they had as good a time as we did.

We could go on and mention the rest of the stuff, like the sign near the orchestra asking a question which none of the guests deigned to answer (we're being refined today, so we won't repeat the question). Then there were the other signs of direction and identification. If you were there, you saw them; if you weren't, you'll probably hear about them; and if you don't hear about them, you'll probably wonder about them, now. Anyhoo, we think all had a kinda nice time, and we celebrated, and we sorta got in the mood to be extra extra good for our Communion Breakfast on March 5th, and the hike (by auto) that's gonna follow, if the weatherman feels altruistic. Well,

if you wanna ask any questions, we'll be breakfasting in Child's, as I said, and we'll be ready with the answers. But mind you — no quips and sallies. Well maybe one of two, if you're good. S'long —

Neets.

COUNCIL 17 — S. BOSTON, MASS.

This and That from the Bowling Alleys and Club Room.

Marcy and Smokey are killing to accept the job as "gaspadinė ir gaspadorius."

We hear that the Vice-President is profiting by the Clubroom. What's the story?

Our Treas. Steve is going to join the Foreign Legion, unless . . . So come on all ye gals!

The 4 aces and a duece can't take it. They had to get a couple of professionals to help them beat the jitterbugs.

Looks like a romance amidst our new member: Al B. and Millie G.

Does "Angel" acquire his name from his looks or his personality.

We understand that Ben and Chap buy their bowling shirts at Raymon's. Say boys, where are the new ones?

What's on your mind Gussie????

Žvirbliukė.

Pereitą mėnesį mūsų kuopoje daugiau narių buvo prisiegti: Mary Beltis, Albert Bernat, Peter Genevich, Mildred Gedaritis, Mary Kleponis, Mary Mason, Alex Miskinis, Alice Naudžiunas, Katrė Pasausis, Ona Pasausytė, Aldona Shilalis, Frank Valutkevich, John Sulosowicz. Sveikiname.

"Shower" ir "Bachelor" vakarėlis buvo suruoštas delei ilgamečių narių Bronei Petraitytei ir Petru Bukotai, Vyčių kambaryj, ir susirinko apie šimtas draugų, ir gražias dovanas suteikė naujai porai pp. Bukotams. Daug rupinosi draugė G. Zovyte, ir F. Grendelyte, Sekr. ir Ant. Gaputis, pirm. buvo liudytojais naujai porai. Ilgiausių metų pp. Bukotams, ir toliau su Vyčiais darbuotis.

Šv. Kazimiero Dienos apvaikščiojimas puikiai įvyko sekmadienį kovo 5 d. In corpore nariai ir svečiai choristai, sodalicija, studentai ir biznieriai ir profesionalai, išklaušė Šv. Mišias, ir po to buvo susirinkę pusryčiuose. Darbo

pridėjo komisija: N. Marksaitė, ir O. Razvadauskaitė, ir jų pagalbininkai: O. Augustinavičiūtė, O. Marcelioniūtė, St. Mickevičius, Jonas Varna, p. Marksienė ir O. Staniuliūtė. Svetys Kun. Balkūnas iš New Yorko gražiai pritaikinta pamokslą pasakė, ir vietiniai kunigai Pr. Virmauskis, Kun. Kaz. Urbonavičius, ir Kun. Jenkus.

Ant. Gaputis, pirmininkas pakvietė Dr. M. Vincent Casper kaip vedėju programos pusryčių. Virš šimto buvo pusryčiuose. Gražus viešas pasirodymas jaunimo ir profesionalų, katalikiškam veikime ir darbuotėj. Reikia pažymėt kad South Bostone Vyčių organizacija yra žiurima kaip pagrindinė šaka jaunimo išauklėjimo į didvyrius. Priruošia jaunimą užimti svarbias vietas Lietuvių priešakyje, idant platintų Lietuvybę ir Katalikybę.

Mūsų naujas pirm. Ant. Gaputis gražiai laiko susirinkimus.

N. A. Vyčių Apskričio šokiai jau stropiai rengiama tuoj po Velykų. Diena ir vieta bus paskelbta kitam numerį.

A. E. L.

COUNCIL 61 — PATERSON, N. J.

Being's lent season here, everything is pretty quiet around Paterson. Seems quite a few of our male members having given up something they enjoy indulging in; oh, Sunday is not included in the fast.

Belated thanks to the Councils which attended our dance and helped to make it a success. Our membership is increasing and soon we hope to achieve the quota we're striving for.

I hear that at a bowling social in Elizabeth which a few of our girls attended two of them had a date for the following Sunday. I know who the girls were but for the life of me I can't find out who the fellows were. So what say boys, who are you. Oh, well, Elizabeth has long appreciated the view what the Paterson Council has.

What member of the K of L has given who the air? Why?

Slow Poke.

COUNCIL 36 — CHICAGO, ILL.

With spring just around the corner, we wish to remind all of our neighboring councils and friends to keep in mind April 15, Council 36 Spring Dance. There you will have not only an enjoyable time, but see the fair sex elaborately displaying their spring ensembles. What a treat. Will I be there? Yess.....

Talking about Spring reminds us of restriction on dancing, our obligation. Why the frown and the puckering of the brow? Nothing to do to pass the time away. Hum, hum, woe is me. Ah! but let me tell you something. Buy your tickets and be sure to be at I. C. Ballroom April 2, 1939 at 7:30 P. M. And don't misjudge, its no Bunco but a "Passion Play" to be presented and appropriate for the season. With all the effort that is put in it will be one of the most outstanding plays ever put on. Costumes, beautiful girls, and some wonderfully talented actresses. And above all the plot will pull a few tears out of the hardest of man's heart. Don't miss it.

Extra! Extra! A warning and congratulations are in order. Council 112 of Marquette Park has been reorganized and threatens to surpass all councils with their activities. Ah! but Brighton Park will be one of their greatest rivals. Watch our smoke, so beware.

Did the thought of Spring spur our bashful, fair haired young man, Smokey to become engaged? Why the secrecy if true? Let us all in on it.

If your feeling meloncholy see Jesse V. about "his liver". You may be fortunate to learn about it, after he gets through laughing.

Val J.

SPRING DANCE

by

COUNCIL 36

April 15, 1939

I. C. PARISH BALLROOM

COUNCIL 67 — BAYONNE, N. J.
Strictly business.

February 4, 1939 proved to be a big red letter day for members and friends of this Council. For on that date they sponsored their first annual Dinner-Dance at club Evergreen in Bloomfield, New

Jersey. Private automobiles conveyed the elegantly gowned and flowered, young ladies and their escorts to the destination where they dined and wined at midnight and danced to the captivating music until the Little hours. Everybody acclaimed with ardent enthusiasm the delightful evening and voiced a hearty desire to hold another one in the near future.

Acting in the capacities as this council's delegates the Misses Anne Novitt, Estelle Shakalis and Jean Rodgers journeyed to Great Neck, Long Island, to attend the Convention on February 26th.

The membership of 67 has grown like a bamboo stick. The latest to join were; Frank Galenitis, Walter Barosonick, Sigmund Bitwinsky, Edward Maculaitis and Peter Bernotis.

Ward Wells and his Moderniers have been engaged to present their interpretations of popular tunes at our Hobo Dance to be held May 6th at St. Michael's Parish Hall. The Committee requests everybody to bear the date in mind and to associate it with only one thing — The Hobo Dance.

"The Hobo Dance"

May 6th, 1939

ST. MICHAELS PARISH HALL

COUNCIL 67

Bayonne, N. J.

Strictly Monkey Business.

Goo-goo eyes, Stanley Jurewich, our Don Juan, has reached the heights of perfection in the art of osculation. What resounding! Just three times around the Parish Hall!

Songbird, Michaline K. has greatly improved in her warbling. Keep up the good work, Lee.

Girls! Eddie Mack's little red date book needs filling. Don't let him frighten you. He's really gentle and kind despite his devil-may-care smile and know-it-all manner.

We don't know whether its the coming spring or the ancient malady called "Love-I-tis" but Bill P. is a sure victim of it — he walked around like an ailing calf.

This is a secret and here it is if you promise to tell it to no more than five people. Our No. 1 man, that tall fellow that stands at the head of the table at all meetings,

developed his southern accent by eating dixies.

If August Masalsky were dressed like the Chinese emperor of the childhood fable he'd still be fully clothed because he's sporting a smile as big as a tent for a dazzling damsel. Ah . . . Me.

Sorry to disillusion the people who thought A. G. was wearing spats. That was only his long, chill-roof underwear hugging his shoes.

Haven't you heard? Anne Novitt celebrated her "Seventeenth" birthday with "Porky" while at the same time her brother, John, observed his second anniversary of wearing shoes, at the recent Dinner-Dance. In more ways than one this affair was certainly very eventful. The obliging ban-leader and the house cat had something in common when, all of a sudden, the whole

K of L decided they wanted their "Engagements" announced. Sincerest "Congratulations" to the couples. A. R. to A. G.; N. P. to J. P.; A. M. to G. V. and A. N. to J. A. Well . . . As Confucius said "He who walks in rain gets Wed."

Splinters have a distinctive way of finding themselves in the queerest places. Don't they though! Who tears his hair and runs when friends call him "snooky". Woof-Woof since when do hot dogs bite? Hallucinations, Nellie, just hallucinations! And who was that pretty blonde wearing orchids at the council's big night?

Humble apologies' to the fellow whose bow tie was mistaken for a propeller.

John Meltetsky, our wall street tycon, likes long rides. He made the trip from Bayonne to club Evergreen in something known as a taxi-cab. Nice going! Isn't it, Johnnie!
Cleo.

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COUNCIL 102 — DETROIT, MICH.

Ho! Hum! Now, that March came in like lion and is going out like a lamb (Oh Yeah! You mean, you hope it does!) the Detroit lassies are seen flying around town these days, in search of the most darlingest ('Xuse, please, Mr. D. Webster), cutest, choicest bit of apparel, commonly known as the "Easter Bonnet."

NOTE: FOR MEN ONLY! Remember, lads, no matter how ridiculous your gal's chapeau may seem, please, tell her it's simply too, too dee-vine! (Anything to keep peace in the family).

The K of L Pre-Lenten Dance proved to be a tremendous success, all credit due to the committee in charge. Congratulations! Another rung has been scaled on the ladder of successful 1939 K of L Events! Keep the good work up, folks!

Nothing like a bi-weekly meeting to create good fellowship among the members with a delightful social following to lure the K of L Crowd hither. By the way, who cramped Cyril G's style at one of our late meetings? I dunno! Ask, June!

Don't forget the K of L Annual Easter Dance, April 9, in the Lithuanian Hall! A dependable (volunteered) committee is working earnestly to make this dance a repetition of former Easter Dances, a **GIGANTIC SUCCESS!** Loads of luck to the committee!

K of L Council 102, Detroit, Michigan, wishes to take this opportunity of wishing all our fellow K of L members a Joyous, Happy and Holy Easter. On this greatest day of days, may we all find holy peace in our hearts and spiritual satisfaction in our souls.

'Be seeing you in April! Au Revoir arba Su Diev! Hz.

COUNCIL 109 — GREAT NECK, LONG ISLAND

SIGNS OF SPRING: Crocuses peeping from the ground, daffodils a-swaying, robins a chirping, the boys of 109 painting the vestibule and varnishing the stairs, getting the recreation room ready for spring activity the girl's athletic committee making plans for a badminton court on the grounds surrounding our clubrooms, tennis

practice and soft ball lessons, knitting spring finery etc.

TIDBITS: Despite the blustery rainy weather of Febzruary 26th the N. Y. & N. J. District Convention held here that day was a success, due to the fact that we were honored with about 75 people (delegated and outside guests). We wish to thank each and everyone for their cooperation and offer apologies if everything was not up to par. Thanks to the committee for refreshments etc. Newark held their own but 109 emerged victorious in the basketball game that followed at the high school. Score 29-11.

Incidentally 109 still have the winning streak overthrowing Maspeth 110 and Brooklyn 41 (twice) and are still tops in the local Great Neck league. That \$20.00 silver trophy displayed in Gilliar's drug store is a humdinger boys. We'd like to see it in our possession.

ASIDE TO COUNCIL 4, CHICAGO, ILL. This is to acknowledge with thanks your sincere congrats on our 5-year mark and success in our basketball. And may we say you will hear more about our "Ladies Man" Zorski after Lent, he is more or less inactive socially now. On good behavior.

SEEN & HEARD: Rumors to the effect that a certain blonde and a good-looking dark haired chap (both 109 members) are contemplating on middle-aisling it in the near future. Only rumors, ????? Little Janie Glatke training to join the ranks of "hello" girls. Don't eavesdrop now, Janie. Tookey (Vice-Pres.) Bukunt attending his first Convention and expressing his viewpoints later on. Your first and last???? Mary Rusas and Fran Zorskis can be found at the Mineola Skating rink any day lately. Tis said that romance has a lot to do with it, but we must congratulate you on your dance skating. It certainly is a good looking banner that Maspeth turned over to 109 for largest representation at their Monte Carlo social. Our first banner too.

The selection of a committee of ten to prepare for a fifth annual event, headed by chairman Mary Lazaunik. Details to follow next

month. Pres. Wesey was awarded a scholarship for the study of the Lithuanian language at Columbia University. 109 better brush up on your Lithuanian vocabulary should the Pres. decide to run the meetings in that tongue. But we do enjoy listening to Helen Madalize trying to express something in Lithuanian. Such grammar. By the way where has Lil Slanei been keeping herself for the past few months? Also Millie Kens (does a certain blonde take up all your time?) We see Anne Gruden is again back in our midst after celebrating a year of marital bliss. Did you ever get on the wrong side of our personality kid Frances Glatke. I'm warning you she's got a fiery temper mixed with sweetness. Sonny Chalkis back with us after sunny days in Florida. The capriciousness of Mickey Bart. Some kid. John Masulis without his crutches and only the use of a cane. The display of Albie Lazaunik's art in various local stores especially in Hampton's where Cot Yuska frequents quite often because of a blonde. The seriousness of Mary Wesey's countenance at all times. The unusual outbursts by Fran Zorski and Stan Sosaris at our last monthly meeting, Such language. No can do. Glimpses of a good number of 109'ers at Lenton Devotions. A good sign. Congrats to Frankie Bandle and Ray Bart on the good work of redecorating the clubrooms. Anne (Lou) Sosaris voicing her opinion (at last) at last meeting. But her side kick Anne Karris uttered nary a word. It's your privilege girls. The good work of Charles Budris our treasurer in keeping our finances in good shape. George Paviolitis on good behavior. Frank Krauchis surprise of lucky long shots in the Newark game. The immodesty of Charlie Bukunt at the same game. The incessant chatter of John Gladski. More next time folks.

The membership drive is progressing rapidly and it's said as per reports from Center that GN is third. Happy campaigning members. **Loopis & Snoopie.**

COUNCIL 52 — ELIZABETH, N. J.

.....Social.....

A "Get-Together" Social was held for the members in the "Pirate's Cove," after our meeting . . . Object was to get the new and older members better acquainted with each other. "Guest Social Chairman" was John (Cutaway) Gedman. His committee really worked, and a fine time was had by those present. Thanks, John . . . also the gals, for the decorating job and sandwiches.

.....Sports.....

John Zally, one of our "high-average" bowlers, recently bowled a score that would put the gleam of envy in any bowler's orbs . . . a perfect 300. The management of the alleys announced that it is the first 300 rolled on the drives. Nice going, Zall . . . I'll bet it is the first 300 bowler by any K of L member . . . anywhere!

Team No .2 took three games from Newark, at Newark; and Team No. 1 postponed their Kearny-Harrison game.

Seen at the Newark Dance

"Cap" J. giving that blond from Bayonne the once over with his good eye.

Joe M. doing some original dance steps . . . more like a stag than a stumble. P. S. . . . sometimes this dance leaves an awful after effect.

Spike (Dance Instructor, Social Chairman, Coach, Impressario, etc.) Pinkin, also solo-jiggin'. Gigs . . . hiking home after the hop? Howsa' totsies? "Killer" Swat looking like he lost his best girl . . . funny what 2 beers and a little heat can do. What gal likes to see the moonlight with the Bayonne President?

Elizabeth Dust . . .

The boys visiting a sick K of L feller with a fruit basket in one hand and a pack of cards and lots of nickels in the other.....

Zally, after hitting 300, is yanked out of the bowling match on Sunday.....

What became of the "Box-Car Wrecker" Al Mitchell? Mary going out on a Q. T. date with a party from Paterson . . . when all the time we thought her heart belonged to Shorty.

To Susie . . . Shorty says that Blond you referred to wasn't from Paterson, but from the fair city of Kearny.

Great Neck District Convention

Pete Laura conducting a "stew" quartet that was hitting an unusually rotten A flat chord. It may read "No Admittance" to some people, but not to Lou (Lover) Young.

Ann (Secretary) S. trying to entertain five wolves on the way back home.

The driest place on that rainy day, believe-it-or-not was under the Hudson River . . . that is, while in the Holland Tunnel.

Al Mack dividing his time between the business at the convention, and the business at the Bar . . . he figured the exercise on the stairs would do him good.....it did!

At least Elizabeth accomplished one thing at the convention.....they came away with a lot of notes and memos.

That fellow from Kearny-Harrison sure can kill convention time . . . he just carries himself away. Just himself.....

Thanks for the swell time Great Neck.....we enjoyed our stay. **The Lonely Ranger...gals!**

COUNCIL 7 — WATERBURY, CONN.

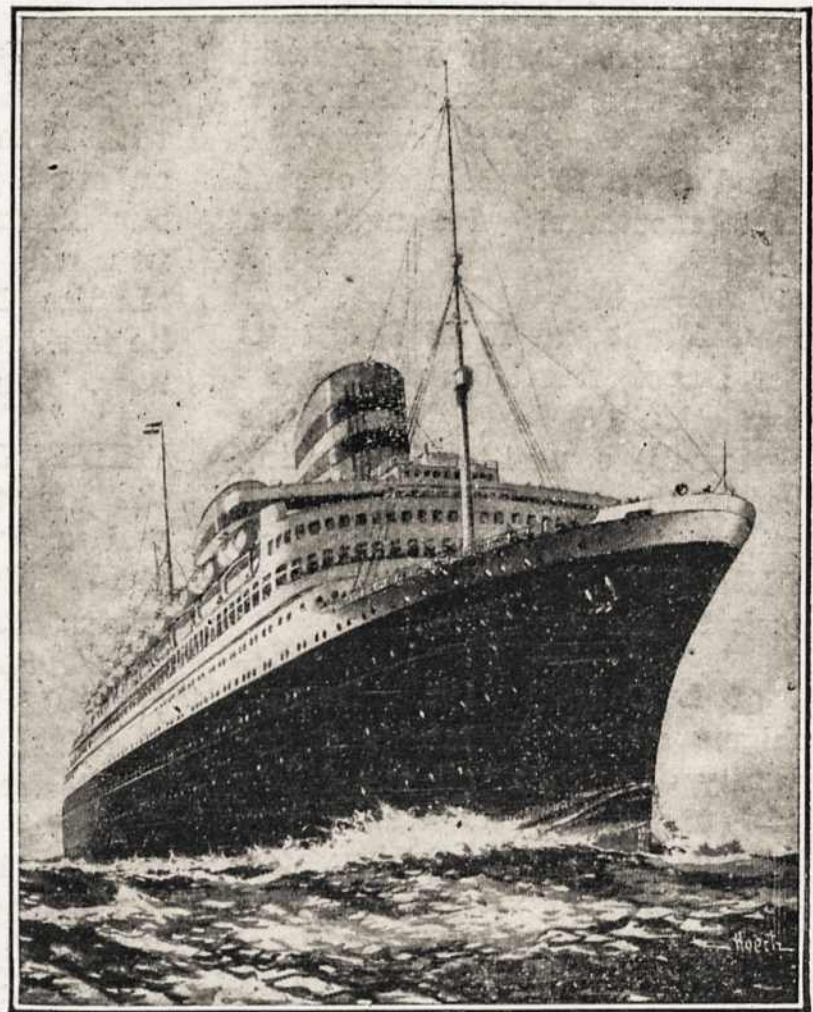
St. Casimir's day was observed with a Communion breakfast Sunday March 5th. It was a huge success.

Our chairman Joe Janush certainly did his share for the day with the assistance of our most Congenial helpers — Peter Bernota, John Rougalis, Ann Gerdzis, Peter Alejander, Josephine Stokna, Frances Barauskas, Micklena Urkevick, William Urban, Al. Jarvis and yours truly. Many thanks to Mrs. Jasaitis for making deliciousjava. Principal speakers for the day were: Rev. Fr. Valantiejus, Rev. Fr. Gradeck, and Mr. Alexander Alexis.

The fact that champ Al Ambrose refused to play a game with our rising ping-pong champ, our corny-haired member, Josephine Stokna, leaves a slight doubt in the minds of his admirers as to whether he is in a position to contend successfully. Jo's instructor predicts that he'll make a "pro" out of her, — "Do or die." The remark passed by Jo — "I'm afraid he'll die." (Ps-s-st) — Al. Varnauskas is the six-footer, dark, and handsome possessing the pin-pong intelligence.)

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