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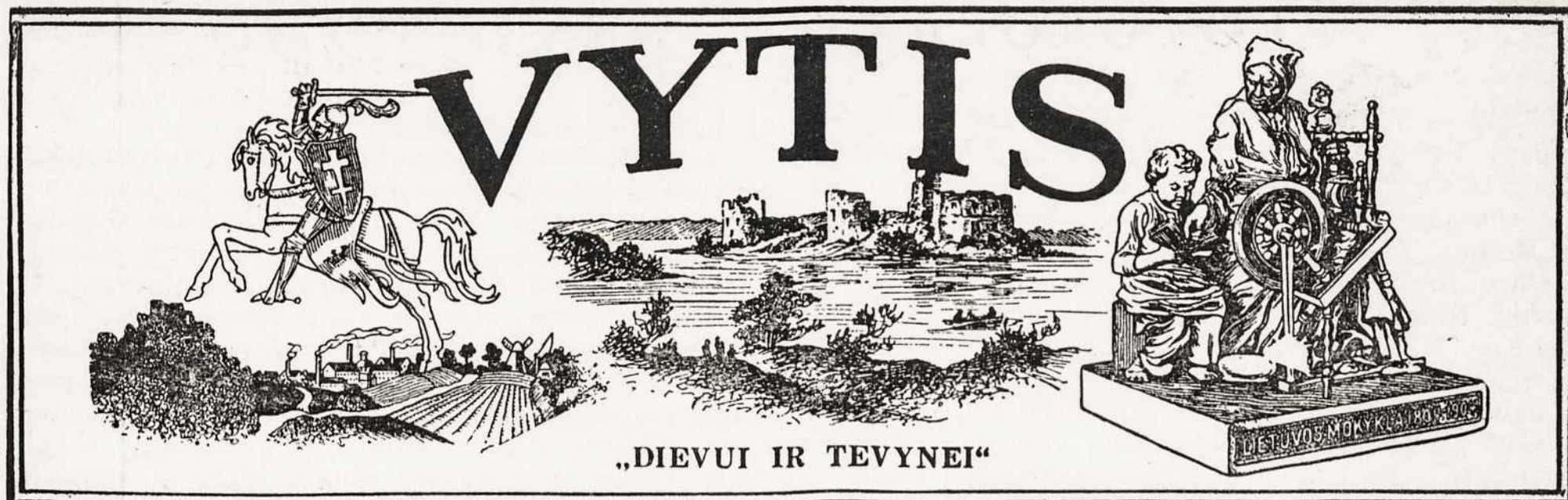
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**LIETUVOS VYČIAI.**

### PADĖKA

Nebūtų tinkama praleisti proga neišreikšiant padėkos Lietuvos Vyčių Harrison-Kearny, N. J. 90-tai Kuopai ir jų Seimo rengimo komisijai už didelę ir pasekmingą darbuotę surengime praėjusio 27-to Metinio Seimo. Visos Seimo dalys, kaip sesijos taip ir pramogos, buvo kuopuikiausiai sutvarkytos ir suteikė įspūdį delegatams ir svečiams, kuris ilgai bus nepamirštas ir beabejo daug prisidės prie sustiprinimo mūsų fraternalės dvasios.

Šiomis dienomis prie Vyčių organizacijos prisidėjo dvi naujos kuopos. Viena, 16-ta Kuopa, kuri randasi Šv. Jurgio Parapijoje, Chicago, Ill. atgaivinta pastangomis J. M. Praloto M. L. Krušo. Antra kuopa, Shenandoah, Pa., kurios organizavimui darbavosi vietinis klebonas Kun. J. A. Karalius ir vikaras Kun. J. A. Neverauskas. Minėtiems dvasiškiems ir visiems bendradarbiams kurie prisidėjo prie šio prakilnaus darbo, Centras taria širdingą ačiu, ir linki idant tos kuopos ilgai ir pasekmingai gyvuotų mūsų organizacijoje.

*Pranas A. Gudelis,*

L. V. Centro Pirmininkas.

### Pradedant Naujus Organizacijos Metus

Linksmi seimavome 90-toje kuopoje ši mėnesi, girdėjome daug gražių ir puikių raportų, apsvarstėme organizacijos reikalus ir gvildenome mūsų trūkumus.

Širdį džiugina Finansų Sekretorės raportas kuriame skambėjo kad narių skaičius padidėjo per pastarus metus. Lietuvos Vyčių Organizacija tikrai įgyvena XXVIII-čio Seimo obalsį "Vyčiai Pirmyn." Pradedant XXIII-čio Seimo obalsį, "Vyčiai Pirmyn." Pradedant su tuo Seimu ir tesiant per penkelius metus iki dabartinio, pasirodo kad organizacijoje kas metais auga narių skaičius. Šis faktas liūdijs kad galima padaryti tiktai viena išvada — visi šie seimai buvo pasekmingi ir naudingi mūsų organizacijos gyvenimui.

Pradedant naujus darbuotės metus pasiryškime ta pagirtina rekordą, pratesti ir padvigubinti šiais metais; per paskutinius metus narių skaičius padidėjo 377 asmenims, šiais metais stengkimės prirašyti 800 naujų narių; pastarais metais suorganizavome ir atgaivinome tris kuopas, šimet nustatykime sau kvotą suorganizuoti šešes kuopas.

Prirašymas naujų narių neesa vienintėlis mūsų užsibrėžimas. Jeigu bus užtektinai narių ir nebus kooperatyvos veiklos, neatsieksime organizacijos tikslo ir neįgyvendinsime jos obalsio — "Dievui ir Tėvynei." Prisiminkime šio XXVII-to Seimo nutarimus ir mūsų padarytus pasiryžimus ir uoliai stokime į darbą. Turime įvairias sporto šakas, turime dramos ratelius, turime chorą, turime Vyčių dienas, turime Šv. Kazimiero apvaikščiojimą, turime nousavą organą, turime progos padirbėti visuomenės veikime, turime prisidėti prie parapijų palaikymo, turime platinti lietuvišką dvasią — darbas didelis ir negalima snūsti; reikalinga Vyčių darbininkų.

Tat, VYČIAI PIRMYN VISADOS!

# PROTOKOLAS L. V. XXVII SEIMO

Lietuvos Vyčių XXVII-tas Seimas įvyko Harrison-Kearny, New Jersey 90-toj Vyčių kuopoj, Harrison Public Library Auditorium, Harrison, New Jersey.

Seimas prasidėjo su Šv. Mišioms, Sopulingos Dievo Motinos Parapijos bažnyčioje, kurias iškilmingai atnašavo Gerb. Kun. Antanas Bubas iš Harrison-Kearny, New Jersey, 8:30 val. ryte. Pamokslą pasakė Kun. M. Urbonavičius, M. I. C.

Seimo posėdį atidarė Centro Pirmininkas, adv. K. Paulauskas, su įžangine kalbele 10:30 val. ryto ir pakvietė Centro Dvasios Vadą, Kun. Vaitekūną atkalbėti maldą. Po to Seimo dalyviai jausmingai sugiedojo Amerikos, Lietuvos ir Vyčių himnus.

## PIRMOJI SESIJA

Sekė sveikinimai. Seimą sveikino žodžiu bei raštu Centro dvasios Vadas Kun. J. Vaitekūnas, Garbės narys Kun. M. Urbonavičius, Kun. Bubas, Kun. M. Kemėžis, Kun. P. Juras, Kun. L. Vaičekauskas, Kun. Vaitekūnas iš Lietuvos, Kun. I. Kelmelis, Kun. C. Paulėkas (C. S. S. R.).

Vilimas Grinevičius Lietuvos Vyčių XXVII Seimo Rengimo Komisijos Pirm., Kearny miesto majoras Frobisher, Harrison'o miesto majoras Gassert, Councilman Healy, inž. Ant. J. Mažeika, N. Y. ir N. J. Apskričio Pirmininkas.

Sekė Seimo posėdžio valdybos rinkimai. Į prezidijumą įėjo sekantieji:

Pirm. Antanas Gaputis iš So. Boston, Mass.

Vice-Pirm. Juozas C. Peters iš Chicago, Ill.

Raštininkės: Elena Jasionytė iš Norwood, Mass., ir Marijona Brazauskaitė iš Chicago, Ill.

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Kun. J. Vaitekūnas iš Providence, R. I.

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Pr. Mončunas, Hartford, Conn.

M. Kazlauskas, Kearny, N. J.

### Sveikinimų Komisija:

C. Paulauskas — Kearny, N. J.

Kun. M. Urbonavičius — Chicago, Ill.

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### Tvarkadariai:

Kasminaitis — Hartford, Conn.

K. Mockus — Chicago, Ill.

Seimo posėdžio valdyba užėmė savo vietas ir pirmoji sesija baigė 12:30 val. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. L. Vaičekauskas.

## ANTROJI SESIJA

Antroji sesija prasidėjo 2:25 val. po pietų. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. M. Urbonavičius.

### Seimą sveikino:

Kun. Balkauskas, Dr. Raulinaitis, Pavasarininkų atstovas iš Lietuvos, Kun. Raila, mergaičių pavasarinikių dvasios vadas; Kun. Garmus; Antanas Gaputis sveikino Naujos Anglijos Apskričio vardu; B. Klimas sveikino Chicagos Apskrities vardu; Vyčių tėvas, M. Norkunas sveikino visus ir skaitė referatą užvadintu "Lietuvių Jaunimo Dvasia, Praeityje ir Dabar." Referatas priimtas ir bus atspausdintas Vytyje. Telegramu sveikino Moterų Sąjungos Seimas — Worcester, Mass. Laišku sveikino Kun. Pr. Virmauskis iš So. Boston, Mass. ir prisiuntė penkių dolerių dovaną. LRKSA — 165 kp. Harrison-Kearny sveikino atvirute; Jonas Stalilionis iš Lietuvos, laišku; Moterų Sąjungos 63 kp. telegrama; Nakrošių šeimyna telegramu; "Draugo" red. L. Šimutis laišku; Kun. P. Činikas, "Laivo" red., laišku; L. Šimutis LRKSA. pirm. ir ALRK. Fed. Sekr. laišku; sveikinimas nuo "Studento Žodžio" gautas telegramu per Postal Telegrafa. Padėka bus pasiūsta Kun. Virmauskui ir sveikinimas Moterų Sąjungos Seimui.

Mandatų Komisija išdavė raportą pranešdama, Seime yra: 23 atstovaujančios kuopos; trys atstovaujanti Apskričiai; 81 delegatai, 16 svečių, 5 pavaduotojai.

Seimas davė P-lei Norkunaitei iš Lowell, Mass. galimybę astovauti 115-tą kp., Lowell, Mass., šiame Seime.

Sekė protokolo skaitymas. Vien tik rezoliucijos buvo skaitomos ir priimtos.

Ponas C. Basanavičius davė pasiūlimą perskaityti kasdienius raportus po kiekvienos sesijos — atmetas.

### Sekė valdybos raportai:

1. Dvasios vadas, Kun. Vaitekūnas raportavo, kad dirbo kiek galėjo su Vyčiais ir pranešė, kad mėgina atgaivinti Vyčių kuopas Pensylvanijos valstybėj. Ragino kad nariai atliktų Velykinę. Visuomet atminė Lietuvos Vyčių organizacijos narius savo maldose. Raportas priimtas.

2. Pirm. Paulausko raportas paliktas ant kitos sesijos.

3. Pirmo Vice-Pirm. Gudelio raportas paliktas ant toliaus.

4. Antras Vice-Pirm. Babilas neprisiuntė raporto.

5. Finansų Raštininkė — I. Pakeltytė prisiuntė savo raportą raštu. Raportas priimtas su pagyrimu.

Rugpiūčio 2, 1939

Gerb. Dvasiškija, Prezidijumas, Delegatai ir Svečiai:

Sveikinu šį Lietuvos Vyčių Metinį Seimą — lai jis nutaria kuonaudingiausias rezoliucijas kurios atneštų kuo kilniausius nuopelnus organizacijai.

Pereitame Seime delegatai suteikė man didelę garbę, išrinkdami mane Centro Finansų Raštininke. Aš ta garbe laikau už labai didelę privilegija ir dirbau iš širdies kuo uoliausiai mano užduočiai.

Iš viso buvo laikyta vienuolika Centro Valdybos posėdžių. Valdybos nariai kurie negalėjo dalyvauti susirinkimuose, prisiuntė savo raportus, kurie buvo perskaitomi ir svarstomi.

Trys Vyties laidos buvo išleistos apskričių ir kuopos — tai yra — New Yorko ir New Jersey Apskritys, Chicagos Apskritys ir 17-ta kuopa iš So. Boston, Mass. prisidėjo prie šio darbo išleisdami pilnus numerius.

Šia žiema Chicagos Centro Dalis surengė šokį, bet kadangi oras pasitaikė labai blogas, pelno mažai liko.

Taip-gi 36-ta kuopa, Chicago, Illinois paaukavo Centru Dvidešimts-penkis dolerius (\$25.00).

Tankiai Vyčių skolintojai ypatiškai manęs prašė atmokėti jiems skolintus pinigus. Prašiau laukti susirinkimų.

Spalio mėnesį kada Vyčių Spaustuvė buvo patraukta teisman del nemokėtų Personal Property Taxes, aš su spaustuvės direktoriu, Juozu Glebausku ir Centro legaliu patarėju, Advokatu J. Grish atstovavau Vyčius. Buvo prirodyta tada kad Vyčiams nereikia mokėti nei kokių mokesčių.

Čia noriu pridėti mūsų legalio patarėjo, Adv. J. Grish patarimą, kad mūsų charteriui būtų pridėti šie du punktai:

- a) kad mūsų organizacija yra Rymo Katalikiška.
- b) kad mes turim spaustuvę savo organizacijos reikalams atlikti.

Šie du pasireiškimai yra gana reikalingi einant teismuose.

Naujų narių vėjus prasidėjo Sausio 1, 1939 ir baigėsi Gegužio 15, 1939. Naujų narių prisirašė 377 — iš tų 300 buvo nauji, o 77 išnaujo pririrašė.

Pirmą dovaną laimėjo 17-ta kuopa So. Boston, Mass., antrą 12-ta kuopa New York, New York.

Spilkutes šie užsipelnė:

Antanas Gaputis C-17, Peter Vaicelis C-12, Mary Rusas C-109.

Iš viso šiuo laiku randasi 1800 Vyčių 39 kuopose. Nuo pereito Seimo ši kuopa išnyko.

25-ta Cleveland, Ohio.

Naujų susitvėrė:

16-ta Chicago, Illinois.

96-ta Dayton, Ohio (JAUNAMEČIŲ).

128-ta Waukegan, Illinois.

Chicagoj susitverus New Yorko Parodos Remti Chicagos Komitetas — aš Vyčius atstovavau ir buvau išrinkta finansų raštininke ir iki šiol dalyvauju ir dirbu tam Komitete Vyčių vardu.

Taip-gi noriu pranešti, kad dabar randasi pas mane apie 40 ar 50 Vyčių konstitucijų. Per metus išeina daugiau šimto kopijų. Gal reikės daugiau atspausdinti?

Baigiant šį mano raportą noriu išreikšti nuoširdžią padėką visiems Centro Valdybos nariams ir kuopų finansų raštininkėms už duotą nemažą ko-operaciją, kuria gaudama labai pelngvino mano pareigas.

Šis metas praleistas Vyčių darbuotėj bus neiždildintas ilgai ar greitai. Jis vis primins man Vyčių nuoširdumą ir jų norą dirbti Dievui ir Tėvynei.

**Irena J. Pakeltytė,**

**Centro Finansų Raštininkė.**

6. Raštininkė B. Rimkiutė raportavo, kad dalyvavo visuose 13 sušauktuose susirinkimuose; kiek galėjo dalyvavo Vyčių parengimuose ir išsiuntinėjo valdybos nariams pilnus raportus. Prisidėjo prie atgaivinimo Waukegano kuopos. Seimas raštininkės raportą priėmė.

Vardošaukis.

7. Iždininkė, Monica Z. Peters skaitė raportą. Priimtas kaip skaitytas.

8 Raportas Vyties Redaktoriaus Juozo C. Peters Pranešė, kad per metus buvo gan daug nusiskundimų, bet paaiškino, kad straipsniai ar korespondencijos nebuvo į laiką prisiųsti ir turėjo kaip kada talpinti tik įdomiausius rašimus.

Stengiasi priruošti knygų kuriose tilps kiekvienas "Vyties" nr. nuo pirmo išleidimo. Lankė kiekvieną Centro valdybos susirinkimą; pasisekė atgaivinti 16 kp.; dėkojo N. Y. ir N. J. Apskr., Chicagos Apskričiui ir 17 kp. ir C. Basanavičiui, Kun. M. Urbonavičiui, M. Brazauskaitei, B. Klimui, ir Pr. Razvadauskui, kurie daug prisidėjo prie išleidimo Apskričių bei kuopos išleidimo Vyties nr. Raportas priimtas.

9. Sekė spaustuvės direktoriaus, Glebausko skaitytas raportas. Priimtas kaip skaitytas.

Spaustuvės įeigos šiais metais perviršijo pereitų metų, o pereitų metų buvo daugiau negu bile kitų metų. Padidėjimas įvyko visose įeigų paskirstymo dalyse. Didžiausi padidėjimai yra Centro įmokėjimai ir kiti darbai. Kad šios dvi pozicijos taip gerai pasirodo yra Centro valdybos ir spaustuvės manadžerio, Vytauto Shillingo, nuopelnai.

Paprastai didžiausios išlaidos yra darbininkų algų mokesčiai. Šiais metais jos yra dar didesnės, nes darbininkams, kurių šiuo laiku yra keturi (4), buvo pakeltos algos, kad prisilaikyti federalinės valdžios "wage and hours act" ir kad užlaikyti darbininkus nuo apleidimo spaustuvės dėl pelningesnių pasiūlymų.

Kitos išlaidos kurios daug prisidėjo prie pakėlimo išlaidų tai pataisymai "Cylinder press" ir "Controller of the cylinder press," spaustuvės išmalevojimas, popierų sandelio pastatymas, social security mokesčiai ir naujos ofiso kedės.

Savo veikla vyčiuose galiu greitai apibudinti. Lankiau spaustuvę, dalyvavau Centro susirinkimuose, ėjau man paskirtas Centro specialių komisijų pareigas, dalyvavau teismuose spaustuvės reikalais.

Baigdamas sveikinu Kearny, N. J. 90-tą kuopą ir jos pirmininką Vincentą Grinevičių už surengimą 27-to seimo ir 27-tam seimui linkiu kad išneštų geriausias rezoliucijas Vyčių labui dabar ir ateičiai.

**Juozapas Glebauskas,**

**Spaustuvės Direktorius.**

10. Iždo globėjai Basanavičius ir A. Varaniutė raportavo. Dirbo del Vyčių labo ir dalyvavo Vyčių parengimuose. Raportai priimti.

Sekė Apskričių pirmininkų raportai:

1. Antanas Gaputis raportavo už Pr. Razvadauską, Naujos Anglijos pirmininką. Naujoje Anglijoje Vyčių skaičius didėja ir sportas platinasi tarp Vyčių. Raportas priimtas.

2 Chicago Apskričio pirmininkas B. Klimas raportavo, kad L. Vyčių Chicagos Apskričio choras dalyvaus Lietuvių Dienos parengime Rugsėjo 10 d. 1939 — Pasaulinė parodoje — New York. Pranešė kad 128-ta kuopa — Waukegan, Ill. atgaivinta ir sportų rateliai perorganizuoti. Surošė Lietuvių Vyčių Dieną. Raportas priimtas.

Atvyko atstovė p-lė J. Brazauskaitė iš Naujos kuopos — Shenandoah, Pa. Seimas nutarė duoti atstovei pilną galimybę per šį Seimą.

Šis posėdis užsidarė 5:20 val. po pietų. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Kelmelis.

### TREČIOJI SESIJA

Trečioji sesija prasidėjo 10 val. ryte. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Šveris.

Sveikino telegramu Wm. T. Kvetkauskas L. R. K. S. A. vardu.

Laišku sveikino garbės narys Aleksis ir prisiuntė penkių dolerių dovaną del Vyties pagerinimo.

Sekė 1-mo Vice-Pirm. Gudelio raportas. Priimtas kaip skaitytas.

Rugpiūčio 7, 1939

### RAPORTAS LIETUVOS VYČIŲ 27-tam METINIAM SEIMUI KEARNY, N. J.

Gerbiamieji Seimo Dalyviai:

Centro Vice-Pirm. pareigas stengiausi atlikti pagal geriausios išgalės.

Suorganizavau Jaunamečių Vyčių kuopą Dayton, Ohio.

Lankiausi Chicago, Ill. Kovo 5-tą. Dalyvavau Chicagos Apskričio Šv. Kazimiero Dienos apvaikščiojime ir Centro valdybos susirinkime ta diena.

Rašiau laiškus visoms kuopoms raginant jas rengti pramogas del Centro naudoms.

Rašiau kelis straipsnius į "Vytį" organizacijos reikalais.

Nemažai laiko pašvenčiau darbuotėje su Dayton, O. kuopa.

Lankiau Detroit, Mich. ir stengiausi sustiprinti tenai gyvuojančią kuopą.

Dabartiniu laiku vedu derybas su Kun. J. A. Neverausku, Shenandoah, Pa., ir Kun. J. F. Angelaičiu, Clevelande, Ohio. Tikimės kad greitai laiku turėsime Vyčių kuopas tuose miestuose.

Su pagarba,

**Pranas Gudelis.**

Ritualo komisijos narys — Juozaitis raportavo, kad Pr. Razvadauskas ir Pr. Gudelis daug yra pasidarbavę ritualo klausime. Chicagos kuopos mėgino duoti laipsnius ir pasekmės geros. Rytuose dar nėra pildomas. Pranešė kad Šv. Kazimiero ordinas yra ketvirtas laipsnis. Ketvirto laipsnio nariai gauna aukso medalį. Ritualo komisija rekomenduoja K. Zaromskį ir S. Šimulį į garbės narystę. Juozaitis paaikškino Seimo dalyviams, kad visos ritualo ceremonijos yra vienokios.

Šioji komisija pageidavo Seimo priimti ritualą kaip stovi. Pageidavimas ir raportas priimtas.

Sekė atletikos komisijos raportai:

Basanavičius raportavo kad Olympiada turėjo atšaukti, nes kooperacijos truko. Aplikacijos buvo išsiųstos visoms kuopoms, bet mažai atsiliepė šiame klausime. Seimas užgyrė Basanavičiaus darbuotę ir priėmė raportą.

Ponas Cherry raportavo atletikos klausime. Chi-

cagos kuopų pirmininkai nuoširdžiai ir vieningai darbuojasi sporte. Yra sutverti šeši sportų rateliai ir mėgins sutverti basketball ir bowling ratelius. Raportas priimtas.

Sekė N. Y., N. J. Apskr. pirm. L. Ketvirčio raportas. Raportavo kad narių skaičius didėja ir sporto veikimas platinasi. Gruodžio mėnesį išleido "Vytį."

Laikė naujų narių vaju saryšium su Centro, ir labai gerai pasisekė. Stengėsi užmegsti ryšius su kitomis katalikiškomis organizacijomis. Raportas priimtas.

Kun. Urbonavičius iš Chicago pranešė, kad namo fonde yra \$270. Ponia M. Peters pranešė, kad iš šio fondo buvo reikalas užmokėti už spilkutes, kurios buvo padarytos.

Iš viso jai buvo 496 spilkelių prisiūsta.

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Pas Mrs. Peters dar yra 366 spilkelių; ir nariai kurie norėtų nusipirkti spilkelę gali už 50 centų. Raportas priimtas.

Advokatas J. Grish, legalis patarėjas prisiuntė savo raportą, kuris buvo priimtas.

August 5th, 1939

Mr. President and Delegates of the 27th National Convention Knights of Lithuania:

First of all, I wish to congratulate the 27th National Convention Knights of Lithuania and may your work in this Convention be crowned with success.

A year ago at Chicago, the writer was appointed as a member of the Committee to investigate and see what possibilities there were for introducing Fraternal Insurance in our Organization. I took the matter up with Mr. Palmer, Superintendent of Insurance, at Springfield, Illinois, as you have been informed through the column of "Vytis," and while there were changes being contemplated with reference to the Fraternal Insurance Law, I have never received a definite reply.

In reading that part of the statute for requirements to qualify, the statute clearly states that "At least 500 lives for at least \$1,000.00 each shall be subscribed" with rates based on "American Experience Table of Mortality." With reference to other provisions such as having a Lodge System, etc., I believe that our Organization could qualify. It appears to me there is no disposition on the part of the State Officials to encourage Fraternal Insurance, however, we have a statute permitting "Burial Insurance Society" in which the requirements are very simple such as "that at least 5, no more than 15, may incorporate with requirements that \$1,000.00 be deposited with the State, and Policies may be issued up to \$500.00." Under this set up it would probably be necessary to have a Corporation within a Corporation, such as Knights of Lithuania, Burial Insurance Society. As I am pretty sure that it would not be the wish of the

membership to change the present Corporate name, Knights of Lithuania, the by-laws of such a Burial Society will provide that membership shall be limited to members of the Knights of Lithuania. If the Convention feels that we should go in deeper on this subject, I shall be glad to proceed in accordance with the wishes of the Convention.

Since the writer was appointed as Legal Advisor for the Knights of Lithuania, I wish to make the following report as to my activity:

1. I replied to a letter of Joseph C. Green, Office of Arms and Munitions Control, Department of State, Washington, D. C., in which the Government questioned if our Organization was an agent of foreign principal, under the Act of Congress, approved June 8th, 1938, to which I replied that we were not Agents of any foreign Government and I believe the matter has been fully disposed of.
2. Two suits against the Knights of Lithuania Press for personal property taxes were commenced in the Municipal Court of Chicago, one for \$317.02, taxes for 1936 and one for \$581.42, taxes for 1937. I was instrumental in having both suits dismissed without one cent of costs or remuneration of any kind.
3. A collection item for the Knights of Lithuania Press which was compromised and liquidated.

May I take this opportunity of expressing my sincere thanks to Mr. Joseph C. Peters, Editor of "Vytis" for the nice write-up in the "Vytis" on the occasion of my Silver Wedding Anniversary. I also wish to express my thanks to the rank and file of the Membership for the courtesies that you have been extending to me.

Hoping that this report will meet with your approval and in the event you see fit to re-appoint me as your Legal Advisor, I shall be glad to undertake the duties.

Fraternally yours,

**Joseph J. Grish.**

Pranas Gudelis davė įnešimą kad Centro raštininkė pasiųstų Adv. Grish padėkos laišką už jo darbuotę. Įnešimas priimtas. Kas link pildymo pereitų metų Seimo rezoliucijų.

Pirm. Paulauskas pranešė Seimui kad laike Kun. Vienybės Seimo kalbėjo su Dvasiškais ir prašė visų Kunigų remti Vyčius. Raportas priimtas.

Mrs. Peters išdavė Scholarship Fund raportą. Pranešė kad pereito Seimo nutarimas buvo talpinti "Vytyje", bet nesirado pajamų nuo kuopų, tai iki šio laiko nėra jokio fondo. Raportas priimtas.

Seimas rankų plojimu pakėlė K. Zaromski ir S. Šimulį į Garbės narystę.

C. Basanavičius raportavo loterijos klausime. Įnešimas duotas ir paantrintas atmesti loteriją. Seimas nubalsavo atmesti. Seimas padėjo p. Basanavičiui už jo darbą.

Vardošaukis.

Pr. Gudelis įrašytas kaip valdybos narys dalyvaujantis Seime.

Posėdis užsibaigė 12:00 per pietus. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Juras.

#### KETVIRTOJI SESIJA

Ketvirtoji sesija buvo sušaukta 2:15 val. po pietų. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Paulekas.

Sveikino Kun. Kripas ir Kun. Razaitis.

Kun. Juras paaukavo \$10 palengvinti Centro skolą, kuri yra \$4,400. Taipgi sveikino Valantiejų šeimą.

Vardošaukis.

Ed. Staniulis išdavė advertising raportą, kuris buvo priimtas.

Sekė rezoliucijos ir pageidavimai.

#### Rezoliucija 1-ma

Kad Vytį padaryti lietuvių katalikiško jaunimo laikraščiu, ir kad įvesti jį į kitas organizacijas. Priimtas kaip skaitytas.

#### Rezoliucija 2-ra

Kad Lietuvos Vyčių XXVII Seimas įgaliotų Lietuvos Vyčių Chicagos Apskritį suruošti Lietuvos Vyčių ekskursiją Lietuvon 1943 m., 25 metų Lietuvos nepriklausomybės jubiliejaus proga ir kas penkis metus rengti oficialės ekskursijas, o 1940 ekskursiją pavesti M. Norkunui. Rezoliucija priimta.

#### Pageidavimas 1-mas

Kad Lietuvos Vyčių Centras nerengtų pramogų sukelimui lėšų, bet kreiptusi į Apskričius ir tvirtesnes kuopas kad apsiimtų išleisti po Vyties laidą arba surengtų pramogas. Priimtas kaip pageidavimas.

#### Pageidavimas 2-ras

Kadangi Lietuvos Vyčių ritualas sekmingai vykdomas, anot ritualo komisijos, pageidaujama kad palikti šį ritualą iki 1940 m., be paminų ir toliaus raginti kuopas vykdyti jį. Priimtas.

#### Rezoliucija 3-čia

Kad spaustuvės direktoriai išduotų rašytą raportą kas tris mėnesiai. Rezoliucija priimta.

#### Pageidavimas 3-čias

Kad tarp Vyčių būtų koks nors "pass word." Šis pavestas ritualo komisijai rupintis.

#### Rezoliucija 4-ta

Kad išrinktasis Centro Dvasios Vadas susirašintų su Dvasiškais prašant Vyčiams paramos ir platinti Vyčių organizaciją. Rezoliucija priimta.

#### Pageidavimas 4-tas

Pageidaujama iš Newark, N. J. kad visi Vyčių susirinkimai būtų laikomi parapijos svetainėse.

**Pageidavimas 5-tas**

Pageidaujama kad ant visų narių aplikacijų būtų Dvasios Vado parašas.

**Rezoliucija 5-ta**

Resolved: That in the future no K of L Center officer elected into an office for the period of one year shall succeed himself for more than two successive years. After a lapse of at least one year he or she may once more be elected to the same office. Ši rezoliucija buvo priimta, bet atšaukta šeštoj sesijoje ir pagal balsavimo vėl priimta.

**Rezoliucija 6-ta**

Kad Kun. J. Vaitekūnas būtų pakeltas į garbės narys. Kandidacija perduota ritualo komisiškai. Rezoliucija vienbalsiai priimta.

**Rezoliucija 7-ta**

Kad Centro pirmininkas turėtų bent trečią laipsnį. Ritualo komisija ši punktą įves į ritualą.

**Pageidavimas 6-tas**

Pageidaujama kad Centro Valdyba dažniau susirašintų su kuopoms.

**Pageidavimas 7-tas**

Pageidaujama kad Vyčiai per susirinkimus prie maldos pridėtų dar maldele už pasaulinės taikos. Nutarta ši punktą pridėti prie maldos: "Nuo maro, bado, ugnies ir karo — gelbėk mus Viešpatie!"

Revizijos komisija išdavė raportą pranešdama, kad Finansų Raštininkės raportas tvarkingas. Seimas užgyrė komisijos raportą.

Seimas nutarė pasamdyti Certified Public Accountant peržiūrėti šių metų spaustuvės knygas.

**Pageidavimas 8-tas**

Pageidaujama kad visi mandatai būtų tvarkingi su antgalviu, pirmininko, raštininko ir Dvasios Vado parašais, bus atspausdinti.

**Pageidavimas 9-tas**

Pageidaujama kad rezoliucijų blankos būtų tokioj pačioj formoj kaip mandatai. Centras rūpinsis šiame dalyke.

**Pageidavimas 10-tas**

Pageidaujama kad visos Vyčių kuopos kitais metais surengtų prakalbas ar ką nors panašaus išaiškinti ką Vyčiai reiškia ir išaiškinti šios garbingos organizacijos reikalingumą.

**Pageidavimas 11-tas**

Maudydamos, Vytis S. Tamošaitis, 116 kuopos narys prigėrė. Pageidaujama už jo vėlę sukalbėti maldele.

Sveikina Kun. Paulenius iš Brooklyn ir Kun. Simonaitis iš Elizabeth, N. J.

Sveikinimo komisija pranešė kad sveikinimai buvo pasiųsti Kun. Virmauskiui, Kun. Jurui, Moterų Sajungai, Pr. Razvadauskiui, Mayor Frobisher of Kearny ir Jo Excelencijai — Arcivyskupui Thomas J. Walsh, D. D., Newark, N. J.

Sekė Centro pirmininko Paulausko raportas. Raportavo kad dalyvavo Vyčių parengimuose ir atstovavo Vyčius kada tik buvo proga. Rupinos kaip likviduoti sena skola. Paskyrė A. Mažeiką ir L. Ketvirtį atstovauti Vyčius Lietuvių Dienos parodoj — Rugsėjo 10 d., 1939 — New York.

Rupinos Apdraudos klausime ir pranešė kad susirašinėjo su Centro valdybos nariais šiame klausime. Raportas priimtas.

Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Vaitekūnas už a. a. Tamošaičio vėlę.

Posėdis usibaigė 5:45 val. po pietų.

Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Razaitis.

**PENTOJI SESIJA**

Penktą sesija atidarė Juozas C. Peters 10:25 val. ryte. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. P. Vaitekūnas iš Lietuvos.

Antanas Gaputis iškėlė diskusijas dėl vienuoliktos rezoliucijos. Po diskusijų ši rezoliucija buvo vėl balsuota ir priimta kaip skaityta. 41 balsu už ir 20 prieš.

Pastabą čia padarė Kun. Kemėžis kad "two successive years" reiškia "tris metus" išviso pastaba priimta.

Vardošaukis.

Seimas nutarė pasiųsti sekantį pasveikinimą Jo Excelencijai Archbishop Thomas J. Walsh.

His Excellency,  
The Most Rev. Thomas J. Walsh, D. D.,  
Archbishop of Newark,  
31 Mulberry Street,  
Newark, New Jersey.

Your Excellency:

The Knights of Lithuania, National Catholic Youth Organization, in 27th Annual National Convention assembled, at Harrison Public Library, Harrison, N. J., August 8-10, express their fealty to Holy Mother Church and humbly request Your Excellency's blessing on the success of our deliberations.

**Charles F. Paulauskas,**

National President.

Telegramu sveikino Naujos Anglijos Sodaliečių susirinkimas.

Rezoliucijos komisija pranešė kad visos rezoliucijos buvo užbaigtos ketvirtoj sesijoje, bet pradžioj penktos sesijos atsirado daugiau rezoliucijų. Kilo klausimas ar rezoliucijos bus skaitomos penktoj sesijoje ar visai jas užmiršti. Seimas nubalsavo jų visai neskaičiuoti. (36—6).

Įnešimas duotas ir paantrintas per šia sesija rinkti atletikos komisiją.

Komisija išrinkta

C. Basanavičius — N. Y. N. J. Apskričio.  
J. Cherry — Chicagos Apskričio.  
E. Kasminaitis — Naujos Anglijos Apskričio.  
J. Goldick — Dayton, Ohio.  
J. Zostautas — Chicago, Ill.



Diskusijos apdraudos klausime.

Seimas nutarė išrinkti tris asmenis iš vienos kolonijos bendrai dirbti su Centro valdyba išplatinti apdraudos planus.

Komisija:

Antanas Mažeika  
Jonas Remeika  
C. Paulauskas.

Ši komisija laikys susirinkimus kiekvieną mėnesį ir patieks raportus Centro valdybai kiekvieną mėnesį.

Pastaba: Kad ši komisija susirašinėtų su Kun. Gradeckiu dėl informacijų.

Seimas pageidauja kad Centro valdyba paskirtų Adv. Grish Vyčių legaliu patarėju, o Juozą C. Peters Vyties Redaktorių.

Centro valdybai palikta paskirti Advertising Manager.

Įnešimas duotas ir priimtas kad daugiau nei viens asmuo būtų paskirtas rinkti apgarsinimus.

Ponas J. P. Rakštis per laišką prašė šio Seimo pripažinti Lithuanian Boy Scouts. Seimas užgirė šį sumanymą.

Antanas Mažeika pranešė kad atvežti rankdarbiai iš Lietuvos yra jo globoj. Jis atsišaukė į Seimą ką daryti su jais. Seimas išrinko tinkamą komisiją bu tent Kun. Vaitekūną, Antaną Mažeiką ir Juozą Laučką sutvarkyti rankdarbius ir tinkamai išdalinti į tris dalis. Viena dalį pasiūsti į Chicagą — Šv. Kazimiero Seserim, antrą dalį pasiūsti į Marionapolį—Thompson, Conn., o trečią dalį pasiūsti į Pittsburgh, Pa.

Antanas Mažeika atsiklausė Seimo ką daryti su knygoms kurios buvo įteiktos Vyčiams per DULR.

Seimas nutarė pavesti knygas Ritualo komisijai ir kad Centro raštininkė pasiūstų padėkos laiškeli DULR.

Antanas Mažeika apsiėmė išsiūsti pasveikinimus į Lietuvą Vilniečiams ir Klaipėdiečiams.

Įnešimas duotas ir priimtas kad nauja Centro valdyba būtų renkama šeštoj sesijoje.

Penktoji sesija užsidarė 12:45 val. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Urbonavičius.

### ŠEŠTOJI SESIJA

Šeštą sesiją atidarė A. Gaputis 2:25 val. po pietų. Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Kinta.

Sveikino Seimą Kun. Kinta.

Sekė valdybos rinkimai.

Dvasios Vadas skiriamas Kunigų Vienybės.

Sekantieji pasiulyti:

Kun. J. Vaitekūnas  
Kun. M. Kemėžis  
Kun. J. Balkūnas  
Kun. M. Urbonavičius.

Pirmininkas,

Pranas Gudelis — Dayton, Ohio.

1-mas Vice-Pirm.,

Antanas Gaputis — So. Boston, Mass.

2-ras Vice-Pirm.,

Louis Ketvirtis — Jersey City, New Jersey.

Finansų Raštininkė,

Bronė Rimkiutė — Cicero, Ill., vienbalsiai.

Nutarimų Raštininkė,

Marijona Brazauskaitė — Chicago, Ill., vienbalsiai.

Redarktorius — Pageidaujama — Juozas C. Peters. Iždininkė,

Monika Z. Peters — Chicago, Ill., vienbalsiai.

Iždo globėjai:

C. Basanavičius — Jersey City, N. J., vienbalsiai

Felicija Grendelytė — S. Boston, Mass., vienbalsiai

Spaustuvės direktoriai:

Anastazija Varaniutė — Chicago, Ill., vienbalsiai.

Kun. M. Urbonavičius — Chicago, Ill., vienbalsiai išrinktas užbaigti F. Palonio terminą, kuris baigsis 1941 m.

J. Cherry — Chicago, Ill., vienbalsiai išrinktas Ritualo komisijos narys.

Juozas C. Peters padėkojo delegatams už jų atydą per Seimą.

J. Juozaitis išreiškė padėkos žodį Kearny-Harrison, N. J. 90-tai kuopai už visus malonumus.

Šešta kuopa, Hartford, Conn. kvietė 1940 Seimą.

Užkvietimas vienbalsiai priimtas.

Telegramais sveikino — A. F. Knuzys — Darbininko Redaktorius ir The Rev. Thomas J. Walsh — Archbishop of Newark, N. J.

J. Cherry dėkojo Seimui už suteiktas garbės narystės Zaromskiui ir Šimuliui.

Antanas Mažeika dėkojo Vyčiams už žiedą kurs buvo jam suteiktas.

Sekė naujos valdybos prisiegdinimas. Po to, Seimas sugiedojo Amerikos, Lietuvos ir Vyčių himnus — Maldą atkalbėjo Kun. Urbonavičius ir Seimas gražiai užsibaigė 4:45 val. po pietų.

Seimo Sekretorijatas,

**Elena Jasonytė,**

**Marijona Brazauskaitė.**

### EDITOR'S MEMOS

The "referates" which Mr. Norkunas made at the Convention was to be printed in this issue but due to lack of space it will appear in the September issue.

The supreme Council Officers, at their first meeting took the tasks bestowed upon them by the Convention and among other business, appointed Joseph C. Peters as the Editor for the Vytis for the current year, and Anthony Plienys as the Advertising and Circulation manager. Attorney Joseph J. Grish was reappointed to the office of Legal Advisor.

A very important announcement regarding the Lithuanian Book of The Month Club will appear in the September issue of the Vytis. Watch for it!

The editor would like to express his sincere thanks to Adele Laugzemiute of Newark, New Jersey,

and Frank Razvadauskas of Boston, Massachusetts, who were kind enough to supply some of the missing back copies of the journal.

The search for the missing back copies of the journal continues. If you have any of these numbers please send them to the editor. If you have an inkling as to who might have some of them please drop the editor a line to that effect. The following is a complete list of the missing issues:

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## THE SPIRIT OF LITHUANIA

Lithuanian culture, and spreading the knowledge and ideals of his country, is the goal of Jonas Budrys, Lithuanian Consul General in New York. The ideal is more than commercial acceleration, it is cultivating the spirit of amity. It is a concord predicated on esteem, the result of mutual objectives of two liberty-loving peoples. Thus the bond of friendship is strengthened.

Mr. Budrys admitted at dedication of a Darius-Girenas section in the Lithuanian Pavilion, that his country had suffered through the annexation of Memel by Germany, but said that Lithuania would surmount the loss of its principal port by building a new one. The pavilion is in the section of the Hall of Nations, southeast of the Lagoon of Nations.

Addressing 100 of his countrymen now living in the United States, Mr. Budrys said that Lithuania would emulate the courageous spirit of its flyers, Capt. Stephen Darius and Stanley Girenas, who were killed in an attempted flight from New York to Lithuania when they crashed in German Pomerania on July 17, 1933.

"Lithuania suffered through the annexation of Memel," he said. "But the new spirit that prevails in the country is strong, and we are building a new port as a result of that strength. This spirit is the same as that displayed by our two flyers and which is revealed so clearly in their last work: 'This flight is dedicated to you, young Lithuania.'"

*American Business Survey, August, 1939.*

*Eight*



MUZ. JUOZAS SAURIS

Chicagos Apskričio Chorvedys

## CHICAGO DISTRICT CHOIR INKLINGS

We're all just about packed and ready to go to the World's Fair for Lithuanian Day. Mr. Sauris, our director has drilled us in all the songs so that we know them all quite well. Our rehearsals are intermingled with various questions by members. There's one of John Sharkey's — "When do we take our breath?"

Did we all have a grand time at our moonlight picnic of August 16th! The outstanding highlight of this outing was the speed in which the bar maids served the thirsty public, (Honestly, there wasn't a man behind the bar.

We also were honored recently by Mr. Žilevičius visit. He left a number of pointers we won't forget soon.

Looking forward to meeting all the Eastern K of L's in New York. Be seein' you all. **Stab.**

— V y t i s

## Lietuvos Generalinio Konsulo J. Budrio Žodis "Vyčių" 27-tam Metiniam Seimui.

Brangūs Vyčiai:

Su malonumu priėmiau Vyčių vadovybės kvietimą dalyvauti Jūsų Seime. Laikas, deja, neleido man atvykti ir į Seimo atidarymą ir į šį pobuvį, tad pasirinkau antrą, kad jaukioje atmosferoje galėčiau pabūti su Jumis, ilgiau ir arčiau susipažinti.

Gal lengviausias būdas pakalbėti, pasakiau Jums pora komplimentų ir tuom pasitenkinti. Bet tada aš neimčiau rimtai Jūsų garbingos organizacijos. Ta kas gera šeimyniniame subvime, vardadienio pokilyje, netinka rimtos organizacijos seimui. Vyčių organizacija išsišakojusi per visas J. A. V. Jūs turite savo spaudos organą, savo sporto grupes, skaitlingai susirenkat kas met, kad apsvarstytumėt savo reikalus ir perrinktumėt vadus. Imant dėmesin atstumus, ir kitas kliūtis Amerikos sąlygose, atitraukti nuo darbo ir atiduoti kelių dienų, gal savaitės laiką organizacijos reikalams — nelengva. Tas parodo, kad dauguma Jūsų "Vyčių" organizacija yra stipri ir šiandien. Šis Seimas aptars būdus ir padės gaires ateities veikimui, kad organizacija būtų stipri ir rytoj. Jūsų naujieji parinkti vadai ir Jūs patys, peržvelgę praėities veikimą, permatysit ir tą rytojų.

Vieną pamatinių silpnybių visų lietuviškų organizacijų Amerikoje, kad jie tautišką darbą mato tik siaurai savo organizacijos ribose. Jei tautiniam lietuviškam darbe kooperuotų tarp savęs visos organizacijos, žymiai sustiprėtų tautinis susipratimas ir pakiltų svoris lietuvių Amerikoje; nuo to išloštų ir pavienios organizacijos. Paimkime tik vieną pavyzdį: pavienėms organizacijoms, o ypač jų skyriams ir kuopoms, neimanoma sukurti knygynų arba jis susidės iš poros dešimčių knygų, bet visos organizacijos drauge sukurtų kiekvienoje, kiek didesnėje kolonijoje, visai padorų knygyną. O ar be to imanomas kultūriniai tautinis darbas? Ar ne tas pats su mokyklomis, lietuvių kalbos kursais? O jei demokratų ar republikonų partijose imanomas bendras lietuvių (nežiurint jo plauko) darbas, tai kodėl toks bendradarbiavimas neimanomas tautiškam darbe. Visas lietuvių gyvenimas ir veikimas įgytų kitą reikšmę jei būtų vėl atnaujinta Amerikoje Tautos Taryba, kurion įeitų visų, bent stambesnių, organizacijų atstovai bendram tautiniam-kultūriniam veikimui gairems

nustatyti — tuomet ir rytojus atrodys šviesesnis. Jus jaunuomene — jūsų ir rytojus.

Aukštai vertindamas jūsų siekius, linkiu garbingai "Vyčių" organizacijai stiprėti, klestėti ir toliaus dirbti lietuvių tautos labui.

### Kviečiame Draugijas į Federacijos Kongresą

1939 m. rugsėjo 12 ir 13 dienomis, Apreiškimo par. salėj, Brooklyn, N. Y., įvyks Amerikos Lietuvių R. K. Federacijos XXVII kongresas.

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**Marijona Brazauskaitė,**  
Centro Prot. Raštininkė.

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### COUNCIL 102, DETROIT, MICH.

With "Tears in our eyes" we are singing, "those wedding bells are breaking up that old K of L gang of ours"! During May "middle-aisled" it; Miss Anne Bender, May 13; Anne Yuodzukenas and Adam Parimskas, May 28; and our very dear former secretary, Miss Catherine Yaunish and Felix May, June 4. The entire K of L. Council sincerely wishes these newlyweds the utmost success and happiness during their marital life. May they "live happily ever after!"

Cheer up, boys! I hear a few of the gals have read "Live Alone and Like It" and they have decided they wouldn't like it, so they are contemplating doing a little proposing during 1940. Remember, it's Leap Year! So, to all the bachelors, I say, "Keep your chins up and don't get discouraged!"

The Activity Committee planned a weinie roast a few weeks ago and everybody had a bee-you-tiful time; rain, inches of mud, colds, etc., did not hinder a single person from enjoying himself immensely. We are having another one in the near future and everybody is looking forward to it with great eagerness.

Tention Miss Mary Sink and Miss Mary Martinaitis! Won't you please "sit right down and write H. a letter"? Don't forget, as she is waiting very anxiously and patiently to hear from her dear Dayton Pen Pals.

Well, I guess it's time for station D-E-T-R-O-I-T to sign off, so, for future furtive facts, refer to "The Vytis".

**Helen Z.**

### COUNCIL 110, MASPETH, N. Y.

Written on July 29th 1939 in the heart of the Great Smoky mountains in Tennessee.

The summer lethargy hits Maspeth. All one hears and sees is vacation, vacation, etc. Your

scribe hit by these up and left for parts unknown. Accompanied by John Wezwick went down south in the land of corn and cotton. The last I heard of our president and vice-president Al Thomas and Al Grazulis, respectively, was, they were headed for Lake Sanarac and the Adirondacks. The wide open spaces seem to be getting these boys. The Robus' on the hand not inclined toward the hard and rugged life will spend most of their time at their bungalow. Truly one of the popular lads of the club "Slim" Kober came back from his vacation in Pennsylvania full of stories of his prowess among the hill people. Claims he knows how to do the square dance better than the inventor himself. Also we will be entertained by quite few new hill billy songs he picked up in the hills; generally about how Nell wasn't done right by.

Bill Valetsky, instead of vacationing, was beset by vacationers. He had to stay home and entertain Joe from Pennsy, one of his relatives. We understand Bill's summer is going to be one relative after another. If there was one downcast fellow in the club it was Rolo. It seems the light of his life and joy of his heart, Ursula, left for one week's vacation to Waterbury and poor Rolo was all alone by his self for high on 168 hours 43 minutes and 15 seconds.

Our club painters practiced their deadly arts at the club and were so overjoyed by the results that they went home and painted their own homes, thereby doing some painters out of some money (P. S. my father is a painter).

High light of our summer, so far, is the engagement of our dashing young fireman John Lizunas to Ann Pleckaitis, a romance that broke into flame after many years dormant. We wish you Luck.

**Don Julio.**

**COUNCIL 36, CHICAGO, ILL.**

Knock, knock, Council 36 is knocking at your door. Do I hear welcome? Here we come .....

The K of L annual picnic was held July 4. And what a picnic! Fun, fun and more fun. One of the great feats was the "donkey baseball" won by our council. Julius inspired the players by hitting the first home run. Did you see Chuck's determination to ride "Popeye" after being thrown **three** times? Oh me, the laughter. People were actually holding their sides when the donkeys refused to budge.

In general a great deal of credit should be given to our baseball team. They really are going to town. Won so many games that I lost track, and in addition added a trophy to Council 36's collection. The two new players turned out to be aces and great assets to the team.

All who went to the "moonlight picnic" July 16 came home singing praises of a swell time they had.

Remarks like this were heard: "Gosh its grand out here," "what fun," "so cool" at the beach party held July 25.

We have a boxer in our midst. J. U. returned from Lockport's training camp. Maybe the future's champ will be a LIETUVIS.

Turning from the comic to the folksy touch we find in the club that members answer to various nicknames such as Porky — who is active, short, with a figure that a maiden's prayer would not include, a sense of humor and a giggle that could not be duplicated. A favorite of all.

Another name to our list is Zosha — (L. is in my mind). For a blond very reserved and timid or should I say quiet. Pet peeve — acting. Always willing to help in an inconspicuous way. Keep it up, we need members like that.

Here's one no collection I'm sure has "Matapooz." I tried to figure out why he's called so, but of no avail. So I'll leave it up to you. He sings, dramatizes and shows a great ability at the wrong time. A heart, most generous? . . . When offered cherries at one time takes the entire bag and offers you one in return keeping the rest. What a MAN! . . .

Forgive the slams, all in fun. So sudiev until next month.

V y t i s —

**COUNCIL 61, PATERSON, N. J.**

"With the summer months at the peak the Paterson K of L are taking it easy in the day and are at their best at night. For the outstanding social activity of the month, most of the members enjoyed the hot dog roast. It wasn't just an ordinary weenie roast, because instead of teaming off the female half of the club, we thought that it would be best they remain in one group aside from the better half. Anthony B. and Speed took charge by trying to roast the dogs over a special charcoal fire. Although the crowd was a patient one the thought of all those dogs remaining raw was too much for them. So it was competition from then on. Tony and Speed had a head start but when the wood was gathered, there was no stoppin' us. New member Eddie M. worked the hardest to pick the kindling but when he saw how fast the older members picked he slackened down. Shucks Ed we just weren't able to find any.

At a recent picnic Bill N. met the most beautiful, the most gorgeous girl anyone of us would want to know. However it was Bill's misfortune to loose her in the evening. I guess after chaperoning her in the daylight she knew she needed a man at night, or was it the other way around? Connie K. wasn't having such a pleasant time until he was introduced to a certain miss. From that time on Connie could not be found. Everybody present began to worry. Just when a searching party was about to be sent out, in walks Connie with the biggest grin on his face. Question after question was put up to him but all he was able to say was "Gosh."

The writers saw many a wedding but none quite as grand as that of Bill G. to M. Shiesko. A prettier bride wouldn't be wanted and a cooler groom couldn't be had. At the reception everyone danced, ate and drank to their hearts content. Just to show that even married men are not out of circulation altogether, Bill began to give his unmarried chums quite a bit of competition. As is the custom, we gave Bill the final last minute instructions and with the heartiest

wishes for happiness from the entire council we left them as merry as only married couples could be.

It appears that the only conversation that Mart T. can hold is "moonlight walking." Our latest rival's name we don't know as yet but with a little more of our insidious snooping we will be able to give you his monogram in the next reading of "Vytis." It seems that ever since we linked the green-eyed monster with Nellie M., she has been doing quite a bit of inquiring of her own as to the writers of this column. All the more reason why we should not be unmasked.

With the excitement of the forthcoming dance closing in, the Paterson K of L wishes to invite all councils and friends to one of the best times ever to be had. The date ..... September 23rd ..... the place ..... Washington Ballroom, Godwin St., Paterson, N. J.

**Buzz and Flash.**

**COUNCIL 116, So. WORCESTER, MASS.****In Memoriam.**

I sam him lying there on the cold, wet sand, his parted lips no longer had a smile; eyes which once were cheerful and bright were hid by heavy lids of eternal slumber. Yes, fellow Knights, our member Stanley Tamosaitis, age 23, failed to come home with us on July 30, 1939, the day of our annual beach outing to Narragansett Pier. He drowned while bathing in the surf with his friends and companions.

Oh Lord, why must Fate be so cruel as to strike such a blow? Perhaps we have no right to question the reasons of Providence, but then was it fair to seize him so from all who knew him, loved him, felt his firm and friendly grasp and leave him lying there on the sand — alone?

Please feel in your hearts the sadness that an uprighteous Knight would hold for a lost companion. Offer a prayer for a departed young man who was one of us on this earth and who will remain in our hearts forever.

**Doffodil Dan.**

*Eleven*

**COUNCIL 24 — CHICAGO, ILL.**

On July 25th, our Council held the initiation for the first and second degree members according to the ritual which was adopted at the Chicago Convention. The ceremonies were very impressive and well attended. The participants will surely remember them forever.

We are proud to announce that Council 24 has a Junior Section. Plans were formulated sometime ago but the initiative for such organization was left to the younger element. Finally they got together after ironing out a few trivial matters, such as each junior wanting to be president or treasurer. Immediately after becoming a part of the Council they organized a juniors baseball team, and a mighty good one at that. So far they have played three games and won each and every one of them by a good score.

While we're on the subject of baseball, I see that our regular softball team hasn't been doing so bad. They're in third place in the Chicago District League which is an accomplishment in itself since the opposition is mighty strong in the League. Keep up the good work boys and perhaps at the end of the second round we'll be up there on top. Good Luck!

The Council members sincerely would like to know the answers to these questions:

When is the big day, Tecla?

How is it that a certain Tony B. always manages to be at the same place where Miss S. is present? Or am I spilling the beans?

Why is it that "Sharkey" never misses a District Choir rehearsal?

Who Lon's new girl friend is? Bring her around Lon, the boys will put on their good behavior.

**Fit T. B. Tied.**

**COUNCIL 24 JRS. — CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

K of L Juniors is the name we are proud to hold. Every day after school was over, that's all we would talk about, the time we would join the K of L Juniors. Then the day came when we became members of Council 24.

Our first task was to get enough for our baseball team. We got a few sponsors on our first trial but not enough. Then came the helping hand of the K of L's. They gathered many names of business men whom they thought would sponsor us. In a few days we had all the sponsors we needed. We bought our uniforms and gathered the money from the sponsors to pay for them, but still there was money short. Then again the helping hand of Council 24 came to our rescue and presented us with the necessary funds. All that we are, we owe to the help and time of the K of L. May we take this time to thank the K of L Council 24 who helped to organize this Junior group.

The first members of the K of L Juniors were:

**Member**

Pres. Bruno Zalatoris  
Vice Pres. Peter Cibulskis  
Capt. Adam Molis  
Mgr. Victor Zebrauskas  
Stanley Petraitis  
Ray Shemezis  
Richard Marsan  
Ray Anzollotti  
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J. Dobrowalskis Meat Mart  
J. Akawick Grocery  
Chicky's

**A. B. and S. P.**

**COUNCIL 29, NEWARK, N. J.**

Here's great news folks: Council 29, of Newark, N. J. is running a dance. Yep, another sure thing. It's going to be held September 30th, at St. George's Hall. I'm sure all our neighboring councils have had wonderful times at our past affairs, and I know you'll have just as much fun at this coming dance, if not more. So don't forget the date.

Sunday, July 23rd, will not long be forgotten by our members who went on the council's picnic to Belle Mead, N. J. A diversified list of activities faced the members when they reached the picnic grounds, such as soft-ball, swimming, games, eating, drinking, and more drinking. Everyone was tired when they started for home, but still in a happy (slap-happy) frame of mind. We want to take this opportunity of thanking those members, who were good enough to furnish their cars for the transportation of the members to the picnic. Also thanks to Joe Grimm's mother, and Pete Poddy's mother, who were so kind as to come along and see that the meals were really done up brown.

Tid-bits, gathered here and there: Met Cassy V. on the corner of Walnut and Adam Streets the other P. M., and just out of curiosity, I asked him what he was waiting for. "Waiting for the light to change," said he. S'funny, I didn't see any traffic lights there.

At the picnic, C. Vaskas went swimming with "all his clothes on. What's the matter Cassy, got bow-legs? And by way of contrast, Joe Bieksha pulled a Lady Godiva act in the water. My oh my, what next?

In the athletic events of the day, Fran Bernot, Ann Barker and Anita Karch won the girl's three-legged race; Marge Schneider won the egg rolling contest; Lanky Laukzemis won the pie eating contest (and was his face smeared); Richard Lelashus and Vince Sabath won the boy's three legged race; Vince also won the base-ball accuracy toss; a tug of war called a close to the athletic events for the day.

**Judy.**

### COUNCIL 96, DAYTON, OHIO

On July 22nd, our members took the opportunity to motor to Detroit and take part in the annual reunion of the two Councils. The Detroiters had a very well prepared program, which included picnics, banquets and various get-togethers. We thank the Detroit Council for such a delightful affair. At our last meeting we have decided to invite you to Dayton on September 9th, to be our guest for a gala "Moonlight Dance."

The girls in our Council recently attended a Splash Party at Phillips Pool. Frances Radminskas who was in charge of the party, tells us that very little swimming was done, because of the well tanned life guards on duty.

Our boys finally got together and organized a soft-ball team. Joe Goldick is manager again and has some very strong opposition booked. Thus far the boys have won two games and lost one. Games are being played each Monday at Patterson Park. The team is considering entering the National Tournament at DuBois.

**KNIGHTMARES:** Another young gentleman got tripped, Charley Vanagas, our big husky sergeant-at-arms shelled out a ring of engagement to Frances Radminskas. That makes it couple No. 5 this year. Didn't anybody hear of leap year, or is everybody using the Gregorian calendar. Andy Augaitis our golfing Lithuanian, who played in the N. P. L. Tournament at Baltimore, got his first taste of championship play. He has his eyes set on the Lithuanian National Open and we hope he "cops" it. Two of our lovely fems attracted the attention of two Detroit glamour boys and ended their temporary romance in Toledo. Can't wait until the 9th, can you M. S. and M. G.? To Helen and Josephine Zelinskas who were our delegates to the convention, we hope that you had an exciting and unforgettable trip. Members don't forget to keep in shape for the Field Meet on August 26th. **Stanley.**

### JR. COUNCIL 96, DAYTON, OHIO

Sunday June 25, the Junior Knights had their first swimming party at Eastwood Park. Eating, swimming were enjoyed by all.

On the clear evening of July 13, Cornelia Morrow celebrated her birthday. The following were present: Pet Zelinskas, Martha Birbalas, Adella Markey, Lillian Niginis, Stella Birbalas, Theodore Sluzas, Clarence Lotos, Pete Petkus and four special guests. The yard was illuminated with lanterns. Refreshments were served and games were played.

The following Saturday Margaret August celebrated her birthday. Those present were: Martha Birbalas, Stella Birbalas, Sally Green and two special guests were there. A lunch was served and games were played.

On the morning of July 16, the members attended a High Mass and received Holy Communion. On August 13, the Junior K of L had a swimming party in the afternoon at Silver Lake, and the following evening a hayride. The committee consisted of four people; they are: Pet Zelinskas, Martha Birbilas, Cornelia Morrow, and Alex Cekum. Don't forget to pay your dimes to one of the Committee. **Sally.**

### COUNCIL 6, HARTFORD, CONN.

As usual, summer brings outings, sunburn, aches, and indigestion from eating half burned hotdogs, but we go forth every year on these excursions to misery the day after, knowing full well that the next day is when we make vows to conduct ourselves with the least amount of spent energy on our next trip. But the cycle is started all over when we go out again. As this is written we haven't had yet what is known as the official K of L outing, though the day is set for August, but we had a few unofficial outings, at which the K of L members predominated. One of these was the boat ride. As far as I'm concerned the less said about it the better, for to this day I don't know why everybody treated their old bones so. I would like to know why John Wolf, alias Joe Smith, and Ed. Monchun kept on diving off the boat. Was it to show how not to dive, or was it to keep their heads from spinning? And why did E. C. take R. S.?

Our enterprising entertainment committee organized a hayride which was very well attended.

Some of the boys envisioning the hay crawling down their backs took a bath before the actual ride, but I have it on good authority that everybody scrubbed themselves when they got home. The entertainment committee should be congratulated for putting forth a novel idea, and I think it was enjoyed by practically everyone.

One of the pleasant surprises of the year, is the interest that is being taken by a greater majority of members in the K of L affairs. The main topic of discussion now is the forthcoming K of L New England District Convention. We have made plans to hold a banquet and dance the night before, and if results can be counted by enthusiasm, then we can promise a rousing good time to all who attend.

We are also planning to buy some new furniture, and in general to fix up the clubrooms. So that we wouldn't have to wait till fall when we have our dances, the members have consented to contribute out of their own pockets the money necessary to buy the furniture.

Is it true what they say about Al. Gedutis and John Gauchas being like that?

I wonder what "Lefty" L. would live on if the horses stopped running. You know the old saying "Lefty," you can't beat them.

**Guess who.**

### 103 KUOPA, PROV., R. I.

Sveiki Vyčiai: —

Labai malonios vasaros dienos, pas mus, todėl atsiprašom jei tankiau negirdėjot naujienų iš mūsų kuopos.

Pas mus atvyko iš Lietuvos, garbingas svečias, gerb. Kunigas Petras Vaitekunas, mūsų Klebono Kunigo Jono Vaitekuno brolis, kuris gražiai papasakojo jaunimui apie Lietuvą, ir apie jo kelionę į Ameriką.

Mes džiaugiamės kad ir mūsų kuopa turi kelias gražias poreles, kurios suranda laiko atsilankyti į mūsų susirinkimus.

Rengiame mūsų metinį išvažiavimą ir kviečiame visas apylinkės Vyčių kuopas atvažiuoti į mūsų gražią Klaipėdą, ateinantį mėnesį. Lietuviškas orkestras griež, galėsit pašokti polkas. **A. L.**

**COUNCIL 66, OMAHA, NEB.**

Hello again! Now that the column mix-up is all straightened out we continue. The Council split in two groups during the Fourth of July. One small group spend a few days with Council 112 in Chicago, while the others visited a prospective council in Sioux City, Iowa.

While everyone who visited Chicago were busy having a good time, they couldn't help but notice how happy the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Raginis are.

Incidentally, the identity of "Guess Who" was learned. He is Mr. Al Kresso of Council 112. How's that for investigation?

A decided favorite with the Omaha Misses was a former Michigan-ite, John Zukas. Nightly, he could be seen in their company. Maybe it was his fine singing voice that held interest. One of our bravest damsels, is Gen Jesonis. There wasn't a ride Gen missed at Riverview Park. Wotta gal, Wotta gal. Although our president, Gen Macaites, had a nice time all week while there, she insists she enjoyed herself the most on the night before she left. Three guesses why. One of the most energetic Marquette Park lads was Stan' Sukis. He could be seen leaving to have a "good time" at 1 A. M. after he finished working. That's "wim and wigor" for ya. Catherine Kansler was a popular lass what with not one escort, but two. Many "inside jobs" took place during the week. John Shimkus was on the alert at each time.

The boys are wondering what detained Joe Kansler when it came time to play ball, in Sioux City. We have a good hunch. We're also in the dark about a certain girl called Rose-Bud. Benny Mukonis and Frank Lawry seem to know her. Let us in on it boys. By the way, the mail-man in the Lithuanian vicinity there must be loaded down since the Fourth what with the love-sick looks our boys are carrying around these days. Especially, Ed Labanauskas.

Frances Macaites, who just recently recovered from a tonsillectomy, is resting at home following an appendicitis operation. We're happy to see her up and around again.

*Fourteen*

Johnny Petkus is driving a new, maroon colored Chevrolet. How come Johnny? Pat looks prettiest in blue. Mella Sabites spent a roaring, ripping time in Chicago, in the Bridgeport district. She, like the rest of us, liked everything but the departure.

How Pat Balkus keeps herself trim is a mystery. She downs a pint of ice-cream and bottle of pop just like that. Pretty soon we'll have a fat — Emma in our crowd or sumpn.

Many of the knights were seen at the parish bazaar that took place on the school grounds. Charles Kusleka was the most industrious. Good old Charlie! So that's that. — Lee.

**COUNCIL 67, BAYONNE, N. J.**

Our meetings are still held every two weeks with the usual crowd attending them. How come the rest of you do not attend, is it the summer heat and you just can't take it, or what is it — Socials will again start in the fall. John Matesky was unanimously elected to head the entertainment committee. He really means business, and of you don't believe it, wait and see the programs he is starting for the fall. Plans for the bus ride to Kutik's White Birch Grove are completed, which will be held on August 13, Sunday. Everyone is set on going — there will be swimming, dancing, boating and we'll also have entertainment. Why not come along — it will be lots of fun. Now for a wee bit of gossip — okay?

Heard — Alice Marcine was riding a pony at a picnic recently, is it true? Seen at the same picnic, girls vs. boys playing softball the boys say that they won, but the girls have that knowing look in their eyes that we wonder??? Also games were played and a good time was had by all — Seen — Jean Rogers in the company of a certain gentleman at two Linden picnics, is it the same one that you met at the District Moonlight Sail, or — Heard — girls and boys singing at choir practice one evening, who says that they aren't good — Estelle Shakalis, is it really serious, I mean John — Joe Z. what's this carrying a typewriter home for a certain damsel, is it the gentleman in you or what??? All members

are having a grand time playing ping pong after every meeting whether its warm or not, it doesn't get them down, we'll still have some pro's yet — You jitterbuggs and conservative dancers, we know you have been waiting for the date of our dance, so here it is, October 21 at Mt. Carmel Auditorium, Saturday evening — Oh yes — before I forget, Mary Brigalnis, Joe Pukstas, Stan, Jurewich and Mary Michunas were seen at the jitterbuggs block, dance last Friday, did you all enjoy yourselves — with all this yours truly remains. **Uno Who.**

**COUNCIL 8, CHICAGO, ILL.**

Dear Councils:

It is a little hard to say what we want. You all know that our council is very small and I am afraid rather weak. But regardless, we are not licked yet, "Kas bus kas nebus Roselando Vyčiai neprazus." We look up to you other large councils as our big brothers, surely you'll help your little brother. What I mean by this is that you please give us a little more cooperation. Last Fall practically our whole council went to several of your dances and plays, but when Roseland had their dance on May 6, 1939, very few, councils were present. So therefore this year we are again attempting on practically nothing, to give a dance. Won't you please cooperate, and we'll try so show you some real Southern Hospitality. Therefore I want to extend an invitation not to one or two councils, but all councils to attend our Fall Dance which will be held on Friday October 20, 1939, at All Saints Parish Hall of 10806 Wabash Avenue.

Ačiu

**Sophie Gedmin,**

Vice Pres. Adv. Mgr.

Happy Birthday wishes, this month to the following of our members: Josephine Normant, Al. Makenas, Al. Malker.

The members are having an enjoyable summer this year, at several of their outings. They have already gone to two beach parties, Sauk Trail, and Flint Lake. Plans are under way for several more outing for this season.

'Till next month . . . Goodbye.

**Rinso.**

— *Vytis*



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Chicago, Illinois	C-112	\$1.20
Athol, Mass.	C-10	5.13
Bayonne, N. J.	C-67	27.00
Chicago, Ill.	C-8	2.40
Dayton, Ohio	C-96 Jr.	1.12
Norwood, Mass.	C-27	14.20
Brooklyn, N. Y.	C-41	.60
Kearny, Harrison, N. J.	C-90	5.50
Chicago, Ill.	C-36	4.80
Cicero, Ill.	C-14	4.80
Providence, R. I.	C-103	7.70
Chicago, Ill.	C-5	.80
Great Neck, L. I.	C-109	8.00
Maspeth, L. I.	C-110	2.70
Chicago, Ill.	C-8	.40
Elizabeth, N. J.	C-52	2.00
So. Worcester, Mass.	C-116	7.40
Newark, N. J.	C-29	4.74
Chicago, Ill.	C-36	3.10
Detroit, Mich.	C-102	4.80
Athol, Mass.	C-10	6.55
Jersey City, N. J.	C-124	7.31
Chicago, Ill.	C-16	9.60
So. Boston, Mass.	C-17	2.20
Kearny-Harrison, N. J.	C-90	3.70

Irene J. Pakeltis.

**COUNCIL 30, WESTFIELD, MASS.**

Clear the airplanes! Clear the column! Don't ask why, for Westfield is on the way again. Situated as we are in the center of Pioneer Valley, surrounded by cooling mountains, and cooler water, it is no wonder that we always strive to get the "mostest

and the bestest out of life."

Starting the ball rolling, we chance upon the results of our softball games. Our return game in Worcester was a Waterloo, this time by a score of 12-10. South Boston failed to show up for their scheduled game with us, and since we don't like to take a forfeit, we hope to get together some time to play the game out. Attention Frank Klimas of Hartford! I don't know the name of your softball manager, so I am asking you for a series of games, both in Hartford and in Westfield; the date for any Sunday. Just write to me, Chris Dvarecka, 56 Day Ave., Westfield, Mass. I hope you can round the team out for a game soon, before the season is over. And by the way Worcester, I hear that you have a new manager, so what about another series of games with you, too?

Continuing with the dirt, just think what I saw: Miss Helen Minkelis is evidently giving the Worcester Scotty the go by. What, you didn't see them? Why, she has taken up with Bill Dirsa of the same city. I wonder what it can mean. Could it be that the Worcester invasion is reaping the fruits of its wild oats? Seen in the softball game, one of the most renown of our members, taking

a flying nosedive after a fly ball. I think that aviation is entering our sphere, peoples. Another sight at the softball game — the girls in our club swinging at the elusive pineapple. One of them happened to connect and I was almost knocked off my feet by a line drive. What speed, what drive! Who said the girl's didn't "packawallop." And what is the meaning of the Kennedy Square Boys? It's a new one, but you'll have the answer soon. What did one thrilled young lady do? Ah, yes, the rowboat in the middle of the lake, a hot sun above, and a swell from a passing cruiser almost giving us a free and unexpected ducking. Well, all she did was to grab on to a fellow and hold on for dear life. The joke is this: she was in swimming, while he was just an innocent bystander. And say, I'll bet he was thrilled too. Could be!!

Seen skating — mention no names, but lordy, what poise, what grace. I'm getting jealous, that's what I am. That's a good idea the fellows thought up — dancing under a few colored lights.

So until the next explosion comes, I am with you till the cows come home and the hens lay eggs, and till the clouds are dusted.

Caravan Chris.

**OFF THE RECORD**

Who were the ten who came to the Convention banquet a little late and found themselves without a table? How about it Willie G.?

Every girl at the Douglas Hotel was bedecked with a corsage. We wonder why.

Who said the famous words: "Na, ka jus cia darot?"

What Hartford member is waiting to get his glass of milk at the next Convention?

We never knew that Napoleon T. of Chicago cared so much for milk, especially at 4:30 A. M. His partners in crime were Mary B. of Chicago, and Billy Klimas.

Anastasia V. of Chicago wanted to snap a picture at the World's Fair from the "right angle." Did you get it?

Charles B. of Jersey City passing around "cans of stimulant" to his friends on the bus to Coney Island.

Billy Klimas — "Well, alright."

Why did Joe Grimm want to go slumming? Habit? Monica Peters still shouts "Vaje, Vaje."

What girl from Bayonne was seen knitting at the Convention?

Bernice R.'s face brightened up when she received an air mail special delivery letter from — of Cicero.

Anthony G. of Boston and Emily W. of Cicero seeing the Fair together.

Did Tony P. of Chicago skin any mountain cats during his visit in N. J.?

Charles Bason — "One never knows what tomorrow will bring."

Upon her arrival, Bernice P. of Chicago, presented Charles V. of Newark with a surprise package. What was in it Charlie?

Do you know that Alice of Norwood and Stanley of Athol adopted Anastasia of Chicago?

Who kept repeating "Please, no more remarks about the Beautiful Casino Ballroom?"

How was the visit to Bayonne on Monday night, Tony S.?

Who smokes his "pipe of consolation" when he is "unhappy?"

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Juozaitis of Chicago seen together at the Convention.

Anthony G. of Boston gave Florence J. of Chicago a booming farewell — lots of fireworks.

Mary B. of Chicago eating "crabs" with three of the Jersey boys.

Seen at some of the Convention affairs were — John Bray, Bill Galcher and the Mrs., Al Thomas, Ed Stanulis, and John Spranaitis.

All Eyes and Ears.

**COUNCIL 109, GREAT NECK,  
LONG ISLAND**

In the good ole' summer time  
In the good ole' Great Neck town  
When all the boys & gals of 109  
Get together and have a good time  
Swimming, softballing and picnicing  
In the good ole' summer time.

"Oh, the Great Neck Council is getting inactive like all the other councils." Tain't so. 'Tis it members? We should say not. The recent membership drive brought in many new members and it seems as though the old members got back their true spirit and have all joined in together for that good old K of L Spirit and are proving it. No sir, inactivity is not for 109 ers.

We welcome into our club the two members from Glen Cove; Stan and Sue. They have clicked with everybody and we're glad to have them with us. Here's hoping our jurisdiction will spread some more and others from around their territory will join with us. Our campaign is not over yet.

First, even though a bit late, we'd like to thank each and every one who attended our spring dance at the Knickerbocker Yacht Club and from all appearances we know they had a good time. Our dance, copied after the "North Shore Station Wagon Set" is one never to be forgotten. It was nice to see representation from Elizabeth and Maspeth and Brooklyn. We're sorry for Slim's (Maspeth) sake that we didn't have a sign for the place. But you found it. Here's hoping for another dance at that place. By the way we're still trying to find out whether some one actually fell off the pier or was it a dare??? And who was found in one of the yachts at the club?

Second, our annual girls and boys softball game and the follow up picnic in Kings Point Park. Could it have been the strenuous game that gave the gang such an appetite for weenies and hams and beer? They certainly disappeared at a good rate of speed. We must say the girls put up a good showing at the game and some of their homeruns were "winners." The girls "Pete, Bill, Walter and Tony" from Brooklyn 41 added to the score of the girls,

and they were charming, weren't they.

Third, the softball game between Brooklyn 41 and 109. Maybe it's the GN Air that inspired our boys to win that day or maybe it was the visiting feminine rooters. Anyhow the score was 14-4 and many thanks 41 for the beer. The beer was good but it seems the singing by the campfire at our picnic grounds was even better. Could it be that beer brings out the tunes? Moonlight bathing at one of the private beaches nearby was the grand finale and the cop's spotlight and the disappearing act was the finish. But who could have crowded more in those short hours??

Fourth, the annual beach party held at Jones Beach. Pres. Wesley's express is still the tops for getting around. Our visiting counciler Charlie Bason from Jersey found it so. Thanks Charlie for that wonderful home made lotion you made and let us use that day. We didn't get any sun poisoning as did others from the gang. We haven't heard from you, though. Are you "peeling" fine??

Fifth, the softball game between Newark 29 and GN 109. We can't say we walked away with this game as we didn't and we must say 29 has the stuff. It was a fight to the finish with a score of 3-2. We hope you all enjoyed swimming at our beach and hope our friendship will continue. We only hope the weather is more favorable the next time.

Sixth, our monthly meeting at which many new suggestions were popped up. And after which we all piled in three cars namely, Al's K of L Express, Mary Rusas's and Stan's (Glen Cove) and in and outed to Howard Johnson's for delicacies; then to the White Tower where the place was our own and then home to bed to dream about the plans for the next month. Especially the trip to Coney Island at the club's expense. Oh, boy. Then for another big social.

In the good ole' summer time  
In the good ole' Great Neck town  
When everyone joins in the fun  
And forget that there's other work  
to be done  
In the good ole, summer time.

**Loopie and Snoopie.**

**COUNCIL 7, WATERBURY,  
CONN.**

Sniff, sniff, sniff.....how the aroma of a perfectly lovely night trails one! And it never seems to leave. The night I'm referring to is the "doggie night" our male members roasted up on July 13. Although the number of boys in the club exceeds that of the girls, there was a question of a doubt as to whether they could roast "weenies" and not get burned. They dismissed our doubts and, surprisingly, all got down to the task of catering to their guests so admirably. Even those few certain boys, reputedly obsessed with the idea of there being only three people in the world, namely; "Me," "Myself," and "I," showed to us that we were mistaken in believing that they were really so. "I would like to present them with orchids, but thanks a million, boys. enjoy a hearty "Thank you," and a smile of appreciation more, we all join in and say" — Not orchids, but thanks a million, boys.

Although most of us munched enough hotdogs to make a normal person wish for a divan and a "pep — er — upper," they did not allow themselves to think of the aftermath and enjoyed our water-mellon, singing, and jitterbug contests. The slurp, slurp, slurp still resounds in my ears. We all know how "Bookworm" Al Pužas attained his regal throne. (Confidentially, he was thirsty at the time). Our fairest and nicest singer is Adele Greblunas who sang a note a little less than a squeek. The buggiest jitterbuggers are the type who don't relish the idea of having their names printed nor written. Funny, isn't it?

To end our delightful evening with a mighty crescendo we were introduced to the Lithuanian dancing teacher, Marijona Baronaitė who was the special guest. We can thank our committee, a well chosen one, for everything. It consisted of Julius Vilčiauskas — chairman; John Paugalis — Co chairman assisted by Al Varnauskas, Peter Alexander, Al Ambrose and Frank Saldukas. I can go on and on but what Solomon quoted is veritable even to-day — "all material things have an ending."

**Bon jour mes amis.**

## CONVENTION CHATTER

The delegates' sincerest thanks go to Vincas Grinevičius, Sue Dasker and Council 90 for the wonderful reception given to the 27th Convention delegations from 29 Councils, 3 Districts, Center Officers, and guests.

Yep, we wonder if John of Kearny will ever again take strangers to church? By the way, how was the sermon?

Then too, there was Charlie Dasker always wanting to go to the airport . . . of course, not alone!

Attorney and Mrs. Paulauskas entertained some Chicagoans Sunday night.

Councilman Healy played host to a few Norwood, Mass, girls and a few Chicagoans, taking them for a ferry ride to New York, showing them the financial district — Wall Street, Times Square, the Bowery and at exactly 1:30 A. M. going through Chinatown! Brr-r!

A RIDDLE: Why was Bill Klimas the Chicago District prexy named by some Easterners "hollow-legs"? It wasn't because he ate a lot, was it?

Who was the naughty gal that pushed Jack Juozaitis in the pool, jacket and all?

But how did you enjoy our boys, Fairy Water Ballet?

Then too, the odd shapes of our gals and the muscular figures of our men?

Why was Adelle of Kearny so ticklish?

How was Kibby's conception (or is deception) of a girl — (skip the word) enjoyed by all?

Did Phillip (Morris) Carter really go looking for cards to mail home?

Who were the boys who decided that they should have a party at someone's home and why?

But what about the boys and girls who came to Sue Dasker's home at 4:30 A. M. to find out, what time the sessions start? Was the milk they were drinking used for "wash down" purposes only?

The four bus loads that went to Steeplechase Park had their own secret word "Ei Vyčiai."

Why did some people go for a subway ride and not to the park to be kicked out for almost starting a riot?

Some girls that went wading and upon their return they found their shoes all tied up, just like a string of fish? I just wonder who was so cruel, by doing that.

FASHION NOTE: Next morning, all the bruised and skinned elbows and knees seemed to be the fad. Ouch!

The next night, the Lithuanian elite were present at the banquet, all dressed up and in their Sunday manners. Could it have been the same people? Guess!

After the Banquet who insisted on that "air cooled" place and the majority of the mob went there and really got soaked? I mean with . . . perspiration. Where did Tony Gaputis and the others go? Come on there tell us! Not even for a quarter? But where did the third party go?

Yow-sah, the dance wasn't as bad as many painted it to be. Those that talked the most were struttin' their best and practically all night too. Right?

Noticed Dixie Kupratis with her smile at all sessions and doings. What tooth paste are you using?

Really clothes make the man, did you notice Charlie Kaslauskas after Sunday's game?

Ann Augustis, how come your hubby Tony was so quiet? . . . Is he the silent partner?

Girls really should take lessons from Vite Kezisz, how to serve and why.

Boy, oh boy, did Charlie Vaskas burn up after his brother burned up. More truth than poetry boys!

Joan Norkunas is now a council officially by herself but wait till the next convention promises Joan . . . you'll really see a council that will be a council in Lowell, Mass.

Why did Alice and Joe Smigelskis insist that they were early birds and really had to leave early. Was it 3 A. M.?

The New York World's Fair really is a honey, but boy oh boy is it hard to find the Lithuanian Pavilion. We had to meet some people there at 1 P. M. and we never got there till 1 A. M. Yes we found most of your names engraved there!

Ed Casman of Hartford is the new member on the Center Athletic Board. Before he went home he informed everyone to start saving their pennies as next year the Convention will be at Hartford Connecticut and the greatest Track & Field Meet will take place there, possibly bowling, tennis, swimming, etc. How about making a date now and letting your Athletic Board know what you'd like to participate in? They're doing their share now how about a little aid from each and every K of L member?

Till the next Convention in Hartford, Conn. see you then . . .

\*Red Cherry.

## ATTENTION

### NEW YORK — NEW JERSEY DISTRICT

The bi-monthly meeting of the New York and New Jersey District, scheduled for August at Jersey City, has been changed, and instead, will be held Sunday, September 17th. Please bear the new date in mind. We urge all the councils to see that their delegates come at the appointed hour, and trust that we will have a 100% attendance.

Charles Vaškas.

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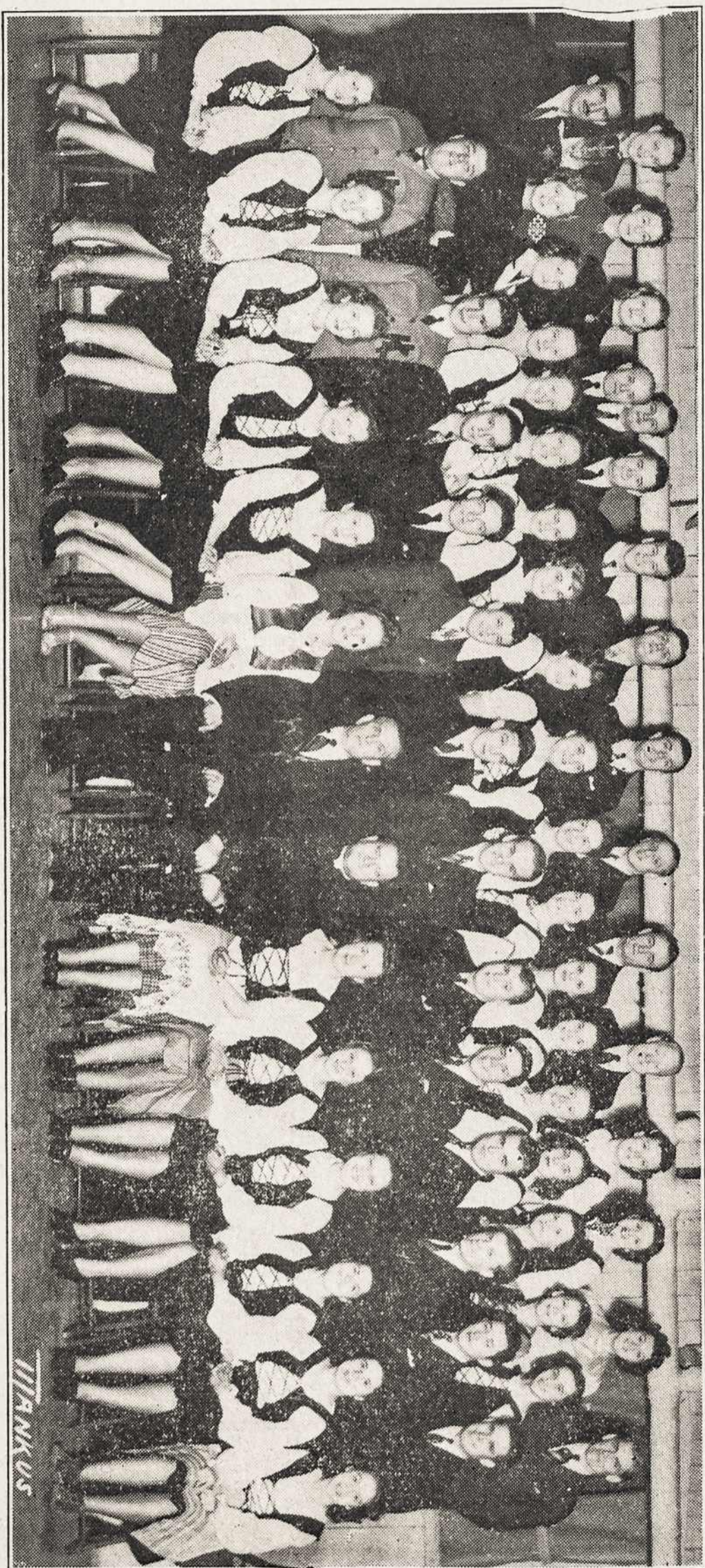
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