



Interwar architecture

### ŽALIAKALNIS FUNICULAR



Aušros g. 6, Kaunas



I - V 07:00 A. M. - 7:00 P. M.

VI-VII 09:00 A. M. - 7:00 P. M.

(closed on public holidays).

At the end of the 3-rd and the beginning of the 4-th decade Kaunas experienced fast modernization stage. Much attention was devoted to improving the infrastructure of the city - water-supply, drainage, transport. While building the Žaliakalnis funicular consultation with German specialists engineering company in Leipzig "Curt Rudolph Transportanlagen" was conducted. The company prepared the project and manufactured the funicular; electrical equipment was supplied by company "AEG", chassis was acquired from Swiss firm "Theodor Bell". American



Lithuanian company "Amlit" in Kaunas made wagons. To ride funicular takes 1 min 40 sec. Kaunas funiculars appeared as the brightest and unique signs of leading infrastructure, testify fast growing city.