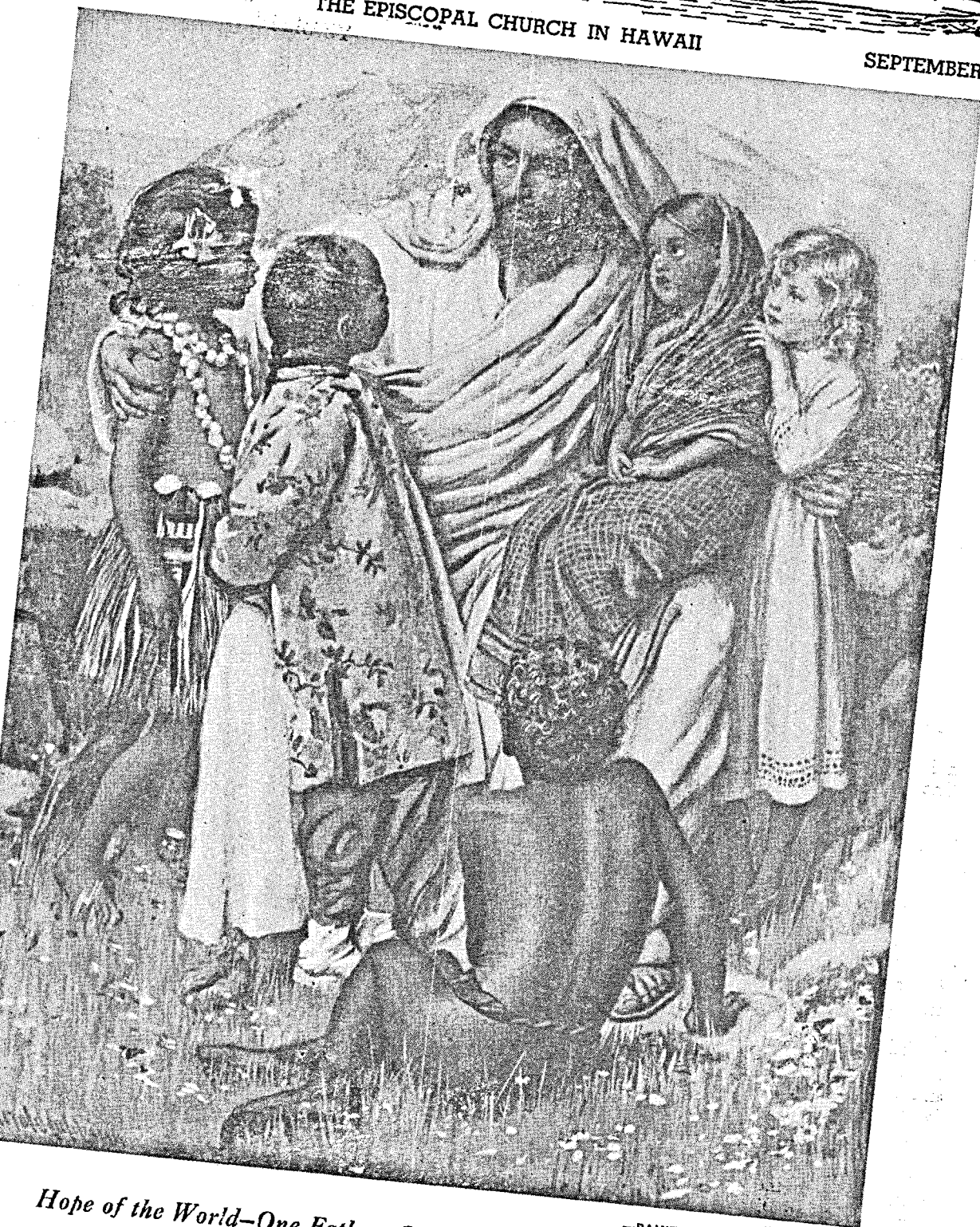


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56th General Convention

San Francisco, California

September 26—October 7, 1949

From our little fleet of islands peacefully anchored in the heart of the Pacific to the shores of San Francisco go the delegation from Hawaii—clergy, laity, and young people.

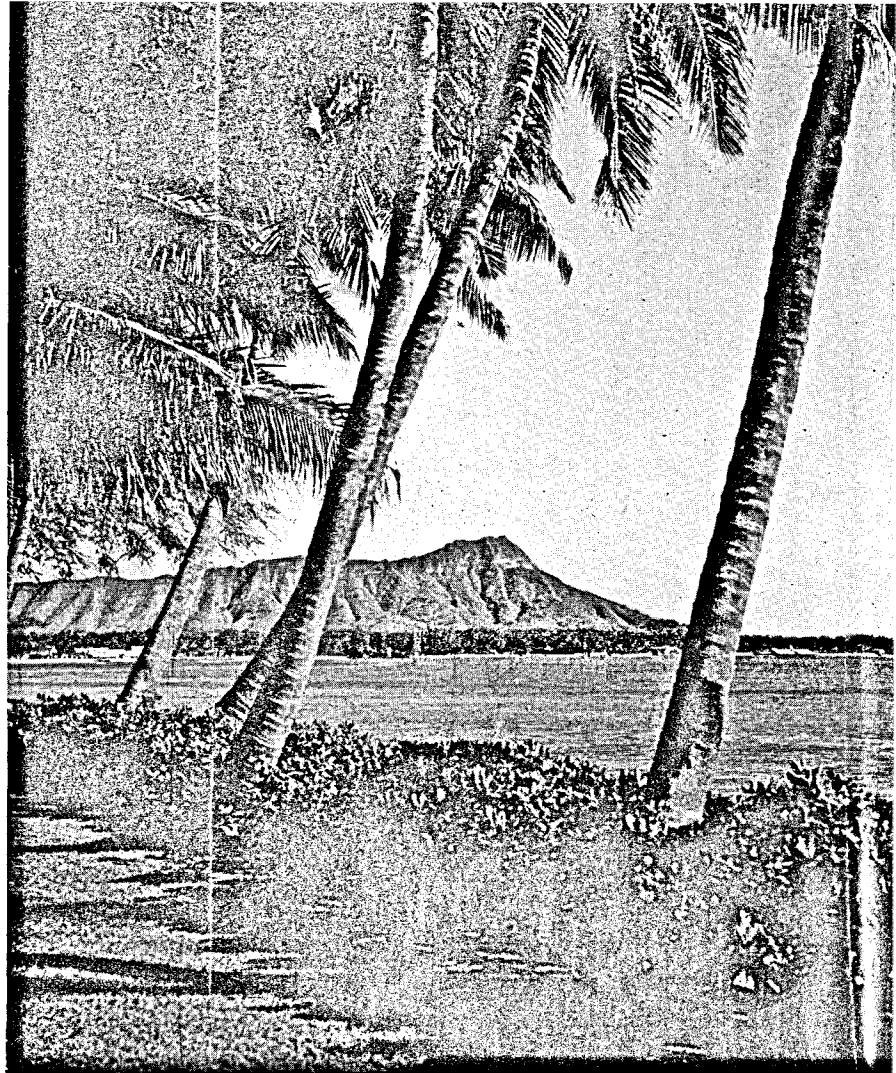
The official Clergy Delegate is the Ven. Norman R. Alter, Archdeacon of Hawaii and Vicar of Holy Apostles Mission, Hilo, Hawaii; Alternate is the Rev. Lawrence H. Ozaki, Holy Trinity Church, Honolulu. Official Lay Delegate is Mr. Arthur G. Smith, St. Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu, and Chancellor of the District; Alternate is Mr. Richard Ching, St. Elizabeth's Church, Honolulu, and District Chairman of the Laymen's League.

Official Delegate for the Woman's Auxiliary is Mrs. William Lin, Vice President of the Auxiliary, Mrs. Harry S. Kennedy, Mrs. Robert White, all from Honolulu; Mrs. William Mahikoa, from the Island of Kauai, and Mrs. Francis Cushingham from the Island of Hawaii. Alternates are: Mesdames Arthur G. Smith, Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Ralph Monell, Charles Tallant, and Miss Katherine M. Morton.

The Bishop will be in attendance, as will the Reverends: Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Canon and Rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu; Paul R. Savanack, Christ Memorial Church, Kilauea, Kauai, and Richard M. Trelease, Jr., St. Christopher's Mission, Kailua, Oahu.

Our Young People

For the second time a caravan of young people from our Islands plans to take their Aloha to the young people of our Church at the Conference during General Convention. The Reverend Richard M. Trelease, Jr., Diocesan Director of Youth Work, left August 29th with the following delegation of young people: Muriel Strauch and David Kennedy, St. Andrew's Cathedral; Annie Kim and Doris Kang, St. Luke's Korean Church, Florence Iwami, St. Elizabeth's; Bernice Liu, St. Mary's; Mary Ann Jesse, Epiphany; Norma King and Diane Piilani Kekoolani, St. Clement's; Roy Mikami, Good Samaritan; and Harold Aloiau, St. Peter's, all of Honolulu; and Beatrice Yokote, the Island of Kauai. Mr. Robert Kondo, Lay Worker and Director of Youth Work on Kauai, also accompanied the group.



Diamond Head from the Beach of Waikiki.

Before leaving the young people gave the performance they have planned for the various parishes they will visit as they tour the West Coast. This performance was given in Tenney Memorial Hall, St. Andrew's Cathedral. The group left by plane on August 29th, arriving in San Francisco that evening. Here they picked up the bus, "Hale Pupuli Jr." which was purchased in San Francisco. Their travels took them into Canada, through Yosemite Park, down to Old Mexico, and back up the coast to San Francisco.

Our Booth At General Convention

The Hawaii Visitors Bureau, through the graciousness of Mr. Mark Egan, has very generously loaned the booth we are using in the Civic Auditorium for the display of our Church's work in Hawaii. Our church members on the various islands, who raise flowers for the joy that comes from this hobby, are sending them as a united expression of Aloha to the delegates of the 56th General Convention. They are to be flown to us through the

courtesy of Pan American Airways. Attendants at the booth will wear the costumes of our various races on Hawaii. Mrs. Winifred Bridgewater made the paper leis to be worn by our young people and Auxiliary delegates.

On Nation-Wide Broadcast

Sunday, September 25th, Bishop Kennedy will broadcast from Station KCBS, San Francisco, on the Church Hour of the Air program. The broadcast will be given from 7:00 to 7:30 a.m., Pacific Standard Time. He has been asked by National Council and the Presiding Bishop to make this talk.

On the same day the Bishop will preach at St. Mark's Church, Palo Alto, California, where the Reverend E. Tanner Brown is rector. Dr. Brown left Honolulu in 1948 to help establish this parish.

Following General Convention the Bishop will preach at All Saints Church, Pasadena, on October 9th. That evening he will attend the Post Convention celebration in Hollywood Bowl, at which the Most Rev. and Rt. Hon. Cyril Forster Garbett, Archbishop of York, and guest speaker of the 56th General Convention, will be honored. Mr. Charles Taft, a leading Layman of the Church, will also speak. The following Sunday he will preach at Trinity Church, Tulsa, Oklahoma, and from October 17th to the 27th he will be in the Diocese of Minnesota, where the Rt. Rev. Stephen E. Keeler has asked him to talk on our work in Hawaii. He will return to Honolulu immediately following these engagements.

Visitors To The Islands

The Rt. Rev. and Mrs. Oliver James Hart, Bishop of Pennsylvania, arrived in Honolulu September 3rd, for a visit. They were guests at the Halekulani Hotel. Bishop Hart is head of the Armed Forces Division of our National Council. It was a great pleasure to show Bishop and Mrs. Hart some of our work. They also visited the Island of Kauai, where Bishop Hart renewed the friendship of one of his classmates at Seminary—the Ven. Henry A. Willey, retired Archdeacon of the Island of Kauai. We were delighted to have the Harts visit the Islands.

Mr. Russell E. Dill, Treasurer of National Council plans to visit Honolulu immediately following General Convention. We feel most fortunate to have him visit the Islands and are grateful for the opportunity to meet and know him.



Russell E. Dill

Our Youth Delegation to National Convention.





OUR CLERGY . . . Caucasian, Chinese, Japanese, Korean. Taken at the time of Convocation, when the Rt. Rev. Stephen F. Bayne, Jr., Bishop of Olympia, was guest of Convocation.

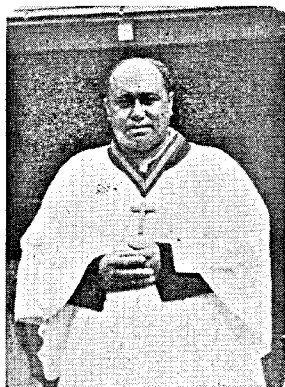
THE MISSIONARY DISTRICT OF HONOLULU

Comprises the Hawaiian Islands and the American Islands of Samoa, or 6,449 square miles. Population of the Hawaiian Islands is 540,000—many of whom are still non-Christian.

Early Settlers in Hawaii, members of the Church of England, inspired King Kamehameha IV and his Queen Emma with the message of Christ. It was this teaching that moved these two beloved monarchs to work until the Church of England sent a Bishop to Hawaii in 1862 to establish the Anglican Church. King Kamehameha translated the Book of Common Prayer in his native language for his people. In 1902 the American Episcopal Church assumed jurisdiction of our Church's work in Hawaii. Today we serve 6 parishes, 28 missions, 10 unorganized missions, 9692 baptized persons, and 6062 communicants.



Joseph Koomoa



Charlie Hookano

21 Lay Readers help with our services. Joseph Koomoa, Hilo, Hawaii, and Charlie Hookano, Kahaluu, Oahu, are among our most colorful Lay Readers.

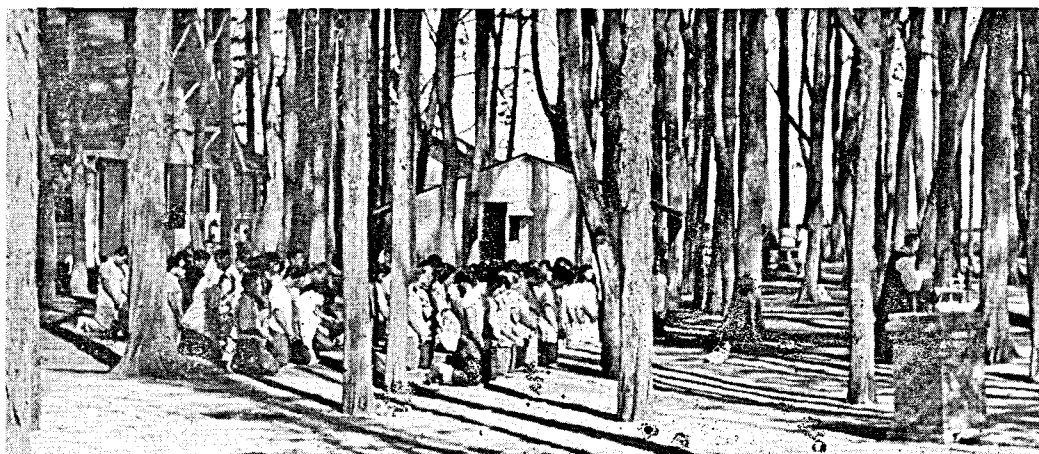
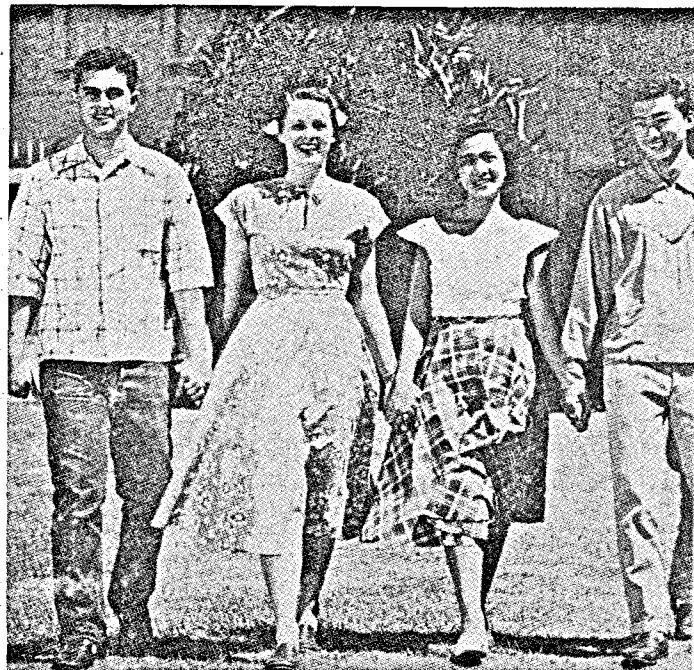


Bishop Kennedy preparing for the steep ascent over the high "Pali" (cliff) from Kalaupapa Leper Settlement, on the Island of Molokai, where he takes services to our leper communicants. It is on this Island that our Church Hospital, Shingle Memorial, is located.

THE YOUTH OF HAWAII JOIN HANDS . .

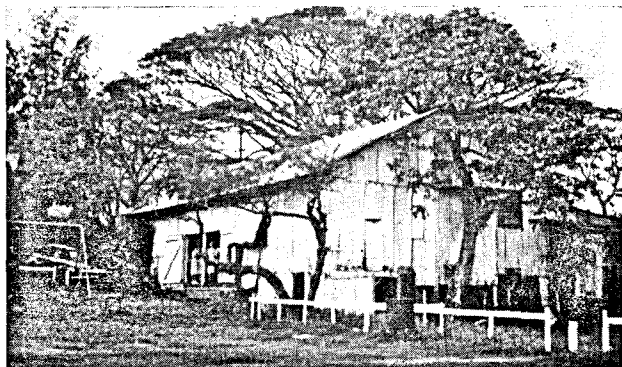
In expressing "Mahalo Nui" (thank you *very* much) to the youth of our Church, who in 1947 designated their Youth Offering (\$16,264) toward a Youth Center in Hawaii. This Conference Center is used constantly for Church conferences, retreats, camps, picnics, etc. It is a gift that has paid dividends in extending our youth work.

Youth Center, Mokuleia, Oahu

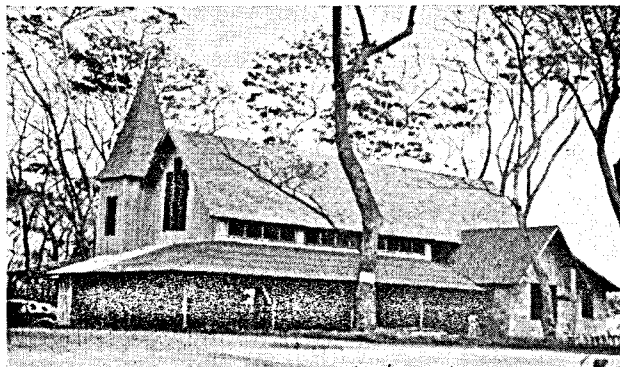


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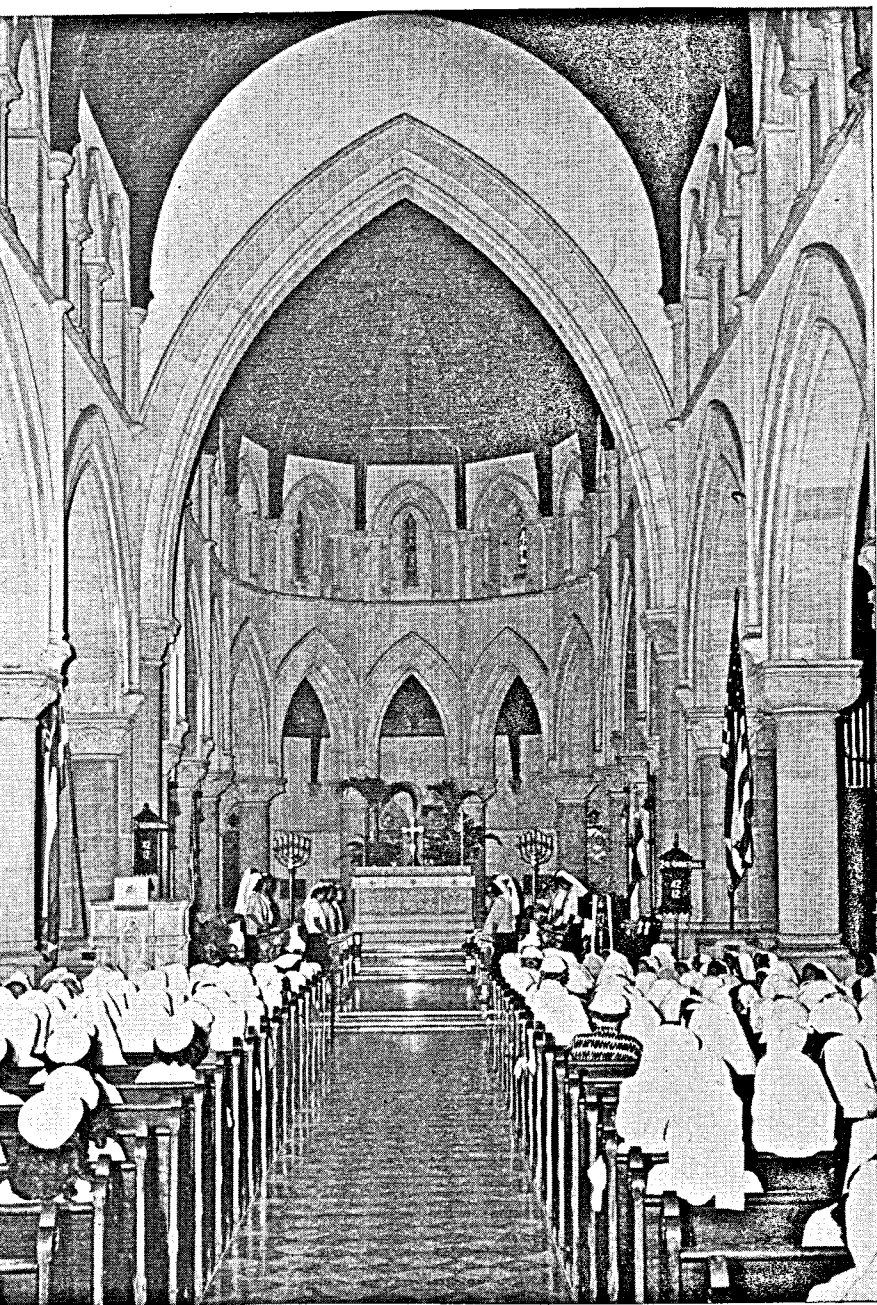
For the United Thank Offering of the women in our Church. A gift of \$8,000 aided St. John's-by-the-Sea Mission, Kahaluu, Oahu, in building a new Church so the congregation would no longer have to hold services in the dilapidated, sheet-iron warehouse it previously had to use for services. This Hawaiian fishing community now has the beautiful Church pictured below.



The Old.



The New.



OUR SCHOOLS . . .

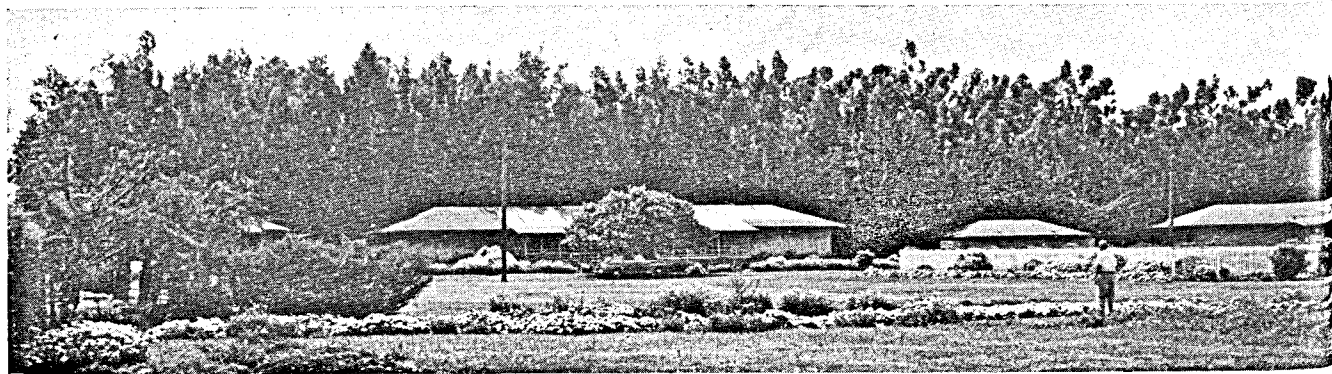
ST. ANDREW'S PRIORY FOR GIRLS

Established by Queen Emma, who appealed to me someone to educate my daughters of the Sisters of the Order of the Holy Trinity and the Order of the Sisters of the Transfiguration. They are pictured at their daily service in Honolulu. St. Andrew's Priory is located in Honolulu.

Sharing his Queen's interest in the education of the children, the first Anglican Bishop of Hawaii worked with the first Anglican Bishop of Hawaii to establish a school for boys. St. Alban's School, founded in 1863, was the first. "Iolani No Ka Oe" or "Heavenly Birthplace" school was established and is maintained by the Church.

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Opened by our Church September 15, 1863. This is established near the world-famous Kapiolani Park. The school, grades seven through twelve, meets the needs of those families who prefer to give their children a home education, having to send them to Honolulu or the mainland.



Grounds of the Academy with St. Andrew's Priory



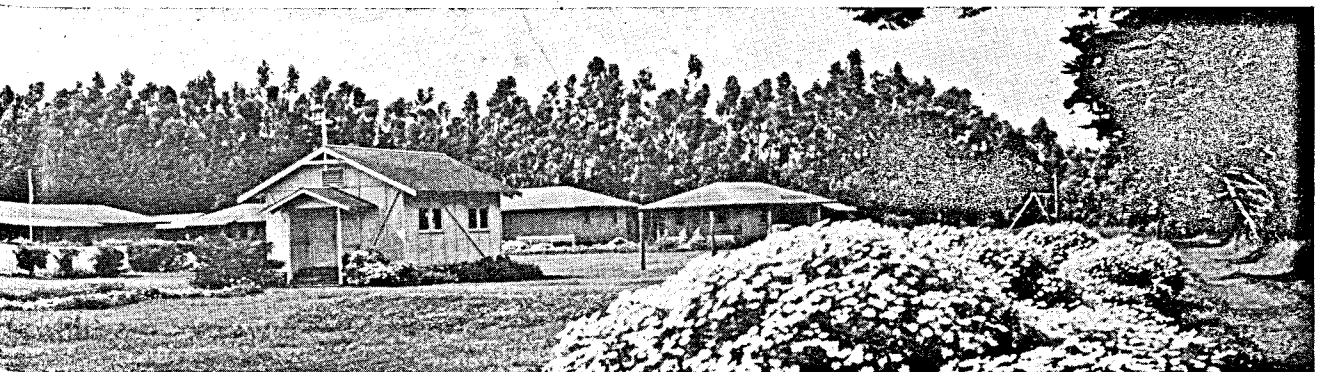
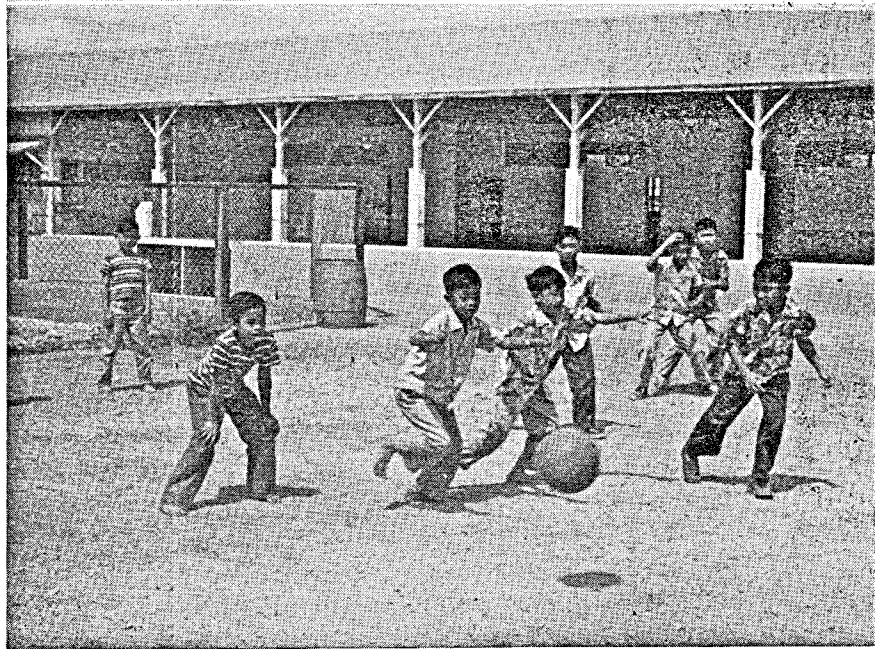
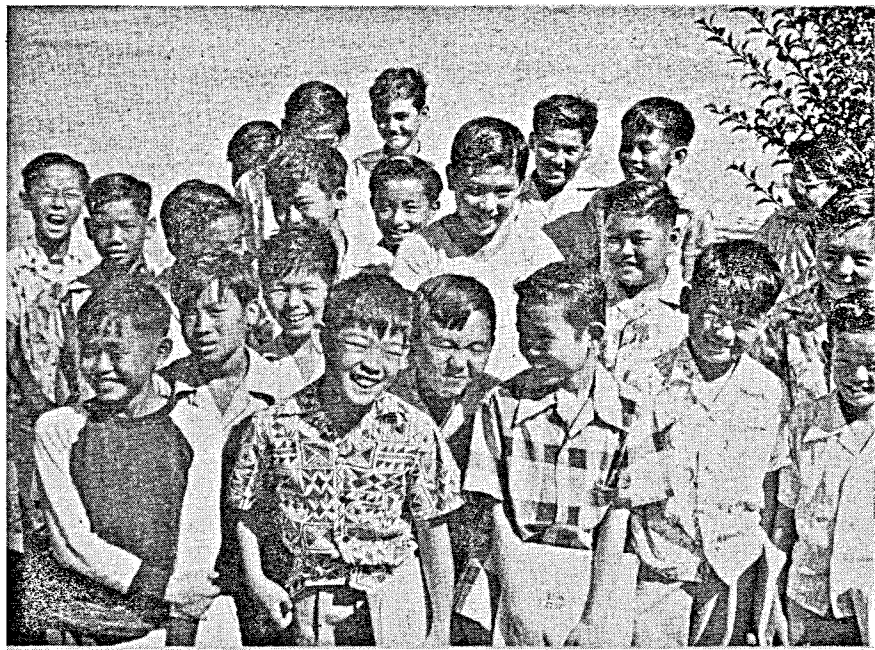
ed to Queen Victoria, of England, "Send
Hawaii." On Ascension Day, 1867, English
established this famous school. Today the
perpetuate the work, serving 450 girls.
of worship in St. Andrew's Cathedral,
in the Cathedral Close.

IOLANI SCHOOL FOR BOYS

on of his people, King Kamehameha IV
Hawaii to establish an English speaking
led in 1863, later became Iolani School.
portrays the lofty ideals on which this
here are 820 boys enrolled in the school.

PAL ACADEMY

9, at Kamuela, on the Island of Hawaii.
s Parker Ranch. It is a co-educational
twelve. The site was chosen to meet the
their children the best of education without
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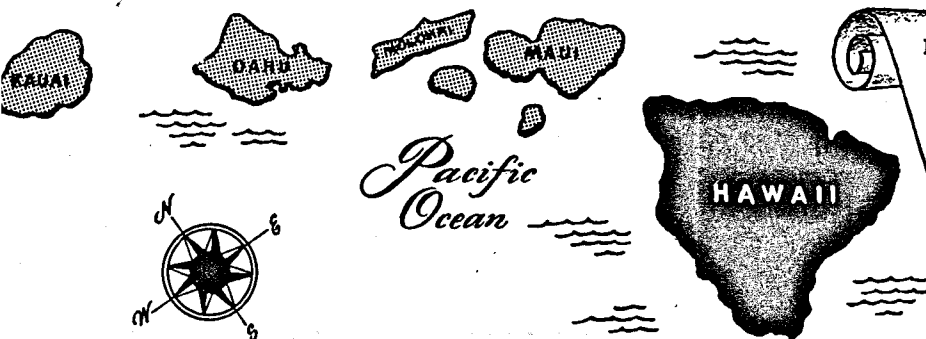
A lei seller making her leis.



Where Our Work Is . . .

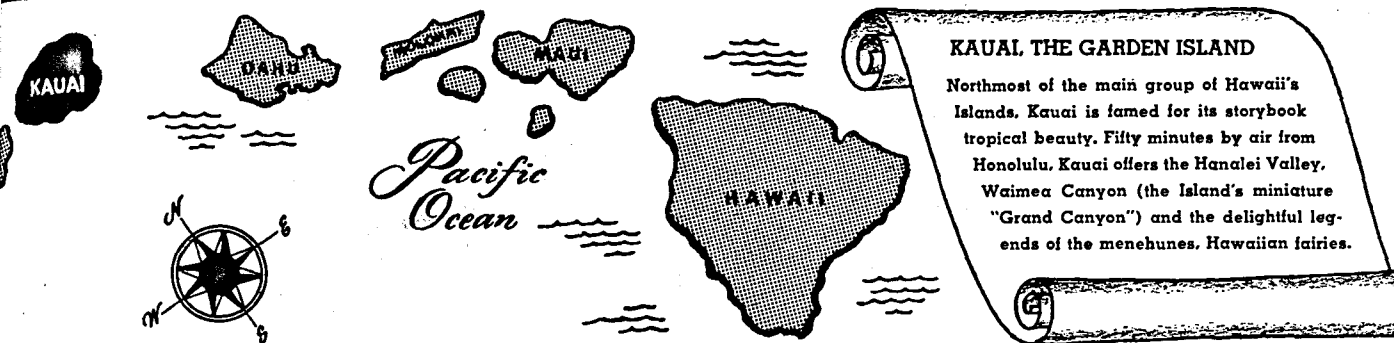
As lovely as the lei, expressing love of friend for friend through "Aloha," or as romantic as the beautiful interpretation of Hawaiian chants by "Lovely Hula Hands" is the tradition of the early history of our Church that has woven itself into our progress.

All work in the Church in Hawaii has its beginning from the Island of Oahu. Significant is the naming of this important island of the Territory—"Gathering Place"—for here, the true "Threshold of the Pacific," are found Honolulu, the principal port and capital city of the Territory, St. Andrew's Cathedral, the home of our Bishop, and over 275,000 people of our diverse races—Hawaiian, Caucasian, Filipino, Chinese, Japanese, Korean



HAWAII THE VOLCANO ISLAND

Most diversified of the five scenic Islands of Hawaii, this small "continent" of snow-capped volcanoes, giant fern forests and tropical beaches, is 1½ hours by air from Honolulu to Hilo. Modern resort hotels and transportation facilities around the Island offer a wide range for travelers' choice.



and Puerto Rican—plus thousands of military personnel.

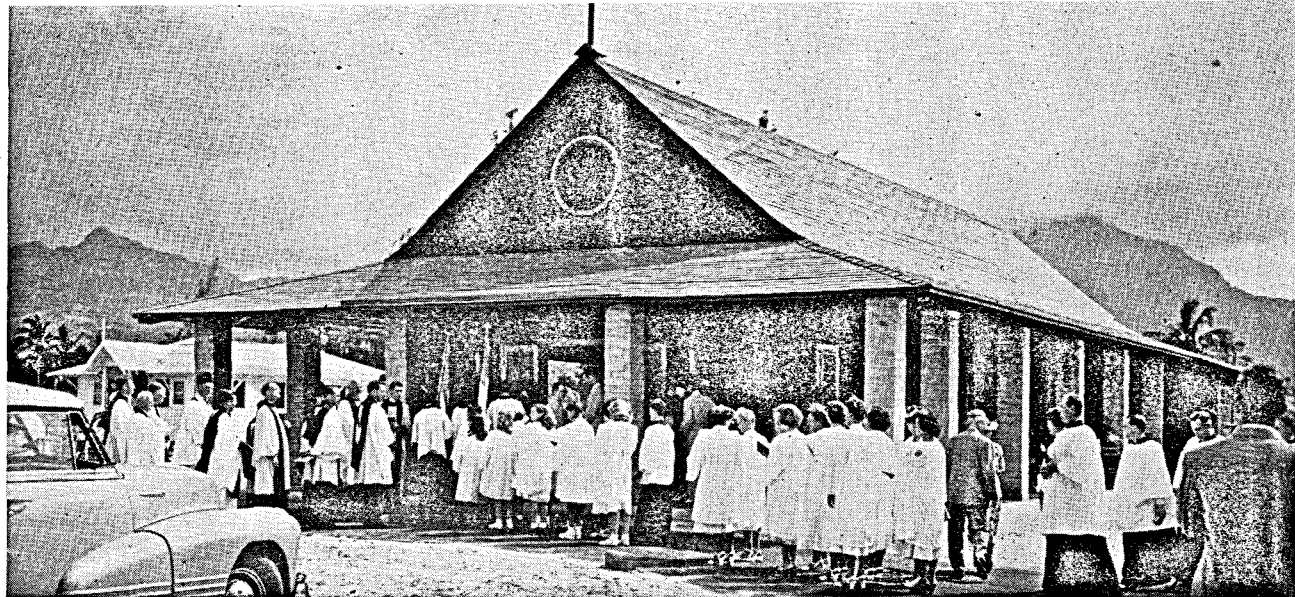
The Honolulu missions are typical of the Church at work in Hawaii. Here, in addition to congregations with Caucasian priests, we find two Chinese churches and priests, two Japanese churches and priests, and a Korean priest, the only one in the ministry of the American Episcopal Church.

Visits to other Islands by our Bishop must be made by plane. His visits take him to Molokai, known as the "Friendly Isle;" Kauai, the "Garden Isle;" Maui, the "Valley Isle;" and Hawaii, the "Big Isle" or Volcano Island. Though the Church has no established work on the Island of Lanai, the Bishop does visit this Island for baptisms, etc.



Children of the races of Hawaii at St. Elizabeth's Kindergarten, Honolulu, shown celebrating May Day, or Lei Day, in Hawaii.

In addition to St. Andrew's Priory, Iolani School, and Hawaii Episcopal Academy, we have, under the jurisdiction of our churches in the Islands today three day schools and ten kindergarten schools for Christian and educational training of our children. Much evangelistic work is done in these schools.



St. Christopher's Mission, Kailua, Oahu.

Our newest Church building is this attractive Church, of which the Rev. Richard M. Trelease, Jr., is Vicar. It was made possible by the aid of our Reconstruction and Advance Fund. Our National Council appropriated \$10,000 toward its construction so that the work in this strategic area might grow and advance. Our deep gratitude is extended for this generous help.

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Confirmation Class, St. Elizabeth's, Honolulu. The Reverend Wai On Shim, Rector, presents a class of all races in Hawaii to the Bishop for Confirmation.

THE MELTING POT . . .

Our country has long been called "the melting pot of the world." This title was won by opening our gates to the flood of immigrants from the European countries. But Hawaii is in a unique sense the melting pot of the Pacific, for here, in these Hawaiian Islands we have thousands of people of all races, living, it is true, in remarkable harmony, but needing the teaching of the

Gospel to unite them into an understanding unity. These people from Japan, from China, from Korea, from Samoa all have intimate contact with their home countries (this contact, of course, was greatly increased by the thousands from these islands in the army in Japan, etc.) so that if there can be established a firm belief in one God and Father of us all and in the necessity of our dwelling together in love and charity, because we are in fact one family of God's creation, the message of hope and unity will travel far from these islands, and be a tremendous force throughout the East. This calls for a great effort, a renewed dedication, an ardent faith. It is a solemn challenge to us in this day.



A fish auction following a hukilau.

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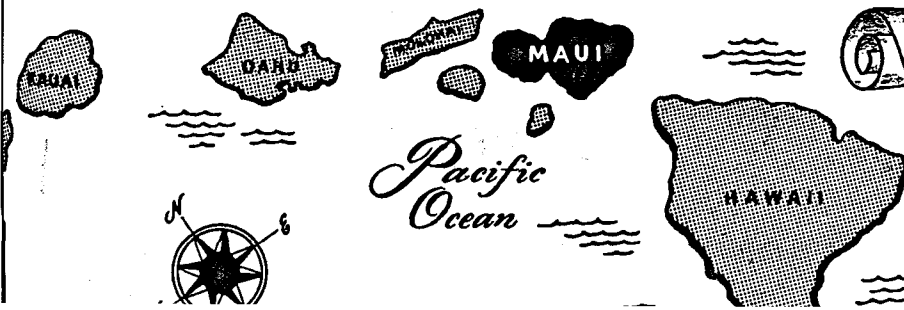
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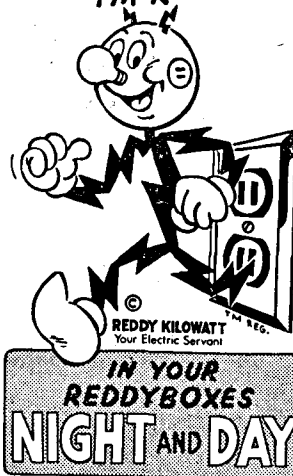


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