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"GO FORWARD, CHRISTIAN SOLDIER BENEATH HIS BANNER TRUE."

Procession at the 90th Anniversary Service, McKinley Auditorium, Sunday, Feb. 3, 1952.



BISHOPS ATTENDING 90th ANNIVERSARY—Seated, left to right—Bishops: Michael Hinsuke Yashiro, Presiding Bishop of Japan, Harry S. Kennedy, Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of California. Standing — Bishops: William Proctor Remington, Retired Suffragan Bishop of Pennsylvania; Quentin K. Y. Huang, Bishop of Yun-Kwei, The Chung Hua Sheng Kung Hui (Holy Catholic Church in China); The Most Rev. Howard West Kilvinton Mowll, Primate of the Church of England in Australia and Tasmania, Archbishop of Sydney and Metropolitan of Province of South Wales; Francis Eric Bloy, Bishop of Los Angeles, Donald James Campbell, Suffragan Bishop of Los Angeles, Richard Ainslie Kirchhoffer, Bishop of Indianapolis.

90th Anniversary Celebration

'It is with a true sense of gratitude that we review our 90th year of the Episcopal Church in Hawaii and the 50th year under the jurisdiction of the American Church—gratitude to the clergy and laity who worked without recompense for the many hours of devoted labor they put into the successful completion of the tasks assigned them. It is only because of their devotion that we can say to all committee heads and members of committees, "Well done, thou good and faithful servants!"

As our distinguished guests departed, we gave thanks for their graciousness in coming to us, their inspiration, and their real contribution to our celebration. It was a tremendous privilege to have each and all of them. For them, we give thanks.

In retrospect, we shall long remember the humbleness and greatness of the Archbishop of Sydney, The Most

Rev. Howard West Kilvinton Mowll, the devotion and sincerity of the Most Rev. Michael H. Yashiro, presiding Bishop of Japan, the brilliance and consecration of the Rt. Rev. Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of California, the spirituality of the Rt. Rev. Eric Francis Bloy, Bishop of Los Angeles, the sincerity and devotion of the Rt. Rev. Donald James Campbell, Suffragan Bishop of Los Angeles, the zeal and spirituality of the Rev. Clarence Haden, Jr., Director of the Presiding Bishop's Committee for Laymen, and personal representative of the Presiding Bishop, the earnestness, wit and devotion of Mrs. David West, representative of the Woman's Auxiliary of National Council, the force and gentleness of the Rt. Rev. Quentin Huang, who told of his escape from the Communists in China and his experience in faith healing, the enthusiasm of the Rt. Rev. Richard



The Bishops in line for the procession into McKinley Auditorium. Archbishop Mowll of Sydney, is seen at the end of the procession.

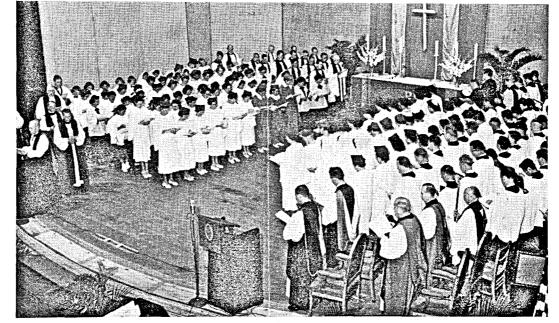
Ainslie Kirchhoffer, Bishop of Indianapolis, and the endearing qualities of the Rt. Rev. William Procter Remington, retired Suffragan Bishop of Pennsylvania, and his wife. To these we add the admiration we had for the most attractive wives of the Rt. Rev. Eric Francis Bloy and the Rt. Rev. Donald James Campbell. We shall remember all of these good people with affection and thanksgiving. It was wonderful of them to come to us. Their presence will lead us to greater service in this mission field.

50th Annual Convocation

At the business of Convocation the following members of the Board of Directors were re-elected: Messrs: Herman V. von Holt, Arthur G. Smith, George Gray, Herbert K. Keppeler, Desmond Stanley, and the Rev. Messrs: Frederick A. McDonald, and Wai On Shim. Delegates elected for the General Convention were: Clerical—The Rev. Frederick A. McDonald, Alternate—the Rev. Wai On Shim; Lay Delegate—Mr. Arthur G. Smith; Alternate—Mr. Richard C. Ching.



Our Lay Readers, clergy and bishops line up on the McKinley High School grounds for the procession at the morning service for our 90th Anniversary.



A rich red dossal, with gold satin panels, against a background of deep blue, made an effective setting for the altar for the service in McKinley Auditorium. A gold cross and candlesticks added to the beauty of the altar. Huge candles, made by Mrs. L. W. de Vis-Norton from old candles used from our church altars, were on the altar. Shown on the stage are part of the choir, clergy, and bishops.

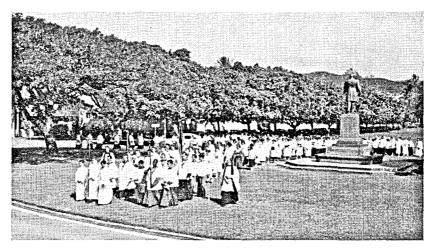
An important resolution passed was the manner of appointment and election of Senior and Junior Wardens. Henceforth, the rector will appoint the Senior Warden at the Annual Meeting, and the congregation will elect the Junior Warden. Wardens will be elected for a term of one year, or until their successors are named. This brings all of our parishes into uniformity on this matter.

Convocation also made a great step forward in the resolution that determined the Bishop's salary would be taken over by the Missionary District—an important step toward our goal of self-support.

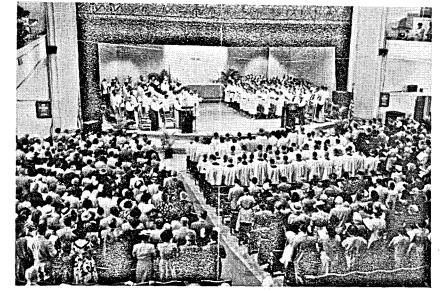
Opening Service

We cannot commend too highly the masterful way in which the Rev. Richard M. Trelease, Jr. and the Rev. Richard U. Smith planned the opening service in Mc-Kinley Auditorium. There were no flaws in the precision with which the service took place. The altar and background for the service, executed by the Rev. Evans Scroggie, is something we will long remember.

The sermon by the Rt. Rev. Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of California, was a masterpiece in spirituality and rhetoric. The music by the combined choirs on Oahu,



The impressiveness of the procession is seen as it starts across the McKinley High School lawn.



Opening Service for the 90th Anniversary at McKinley Auditorium.

under the direction of Mr. William Thaanum, Choir Director and Organist for St. Andrew's Cathedral, and Mr. Walter Kau, Choir Director and Organist for St. Clement's Church, was beautifully rendered.

The colorful procession of Bishops, Clergy, and Choir will be recorded with admiration in the memories of all those present.

Anniversary Reception

Mrs. Gordon Halstead, of St. Clement's Church, and her committee, cannot receive too great commendation for the very splendid way in which every detail of the reception was planned. To the thousands of guests who participated, it was with one accord beautifully executed.

Anniversary Banquet

The Reverend Frederick A. McDonald did one of the most masterful pieces of presiding as toastmaster one has witnessed. Everyone remarked about the superb manner in which he presided. The very outstanding address by the Rt. Rev. Donald James Campbell, Suffragan Bishop of Los Angeles, will always be a very happy memory for the 625 guests present at the Queen's Surf for this occasion. The Archbishop of Sydney, the Most Rev. Howard West Kilvinton Mowll, displayed great qualities of Christian statesmanship in his excellent address, and very closely knit us to the great Anglican Communion, from which we received our heritage. It



Delegates of the 50th Annual Convocation, held in Tenney Memorial Hall, St. Andrew's Cathedral.



LAYMEN'S BANQUET

Left to right: The Rev. Clarence Haden, Jr., Executive Director of the Presiding Bishop's Committee for Laymen, and guest speaker for the banquet, receives his Chinese dish from Mr. Richard C. Ching, Key Layman of the Diocese; Archbishop Mowll, of Sydney; Bishop Kirchhoffer, of Indiana; Bishop Block, of California; Bishop Yashiro, of Japan, and Bishop Remington, retired Suffragan Bishop of Pennsylvania. All of the guests are most interested in the art of eating with chop sticks. St. Peter's Parish Hall was filled to overflowing on this occasion.

Laymen seated at the table are: Messrs: Chang Chow, Peter Chang and Ernest Ing.

was a memorable occasion for us all. Everyone went away with the firm convication he had gained much from his experience of the evening.

We could not pass without commending Mrs. Flora Hayes, members of the Hawaiian Congregation, and their friends who gave so much to the evening by their delightful singing of Hawaiian songs.

The hostesses from our missions, who so graciously came in their native attire, Hawaiian holokus, Japanese, Korean, and Chinese dress, were a beautiful addition to the occasion.

Anniversary Booklet Published

One of the most outstanding features of the 90th Anniversary is the booklet that has been printed of the history of the Anglican Church in Hawaii, written by Meiric K. Dutton, with the research assistance of the Rev. C. Fletcher Howe. The booklet is truly a work of art, beautifully illustrated, and expertly compiled. Commendation is given Mr. Dutton for this magnificent work, which will be a fitting and memorable achievement in our 90th year in Hawaii.

The slick cover booklet bears the seal of the Diocese and the legend "He Lanakila Me Ke Kea" (Victory through the Cross).

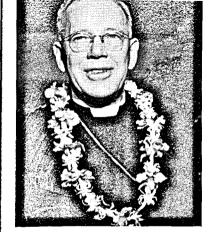
Mr. Dutton starts his story with the early history of menehune days and then to the final migratory period from Tahiti by the ancestors of today's Hawaiians,

describing the system of kapu, so closely interwoven with the religious, governmental and social organization of early Polynesia. He then describes the episcopate of the first Anglican Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Thomas Nettleship Staley, who came to Hawaii in 1862 at the urgent request of Queen Emma and King Kamehameha IV, and continues with the episcopates of Bishops: Willis, Restarick, LaMothe, Littell, and Kennedy. Pictures and historical descriptions of all our churches and institutions are contained in the booklet.

A more detailed history of our work will be compiled by the Rev. C. Fletcher Howe, who is now working on this manuscript, and will be printed soon.

Distinguished Cross Awards

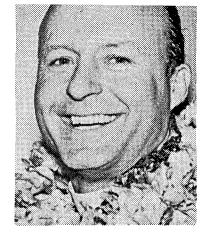
Two of our outstanding Laymen received the distinguished cross awards of the Bishop—Mr. Richard C. Ching and Mr. Norman Ault. Mr. Ching had distinguished himself in many way as Key Laymen for the Diccese in the past three years. Mr. Norman C. Ault, son of the former Dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral, and affectionately called the "Nearly Reverend Mr. Ault" by his Bishop, has done much in starting new mission work in the diocese, as well as to be an outstanding laymen in his parish, St. Christopher's, Kailua. The entire Diocese rejoiced in the awarding of these crosses to two such worthy laymen.







Mrs. David West



Rev. Clarence Harden, Jr.

All Fields Represented

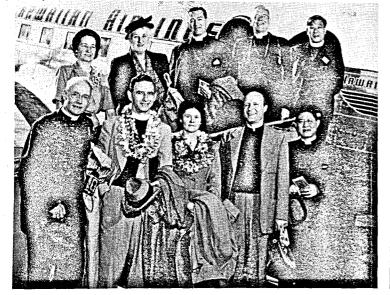
Delegates from the new mission Calvary Mission, Kaneohe, Oahu, who at this Convocation made formal application for entrance as a mission in this field, and also from the Island of Molokai and Lanai were present for this 50th Convocation. Delegates from the Older Japanese Missions on Kauai also attended. It was most gratifying to have them. The Rev. Norman Godfrey, from our mission field in Okinawa, was a most welcome member of our Convocation.

Laymen's Banquet

It was a great privilege to have the Rev. Clarence Haden, Jr., Director of Laymen's work on the Presiding Bishop's Committee for Laymen, and personal representative of the Presiding Bishop at our 90th Anniversary. He gave a most stimulating address to the laymen on the occasion of their dinner during the celebration. A large crowd was in attendance, and all spoke with acclaim for Mr. Hadens' inspiring talk.



It was a time of rejoicing for the whole Diocese when the Rev. Norman B. Godfrey returned from Okinawa to attend the 90th Anniversary Celebration. He is shown being greeted by his family: left to right—Cornelia, Mrs. Godfrey, John, Louise and Sarah. His presence in Honolulu made us fully aware of the great work he, the Rev. William Heffner, and the Rev. Gordon Nakayama are doing in Okinawa.



READY FOR TOUR OF THE ISLANDS

Our guests for the 90th Anniversary visited Maui, Hawaii, and Kauai, speaking at special services so that our people in our Island churches could know them. They reported a wonderful time. First row, left to right: Bishop Remington, Bishop and Mrs. Campbell, of Los Angeles, the Rev. Mr. Haden, Bishop Huang, of China. Back row: Mrs. Eric Bloy, of Los Angeles, Mrs. Remington, Bishop Bloy, of Los Angeles, Bishop Kirchhoffer, and Bishop Yashiro.

Tour All Islands

Most of our distinguished visitors went on a tour of our Islands, seeing the work of the churches and something of the beauty of each Island. Maui and Hawaii were visited by the following bishops: Michael Yashiro, Quentin Huang, Eric Bloy, (and Mrs. Bloy) Donald Campbell (and Mrs. Campbell) Richard Kirchhoffer, William Remington (and Mrs. Remington), the Rev. Clarence Haden, Jr. and Mrs. David West. Kauai was privileged to have all but Bishops Huang and Yashiro and Mrs. West visit them. On Hawaii, Bishop Yashiro was presented with the key to the City by the Mayor. All of the guests reported a most delightful excursion of the Islands.

Our guests were very good to attend the chapel services of St. Andrew's Priory and Iolani School to take messages to our pupils.

Episcopal Construction Foundation

A revolving fund for the Advance work in the Diocese has at last been given the above name by which it will be known. It is the thank offering for our 90th and 50th Anniversaries celebration. Mr. George Gray, chairman, announced at the time of our Convocation, that the half-way mark of \$25,000 had been reached, and that the offering would continue for the year 1952, until our goal of \$50,000 is reached. We pray for the generous support of all to this most important fund.



Right to left: Bishop Yashiro, Bishop Huang, and Bishop Block shown greeting guests at the 90th Anniversary Reception, held in Queen Emma Square. The Royal Hawaiian Band is seen in the background. Thousands of people greeted our distinguished guests. Military and civic dignitaries, as well as the public, were invited to the reception.

Greetings

We cannot close the occasion of our 90th-50th Anniversary without some comment of the very wonderful messages that came to us from all parts of the world with prayers for the furthering of our work, and the assurance of remembrance on this mementous occasion. The Bishops of all our Dioceses in the American Church sent greetings, as did the Presiding Bishop, the Most Rev. Henry Knox Sherrill. In addition to this we had greetings from: The Rt. Rev. and Mrs. S. Harrington Littell, retired Bishop of Honolulu, The Rt. Rev. Stephen E. Keeler, Bishop of Minnesota, and interim Bishop of Honolulu when we were without a Bishop, The Archbishop of Canterbury, the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, the Society for the Promoting of Christian Knowledge, The Rt. Rev. Philip Nigel Strong, Bishop of New Guinea, the Rt. Rev. Norman S. Binsted, Bishop of the Philippine Islands, The Community of the Transfiguration, Glendale, Ohio, The Rev. and Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., former Canon of St. Andrew's Cathedral, The Rev. and Mrs. J. Thurlow Baker, a former clergyman on the Island of Kauai, the Rev. Andrew N. Otani, also a former clergyman on Kauai, the Rev. and Mrs. Albert H. Stone, one time Headmaster of Iolani School. the Rt. Rev. and Mrs. Clinton S. Quin, Bishop of Texas, the Rev. and Mrs. Y. Sang Mark, rector on leave from St. Peter's Church, Honolulu, and who is now in England taking the message of the missions in the Pacific to the people there as a representative of the Society of the Propagation of the Gospel, and Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Parker. Mr. Parker was in Hawaii this past year as a representative of the Laymen's League, giving our training course to the laymen of our diocese, the Ven. John Swinson, of the Virgin Islands, the Rev. W. Arthur Roberts, formerly of Hawaii and now in England, Mr. Alex Glade, our devoted layman on Midway Island, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Pittsburgh, through Mrs. George Morrison, who is the Diocesan President, and mother of Mrs. Hugh L. S. Thompson, wife of the Vicar of St. John's Church, Kula, the Congregational Women of Hawaii, and Miss Laura Brown, who was a former member of St. Elizabeth's Church, Honolulu.

Of particular note were the very dramatic messages from the Seikokwai members of the Leper Colony, Airaku-en, Okinawa, the members of St. Peter and St. Paul, Mawashi, Okinawa, and our congregation at Kadena, Okinawa. These came to us in their native writing, but were translated. How very near these new members of our communion seemed to us. They were brought to us by the Rev. Norman B. Godfrey, who is ministering to them on Okinawa.

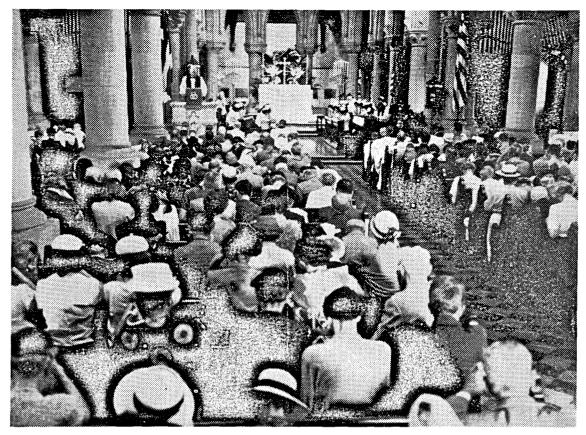
Woman's Auxiliary Meeting

Outstanding were the talks given by the Most Rev. Michael H. Yashiro, Presiding Bishop of Japan, and the Rt. Rev. Quentin K. Y. Huang, Yen-Kwei, Kunming China, and now in Washington, D. C., after his escape from Communists in China. He has not been subdued by his harrowing experiences—he has come through them with a more ardent association with our Lord, because he knows through His guidance he is here today to tell his story. His humbleness and gracious spirit did much for all of us privileged to hear his message. His escape from China was told to the Woman's Auxiliary members. It was only through a series of miracles that he is here. But through those miracles, God has chosen him to teach the way of Our Lord. What a rare and great privilege it was for us to have him here for our 90th Anniversary celebration. With him he brought a beautifully embroidered piece of silk, which he had brought out of China. In his own hands he printed upon it his greetings and that of his people, "In memory of the 90th An-

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Officers elected for 1952 at the Annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary were: first row, left to right—Mrs. Harry Feikert, Margaret Mackintosh, Mrs. John Chalmers, Mrs. William Lin (President), Mrs. Harry F. Cooper, Alice Mackintosh, Mrs. L. De Vis-Norton. Second row: Mrs. William Mahikoa, Mrs. H. Y. S. Leong, Mrs. Fred Shiraki, Mrs. William Fraser. Third row: Mrs. Florence Judd, Mrs. Richard Bond, Mrs. Joseph Lucas, Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. Margaret Lynas, Mrs. Francis Cushingham, Mrs. Burton Linscott.



Honolulans bow in prayer with The Most Rev. Howard West Kilvinton Mowel, Archbishop of Sydney, during a memorial service for King George VI in St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Memorial Service For King George VI

Leaders of his Church from Australia, the mainland, and Hawaii joined on February 6th in a memorial service for King George VI at St. Andrew's Cathedral. More than 600 persons attended the solemn ceremonies.

The memorial address was given by the Most Rev. Howard West Kilvinton Mowll, Archbishop of Sydney, who called to mind recollections of the late King as an individual from his first remembrance of him as a boy walking along the streets of Windsor to a recent stay with the Royal family at Windsor. It was a most stirring experience for all present to hear the Archbishop pay tribute to his late king, and to extend the sympathy of all to the young woman of twenty-five, "who now assumes such tremendous responsibilities." During a stay with the royal family at Windsor in 1948, the Archbishop said, "I saw a new side of the king. I gained a tremendous admiration for him then—he was so simple, so unaffected, so obviously good."

The Rt. Rev. Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of California, read the lesson, and the prayers and benediction were pronounced by our bishop. Clergy from all our

churches on Oahu were in procession. The St. Andrew's Priory choir sang for the service.

On February 7th, Archbishop Mowll received the following message from Buckingham Palace, London.

I am sincerely grateful for your message. Please assure all for whom you speak that I deeply value their kindness and sympathy.

-Elizabeth R

Priory Girls Win Essay Contest

During the 90th Anniversary, St. Andrew's Priory and Iolani School carried on a contest among their students for the best essays on some phase of the Church's history in Hawaii. St. Andrew's Priory announced the following winners: 1st prize, "The Royal Quest" by Alice Kau, 2nd prize, "The Priory and the English Sisters" by Robin La Croix. The following were given Honorable Mention: "Beloved Queen Emma" by Mae Saiki, "Gifts to the Cathedral" by Kapua Kali, "A Tower of Strength—Henry Bond Restarick" by Christella Kong, "Queen Emma" by Carolyn McDonell, and "The Tower of St. Andrew's Cathedral" by Laura Shun.

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting

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niversary of the Episcopal Church in Hawaii and the 50th Anniversary of the Diocese of Honolulu under the Jurisdiction of the American Episcopal Church. Yung (Glory), Shen (God), Yi (Benefit—good will) to Jen (Man)—as presented by Huan Kwei Yuen, Bishop of the Yun Kwie Diocese of the Holy Catholic Church of China."

Mrs. David West, from Minneapolis, Minnesota, and representative of the National Council gave an outstanding and memorable talk on the Woman's Auxiliary, which endeared her to all of us.

Gift For Work On Okinawa

The Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., Rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, New York City, and former Canon of St. Andrew's Cathedral, has sent us \$3,000 for work on Okinawa. This sum was raised through a Christmas Fair by the women of St. Bartholomew's. We are indeed indebted to them for their interest and assistance with our work. Some of the money is to go toward a new chapel for our members of the Leper Colony on Airaku-en.

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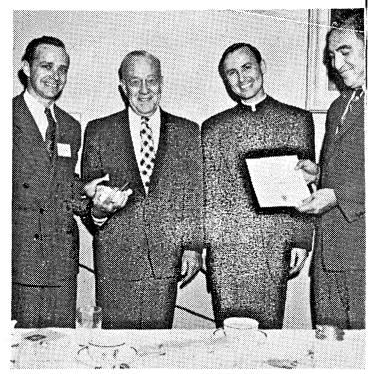
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The Rev. John J. Morrett, Vicar of Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina, Oahu, who was awarded the Honolulu Junior Chamber of Commerce award for distinguished service for his work in the community at their 22nd Annual Founders' Day banguet on January 18th. He is pictured second from the right. Pictured with him are William H. Bains-Jordan. president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, John A. Hamilton, retiring executive vice-president of the Hono-Iulu Chamber of Commerce, and who received a gift in recognition of his service, and Ted Nobriga, president of HGEA. The citation was made for his expansion of his church to reach into many community centers, his encouragement of Scouting and club activities, his establishment of a day school for 120 pupils, the increasing of his church membership from 32 to 800 in three years, and his membership on community committees. We rejoice in his citation and commend him for his achievements.

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