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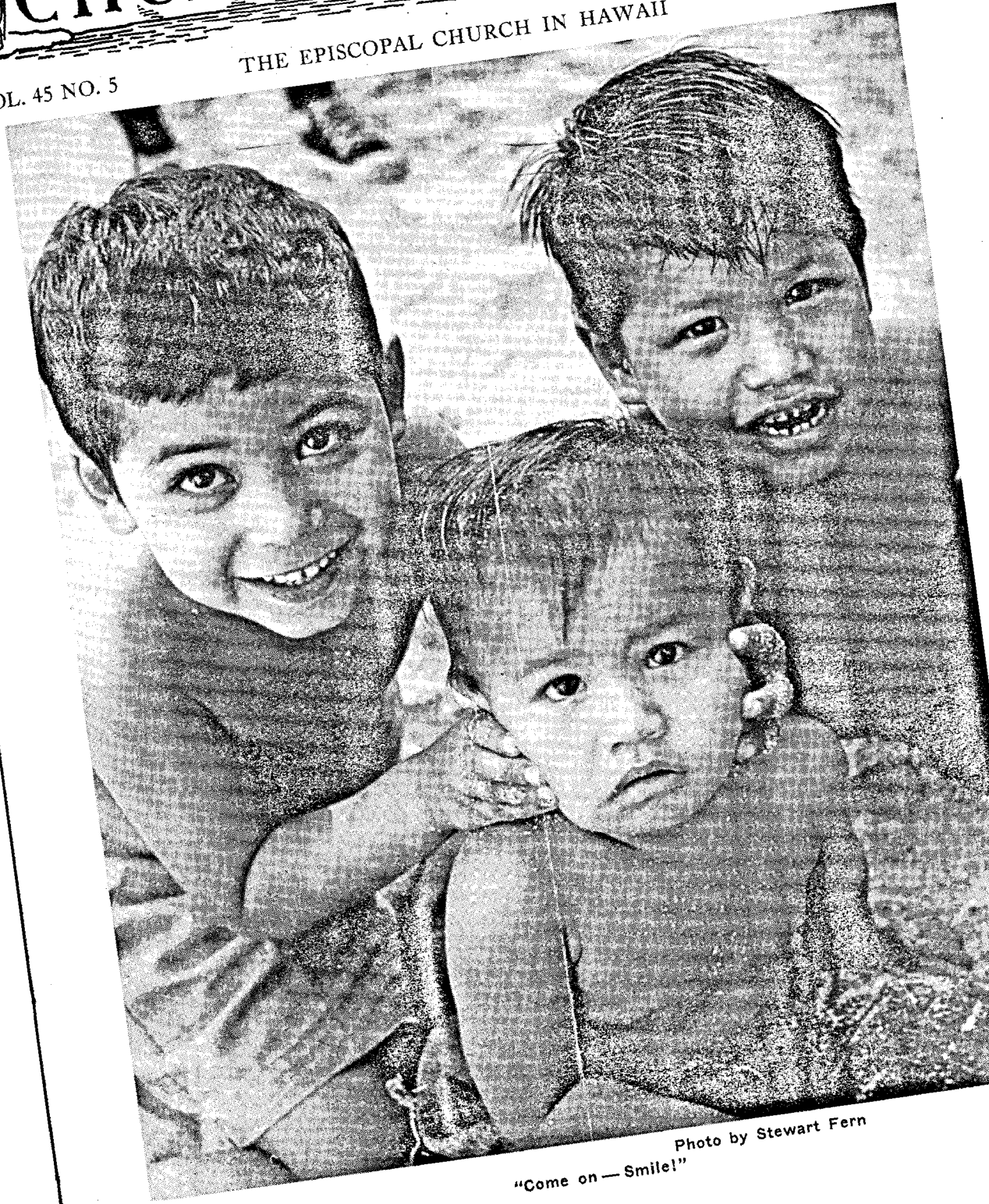


Photo by Stewart Fern
"Come on — Smile!"



Mrs. George Goss, Holy Nativity Church, and Diocesan President of the Woman's Auxiliary, is shown discussing plans for the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at the time of General Convention with Mrs. Arthur M. Sherman, National Executive Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary. The picture was taken in New York, when Mrs. Goss went back in February to confer with the Executive Committee.

Do You Knows For General Convention DO YOU KNOW?????

That the first General Convention was held in Philadelphia in 1785 and that this city has entertained General Convention 17 times. That the following cities have also entertained General Convention:

New York	13 times
Boston	3 times
Baltimore	3 times
Cincinnati	3 times
San Francisco	2 times
Richmond	2 times
Washington	2 times
Portland	1 time
New Orleans	1 time
Detroit	"
Denver	"
St. Louis	"
Cleveland	"
Atlantic City	"
Kansas City	"
Trenton	"
New Haven	"
Chicago	"
Minneapolis	"

The Devotional Services for the first week during General Convention will be led by The Very Reverend James A. Pike, JSD, DD, Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City and for the second week by the Rt. Rev. Richard Stanley Merrill Emrich, PhD, LL D, DD, Bishop of Michigan.

That the Most Reverend Isabelo de los Reyes, Obispo Maximo of the Philippine Independent Church, is to be an important guest of Convention, along with Archbishop Mowll, of Sydney, Presiding Bishop Yashiro, of Japan, and Bishop Kempthorne, of Fiji.

That Bishop Voegeli, of Haiti, Bishop Swift of Puerto Rico, Bishop Harris of Liberia, Bishop Binsted of the Philippines, Bishop Gordon of Alaska, Bishop Gooden of the Panama Canal Zone, Bishop Melcher of Central Brazil, and many other missionary bishops will be present for Convention.

That you will have an opportunity to hear such bishops as Bishop Donegan of New York, Bishop Hobson of Southern Ohio, Bishop Louttit of South Florida, Bishop Stokes Coadjutor of Massachusetts, Bishop Block of California, Bishop Keeler of Minnesota, Bishop Jones of West Texas, Bishop Bayne of Olympia, Bishop Hart of Pennsylvania, preach in our churches and those in the community — along with many other of our bishops.

That you are welcome at any time in our General Convention Office and can see charts with the program, plans for registration, etc.

That the Opening Service of Convention will require 100 ushers and the United Thank Offering Service will require 80.

That over 200 signs designating dioceses, meeting places, etc, have already been made by Ronald Kimura of Good Samaritan Church, and 200 more are to be made by him.

That the program for the Opening Service has already been printed — that the service is set up in New York, the music planned here, and the program printed in Honolulu.

That the packets for delegates have already been printed and are ready to be stuffed.

That seating in the House of Deputies is determined by the drawing of lots, and that the Dioceses of Kansas, Georgia, Southern Ohio and West Texas will have their delegates gracing the front row.

That in the House of Bishops the senior bishops sit in the front of the House of Bishops and the "Baby Bishops" sit in back.

That in the House of Deputies four missionary districts are seated together with a clerical, lay delegate and Bishop for each District. Dioceses are allotted ten seats, four for clerical delegates and four for lay delegates, with two set aside for bishops, if they wish to attend sessions.

That the altar, cross and candlesticks for the Opening Service are being made by Mr. Theodore Ho, of St.

Peter's Church. The altar will be 12' x 4' x 42". The cross will be 10' high — a duplicate of the Bishop's Distinguished Service Cross for the District.

The Altar Linen is being made by Mrs. Finlay Ross, Head of the Diocesan Altar Guild, and Mrs. L. W. de vis-Norton of St. Clement's Church. That 187 purifications have been made for the Communion Services.

That there will be 8 Province Dinners, 10 Seminary dinners, 11 other dinners, and 12 Corporate Communion Services and breakfasts.

That on September 9th there will be "A Night in Hawaii" to entertain our guests with the music and dances of our many races in Hawaii.

That the choir of the Kawaiahao Church will sing anthems in Hawaiian for the Opening Service. That the combined Church Choirs on Oahu will join in this service.

That the Offering at the Opening Service has been designated by the Presiding Bishop for our work in Okinawa.

That Governor and Mrs. Samuel Wilder King have graciously invited Convention delegates to a reception at Washington Place on Tuesday, September 12, from 4 to 6 p.m.

General Convention Hosts and Hostesses

The National Church provides funds for most of the expenses of General Convention, but we must accept, locally, the responsibility of expense of entertainment. For this reason we have asked our people if they desire to act as hosts and hostesses for this coming event. A host or hostess is asked to contribute ten dollars toward this entertainment fund. Over six hundred have already designated their desire to act in this capacity. We are anxious that more should help in this way by sending his or her ten dollars (or more) to the General Convention Office, Queen Emma Square, Honolulu.

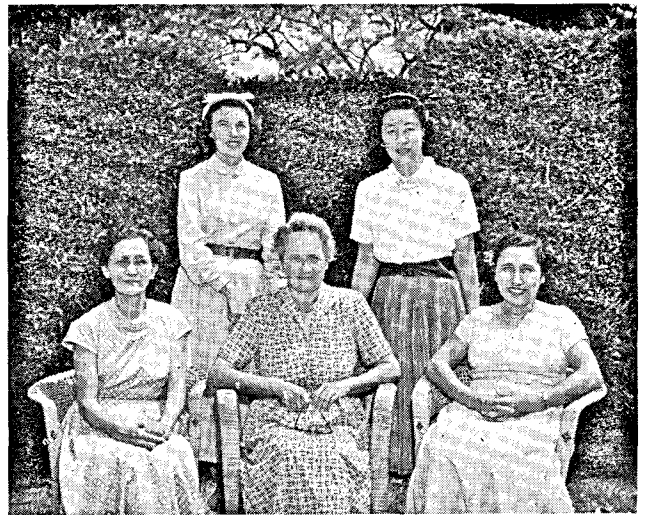
Each host and hostess will receive a ticket to the Opening Service in the Civic Auditorium and an invitation to the Official Reception at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel to meet our Presiding Bishop and Mrs. Sherrill and the Church dignitaries from all over the world.

It is planned to include in our Convention publication the names of Hosts and Hostesses. This special issue will be sent to the printer in early summer, so we urge those who plan to share in this project to advise us of their intentions as soon as possible. Later in the summer they will receive official badges and their tickets for the above mentioned occasions.

Checks should be made payable to the General Convention Fund.

Present Plans For Completion Of The Cathedral

On Tuesday, May 31st, the annual meeting of the Men of St. Andrew's was held in Davies Hall for a



Delegates from our District to the Triennial meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at General Convention. Seated, left to right, Mrs. Lawrence H. Ozaki, Holy Trinity Church, Honolulu; Mrs. William Mahikoa, Christ Church, Kilauea, Kauai; Mrs. Harry Feikert, St. Timothy's Church, Aiea. Back row, Mrs. George Goss, Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina; Mrs. William Lin, St. Mark's, Honolulu.

dinner meeting. The Bishop and Dean Cox both spoke to the men on the plans that have been made to complete St. Andrew's Cathedral. The wives of the members of the Men of St. Andrew's were also in attendance.

Headmasters Visit Other Islands

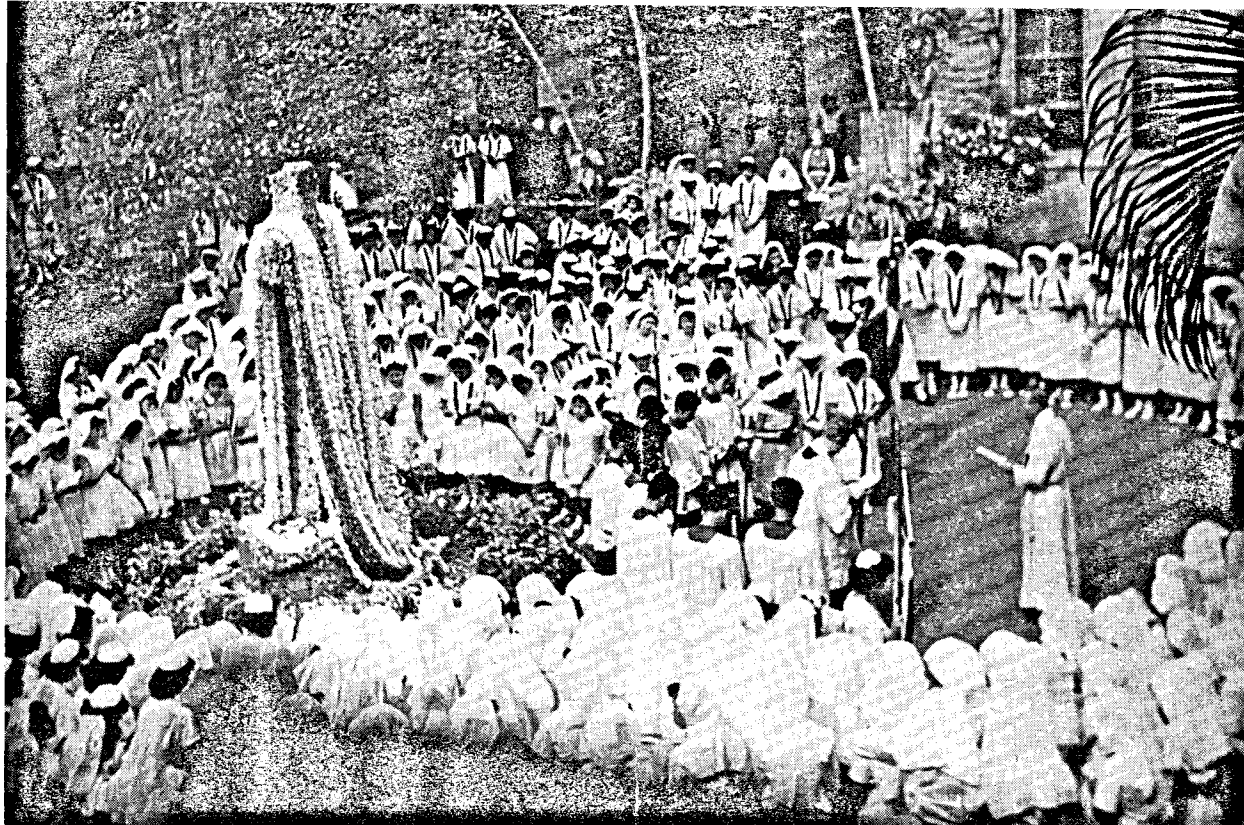
Canon Frederick A. McDonald visited the Island of Maui on May 15, 16, and 17 to interview students interested in attending Iolani School, of which he is Headmaster. He also preached at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Wailuku on May 15th.

Mr. James Taylor, Headmaster of the Hawaii Episcopal Academy, Kamuela, Hawaii, was in Honolulu for the week of April 24th, interviewing prospective pupils for the Academy. He had many interviews over radio and television. He spoke to the boys at Iolani School during one of their chapel services.

Fall Ingathering Of Uto

Mrs. William Buscher, Diocesan Chairman for the United Thank Offering of the Woman's Auxiliary, announces that the fall ingathering this year must of necessity be taken early, because of General Convention and in order to have the offering all in and sent into New York. It will be taken on Sunday, July 17th.

We, in Hawaii, who have so bountifully shared in the United Thank Offering of the women of our Church, should thankfully give in return. We hope that this triennium offering will be the largest in the history of Hawaii.



St. Andrew's Priory girls observe the 88th anniversary of the founding of their school on Ascension Day with the traditional draping of the old coral cross in the school's Emma Square Court. The priory was founded in May, 1867, by Mother Lydia Sellon who came from England by sailing ship at the request of Queen Emma. She returned to England but Sisters of the Holy Trinity remained to conduct the school. It is now run by the Sisters of the Transfiguration. Sister Evelyn Ancilla is Sister Superior and Sister Lucy Caritas, Principal. Students gathered for corporate communion in the cathedral in observance of Ascension Day prior to the outdoor ceremony.

Laymen's Conference Program Outlined

The Executive Secretary of the Presiding Bishop's Committee on Laymen's Work, the Reverend Howard Harper, DD, will arrive from New York on June 8th with his assistant, Mr. William Siegmund, Province Director for Laymen's Work, and from Los Angeles, to conduct a three-day conference for the laymen of Hawaii. The Conference will be held June 10th, 11th and 12th at Iolani School.

Laymen representing all of our Islands will be in attendance. This is a tremendous opportunity for our men, and we welcome these outstanding leaders in our Church. This is the second time that the head of this Committee has been sent to Hawaii, the first being the Rev. John Heuss, DD, now rector of Trinity Church New York City.

The Key Laymen for Hawaii are Mr. John Harding and Mr. Thomas Major. They are in charge of arrangements for the meeting. The following program has been scheduled:

The Laymen's Training Course

Dates: June 10th, 11th, 12th.

Location: Iolani School

Purpose of the Course

1. To enlarge the layman's concept of his function in the Church.
2. To acquaint the layman with all helps and resources available for his use in carrying out his Church responsibilities.

What will be expected of our attending laymen.

1. Attendance at the entire session.
2. Communication of the Course to all laymen in his parish or mission. A complete detailed Meeting Guide will enable him to put the Course on exactly as he has received it.

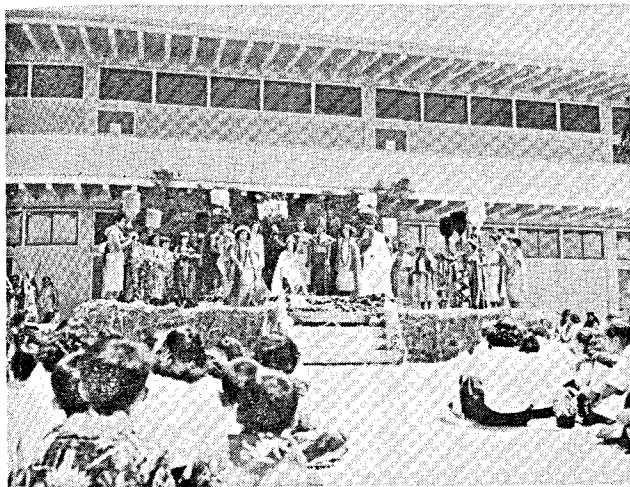
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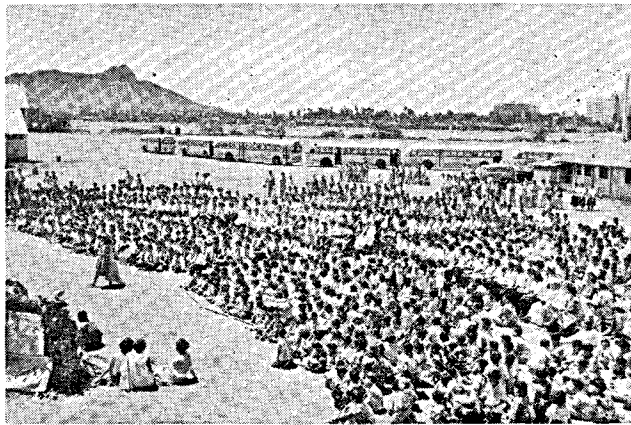
- 5:00 p.m. — Registration
- 6:30 p.m. — Dinner
- 7:45 p.m. — Conference opens
- 10:00 p.m. — Chapel service

Saturday —

- 8:30 a.m. — Breakfast
(Optional for Oahu Delegates)
- 9:15 a.m. — Work session
- 12:30 p.m. — Lunch
- 2:00 p.m. — Work session



Iolani School for Boys and St. Andrew's Priory for Girls observe May Day together at Iolani School and selected their King and Queen.



Girls from St. Andrew's Priory and Iolani watch the May Day program. Busses for transporting Priory girls to the Iolani campus are seen in the rear of the picture.

Bishop Presents Distinguished Service Cross

On Sunday, May 15th, the Bishop presented Mr. George A. Gray, Senior Warden of St. Clement's Church, Honolulu, and a member of the Board of Directors of the Diocese, with the Distinguished Service Cross of the Missionary District of Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and family expect to leave in early June to make their home in Victoria, Canada. Their leaving will mean a tremendous loss to the life and work of the Church in Hawaii, but we send them forth with a very warm Aloha. Mr. Gray, who is head of the Honolulu Sash and Door Company, expects to retire from active participation in his business.

During the Family Service at St. Clement's Church, the Bishop administered the rite of Confirmation, preached and presented the cross to Mr. Gray with the following citation:

George A. Gray

A consecrated and loyal Layman of the Missionary District of Honolulu, serving the Diocese as a member of the Board of Directors and as Chairman of the Committee on Church Art and Architecture; rendering devoted service to his parish of Saint Clement's Church as Vestryman and Warden, and in various ways manifesting faithfulness and devotion in extending the Kingdom of God.

Because of his unselfish dedication as a Layman to the life and work of the Church, and for his outstanding services, I confer upon him the Distinguished Service Cross of the Missionary District of Honolulu.

No one is useless in the world
Who lightens the burden of it for anyone else
—Dickens

- 6:30 p.m. — Dinner
- 7:45 p.m. — Work session
- 10:00 p.m. — Preparation service for Holy Communion

Sunday —

- 8:00 a.m. — Holy Communion (St. Alban's Chapel)
- 8:30 a.m. — Breakfast (Oahu delegates plan to attend)
- 9:15 a.m. — Display and discussion of materials
- 10:30 a.m. — Communication plans and instructions Adjournment.

In Memoriam

We extend our deep sympathy to the family of Mrs. En Fa Kong Yap, who passed into life eternal on March 5th, at the age of 81. She was the daughter of the first Chinese Christian minister in Hawaii. Born in Lilong, China, her family moved to Kohala, Hawaii when she was eight years of age.

Mrs. Yap devoted her life to her family and St. Peter's Church, Honolulu. She taught in the Sunday School, was president of the Woman's Auxiliary, and one of the most devout members St. Peter's Church has had, and her presence will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

She is survived by four sons, five daughters, a sister and brother and twenty-three grandchildren.

Services were held in St. Peter's Church by the Rev. Paul R. Savanack.

We pray that she may go from strength to strength and that Light perpetual will shine upon her.



Monsignor Isabelo de los Reyes, Supreme Bishop and Bishop of Manila and Quezon Cities of the Philippine Independent Church.

The Philippine Independent Church

On January 28, 1955, the Supreme Court of the Republic of the Philippines promulgated the decision that the Rt. Rev. Isabelo de los Reyes, Jr., Obispo Maximo, Philippine Independent Church, is the one and legal head of that Church. This decision means that the long and trying case, involving the factional controversy within the Philippine Independent Church, is concluded and that Bishop de los Reyes is the recognized and legal Supreme Bishop.

In 1947 Bishop de los Reyes, along with Bishops Aguilar and Bayaca, received apostolic orders from the Episcopal Church at the hands of Bishop Binsted and Bishop Wilner of the Philippines and Bishop Kennedy of Honolulu. Since that date we have been cooperating with this great sister Church in many ways; but now that these legal questions are settled we can move ahead surely, steadily, and prayerfully towards even greater and more extensive cooperation with the Philippine Independent Church.

We rejoice with Bishop de los Reyes and his followers, and give thanks to Almighty God for this favorable decision.

Bishop de los Reyes will be one of the special guests coming to General Convention.

You can preach a better sermon
With your life than with your lips.
—Goldsmith



The Rev. Graham Liao, a 70 year old clergyman from Virginia Seminary, is in charge of the work in Kangshan, Formosa, shown with his family.

Californians Prepare for Delegate Influx

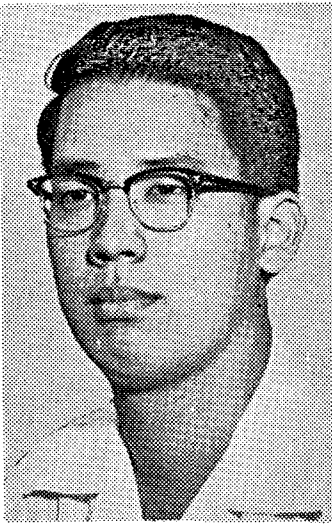
San Francisco, Calif.—California women are preparing to demonstrate western hospitality to delegates attending the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, to be held in Honolulu, September 4-15.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of California, with headquarters in San Francisco, has named committees to provide reception, housing and motor service to delegates passing through their city on the way to Hawaii.

Care — Food Crusade

Your contribution of \$1.00 will help move U.S. surplus food from storage bins to the hungry around the world!

Now, on a year round basis, \$1.00 will deliver a unit of surplus food, in your name, to a family or institution. *Under this plan, school lunch program, orphanages, day nurseries, old-age homes and other institutions will receive an average of 100 pounds of food for \$1.00* The family package will contain a minimum of 17½ pounds. This is an opportunity to extend needed aid on a person-to-person basis of friendship and good will to the needy in the world. *The Food Crusade Packages may not be designated.*



John Ono

Photo courtesy of Honolulu Advertiser.

Iolani Student Wins Scholarship To Harvard

John Mineto Ono, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gunki Ono, has been awarded a \$1,000 scholarship to Harvard university at Cambridge, Mass. The teen-age Iolani student will leave early in September to enroll in pre-law.

An Iolani student since the fifth grade, John served as class treasurer the past three years, business manager of Imua Iolani, student publication, and ranks second in his class scholastically.

John also recently won first place in a French competition and is now competing for national honors.

His parents were born in Japan, his father in Kumamoto, his mother in Fukui prefecture. They came to Honolulu in 1920, met and were married here. John has a younger sister, Sumie, 14, student at St. Andrew's Priory. Mr. Ono is a gardener. John has been an acolyte at St. Mark's Episcopal church for several years.

Paint Parish Hall

The men of St. Peter's Church, Honolulu, recently painted the parish hall. This has been a needed improvement and is very much appreciated by all the congregation and the rector, The Rev. Paul R. Savanack. His rectory was also painted through the gift of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Builders For Christ Progress

As of April 20, pledges to the *Builders For Christ* campaign totaled \$3,978,983.14. The Rt. Rev. Henry Wise Hobson, Bishop of Southern Ohio and Chairman of the Department of Promotion, said that if each diocese meets its present expectations the drive will go over its goal of \$4,150,000 by a narrow margin of approximately \$9,000.



James Miholick, Charles Marshman, Wilfred Motokane.
Photos courtesy of Honolulu Star-Bulletin

Three Church Boys Honored

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbot has named three Island boys among 201 cadets chosen for the first class at the new Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colorado. This class was selected from 6,000 applicants.

The boys so named are James I. Miholick of St. Christopher's Church, Kailua, and an Acolyte; Charles Marshman of St. Mary's Church. Both of these boys are University of Hawaii students. The third boy to be selected is Wilfred Motokane of Holy Trinity Church and student at Iolani School.

Planning For Vacation Church School Should Begin Now

One of the most effective means to Christian education is the vacation church school. In the customary ten week-day mornings, there is an opportunity unequal to that which is found in the more formal Sunday school class sessions spread over eight or nine months. The day-by-day relationships with Christian leaders in group activities open the way for real life experiences through which the Christian Faith can be taught and learned effectively.

Through daily worship, classes, recreation, and a variety of projects, children have an unusual opportunity to come to know the meaning of the fellowship of the Church, the Bible, Christian living, the joy of sharing, and the fun of creative crafts.

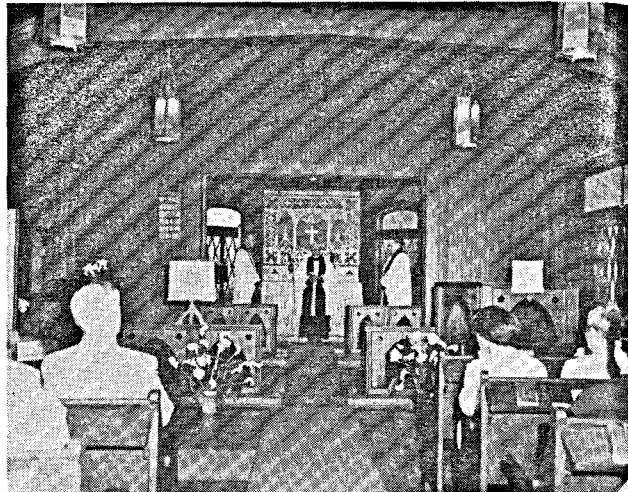
Shortly after Easter a leaflet about summertime activities was made available by the Department of Christian Education. Designed for free distribution, the leaflet will contain brief descriptions of several summertime activities: vacation church school, day camping, junior camping, and family events. Suggested course materials and resources will be listed for each activity. The leaflet may be obtained free from the Department of Christian Education, 28 Havemeyer Place, Greenwich, Conn.

I am only one, but I am one;
I cannot do everything, but I can do something.
What I can do, I ought to do and what I ought to do
By the Grace of GOD I will do.

—Canon Farrar



Dean Arthur W. Davies, D.D., retired Dean of Worcester Cathedral, England, dedicates lights at St. James Church, Papaaloa, Kauai, given by Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Davies and family (left front row) in memory of Mr. Davies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Clive Davies.



Dedication of Lights Service at St. James Church, Papaaloa, Kauai.

Two Clergy To Leave The Diocese

The Reverend Keith Kreitner, who has been in charge of the work with the Episcopal students at the University of Hawaii, Assistant at St. Clement's Church until February 1st, and for the past five months assistant at St. Peter's Church, Honolulu, will leave with his wife and two small children on June 6th for furlough. He and his family do not plan to return to Honolulu at the end of their furlough period, since the Rev. Mr. Kreitner has accepted the call to Trinity Church, Kirksville, Mo.

The Canterbury Club at the University of Hawaii has grown rapidly under the leadership of the Rev. Mr. Kreitner. The enthusiasm of the young people has been greatly influenced by his concern and interest in them. At the recent Pan Pac, May Day-Lei Day at the University, this group took the nine prizes awarded for outstanding displays. They have also been voted the outstanding athletic group of the campus for this year. At their annual banquet on May 21st they honored the Rev. and Mrs. Kreitner at a "Flying High" program for them.

We shall miss this family and send them forth with our very warm Aloha.

The Reverend and Mrs. David Coughlin and four children will leave on August 1st for the mainland. The Rev. Mr. Coughlin has been in charge of our work at Pearl Harbor and has wrought a good work. He will have completed his three years of service under the Overseas Department.

They have endeared themselves to many in the Diocese and will be very much missed. We wish them Godspeed in their new chosen field.

Clergy Are Introduced To The Seabury Series

One of the steps the National Council's Department of Christian Education is taking to prepare the Church for the new curriculum, hereafter to be known as *The Seabury Series*, is through briefing sessions with clergy in the various dioceses.

Three courses, those for grades one, four, and seven, will be published in May, 1955. At the conferences, clergy and directors of religious education receive not only the theological basis and educational principles behind the new materials, but assistance in the teaching methods to be used in church school classes.

Preparation and training of the Church for the use of *The Seabury Series* have been a concentrated effort of the Department of Christian Education over the entire past year, especially through meetings with diocesan leaders in almost every diocese of the Church.

The Church Society for College Work

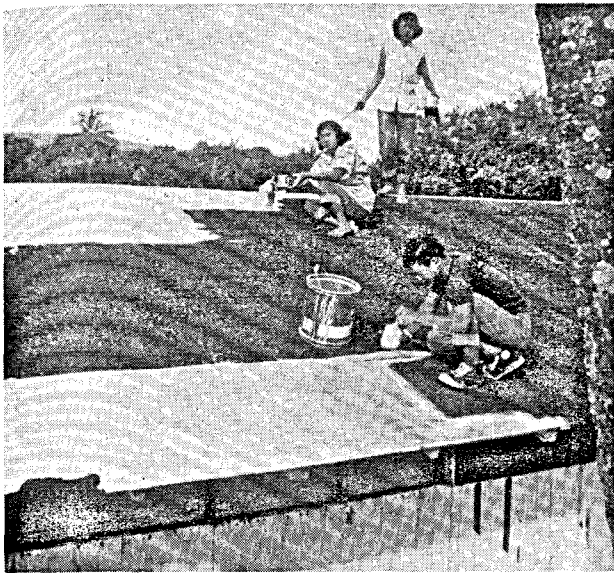
Mount Saint Alban, Washington 16, D.C.

"What does the Church Society for College Work do?" This is the question most frequently asked when people first hear of the Church Society. It is, of course, a perfectly fair question.

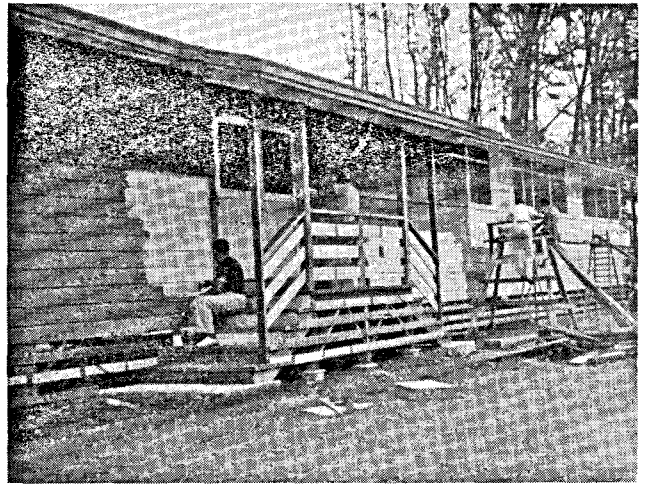
Our purpose here is to answer the question and to place it within the more general framework of the philosophy of the Church Society for College Work — 1955.

The Church Society for College Work is a "Cooperating Agency" of the National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church. It exists for three purposes:

1. To tell the story of college work to the lay people of the Church.
2. To raise funds so that the college work of the Church may be carried on as extensively and effectively as possible, with primary emphasis placed



Young people of Christ Church, Kilauea, Kauai, paint the roof of the Kauai Youth Center, Hanalei.



The Bishop and sixteen of the clergy on Oahu spent the day at the Conference Center at Mokuleia painting the new dormitory—inside and out. They accomplished a goodly portion of the work to be done in getting the dormitory ready for the camp sessions.

upon doing pioneer work in advance of what the National Church is able to do.

3. To pray for the college work of the Church, and for those engaged in it by means of a regular cycle of intercessory prayer.

Telling the Story to Lay People

The story of college work is the story of warfare. There is, on the college and university campuses of the country, a constant battle for the minds and the souls of young people. The college community is a battleground of ideas—ideas representing every philosophy, world view, and way of life, to stimulate, persuade, enrich and convert students.

This is properly the role of higher education—to challenge the presuppositions and faith of its members, to present the ideas mankind has lived by, and to encourage students to discover for themselves life's meaning. In this battle of ideas every alternate world faith to the Christian faith is presented by ardent disciples. Indeed, most of the philosophies presented to students are not congenial to Christian thought, and many are opposed to the Christian way of life.

This means that a college or university education, for the normal student, is an extremely confusing experience.

Obviously, therefore, the Christian faith needs all the reinforcements that the Church can provide. One of the most important reinforcements is an informed and concerned laity within the Church.

To tell this story of what is actually going on in the college and university scene is the first purpose for which the CSCW exists.

Money and College Work

The second purpose of the CSCW is to raise funds

so that the Church's work on the campuses of the country will be done as extensively and effectively as possible. It is the goal of the CSCW to do pioneer work in advance of the program of the National Church through its Division of College Work.

The strength of the CSCW rests firmly on a broad base of givers. We need intelligently concerned givers and generous givers; and, continued concern is more important than intermittent generosity.

Prayer and College Work

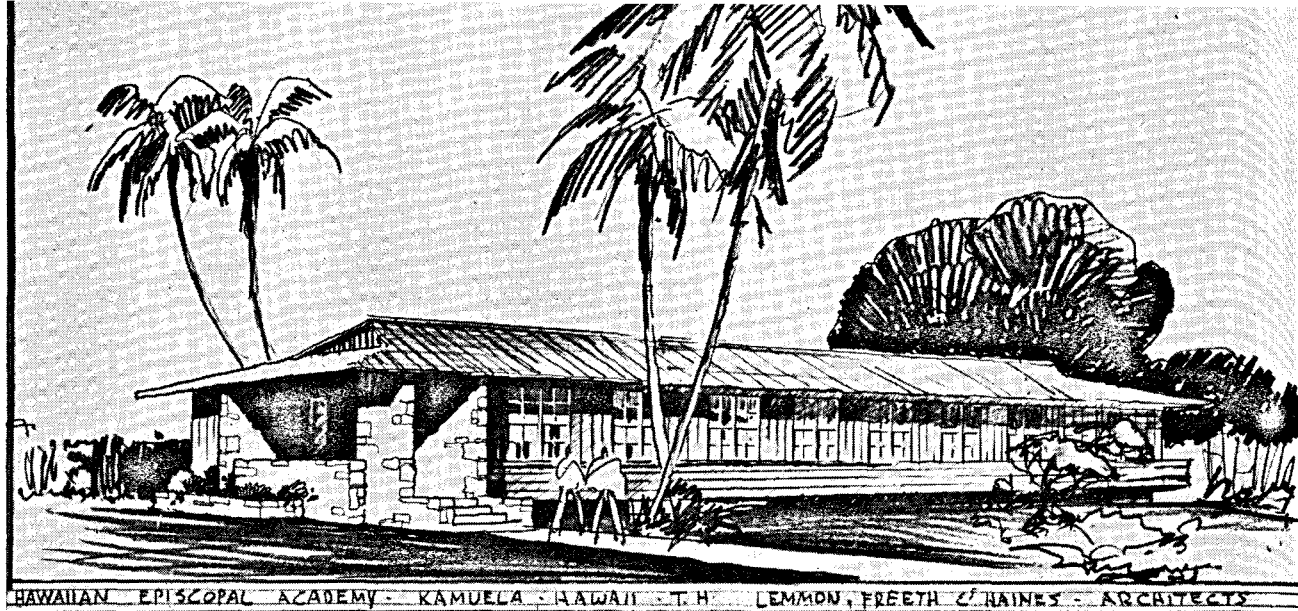
The third purpose of the CSCW is to pray. Its role is to pray for the colleges and universities of the country, for the work of the Church therein, and for the people who make up these academic communities—faculty, administrators, and students. Dollars are helpful, but prayers are essential.

— By John B. Coburn

We add that our work at the University of Hawaii is aided by this organization by paying half of the salary for our priest in charge of this work.

The Twain Met

Friends of the Ven. Thurlow Baker, Dean of Gethsemane Cathedral, Fargo, North Dakota, and former Vicar of St. John's Church, Eleele, Kauai, had as one of his Lenten speakers the Rev. Andrew N. Otani, now in charge of Japanese work in Minnesota, but who formerly worked with Dean Baker on Kauai. Dean Baker and Mrs. Baker will be in Honolulu for General Convention in September.



New Boys' Dormitory to be erected at the Hawaii Episcopal Academy.

Hawaii Episcopal Academy

The new Boy's Dormitory to be erected this summer at the Hawaii Episcopal Academy, Kamuela, Hawaii, shown above, is the first new building in a overall plan for the Academy.

Lemmon and Freeth, Honolulu, are the architects. Work will start this summer so that the dormitory will be ready for occupancy this coming September.

Any parents interested in enrolling sons in the Academy should contact Mr. James M. Taylor, Headmaster, Kamuela, Hawaii, or call the Bishop's Office, 56864.

Two Plane Survivors Give Prayers of Thanks

Two members of Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina, Oahu, were in a plane that crashed off the shore of Oregon on March 26th. They were Mary Lamora Harrison, 16, and Gail Dillingham, 18, who were returning to Honolulu for the Easter Holidays from The Annie Wright School, Tacoma, Washington. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Dillingham.

Gail was the first to go to the chapel. Shortly after their arrival at 6:10 a.m. and the reunion with their mothers and family, Gail took her 7-year-old sister Heather to school at Holy Nativity.

"Heather wanted me to tell the classroom my experiences, so I did," Gail said.

"Then I met the Rev. John J. Morrett (rector of Holy Nativity), and we entered the chapel where I said my prayers."

After a visit with her family and a brief nap, Mary Lamora also went to church.

"They were really prayers of thankfulness," both girls said.

"You know," they continued, "you have much to think about when you've crawled into a raft out of 40-degree water. And you get to know people, and what they think about when you're huddled and cold on the sea. You realize how real people can be. Everyone was so helpful."

During the conversation there was another reference to prayer. They said that they had about eight minutes warning before the plane struck the water.

"A lot of those eight minutes were spent praying. Not only by us. But by everyone. There was a great deal of heroism."

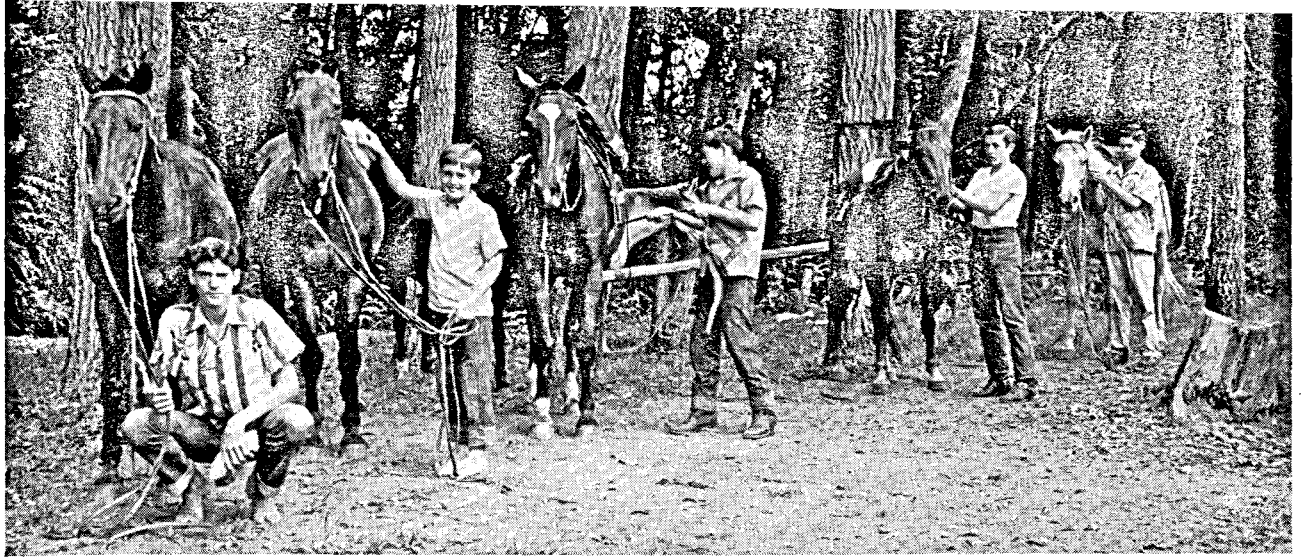
They told of the ordeal in the water, of the hours in the raft, the rescue by the vessel Bayfield, and the wonderful treatment accorded them on the ship. They were principally concerned with aiding Mrs. Peterson, the 76-year-old woman whose husband was one of the four lost.

St. Stephen's Church has Family Night

The Reverend Gerald G. Gifford, Vicar of St. Stephen's-in-the-Fields, Wahiawa, Oahu, planned a family night for the members of his congregation on April 15th, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. It proved to be a most successful venture and did much to create a fine spirit of fellowship.

It is in loving, not in being loved, the heart is blessed;
It is in giving, not in seeking gifts, we find our quest;
Whatever be they longing or they need, that do thou give;
So shall thy soul be fed, and thou indeed shalt truly live.

—M. E. Russell



Horseback riding part of the program at the Hawaii Episcopal Academy

Riding Horses at Hawaii Episcopal Academy

The Hawaii Episcopal Academy is noted not only for its high standards of scholarship and teaching, but also because it is the only school here which offers horseback riding as a regular student activity.

Just last month (April) three new mounts were added to the Academy string. These were gifts from Mr. and Mrs. Dwight H. Baldwin of Maui, and they are former polo ponies. Far from bearing any semblance to the tradi-

tional "gift horse" these newcomers enjoy a popularity with the student riders which only a good horse can merit.

Now, with these new beauties added, there are seven horses in the daily ride: six belonging to the school and one to an individual student. Riding is under the supervision of Mr. Griffith Williams of the faculty. Turns are rotated among the students to allow each a cross-country ride twice a week.

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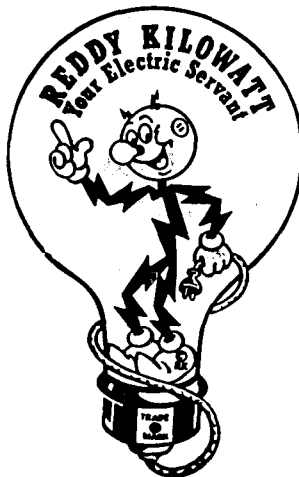
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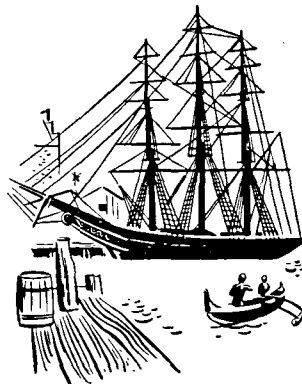
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