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St. Andrew's Priory girls visit at the foot of the coral Cross,  
in the Priory yard, as school starts.



The Rev. and Mrs. Richard Aiken

### **The Reverend Richard Aiken Starts Work**

The Reverend Richard Lloyd Aiken and his wife arrived on the Lurline, July 29th, to start his work as Assistant Vicar of Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina, and to plan for future work in the Portlock area, of which he will be in charge.

The Rev. Mr. Aiken was met at the ship by a host of new friends and many he had made in Hawaii for the first time in 1950, at which time he came to try his vocation for the ministry.

A student of Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut, where he was an outstanding football player and member of Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity, he felt that he wished to go into a mission field to determine whether he was really called to his intended profession. He first served under the Reverend Paul R. Savanack at Christ Church, Kilauea, Kauai, and from there went to the Hawaii Episcopal Academy, Kamuela, to teach, to direct athletics and to assist in St. James' Mission. He also helped with the summer camps at Mokuleia.

After a year and a half in Hawaii he returned to Trinity College to finish his work. Following graduation he entered Virginia Theological Seminary. In November 1955 he married Miss Carole Chapin.

He was ordained to the Diaconate on June 1st by the Rt Rev. Frederick D. Goodwin, Bishop of Virginia, acting for Bishop Kennedy, in the Seminary Chapel.

We are more than happy to have him with us again, since we feel that he will make a great contribution to our work in Hawaii. We welcome the Aikens into our Diocesan Family with a very fond Aloha.



Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Budd and daughters Susan, left and Patricia, right.

### **Appointed Diocesan Treasurer**

Mr. Henry Francis Budd, who has been Treasurer for the National Council in Tokyo, Japan, for the past seven years, arrived with his wife and daughters, Patricia, age sixteen, and Susan age ten, on September 1st. He has been appointed by National Council to be Treasurer of the Missionary District of Honolulu.

Because of reasons of health, Mr. Robert McCuaig has been unable to do this work. Canon Paul R. Savanack will continue as Administrative Assistant, but Mr. Budd will be Treasurer of the Diocese.

Mr. Budd has been with the Finance Department of National Council for many years and comes to us with considerable experience gained when he was employed by the National Council at 281 Fourth Avenue, New York. He also served as Treasurer in the Overseas Mission fields in China and Japan. He is well known to many of our clergy and lay people in Hawaii, so comes to us not as a stranger, but as a friend. We welcome the Budd family to Hawaii with our very warm Aloha. Their living quarters have not as yet been determined.

### **Returns To The Mainland**

The Reverend Harry S. Finkenstaedt, who has been in charge of the American congregation, All Souls Mission, Machinato, Okinawa, passed through Honolulu for a brief time, August 1st. He left immediately for Hyannis Port, Cape Cod, Massachusetts for a visit with his family. He does not plan to return to Okinawa following his furlough.

Before his departure from Okinawa he was given a party of appreciation by his congregation. They will miss him in Okinawa. We are deeply grateful for the years that he has given to our work there and wish him God's richest blessings in any new work that he undertakes.



The Rev. William R. Grosh, left, and the Rev. Canon Paul R. Savanack, representing the Bishop, conduct the ground-breaking service for the new parish hall and rectory for Calvary Church, Kaneohe, Oahu.

### **Ground Broken For New Calvary Parish House**

On July 1st the Rev. Canon Paul R. Savanack, acting for the Bishop, conducted the ground-breaking service for the new rectory and Parish Hall for Calvary Mission, Kaneohe. He was assisted by the Reverend William R. Grosh, Vicar.

Representing the Mission at the service were: Edgar S. Clark, Warden; Mrs. Jack Smyth, the Woman's Auxiliary; David Smyth, the boys of the Sunday School; Miss Caroline Luke, the Altar Guild; Mahealani Thomas, the girls of the Sunday School; Mrs. Nelson Prather, the Sunday School, and Raymond Thomas the Men's Club. Acolyte was William Miller.

Lemmon, Freeth and Haines are the architects for the new construction. Mr. S. Kitajima is the contractor for the Parish Hall; Mr. Y. Imai, the contractor for the rectory.

### **UTO Ingathering**

Mrs. Willard Buscher, Diocesan Chairman of the United Thank Offering of Woman's Auxiliary, announces that the fall ingathering will be on November 4th. All of our women are urged to share generously in this. We have received much from the thankfulness of women in our Church and hope that we may give to others who may wish to share in the furthering of their work.

### **Takes Over Work at St. Andrew's Priory And the University of Hawaii**

The Reverend Norman C. Ault, who has been Vicar of St. John's Mission, Kula, Maui, came to Honolulu the first of August to take over work at the University of Hawaii as Chaplain to our Episcopal students, and as Chaplain of the girls at St. Andrew's Priory. He and Mrs. Ault have taken up residence at 220 Emma Square.

The Reverend Mr. Ault has had a wide experience with youth work and will contribute much to this program of our Church in Hawaii. Already much has been done by the students and their Chaplain to renovate Canterbury House to get it in readiness for the opening of the University.

The Rev. Mr. Ault will also be in charge of services for the Transfiguration Church, Waianae.

It is a real joy to know that the Aults will be in charge of the work at both of these places.

### **Assist Our Blood Bank**

The Blood Bank for the Diocese was greatly assisted by Shop 41, of Pearl Harbor. Mr. W. F. Tigges, Master Boilermaker of Shop 41 heard an appeal for a nearly depleted Reserve for the Church, and transferred twelve credits of blood to our reserve. We are deeply grateful to those in Shop 41 who made this important gift possible for our Church Reserve.



New window in the Chapel of St. Andrew's Cathedral, given by the Sisters of the Transfiguration.

### **Dedication Service At St. Andrew's Cathedral**

The Feast of the Transfiguration, August 6th, was the occasion for the dedication of the beautiful window given to St. Andrew's Cathedral by the Sisters of the Transfiguration at St. Andrew's Priory in loving memory of their departed Sisters: Paula Harriet, Madeleine Mary, Rhoda Pearl, and Oriole Mary.

The Sisters chose as the central figures for the window Mary and Martha. In the background can be seen the coral cross in the Priory yard and the Priory building. Above the window is the cross of the Sisters of the Transfiguration. The new window is in the chapel of the Cathedral and is a beautiful addition to it.

Other memorials and gifts dedicated at the service were:

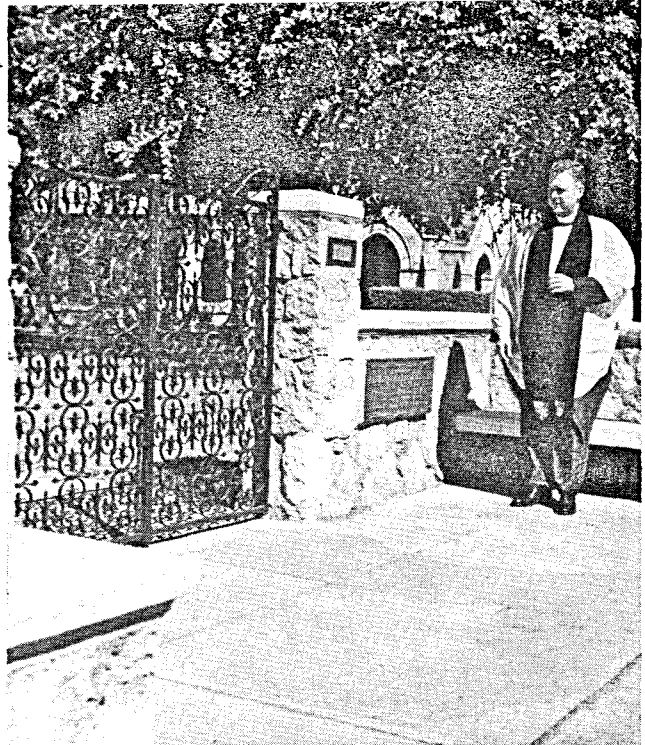
The Bishop's Throne — given by Mrs. Conrad Kaufman in memory of her husband.

The Lectern — given by Mrs. John Word Caldwell in memory of her husband.

Hymn Plaques — given by Colonel and Mrs. Rush Havern in memory of Samuel Rush and Miriam Wilson Havern.

The pews — given in loving memory of loved ones whose names are entered in the Pew Book of Remembrance.

The Gate and Gateway — given by devoted friends in memory of Theophilis Clive Davies.



The Very Rev. James S. Cox, Dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu, at the time of the dedication of the gate given in memory of Theophilis Clive Davies.

The Wall — given by Theo. H. Davies and Company, and others.

Davies Hall Floor — given by Mrs. Henry Bancroft Caldwell in memory of her husband.

Following the service luncheon was served in Davies Hall by the Auxiliary and Guild of St. Andrew's Cathedral. In the afternoon the Sisters of the Transfiguration had a reception for their Associates and friends.

A service of Evening Prayer was held in the Cathedral at 5 p.m.

### **Young People On Hawaii Have Conference**

August 26-28 the young people of the Big Island held their first joint conference at Pohakuloa. Study and recreation were the order of the day. Although this conference was small, the response of those attending was enthusiastic and future conferences should be better attended.

A swimming-picnic is planned for September or October at Hapuna Beach near Kamuela.

The feeling of oneness developed in the group and it is hoped that this feeling will be further developed in the youth groups in their own missions.

Clergy conducting the conference were: The Rev. David Coon, The Rev. Morimasa Kaneshiro, The Rev. Gerald Loweth, and The Rev. William Smythe.





Construction of St. George's Chapel, Pearl Harbor, has started and will probably be ready for services in early November. Dedication services will be held November 25th. Those wishing to give memorial pews may do so by contributing \$100 per pew and give such gifts to the Diocesan Treasurer.

### **The Reverend Robert H. Challinor Accepts Call**

The Reverend Robert H. Challinor, who for the past three years has been in charge of the Hawaiian Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, left on September 8th with his wife and two small children for Oakland, California, where he will become rector of St. Andrew's Church. He will also act as Chaplain to the young women at Mills College.

Previous to his work with the Hawaiian Congregation he was for two years Curate of St. Andrew's Cathedral. He also acted as Chaplain to the Sisters of the Transfiguration and the girls of St. Andrew's Priory. In 1954 he was appointed Chairman of the Diocesan Department of Youth. He has done much to assist with our summer camps and general program for youth of the Diocese. He also started the work at Waianae. This congregation applied to the Convocation of 1956 to become an organized mission known as the Transfiguration Church. It is a growing work and the people are now trying to find a site upon which to build a church.

During his time in Hawaii the Rev. Mr. Challinor has made many friends who will regret seeing him and his family leave. We send them forth with our sincere Aloha and wish them God's richest blessings in the new work that lies before them.

### **Sister Eva Dortha Joins Priory Staff**

Sister Eva Dortha, of the Community of the Transfiguration, arrived on August 27th, from Painsville, Ohio, where she was with St. John's Home for girls, to teach Religious Education and assist in the art department of St. Andrew's Priory. We welcome her with our sincere Aloha as a member of the Diocesan Family.



Young people from the Diocese of Los Angeles who assisted with the summer camp program. Seated are left to right, Gerry Knox and Marjorie Winther. Standing in the same order are William Griebner, Carol Moody, Sherry Vaughn and Donald Campbell.

### **Assist With Summer Camps**

The Diocese of Los Angeles very graciously sent six young people to Hawaii to assist with our summer camp programs. They were Gerry Knox, Marjorie Winther, William Griebner, Carol Moody, Sherry Vaughn and Donald Campbell. The latter is the son of the Rt. Rev. Donald Campbell, Suffragan Bishop of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Campbell.

This is the second year that this Diocese has sent young people to us to assist with our summer camp program. The Misses Gerry Knox and Marjorie Winther assisted with the summer camp on the Island of Maui, as well as with our camp at Mokuleia.

All of these young people have served with summer programs in the Church in their Diocese. They did a magnificent job and we are indebted to the Diocese of Los Angeles for sending them to us.

### **Honored By Senior Class**

The Rev. Canon Paul R. Savanack, Administrative Assistant of the Diocese, was honored by the graduating class of 1956 at St. Andrew's Priory by having their Annual Yearbook dedicated to him. In their tribute to him, they said, "Father Savanack taught us that a smile filled with goodness has much to do with making life pleasant. His words so wise gave us greater knowledge. His loving kindness found a way into our hearts. As a token of our love and appreciation, we, the Class of 1956, dedicate this year's KA ALELE to Father Savanack, a man who truly has shown us a way of life."

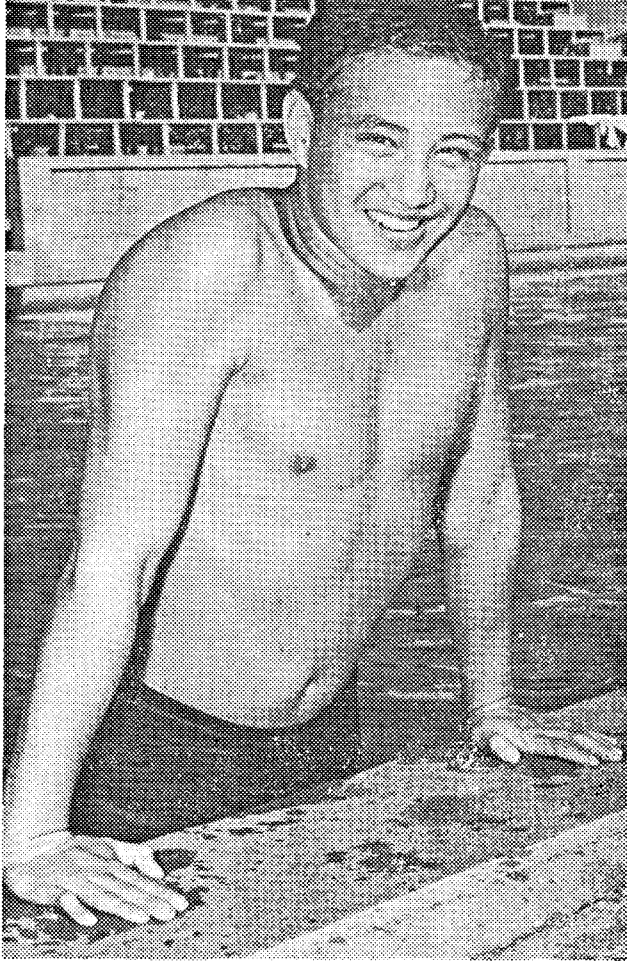


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#### GEORGE ONEKEA

Leaves November 11th for Melbourne, Australia to participate in the Olympics. He has qualified for the 400 Meter Free Style and 1500 Meter Free Style events. George is a senior at Iolani School. We are proud of his achievement and wish him every good luck in the events in which he is entered.

#### New Members In The Diocesan Family

The Reverend and Mrs. Gerald P. Loweth, of Holy Apostles Church, Hilo, are the happy parents of a son, Douglas Charles born August 29th. This is their first child.

The Reverend and Mrs. Gerald G. Gifford, II, of St. Stephen's Church, Wahiawa, had their third daughter, Amanda, born on August 30th.

We rejoice with these two families and welcome their new members into our Diocesan Family with our affectionate Aloha.

#### The Purpose of Tithing

... is to secure: not the tithe but the tither; not the gift but the giver; not the possession but the possessor; not your money but you FOR GOD.



The Seniors of Iolani School and St. Andrew's Priory were entertained by the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy at their new home at the time of their graduation. They are shown enjoying a program presented for their entertainment.

#### Our Theological Students

This fall we will have the following theological students completing their senior year in seminary: Charles Crane and Masao Fujita, at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific and George Hayashi at the Virginia Theological Seminary. Mr. Norio Sasaki, who was in Honolulu during the summer to assist with our camp program and who did a fine work with the Transfiguration Mission, at Waianae, has returned to the Church Divinity School of the Pacific for his junior year. He was accompanied by Mrs. Sasaki.

Entering the Church Divinity School of the Pacific for their first year are Robert Kashimoto, who graduated from Hobart College in June, and Mr. Roger Melrose, from Hood River, Oregon. He is the son-in-law of Mrs. Kenneth O. Miller, Parish Secretary at St. Andrew's Cathedral. His wife, Charlotte, and three sons have moved to Berkeley, California. Mr. Iver J. Torgerson, Jr., from Good Shepherd Church, Wailuku, Maui, enters Virginia Theological Seminary as a junior. He was accompanied to Alexandria, Virginia by his wife and two children. The latter two men are leaving the business world to enter the ministry.

#### Tithing Is . . .

NOT a money-raising scheme — NOT a tax BUT a way of teaching, a means to bring us to God, a logical result of serious faith.

One truth stands firm: all that happens rests on something spiritual. If the spiritual is strong, it creates world history. If it is weak, it suffers world history.

— Albert Schweitzer



Blind men making their own Prayer Books at Ping Tung, Taiwan (Formosa).

### Dr. Nishi To Iolani Post

The Rev. Shunji Forrest Nishi, dean of Tokyo's Central Theological college, arrived July 15th, to be chaplain and head of the department of sacred studies at Iolani school.

A native of California, Dr. Nishi has been dean of the Tokyo college since 1951. He also served there as professor of systematic theology, and lectured in apologetics and the New Testament.

He is a graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles and received his BD in 1943 at the Episcopal Theological school, Cambridge, Mass. He holds the degree of doctor of philosophy for graduate study at Columbia university and the Union Theological Seminary in New York City.

The Rev. Dr. Nishi also has studied at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, Calif.; at Harvard university, and the University of London.

He was ordained deacon in 1943, and priest in 1944 in the Diocese of Los Angeles.

His wife, Marian, has a degree from Radcliffe college, Cambridge, Mass.

The Nishis have three children: Barbara Adelaide 4, Eleanor Forrest 2, and John Christopher, nine months.

### Central Theological College, Tokyo, Professor Our Guest

The Reverend Raymond Hammer, DD, professor of New Testament at Central Theological College, Tokyo, Japan since 1950, spent ten days in Hawaii enroute back to Japan after a six months' missionary speaking tour of England and the mainland. While in Honolulu he was guest preacher at St. Peter's Church and St. Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu.

Dr. Hammer's trip was sponsored by the Overseas Department of National Council and the Church Missionary Society of the Anglican Church. His wife and two children will join him in Tokyo after a further stay in England.

It was a real pleasure to have Dr. Hammer with us for a brief visit.



The Rev. Luke Kimoto, in charge of the leper work on Okinawa, returns from furlough in Japan. He brought with him many gifts for the lepers — pencils, notebooks, crayons, etc. They were the gifts of children in Japan. The students and faculty of Shoin School (a Church School in the Diocese of Kobe) presented the children and adults of the leper colony at Airaku-en with a beautiful new piano.

### Exchange Pulpits

The Reverend Paul M. Wheeler, Rector of St. Clement's Church, Honolulu, and the Reverend David P. Coon, Vicar of St. James' Mission, Kamuela exchanged rectories during their vacation, each taking the services of the other for the first three Sundays in August.

The Venerable Norman R. Alter, Archdeacon of Kauai and Vicar of All Saints Church, Kapaa, spent five days in Honolulu the weekend of August 19th. He was accompanied by Mrs. Alter. While here he took the services at St. Matthew's Church, Waimanalo, and the Rev. G. P. Mellick Belshaw, who with his wife spent a week on Kauai, took services for him.

### Teaching You . . .

an awareness of the presence of God. The principle behind Tithing is that every material thing — though you may call it yours — actually belongs to God. He owns it all: your land, your property, your income, your life. This is God's world.

When you Tithe you are only setting apart for God's use one-tenth of His money that has been entrusted to you. The man who Tithes does so because he knows Whose world this is.

Tithing teaches you that God is constantly and intimately near in this, His own world.

### Laymen's League

The Key Laymen on the Island of Oahu had a ticket selling plan for raising funds for the Conference Center at Mokuleia. They sponsored the sale of tickets for the musical comedy, The Song of Norway, which was produced by the Civic Light Opera Company of Honolulu, at Dillingham Hall, Punahou School. This was well received by all who attended. Funds raised from the sale of the tickets went toward the payment of the Laymen's debt on the new dormitory at Mokuleia.



The Ala Wai Canal (Water Way) near Iolani School was the scene for the first Iolani School Rowing Regatta. The Freshmen won in the Barge Healani. Pictured standing from left to right are: Coach Robert P. Sautelle, Justice Okumura, Calvin Lee, Edmund Whang, Michael Seh, Melvin Teruya, the Bishop, Canon Frederick A. McDonald, Headmaster. Kneeling are: Henry Chun and Lawrence Young. Iolani is the first school in the Islands to have this sport, but this year they will have competition with McKinley High School, Punahou, and St. Louis.

## Outstanding Conferences Scheduled

### *Clergy Conference*

The clergy on all the islands will gather at our Conference Center at Mokuleia on the afternoon of Sunday, September 16th, and will continue in session until Wednesday noon, September 19th. Leader for the Conference will be the Reverend Massey H. Shepherd, Jr., PhD, STD, from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California.

Dr. Shepherd is one of the most outstanding instructors in our theological seminaries, having taught Church History at the Episcopal Theological Seminary from 1940 to 1954. Since then he has been at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific. He has also been a visiting lecturer at the University of the South, at Berkeley and other Theological seminaries. He is a member of the Standing Liturgical Commission and an author of great repute.

We feel most fortunate to have him come to Hawaii to be with our clergy.

### *Woman's Auxiliary Training Conference*

The Reverend Paul M. Wheeler will lead a two-day conference for representatives of the Woman's Auxiliaries of the Diocese, at Mokuleia, October 19th and 20th. He will give the women the benefit of the Church and Group Life Laboratory he attended in May, in California, which was conducted by representatives of National Council. This will be something every Church will wish to share in by sending representatives who can take back to their Auxiliaries the program of the Church.



Korean girls lend enchantment to a recent Bazaar for St. Luke's Church, Honolulu, by presenting Korean songs and dances. They are left to right: Virginia Lee, Margaret Lee, Lala Lee and Barbara Lee.

### *Island-Wide Conference*

It has been proposed that in the interest of the Every Member Canvass we might have the Bishop, Treasurer and Stewardship Chairman visit the Islands for an island-wide program of instruction on the work of the Church.

This committee will go to Kauai on the evening of September 30th, to Hawaii the evening of October 7th, to Maui the evening of October 14th and on the Island of Oahu October 8th or some other designated time during that week.

The purpose of the meetings will be to have the clergy, Bishop's Committees, Vestries, Chairmen of the Every Member Canvass and workers of the Canvass to meet together. Every Member Canvass (Stewardship) materials can be obtained from the Rev. Paul M. Wheeler, Diocesan Stewardship Chairman.

## Diocesan Church Periodical Club At Work

Mrs. Carl Morse, of St. Timothy's Church, and head of the Church Periodical Club for the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese, advises us that St. Timothy's Church, Aiea, sent two dozen paper covered pocket books to the men helping to install the new radar net "Dew Line" along the Arctic coast. These men live in barracks in the wilderness and needed reading material badly. They were sent air-mail to Nome, Alaska, and then were carried to the men in this desolate part of the country.

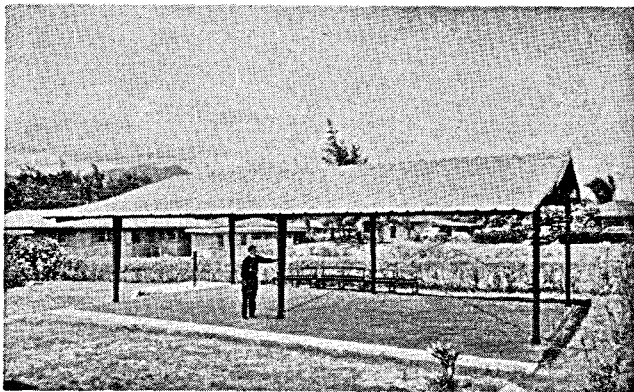
## The Man Who —

KNOWS that God is the central fact of life; FEELS the daily nearness of God; SEES the constant evidences of God's love; OFFERS himself in gratitude to God is a TRANSFORMED MAN!

Character is what a man is in the dark.

—Dwight L. Moody





### New Building

St. Matthew's Church, Waimanalo, has a new Butler Building, just completed, that is to be used as a parish hall and Sunday School classroom building. It is a most attractive construction and will be a tremendous help to the growing work in Waimanalo under the Reverend Mellick Belshaw, Vicar.

The men of the congregation plan to enclose the building and make classrooms themselves.

### Calendar Of Events

September 9 — 7:30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Cathedral Diocesan and Parish School service, under the direction of the Department of Christian Education. The Bishop will officiate, the combined Cathedral Choirs will sing, and many of the clergy will take part. In addition to the procession of choirs and clergy, the faculties of the various schools will process. The Rev. Shunji Nishi, DD, PhD, will be the speaker.

September 15

St. Stephen's Church Western Family Bar-B-Q.

September 16 - 19

Clergy Conference at Mokuleia. The Rev. Massey H. Shepherd, Jr., of the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, in charge.

October 5 - 6

St. Christopher's Parish Bazaar, Kailua.

October 12 - 13

Church of the Holy Nativity Bazaar, Aina Haina.

October 19 - 20

Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary Conference for selected representatives, conducted by the Rev. Paul M. Wheeler, Rector of St. Clement's Parish, Honolulu.

October 20th — 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

St. Peter's Parish Luau, American Chinese Club.



The Rev. Lawrence H. Ozaki, Vicar of Holy Trinity Church, Honolulu, receiving from his basketball team the Victors trophy from the Young People's Fellowship League of the Episcopal Church, 1956. Left to right are: Raymond Tadaki, Francis Oda, Stanley Kahiwhara, The Rev. Mr. Ozaki, Donald Izumihara, Charles Kokbun.

### New Building Projects

Several new constructions are under way in the Diocese. New rectories for St. George's Chapel, Pearl Harbor, and for Calvary Church, Kaneohe, are fast being completed. Calvary Church is also having a parish hall built which will temporarily serve as a chapel as well, until the building of their new church.

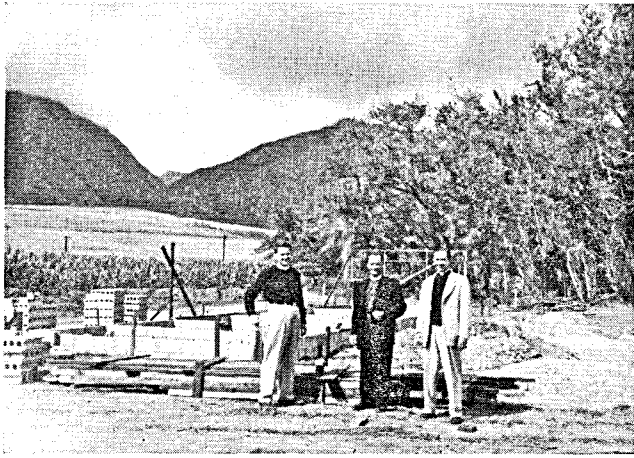
St. Andrew's Priory has torn down some old classrooms that had been condemned, where we had the General Convention offices, to make way for a new building that will have classrooms and science laboratories. The second floor of the building will have four classrooms, the first floor will have the laboratories and a classroom between them, so that the classroom can be used in conjunction with either laboratory. Construction of this cannot begin until more funds are available to start the work.

### Notes On St. Stephen's Church, Wahiawa

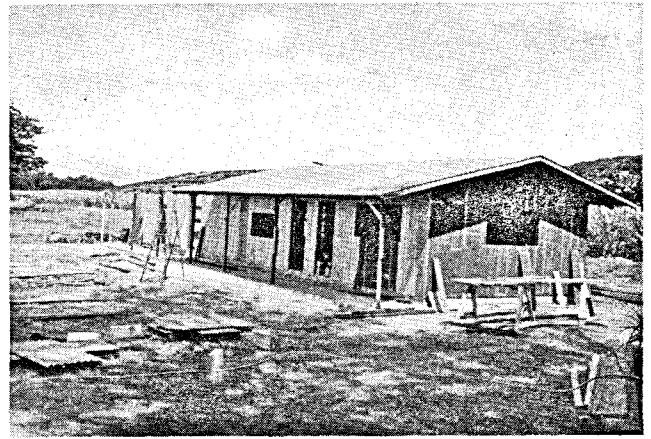
The laymen of St. Stephen's Church painted the parish hall and parish house this summer, to have it in readiness for the opening of Church School. They found that this project of fellowship gave them a richer meaning of the grounds and buildings of the Church.

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A Western Family Bar-B-Q will be held on September 15th for all members of the Church and their friends. Dancing and western entertainment will be the features of this fall activity.



The Ven. Claude F. Du Teil, Archdeacon of Maui, the Rev. Norman C. Ault and the Rev. E. Lani Hanchett view the site of Camp Pecusa (Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America) near Lahaina, Maui, taken before work started on the new building to be used for the kitchen, main lodge, and shower rooms.



The new Camp Pecusa building — completed in time for the camp session.

### On Chain Letters

Well, it got too windy for me on the beach yesterday so I moved back downtown. There was a big pile of mail waiting for me.

One of the envelopes contained a "Good Luck Prayer."

I have received about three different copies of the same prayer during the past few years. Each time I get a little more angry.

Here's how it reads:

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart. Lean not on thine own understanding. In all ways acknowledge Him and He will direct thy path.

"This prayer has been sent out to you for good luck. It has been around the world four times, and the one who breaks it has bad luck.

"The original came from the Netherlands. The luck of it has been sent to you. You are to have good luck four days after receiving it. This is no joke. You will receive it by mail.

"Please copy this and see what happens four days after receiving it. Do not send money and please do not keep this copy. Just send this copy and four others to someone you wish good luck. It must leave your hands within 24 hours after receiving it.

"This good luck prayer has been around the world four times by United States officers. General Atkins received \$17,000 three days after receiving it.

"General Patton received \$8,000 but lost it because he broke the chain. Please send this and see what happens four days after you receive this copy.

"Insert your name at the bottom of the list and remove the top name."

At the bottom of the page is a list of 16 names of

persons who, apparently, have sent the prayer on its way, hoping for a cash dividend from the Lord within four days.

I am not what you would call an overly religious person but this sort of thing turns my stomach.

It's bad enough the scripture has been degraded to the level of chain letters. The philosophy behind it is even worse.

Something like:

Trust in the Lord and He will make you a million bucks. In all ways acknowledge Him and drive a brand new car every year.

It seems to me, if prayer is going to have any value, it has to come out of unselfish motives. Otherwise, it's just a heavenly sales pitch for a celestial raise.

Maybe it might be a good idea if everybody went back and studied the Lord's Prayer again.

It's not full of whining for a higher standard of living. Basically, it's a study in humility with one brief mention of "daily bread."

I get a little disgusted with people who hire God as their business agent and go to church just to build up a better credit rating in heaven.

The insidious thing is that a lot of people are doing just that without realizing it.

Well, that's the end of my sermon for today. I don't know if you listened or not. In any case, don't bother sending me any more of those chain prayers.

Good luck or not, they go into my waste basket.

Bob Krauss

Honolulu Advertiser

Tithing is the right and serious way to give. It is *not* primarily a means for raising money, *nor* is it a substitute for other methods of getting money to meet your Church's obligations.

## **Christ Church Kilauea Young People Honored**

Christ Church, Kilauea, Kauai, felt honored to have two of its new YPF'ers, Loriann Regala and Frances Tamura win first and second honors respectively as best girl campers during their camping session at Mokuliea in July. Along with three other members of the YPF they have assisted the Rev. Samuel N. McCain, Vicar, conduct a three weeks' Bible School at Kilauea, and St. Thomas' Chapel, Hanalei.

## **In Need Of Plants**

St. Timothy's Church, Aiea, is in need of the following plants to complete the landscaping: 1 Singapore Plumeria; 6 pink or white Plumeria six feet tall, in cans; 4 Italian Cypress; 6 medium ferns; 10 pink Hibiscus (4 to 5 feet); 3 white Bird of Paradise; 200 Mock Orange; 6 Duranta.

Anyone who is willing to donate any of these plants please contact the Rev. Robert Sheeran, 48-0945 or 42-3795.

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## **Tips To Teachers**

Some helpful tools in lesson preparation will be available for your use this year. Teachers and observers outline blanks will be ready for distribution in the near future. Don't forget to ask for them.

Teacher training programs will be held in September and October. We hope that a program can be developed for churches on the Windward side of Oahu, as well as one for Honolulu parishes and missions.

Ask your clergyman or Sunday School Superintendents to see the Christian Education Bulletins, if he has not posted it on your Sunday School Bulletin Board.

A new list of Audio Visual Aids, available from our Diocesan Film Library, will be sent to the clergy and Sunday School Superintendents this fall.

Birthday Thank Offering material may be obtained from the Reverend Robert Sheeran, Chairman of the Projects Division.

Don't forget that the first Sunday of Sunday School in the fall is Rally Day and it has been a Diocesan custom to give the Rally Day Offering for the purpose of buying new film strips and other visual aids for our library.

Remember that the Book Rooms in Honolulu handle the Seabury Series and the Episcopal Fellowship Series at quite a saving.

Teachers of the Kindergarten grade should obtain a copy of the Teachers Book of the Seabury Kindergarten course even though they are not teaching with the Seabury materials, because it is a gold mine of helps in understanding the kindergarten child and has some wonderful flanel graph cutouts of church furniture, the clergy, and altar appointments. Look it over!

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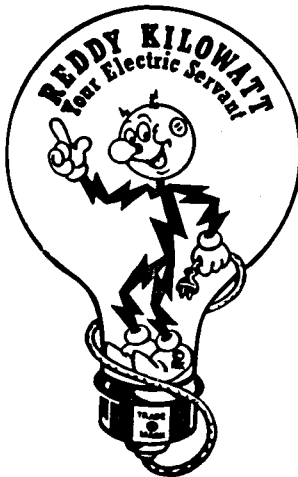
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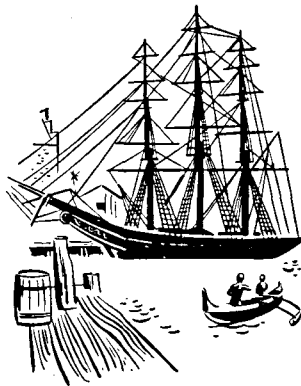
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