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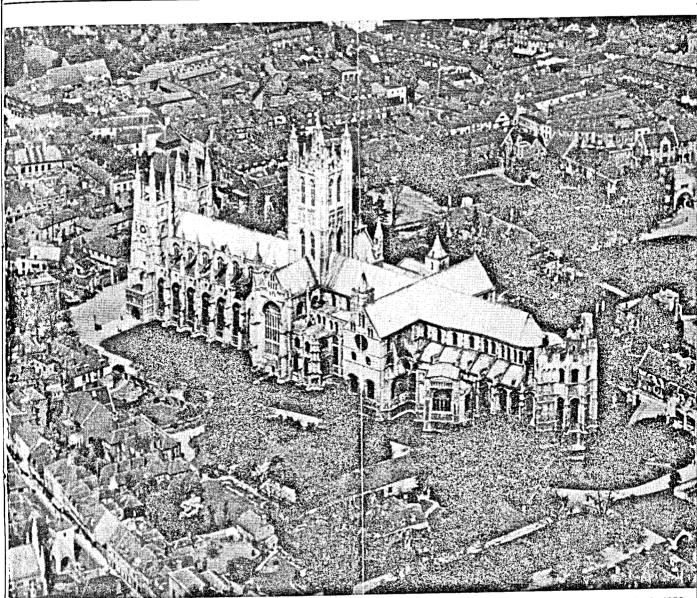
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Alrview of Canterbury Cathedral where the opening service of the Ninth Lambeth Conference will be held on July 3, 1958.



Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy's arrival on Guam.



The Kennedys receive gifts from the congregation of Guam.

First Guamanians Received In the Church

One hundred and eighty-three people attended the Confirmation service held in the Naval Communications Station Chapel, Guam, when Bishop Kennedy confirmed twenty-one and received five from other communions.



Confirmation Class on Guam

This was the first Confirmation Class presented to the Bishop since the formal organization of the mission Church of St. John the Divine in September, 1957.

Two Guamanians, Vincente Zafra and Dingo Materne, were received at this service.

Following the service the local chapter of the Woman's Auxiliary gave a reception honoring both the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy and the confirmands.

Over sixty people were on hand to greet the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy upon their midnight arrival on Guam. The Bishop is pictured being welcomed by Commander James L. Carter, Force Chaplain as Mr. Vincente Zafra, Chief Commissioner of Guam looks on.

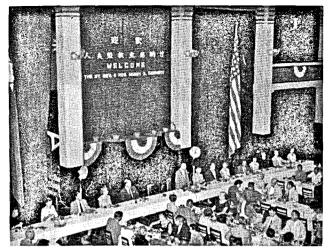
During the reception following the service the Kennedys were given hand carved "abais" from Palau as a gift from the mission. Pictured with the Kennedys are Mr. Carroll Lewis, Warden, and Dr. Fredric L. Conklin, Chairman of the Host Committee and the Rev. Mr. Baker.

The Rev. Richard H. Baker, Vicar

Escape Serious Injury in Plane Crash

We in the Diocese rejoice and give thanks to Almighty God that the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy were spared from serious injury or death as their plane crashed when landing in Manila. A description of the accident by the Bishop reveals the seriousness of the accident. Portions of his letter follow:

"We have tried to get all sorts of messages through to you, through Admiral Stump, Pan American Airways and telephone. We finally got Les Kittle (Mrs. Kennedy's brother) after six hours of trying. We were fearful you might get news of the crash, so wanted you to know that we are all right. A bit 'shook up', a few bruises, and Katharine has a lump on her head.



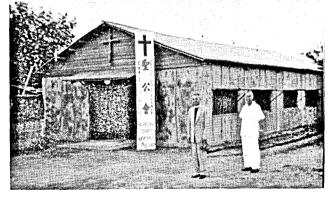
Banquet given for the Kennedys in Taipei, Taiwan. Right column pictures: Entrance to banquet hall. The Rev. Cannon John R. Caton and church members greet the Kennedys upon arrival in Taipei. St. Paul's Mission, Kaohsiung, Taiwan. The Rev. Mark Ma and lay reader, Mr. Lee.

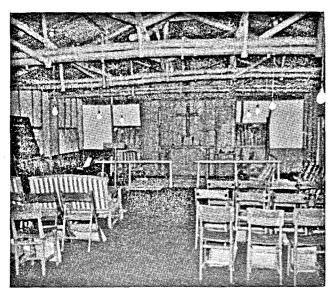
"We left Guam about midnight on Pan American Stratocruiser 'Golden Gate' Flight 839. We made good time and expected to land in Manila about 5:05 a.m., Monday (Sunday in Honolulu). They announced that it was raining very hard. Katharine was watching out the window. We seemed to circle quite a bit and then straightened out and came down with the nose of the plane pointing toward the ground. We didn't seem to level off as we should. Then it happened! It is hard to describe—but we must have fallen fifty or sixty feet. Such a crash-such noise! We bounced and crashed again, then skidded off the runway into mud, with the right wing dug in. Glass-seats-baggageeverything seemed to fall-screaming and crying. It was simply terrible. We were showered with broken glass apparently from light fixtures. One of the metal seat lights must have hit Katharine on the head. I found it in my lap with a lot of glass. We both jumped out of our seats. Katharine got a baby out of a crib across the aisle and handed it to me. I was in the aisle yelling for the people to be calm and take it easy. I hardly remember what I said, but things quieted down.

"Some crew members came struggling out of the cabin. It was dark and there were no lights. A little girl across the aisle screamed that she was pinned under her seat with a man on top of her—stretched out. We could see that he was bleeding and unconscious. Katharine tried to get the girl out, but couldn't. Crew members came and helped. They had flashlights. I gave the baby back to Katharine because the man behind me was crushed under his seat and I helped the crew get the seat off of him. He was unconscious and bleeding badly from the mouth, nose and





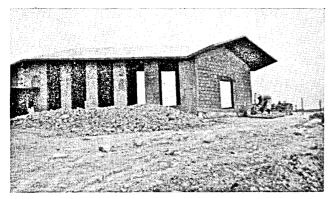




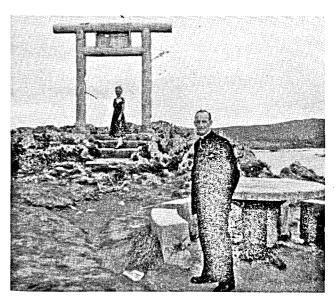
St. Paul's Mission, Kaohsiung, Taiwan.



Leper Congregation at Airakuen, Okinawa.



All Soul's Mission under construction for the American congregation, Okinawa.



Spot where the Bishop had his first Confirmation on Okinawa in 1945.

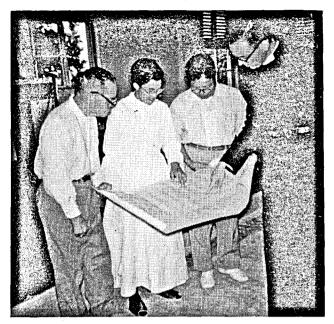
ears. The people in the rear of the plane were not hurt and did not seem to know what was happening in the forward compartment.

"We must have been a mile from the terminal, so it took some time for help to get out to us. Cars finally brought Filipino workers. They rigged up a shoot, after getting the cabin door open, and started to slide the passengers out to the ground. It was raining so terribly hard that you could not see the terminal.

"We realized that the one man was dead, so worked on the other. We cleared the aisle so we could get out. People were huddled in groups under blankets. We were able to find our hand luggage so went to the door and down the shoot. It was very wet, but they handled it beautifully so that no one was hurt getting out.

"It seemed like hours, but it was only minutes, that we stood outside waiting for transportation and more help to come. Passengers were loaded into any type of vehicle that came along and rushed to the terminal. Katharine got into a jam-packed station wagon and took off. I waited and stood under a wing of the plane with some men, trying to keep out of the rain. Cars kept coming, so I finally got a ride and found Katharine in the terminal. Bishop Ogilby was at the terminal. He watched the plane crash. It was certainly good to see him. We waited around the terminal to see if they could get any baggage out, since the bottom of the plane was crushed in. We finally got our bags—wet, but no damage except a broken zipper, which we got fixed.

"We wanted our friend in Guam to know that we were all right so sent a message through the Ameri-



The Rev. Canon William Heffner, Okinawa, goes over plans with the Rev. Luke Kimoto, in charge of the Mission for the Leper Colony, and Aoki San, our devoted Lay Reader at the Colony, and the Contractor.

can Embassy to General Schott, who had seen us off with the Bakers.

"To summarize it,

1. We were fortunate that no fire broke out, as it took twenty minutes for a fire engine to get out. Perhaps the rain stopped any sparks.

The crew, though some were hurt, did a good iob.

3. There was nothing but confusion in the terminal. No one seemed to be in charge—no instructions to passengers. We waited and tried to find out what we should do, but no one seemed to know, so we took off for Bishop Ogilby's home to dry out and calm down.

4. The rains had flooded the streets. The telephones from the terminal to the city were out, so they couldn't get help.

5. They finally located one doctor and got him out to the plane.

We feel our bruises and bumps today. The shock didn't bring on reaction until last night, and we went to bed a bit upset.

7. The man who was killed was in the seat behind Katharine; the other one was behind me. The propeller blade came up through the floor, lifting the dead man, who was sitting by the window, across the two seats next to him, then across the aisle and the two seats on the other



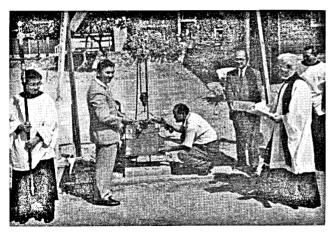
The Rev. Alfred Persons, Miss Mary Louise Villaret and the Rev. Frank Voelcker, all from the Department of Christian Education of National Council, New York, who conducted the Christian Education Training Program in Honolulu for Clergy and Lay Leaders, June 16th and 17th. They were en route to Australia to present their program there. We appreciated greatly their conferences here.

side, landing him on top of the little girl next to the window.

"In Guam we had a most delightful visit with the Rev. Richard Baker and his family. Our work is going ahead wonderfully well under his leadership. We confirmed 26. I would note that the average pledge of these people of St. John the Divine is over \$4.00 per week per person.

"We arrived in Taipei and were met by a large contingent of Americans and Chinese. We were busy from morning until late at night with receptions, meetings, etc. We left early Thursday morning, June 5th, for Kaohsiung, Kangshan and Tainan and had confirmations in each place. The heat was terrific. We expected to return to Taipei by train, which is an all night trip, but Admiral Doyle sent his plane down and had us picked up in Tainan, which is about 250 miles, and brought us back to Taipei at about midnight. Tonight, Saturday, we have a reception, youth meeting and dinner. Tomorrow I have services at 7:30 a.m. Holy Communion in English—8 a.m. Holy Communion in Chinese; 9:15 a.m. Confirmation (English); 10:30 a.m. Confirmation (Chinese); 12 Noon Vestry luncheon; 1:30 p.m. fly to Okinawa. We had 10 confirmations at Tainan, 1 military, 12 in Kangshan and 16 at Kaohsiung.

"In Okinawa we had the ordination for Paul Nakamura and everything went well. We confirmed 39 at the Leper Colony and 10 at Nago. The Reverend William Hio's craft shop is doing wonderfully well. I shall enclose a letter for you.



Mr. Albert Oki, Senior Warden of St. Mary's Mission, places cement for laying of the cornerstone for the new parish hall. Mr. James Takaki holds the stone in place. Mr. Ben Hayashi, contractor for the building, stands at the right. The Rev. Canon Paul R. Savanack, in charge of the Mission in the interim without a Vicar, and Mr. William Sumida, Treasurer, shown at the right. George Matsuoka is the Crucifer.

Cornerstone Re-Set at St. Mary's

On Sunday, June 15th, a large congregation of members and friends gathered at St. Mary's Church to participate in the re-setting of the cornerstone in the church building and the laying of the cornerstone in the new parish house. Insofar as possible, the opening service held in the church was patterned after the service held at the laying of the cornerstone of St. Mary's House December 10, 1911. The same hymns and lesson were used and an address prepared in 1911 by Mrs. Louise Franklin Folsom giving the story of the first ten years of St. Mary's was read. Moving from the church, the choir, vestry and congregation were led by the crucifer to the back wall of the recently moved church building, and there using the silver trowel given many years ago by Queen Liliuokalani, Canon Savanack, acting for the Bishop of Honolulu, struck the stone during the prayer of blessing. The procession then moved to the site of the new parish house where members of the congregation representing the various organizations came forward and spread cement on the base. The cornerstone of old St. Mary's Home, had been preserved and the date 1958 added to those already on the stone-1902 and 1911. The contents of the box from the original stone together with current tokens were placed in a new copper box and this was placed in the old cornerstone as it was lowered into place. A coffee hour followed the service.



Picture of St. Mary's School that was placed in the cornerstone in December 1911 and replaced in it at the recent laying of the cornerstone.

Welcome New Members in the Family

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard L. Aiken, of Holy Nativity Church, Aina Haina, were delighted with the arrival of a daughter, Alison Lloyd, on June 5th. The Rev. and Mrs. William Smythe Christ Church, Kealakekua, Hawaii, welcomed their fifth child, Thomas Rosenau, on June 14th. We welcome these new members of our family with affection, and express congratulations to the family.

Chronicle on Vacation

During July and August there will be no issue of the Hawaiian Church Chronicle. We will be with you again in September.

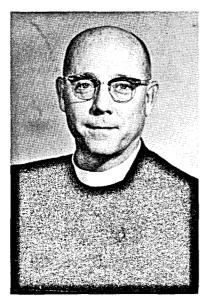
Sherrills Feted at Seabury

GREENWICH, Conn.—Five hundred guests attended a tea and reception honoring the Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church and Mrs. Henry Knox Sherrill at the annual meeting of the Seabury House Guild at Seabury House here.

Business of the Guild's annual meeting included the adoption of a resolution, naming Mrs. Sherrill "founder and Chairman Emeritus in permanency."

In acknowledging her appointment, Mrs. Sherrill expressed her deep appreciation of the work of the Guild.

Mrs. C. Montague Cooke, Jr., of St. Clement's Church, Honolulu, was at this reception. She has been a life-long friend of Bishop Sherrill.



The Rev. Robert O. Gardiner



The Rev. Lamar F. Speier.

Appointed to Hawaii

The Reverend Robert O. Gardiner, from St. Joseph's Mission, Buena Park, California, will arrive in July with his wife and two sons. His assignment has not yet been made.

Until 1950 he was in the radio and television business.

He is a graduate of Orange Coast College and Long Beach State College. He received his B.D. from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific.

The Reverend Lamar F. Speier, former rector of St. George's Church, Griffin, Georgia, will arrive on July 15th with his wife and two children.

Born in Nashville, Tennessee, Mr. Speier is a graduate of Vanderbilt University and the Virginia Theological Seminary, in Alexandria, Virginia. From 1952 to 1955 he was Vicar of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Sundance, Wyoming.

The Reverend Norio Sasaki, who graduated from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California, was ordained to the Diaconate on June 10th, by the Rt. Rev. Henry W. Hobson, Bishop of Southern Ohio, acting for Bishop Kennedy. Interestingly enough he was presented by the Reverend Gerald G. Gifford, former Vicar of St. Stephen's Church, Wahiawa, where Mr. Sasaki was a member. He, his wife and small son will arrive on June 27th. He will go directly to our summer camp at Mokuleia, to be in charge of the sessions.

The Reverend Richard H. Humke will arrive on July 15th from Davenport, Iowa.

The Reverend Jefferson Stephens, his wife and child will arrive in early July to take up their work here. He was graduated in June from the Church Divinity School of the Pacific and was ordained to the Diaconate on June 10th by the Rt. Reverend Donald J. Campbell, Suffragan Bishop of Los Angeles. He received his B.A. degree from the Los Angeles State College.

We shall welcome them into our Diocesan Family with a very warm Aloha.

Craft Center

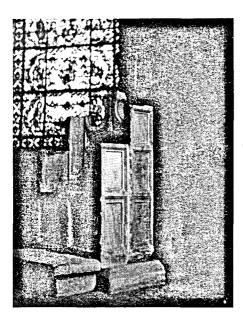
The Rev. William Hio, Vicar of St. John's Church, Agarie, Nago, Okinawa realized that many of his congregation were suffering from extreme poverty so conceived the idea of starting a Craft Center where the women could come and make things for sale. The Center has thrived so that now he employs almost fifty women to supply the demand for crafts.

A special sample order, to acquaint mainlanders with their craftsmanship can be purchased for \$10.00. Customers are told that they must provide at least two months for shipping of articles. Mr. Hio states that the following regulations affect the filling of orders:

1. American Customs: So far only one person has had to pay any customs on our shipments. We break orders up to keep the packages small.

2. We must have cash with your order; a personal check is fine. We are not allowed an export license without proof of dollar earnings. We pay the postage.

3. If your guild is planning a booth let us know.



Ancient Stone throne of St. Augustine in Canterbury Cathedral.

We will send you some snap shots for decorations.

4. We use only the finest materials and maintain a high level of workmanship. The prices in the catalogue are wholesale quotations. Shops in America which specialize in importing fine things from the Orient would charge considerably more for any of these goods. We guarantee our orders and will correct any difficulty that might arise.

They sell such attractive things as bridge sets, aprons, panorama skirts, pinafores, Okinawan laundry bag, raggedy Ann Dolls a la Okinawa, guest towels, etc. Catalogues may be secured by writing to the Rev. Mr. Hio.

Ninth Lambeth Conference

The Most Reverend Geoffrey Francis Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, and and Mrs. Fisher expect over 500 guests during the Lambeth Conference. There will be some 400 bishops, some accompanied by their wives, and 30 children in attendance. A very full and delightful program has been arranged for their entertainment and pleasure during their stay in London, from July 3rd to August 10th.

Archbishop and Mrs. Fisher will entertain missionary bishops and their wives at Lambeth Palace so that they may have a time of fellowship with them. Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy will be guests on July 7th and 8th.

Three great services will be held during the 1958 Lambeth Congress of bishops of the Anglican Communion.

The first, held on July 3, is the Opening Service, held in Canterbury Cathedral, the "spiritual fountainhead" of the Anglican Communion. Sitting before the altar on the ancient stone throne of St. Augustine will be the Most Rev. and Rt. Hon. Geoffrey Francis Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, with the Primates and Metropolitans around him, and the diocesan bishops ranged in long rows before him. The service will include an address by the Archbishop.

On July 6, the first Sunday of the Conference, a service of corporate Communion will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral, with the sermon preached by Archbishop Mukerjee of India.

The Conference will close on Sunday, August 10, with a service in Westminster Abbey.

This year's meeting will deal with five major topics: The Holy Bible, Church Unity, Progress in the Anglican Communion, Conflicts between and within Nations, and the Family in Contemporary Society.

Bishops attending the Lambeth Conference will have a rigorous social schedule, in addition to their working one, with garden parties, dinners and eveing services planned for them.

Those of special importance and interest include the Royal School of Church Music Festival, to be held on July 10 in the Royal Albert Hall; a morning Reception by Queen Elizabeth II at Buckingham Palace on July 16; and a Royal Garden Party on the afternoon of July 17.

Other events will be a reception on July 23 by the Lord Mayor of London; a reception on August 1 in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords, given by the Lord Chancellor and the Speaker.

Christian Education Awards

The Bishop presents each year an award for excellence in Christian Education. This is not only for the highest grade in this subject, but for the practice of Christian principles as well. The following students received the awards in the graduating classes: Iolani School, James H. Manke; St. Andrew's Priory, Martha Tanaka; Hawaii Episcopal Academy, Leonard McConkey.

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