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DR. LEE IS NEW ADDITION TO PALAMA STAFF

Dr. Rebecca Lee, specialist in pediatrics, joined the Palama medical staff January 16, as an assistant physician, adding to the Settlement's service to the community.

The new M.D. comes to Palama with a brilliant record, achieved in China and on the Mainland since receiving her degree from the Yale University Medical School in 1931.

Dr. Lee interned at the San Francisco County Hospital; was resident in pediatrics at the Philadelphia Children's Hospital and at the Contagious Hospital in Philadelphia; assistant in pediatrics at Union Medical College in Peiping, China; assistant resident at the Olive View Tuberculosis Sanitarium of Los Angeles County, and admitting resident at the Los Angeles County Hospital.

VENTILATOR TO BE INSTALLED IN AUDITORIUM

All the "hot air" that has caused Palama members and guests to choke whenever large meetings or movies are held in the Settlement auditorium will be absent in the future when the new ventilation system is installed. A funnel is being built by the Palama carpenter extending through the recreation office into the auditorium which, it is hoped, will relieve the situation.

The pounding and sawing have been going full blast for several days as the project takes shape, but will cease in a couple of days - so "cool head the main thing" Queenie - Alice!

PAL AMATEUR BOXERS WIN IN A.A.U. SMOKER

Dr. Jacob Ing's Winged "P" amateur boxers won two of their five bouts last night in the A.A.U. smoker held in the civic auditorium.

Aaron Chung came through with a third round TKO victory over Eugene Medeiros of Citywide in a flyweight scrap, while Henry Lee decisioned Manuel Bunda of Wai-alua in the same weight class.

The Pals are all green fighters taking their first fling at the game, but are showing improvement with each passing tournament. Dr. Ing took over the coaching reigns early in January.

120# CAGE RACE TO BE DECIDED TONIGHT

Palama Settlement's 1938-39 community 120# basketball league championship will be decided tonight when Elmo Tomita's Club Billiard Parlor stacks up against H. Munei's McCully cagers at 7:00 o'clock in the Palama gym.

Both outfits are tied with four victories and one defeat apiece at the end of the championship round-robin schedule which involved six teams, the winners and runners-up of the three sections in the 21-team league.

Club Billiard scored victories over Sumida Express, McCully, Nuuanu Y, and Eki Cyclery, but lost to Diamond Packers; while McCully won from Diamond Packers and the remaining teams, losing only to Club Billiard Parlor in an upset.

A great game is in the offing when the two quintets battle for the championship. McCully's fine passing and shooting youngsters will be hard-put to repulse the wild spectacular play of the Club Billiard stars. Conditions and "breaks" will play major roles in determining the outcome.

Scores of all games in the round-robin series follow:

Tuesday, January 10

McCully	29;	Sumida Express	26
Club Billiard	26;	Eki Cyclery	24
Nuuanu Y	28;	Diamond Packers	20

Wednesday, January 11

Club Billiard	33;	Sumida Express	12
McCully	24;	Nuuanu Y	21
Eki Cyclery	24;	Packers	14

Thursday, January 12

Nuuanu Y	50;	Sumida Express	26
Diamond Packers	26;	Club Billiard	21
McCully	30;	Eki Cyclery	26

Tuesday, January 17

Sumida Express	19;	Packers	14
Nuuanu Y	18;	Eki Cyclery	11
Club Billiard	23;	McCully	18

Thursday, January 19

McCully	35;	Packers	26
Club Billiard	30;	Nuuanu Y	27
Sumida Express	2;	Eki Cyclery	0

Boys' Activities

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PALS DOWN TO RAINBOWS IN ASUH CAGE TUSSELE

A towering University of Hawaii outfit used its height and reach to good advantage to down Fil Marvin's Winged "P" cagers 57-30 in the feature game of the senior ASUH basketball league openers last Wednesday evening in the UH gym.

Handicapped by lack of height, the Pals were unable to penetrate the Rainbow defense effectively. The Hawaii varsity was in fine shooting form and deserved the victory. Nervousness was also a potent factor in the Palama downfall.

The Pals will meet the Aiea quintet this Wednesday, January 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the curtain-raiser of a twin-bill which will bring Hoffman Cafe against the defending-champion Dragon Associates in the second game.

120# ROUND-ROBIN STANDINGS

	P	W	L	PCT
Club Billiard Parlor	5	4	1	.800
McCully	5	4	1	.800
Nuuanu Y	4	2	2	.500
Eki Cyclery	5	2	3	.400
Sumida Express	5	2	3	.400
Diamond Packers	5	1	4	.200

PATTER

Fair Maid: "So you're a naval surgeon. My goodness, how you doctors do specialize."

Men are like corks - some will pop the question, others have to be drawn out.

He has a head like a doorknob - anybody can turn it.

BASEBALL LEAGUE ENTRIES TO CLOSE TONIGHT

Entries for Palama Settlement's 1939 community baseball league will close at 7:00 p.m. tonight at an important meeting of all team representatives in the Settlement auditorium. Managers of the clubs intending to play in the circuit are requested to attend the meeting with their players-lists and entry fees ready.

The community league is tentatively scheduled to swing into play this Sunday, January 29, at Castle field, with a four-game attraction beginning at 9:00 a.m. Five teams have already filed their entries, and only four more can be accommodated. Registered clubs are Frankie's Cab Laimai A.C., Kalihi Valley Club, Eastern Sons, and Y Amateurs.

A slugging Maile A.C. ball club won the title last year with seven straight victories, but will not defend its championship.

PREP CAGEBALL RACE IN FULL SWING IN GYM

The 1939 Interscholastic basketball league is in full swing at the Palama gym, scene of many a hard-fought prep battle during the halcyon days before the University of Hawaii replaced Palama as the mecca of local cage action. Double-bills are scheduled every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons for the next three weeks.

Eight teams are involved in the race, McKinley, defending champion, Roosevelt, St. Louis, Kamehameha, Mid-Pacific, Leilehua, Iolani, and Farrington comprising the circuit.

Farrington High School, coached by Francis Aiwohi; and Saint Louis College, tutored by Dr. Sam Apoliona, are new members of the league. SLC cagers, however, were top contenders for the championship several years back, before the school dropped basketball as a major sport.

Frank Hluboky's star-studded McKinley High School squad gained a strangle hold on the title by scoring a brilliant 38-24 victory over Roosevelt High, its toughest rival, in the opening game of the season last Friday, January 20.

The triumph avenged a pre-season setback suffered by McKinley (Alexander's Sandwich Shop) when the Rough Riders won a crucial game in the Junior ASUH playoffs to eliminate the Micks.

Leilehua's fighting Mules proved themselves dangerous contenders by whipping Kamehameha School.

Girls' News

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"AROUND THE SETTLEMENT"

It looks as tho the girls were going in for music in a big way with the delivery of 12 new ukes last week. And now we hear that the hula classes are going to discard the old hand power and tin pan sounding victrola for an elegant new combination victrola-radio. Having heard of no "good angel" visit to the Settlement lately your inquiring reporter went in search of information on the subject of ukes and victrolas. And here is the low-down--it seems that the Girls' Department sponsored a Christmas Eve Dance and that Santa left a gift of \$70.00 as gate receipts. Anyway--it was just enough to buy one dozen ukes and a new victrola!

The Senior High Girls' Basketball League will swing into action this week with Farrington and McKinley basketball teams scheduled for the opening game Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. The league is strictly a high school affair with seven teams representing: McKinley, Farrington, and Roosevelt contesting for an attractive victory trophy. McKinley walked away with honors last year but Roosevelt and Farrington show great improvement and bid fair to give the 1938 champions a run for their money. Supporters and visitors are welcome! Remember --Girls' Gym --5:30 P.M.

Mrs. West has been pulled a fast one on us! Yes indeed! The program lists no Wednesday night basketball class and yet it is rumored that some ten big and breathless ladies were seen in the Girls' Gym last week in what faintly suggested a basketball game. Information is obtainable from Tommy Lee who refereed the game and Albert Lee and Eddie Wong who were drafted in to fill out the team. We'd like to hear more of this new class--an explanation for Mrs. West's red face and Miss Newsom's crippled condition next day.

"CLUB CHATTER"

The Girls Club Division will sponsor a dance in the gym Friday evening for the purpose of raising funds to assist with the Easter Vacation Girls' Camp at Waialua. This is the first year we have been able to reserve the camp for Palama groups during the Easter holidays and Mrs. Pitman expects a record turn out for the three day event. If Friday night's dance is successful Palama will be able to help some with camp expenses so tell your brothers and sisters and friends to reserve Friday evening for a bit of "swing" with the popular Blue Harmony orchestra. In the meantime--would be campers had better begin saving their pennies!

Swim Club girls have gone into the weekend dance business too, according to Coach "Jimmy" West who explains that Saturday night's dance and two February dates are expected to net enough cash to pay the expenses of three to five girl swimmers to the Maui invitational meet late in February. Several Palama girls have been selected on the Oahu team but the transportation expense allowed would limit Palama to send only one swimmer, and so the club sponsors a few dances. A new and promising bunch of youngsters known as the "Jitterbugs" furnished "swing" for a good crowd last weekend and give promise of breaking into "big time" soon!

According to all reports the Senior Social Club party last Friday evening marked a red letter day in senior activities for the month. Miss Park's girls are establishing a reputation as hostess and 54 young people will agree that the last "social activity" of the club was entirely satisfactory. How about another sometime soon, Senior Social Girls?