

Report of the Music School Committee Meeting

July 10, 1946

The first meeting of the Palama Music School Committee was held July 10, 1946.

A general discussion of the aims of a Settlement Music School was held. Also discussed, was the need for such a school in the community.

Mr. Anderson, Director of the Neighborhood Center, explained some of the policies of the Settlement and described the growth of the Settlement movement both here and on the mainland.

The meeting adjourned at nine P.M.

Aug. 19, 1946

The second meeting of the Palama Music School Committee was held August 19, 1946.

A discussion was held in regard to the purchase of a Steinway Grand Piano which the U.S.O. will sell to the Settlement for twelve hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$1275). A motion was made and seconded that the piano should be purchased from Palama funds and that the Music School would refund \$525 of the purchase price to the Settlement within a period of three years. It was suggested that the Settlement take out insurance to cover the instruments recently required for the Music School.

The Director asked for volunteers to help in the office.

Mrs Philip Lam offered to help one afternoon a week and Mr. Vesey also offered to help when he was able. It was suggested that we go to the Junior League and ask their assistance.

The subject of publicity and programs was discussed. Miss Gwenfred Allan of the Community Chest has been handling the newspaper publicity and it was decided that she continue to help.

Mr. Vesey and Miss Winne have offered to help Mrs. Barnes with the program of concerts. It was decided that we give an informal recital early in September at which our piano teachers would play. Only the students and parents of students will be invited to the recital.

The committee adjourned after looking over the rooms in which the Music School will be housed.

Mrs. Long Mr. Vesey
Mrs. Munro Mr. Rhea
Mrs. Lane Mrs. Barnes
Miss Winne