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PAL CAGERS TACKLE CROMWELL HAW! NS TONIGHT

Palama Settlement's senior cagers will tackle Dr. Sam Apoliana's towering Cromwell Hawaiians tonight in the feature of the A.A.U. territorial cage-championships' opening triple-bill at the University of Hawaii gymnasium. The game is scheduled for 9:00 p.m.

Eleven teams, representing the finest basketball talent in the Islands, have filed entry for the tournament, which will play a single elimination series. Wailuku Sugar Company marred up the dope sheet last year in whipping the territory's best and is prepared to defend its title.

Gunning for Wailuku's crown are Kekaha Plantation of Kauai, Maui Agricultural Company, Hilo Eagles, and Oahu's Confederation Life, Palama, Cromwell Hawaiians, University of Hawaii, Hoffman Cafe, Elks, and Dragon quintets.

The Pals will take the court underdogs against the Cromwell Hawaiians, and will rely upon speed to crack the Cromwell defense. Should Palama win, its next opponent will be Maury Parker's ASUH champion Elks, at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 23.

VOLLEYBALL MEETING SLATED THIS WEDNESDAY

The 1939 Palama Community Volleyball league will hold an important meeting this Wednesday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the Settlement auditorium. All teams intending to play in the circuit are requested to send representatives to the meeting, at which time fees, player-eligibility, and league rules will be discussed.

Albert Azevedo's Kakaako Sons won the 1938 championship by taking Hoboken in three sizzling sets in the finals of the play-offs between sectional champions and runners-up. Kakaako Sons and Hoboken represented "A" Section, while Fern Park and Swing Dragons were "B" division winners in a ten-team league.

FRANKIE'S CAB NEARING PAL BASEBALL TITLE

Billy's Barber Shop 13; Crusaders 3 Frankie's Cab 10; Two-Step Inn 4

Manager William De Silva's leagueleading Frankie's Cab fly-chasers took a strangle hold on Palama Settlement's community baseball championship by walloping Two-Step Inn 10-4 in the feature game of a twin-bill Sunday, March 19, on the Castle diamond. Billy's Barber Shop crushed the Crusaders 13-3 in the other half of the double-header.

Frankie's Cab will trade hits with Billy's Barber Shop this Sunday in the final game of the league schedule. A defeat will give the second-place Pink Elephant Inn a chance to tie Frankie's Cab for the championship.

The taxi-cab crew incidentally chalked up its seventh consecutive victory of the season in downing Two-Step Inn. Collen and Moniz worked on the mound for Frankie's Cab and allowed only two hits, but issued 10 free passes. Horita and Hamada were nicked for 10 bingles by Frankie's Cab, and gave eight bases on balls. Jack Hewison, Frankie's short-stop, was the hitting star of the tussle with three safeties in five trips to the pan. Custino registered two out of four.

Frankie's Cab scored one run each in the first and second innings, two in the second, three in the sixth, one in the seventh, and two in the last chapter, while Two-Step Inn dented the rubber two times in the second stanza, and once each in the sixth and ninth innings.

Billy's Barber Shop snapped out of its slump to swamp the Crusaders 13-3 behind the six-hit masterpiece of Waiplama. The Barbers pounded Tanaka for 12 telling blows and performed brilliantly afield. Nobriga starred with the willow for Billy's Barber by lashing out three hits in six attempts.

Two games will be played this Sunday, March 26, when Pink Elephant Inn collide with the Crusaders at 9:00 a.m. and Frankie's Cab take on Billy's Barber Shop at 11:00 o'clock.

Postponed games will be played Sunday, April 2, following the close of the regular schedule. San Miguel and Rengo Kai were dropped from the circuit for defaulting twice each, necessitating the cancelling of the Al Perreira's Inn-Rengo Kai and the Two-Step Inn-San Miguel tussles slated this Sunday. However, both Perreira's Inn and 2-Step Inn will be given wins.

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A TALE

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PROSE AND VERSE

I saw an Arab sitting in a right of jewel-dealers at Basra, telling a story how once upon a time in the desert he had lost his road, and had not a morsel of food remaining, so that he had settled in his heart that he must die. "Suddenly," said he, "I lighted upon a bag which felt to be full of grain. Never can I forget the relish and the joy of thinking that it was indeed parched corn, and then the agony and despair of finding it only a bag of poorls.

The desert traveller 'mid the driving sands

Sinking with thirst - what matters if his hands

Hold pearls or dust? His dried mouth curseth both!

So, when a man with hunger fails to die

What difference whether in his girdle cloth

He hideth gold or only frippery?

....By Sa'di

Drinking does not drown your sorrow - it only irrigates it.

....Denver Post

They say the first time a Scotsman used free air in a garage he blew out four tires.

....Ottawa Journal

PAL SENIOR STIKESTERS IN DAILY WORKOUTS

Winged "P" senior track and field stars are working out daily at 5:00 p.m. on the Punahou Academy cinderpaths under coaches Charley Ornellap and Reed Maxson. The Pals loom as formidable threats for team and individual championships in the big meets scheduled for May, with standout performers in nearly every event of a track program.

New additions to a nucleus built around Ornellas, Fernandez, Tomita, Dunn, and Tamanaha gives Palama a well-balanced squad.

Senior track and field carnivals will be staged on successive Saturdays in May, with trials scheduled two days before the finals of each competition. Dates are listed below.

May 13 - Rainbow Relays

" 20 - Palama Track & Field Championships

" 27 - AAU Track & Field Championships

Junior cinder stars will be given opportunity to strut their wares in April in the Citywide Meet on April 16, the Interisland Novice Meet April 23, and the Junior Republic Relays on April 30.

B.C.A. PENTATHLON PRACTICES HELD DAILY

Palama Settlement's younger athletes are going through their paces daily under Reed Maxson and Nelson Kawakami in the gym and pool as training for the annual B.C.A. Indoor Track and Swimming competitions begin to gain momentum.

Added incentive was given the Pals with the announcement that medals will be awarded Settlement champions in all classes of both pentathlons. Finals for the two competitions will be held during the second week in April.

NEW BOOKS RECEIVED AT PAL BRANCH LIBRARY

New books are received every Thursday at the Palama Branch Library. The following were catalogued for circulation last week.

Allen - Only Yesterday

Edgerton - A Speech for every Occasion

Foster - The Mustangeers
Hancock - Brown Honey
Morrow - Demon Daughter

Seifert - Young Doctor Galahad

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WITH THE CLUBS

Junior Trailers report a heavy weekend with their club dance and the monthly 10-mile hike falling within the same 24 hours. Statistics are not available but we are led to believe that the girls must have taken their hostess duties rather seriously since none were present for the Sunday hike. Minus the "weaker sex" the boys decided to hold a marathon instead of a hike and covered most of their allotted 10 miles at a 3-block-jog and 1-block-walk pace. Perhaps the girls were wise to skip this meeting, but it is rumored that "Susie Q" served as a substitute and was noticed way out in front most of the way. Observers are a little worried over "Nat" who insisted on the "tail" position throughout the hike. Didn't we hear something about "Rat" holding lead honors for the Round Top trip?

Junior Clubs will meet with Dr. Loo for the second of a series of health programs Wednesday evening at 7 bells. The subject for Wednesday's session is posture and the meeting will be hi-lighted with a group of catchy posters pre-i pared by Mrs. Bostrum. Picture panels of "Hortense Hump", "Susie Swayback", and "Sylvia Slouch" will show our lazy girls just how they look to the world at large--and the comparison is not exactly flattering. Correct posture is one thing that we can really do something about -- so don't forget the day and time, Juniors -- Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the girls' clubrooms.

Twilight Juniors are finding it hard to keep up with the demands for the attractive stuffed animals which they are selling to raise money for Easter camp fees. A chubby pink elephant displayed in the lobby was grabbed off by a New York friend of Miss Peck in the Nursing Department, and when the Women's Advisory Committee expressed a desire to see the club toys--there wasn't a completed toy in sight! Come on, Twilight Juniors -- how about some more animals, quick like? It's only two weeks till camp, you know.

Tiny Club girls have been playing dressmakers in their spare time and this week, leader Irene Hee turned over six dolls all dressed up in their Sunday best. The dolls will be presented to the Crippled Children's Hospital soonif the Tiny Club can bear to part with" themi

"THRU THE KEYHOLE"

A team of five Girls' Department club leaders matched their wits against five Charles from the Rosecrans U Drive Company, Captain Yukie Hirakawa, Joan de vis Norton, Sarah Kim, Esther Ahn, and Mary Lee. To make a long half an hour story short, Yukie finally did crack the men's team to bring home the \$5.00 bacon. But if you felt a slight earthquake on the eve of March 17th, it was caused by these 5 girls shaking in their boots. Guess Mary is immune to the question of whether exhaled air contains more moisture than inhaled air. If it weren't for the Ross dame, Joan's chances at the bean pot would have been even. Does the KGU suggest that we have a termite club....too bad these leaders could not spread the news to their club members to listen in on their I.Q's. What is crepe suzetee Esther? At the studio, loyal Palama support was accorded when a rooting section of Miss Newsom, Bobby, and Harold clapped as though a whole platoon of Pals were present....I wonder what Sarah did with her shaving cream. Now that the Girls' Department has taken two pokes at this True and False contest, and to show those of us who come from Missouri, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Boys! Department uphold their intellectual capacities.... How about it? Bill, Barney, Mike, James and Ray? Mr. Lee could act as the official benchwarmer too..... (You kids be sure to listen in when these gents take the air.)

"AROUND THE SETTLEMENT"

A great deal depends upon the outcome and success of the Girls' Department dance in the gym Saturday evening. Sponsored by the Club Division the proceeds will be used to help finance the Easter Vacation Camp at Waialua April 3, 4, and 5. Our goal is an enrollment of 50 girls for the vacation camp but this number is dependent upon the number of tickets sold at the Saturday's night dance because the Club Division is paying half of the camp fees and, at present, our limit is 28 girls. Would-be-campers had better sign up and cash in their 75¢ right away 'cause it's "first come, first serve" this time and 23 girls have already paid up. A word to your friends and big brothers and sisters about the dance on Saturday will mean that more girls will have a chance to go at the special rate-otherwise it will be \$1.50 for every camper who registers too late.