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# ODON'T FORGET

#### RUMMAGE SALE

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1938

You really can't afford to miss out on the best bargain sale of the year--and that is exactly what the Girls' Depart-

ment Rummage Sale is going to be. So a word to the wise--Come early Saturday morning and have your choice of the variety of stylish and serviceable articles you will find on display in the Liberty Dance Hall just off Liliha Street. The whole sale is really misnamed. You can't possibly call this assortment of lovely dresses, serviceable shoes, suits, hats, and jackets just "rummage"--frankly, Palama's wealthier friends have donated valuable articles so that this sale could reach a new height in quality and quantity! Only the "foclish" would ignore the opportunity to buy a pair of \$15.00 shoes for 75¢, a \$75.00 suit of clothes for \$2.00 or a snappy, expensive sport dress for \$1.00.

Opportunity knocks only once, you know--and it will rap loudly on your door Saturday morning: "What do we have for sale?" Would Madem be interested in a chic evening dress with slippers to match, a silk suit for the street, sport clothes for the girls in the family, wash dresses for the school children, a suit for dad or brother, hats and shoes for dressier occasions, or little sweaters and play suits for the baby? We have a grand assortment of all of these and many others. You will find a friendly and courteous salesgirl to help you make your selection. Doors will open at 8 a.m. Come and see how you can buy what you want and still save money!

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#### CLUB NOTES

The girls' clubrooms have been unusually busy this week. Popsicles, cakes, ice cream and candy hearts have appeared almost nightly and it is an open secret that the girls' clubs have been throwing some very exclusive Valentine parties.

CHINESE MIDGETS and LITTLE FRIENDS broke the ice with a quaint celebration Friday afternoon--a bit early for Dan Cupid and his official debut but none the less exciting for the members of these two clubs.

TSUBAKI KAI club girls preferred to invite other Junior High girls to their party and from the shouts and noise the guests undoubtedly found Palama club girls "regular fellows".

CHINESE JUNIORS joined with Miss Tsui's Twilight Juniors last night and lucky indeed were the guests and staff members who rated a taste of their refreshments:

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#### LULU GETS MERIT AWARD

Lulu Kea, promising young Palama swimmer, has just received a Merit Award for high point performance in the Natatorium meet last summer. Mrs. Fullard-Leo, former secretary of the Hawaiian Association of the A.A.U., promised the award to Palama's high point girl but was absent from the islands until this month so the medal was

THE TINY CLUB, newly organized club for small girls, will celebrate both Valentine's Day and their first club party Tuesday afternoon with club leader Lai In Chang and Mrs. Brittan.

Yes, it is safe to say that Dan Cupi has had a welcome royal at Palama. But the best part of all these "doings" is that the clubs have planned their own parties, made their invitations and bought their own refreshments! If you want a lesson in just how things should be done, ask any Palama club girls--they know!

GIRL SCOUTS - Troop 23 of Palama Girls'
Department dressed up in their best white
uniforms and red ties, drove up to Mrs.
Pitman's home in Puunui last week for
Investiture ceremonies and a Valentine
Party. Howardine and Marilyn Croswell and
Thelma Cho carried off the prizes for
the occasion but everyone reports a grand
time and votes for another visit up
Puunui way some day soon.

not delivered to Lulu until this week. Nice work, Lulu, and Many Thanks, Mrs. Leo.

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## DR. IRWIN SPEAKER AT MAVERICK MEETING

Dr. Irwin of the Palema clinic spoke to 17 members of the Maverick Hi-Y Club at their regular meeting, Thursday, February 10th, in the boys' clubhouse. His subject was "Venereal Diseases."

The club was favored through the courtesy of Dr. Platt, settlement director, on a special request from members of the group who had attended the educational movie "Damaged Goods" recently as guests of Consolidated Amusement Company.

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## PATTER

Dieting is the triumph of mind over platter.

There isn't much to be seen in a little town but what you hear makes up for it.

Many a girl has gotten into trouble obeying that boy-ological urge.

High heels, according to Christopher Morley, were invented by a woman who had been kissed on the forehead.

It need not be assumed that the young bride worships her husband because she places burnt offerings before him three times a day.

One way to keep your friends is not to give them away.

Men heap together the mistakes of their lives, and create a monster they call Destiny.

.... John Oliver Hobbes

## COMMUNITY BASEBALL GAMES RAINED OUT AGAIN

The weather jinx is still dogging the Palama Community baseball league, necessitating the postponement of another quadruple-bill slated Sunday, February 13th. Wet grounds and a drizzling rain tossed a monkey wrench in the day's program, which is the third consecutive time it has happened this year.

Four games will be played this Sunday, February 20th, (weather permitting); Kyodo Kai meeting Harold's Taxi at 9:00 a.m., Ponce Juniors engaging the Mailes at 11:00 a.m., Y Amateurs taking on Kalihi Valley Club at 1:00 p.m., and Rengo Kai colliding with Tan Wah at 3:00 o'clock.

All postponed games will be played at the end of the regular schedule.

## PAL CAGERS BOW TO APOLLOS IN ASUH TUSSLE

Coach Fil Marvin's Palama senior cagers were beaten by Dr. Sam Apoliana's fast-breaking Apollo outfit 38-27 last Wednesday evening, February 9th, at the University of Hawaii gym. The loss was the second suffered by the Pals in the current ASUH season.

The Winged "P" quintet offered stiff resistance against the vaunted Apollo offensive in the first half, but wilted in the closing moments.

Palama will meet the star-studded Dragons tonight at 8:30 o'clock, and the Hawaiian Pine team at 7:30 p.m., Friday, February 18th.

## PALAMA SING SING CLUB FORMED LAST TUESDAY

Nineteen Intermediate Palama boys organized last Tuesday evening, February 8th, to form a new Sing Sing Club under Sylvester Abili, prominent Settlement athlete.

With officers already selected and their constitution and by-laws waiting to be drafted, the Sing Sing gang is eager to swing into active participation in Settlement club projects.

Club membership is composed of boys ranging from 14 to 18 years of age living within striking distance of the Settlement and who are in daily contact with its activities.

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#### PALAMA BRANCH LIBRARY MAKES BIG PROGRESS

The year 1937 brought several changes to the Palama Branch Library, the greatest being the removal to the new quarters which has proven to be very pleasant and spacious, and have attracted many new borrowers. In fact, it is now necessary to have four workers on duty most of the time. Two of these workers are provided by the P.W.A. and the N.Y.A.

A complete catalog of all books in the Branch Library is now finished. Since July, a monthly book fund has been allotted with which to buy books that will form the permanent book collection for Palama Branch.

A phamplet collection of up-to-date material on timely subjects has been made ready for circulation. It has already proven very useful to answer such questions as: "Why should the Constitution of the United States be changed?" "Should the Supreme Court be enlarged?" "Do you know enything about Neutrality?"

Since September, a children's librarian from the main-library girls' and boys' department has been giving booktalks in the near-by schools. This work will continue throughout the school year and we look forward to seeing many new boys and girls becoming library borrowers.

> Mrs. Myrtle C. Mettison Librarian, Palama Branch

### FARRINGTON BOYS ORGANIZE BUCCANEER CLUB

A new club is rising in the horizon of Palama Settlement's recreational activities. Nineteen Farrington High School youths met with club officials last Friday evening, February 11th, in the auditorium, to form the Buccaneer Club, and will meet regularly every Monday at 7:00 p.m. here-after.

Interested in the athletic and social phases of the Settlement club program, the new organization promises to develop into a live-wire group.

Boys present at the meeting were: Charles Afong, Joseph Chung, Richard Chung, James Hatanaka, Richard Kamano, Frank Katsura, Robert Kau, Dai Kyee Kim, Donald Kong, Charles Ishiki, Ivan Lee, Frank Linogon, Moses Mateo, James Saffery Takashi Watanabe, Takeshi Yasuda, Charles Yee, Chack Oh Young, and Charles Oh Young.

#### MARVIN INTRODUCES NEW PALAMA COMPETITION

Palama-Athlons, a new athletic club, is being organized by Filmore Marvin, boys' physical director, and will be open to all settlement members under 16 years of age. To be eligible for membership, aspirants must pass a series of 15 tests designed as events fundamentally important in the making of an all-round athlete. The events follow:

- 1. Punt 35 yards
- 2. Pass 30 yerds
- 3. Run 100 yards in 12 seconds4. Jump 12" less than his own height
- 5. Jump 3 times his own length
- 6. Put a 15 pound shot 33 feet
- 7. Shoot 10 successive free throws
- 8. Swim 50 yards in 30 seconds
- 9. Swim 50 yards breaststroke
- 10. Swim 50 yards backstroke
- 11. Front and Back dives from 10 foot board and pass Red Cross lifesaving test
- 12. Do 10 chin-ups
- 13. Do 20 push-ups
- 14. Hold a hand-stand 10 seconds
- 15. Climb a 20-foot rope in 10 seconds

All boys under 16 interested in qualifying for the Palama-Athlon Club and become real athletes are asked to see Mr. Mervin immediately.

### PIRATES DUMP MONARCHS IN "GRUDGE" GAME

Tommy Wong's Pirates, Community 120 pound basketball champions, wrote a brilliant finish to their 1937-38 season by walloping Heoji Kumashiro's McInerny Monarchs 33-30 in a "grudge" game Sunday afternoon at the Settlement gym. The victory firmly established Wong's outfit as the classiest community team ever to show at Palama.

The Pirates went to town behind the individual efforts of Richard Loui, who accounted for 14 points besides playing a fine all-round game. Captain Stanley Lee and Melvin Ja accorded him sterling support throughout.

Henry Silva was McInerny's kingpin, tossing in 7 points, followed by Abellana with 6, and Yamamoto with 5.

A big crowd took in the game which was a benefit for both clubs. McInerny won the community 135 pound title.