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NELS KAWAKAMI WINS STAFF GOLF TOURNAMENT

Nelson Kawakami, hustling locker-room custodian, won the second annual Palama Settlement Golf Tournament last Thursday afternoon, April 25, at the Moanalua Golf Links by touring the course in 105 strokes minus a 35 handicap, which gave him a net score of 70. Kawakami defeated a dauntless field of 24 shot-makers, including three women, who braved a mild gale and threatening weather to make this year's tournament a bigger and better competition than the 1939 tourney.

Dr. Tenn of the Dental Department finished in second place with a 114-40-74 card, followed by Dr. Lam, Medical Department head, with 95-20-75, and Dr. Conner, Dental chief, with 118-40-78.

For winning the championship, Kawakami was awarded a beautiful golf statuette symbolic of the achievement, while Dr. Lam was presented with three balls for chalking up low-gross score. The special "blind bogey" camera prize was hooked by Miss Larsen.

Kawakami succeeds John Ahn as king of Settlement staff golfers. Ahn, no longer a Palama employee, finished in a tie with Dr. Kuwata, also a former Settlement worker. Scores of all finishers are listed below:

	Gross	Handicap	Net
Kawakami	105	35	70
Tenn	114	40	74
Lam	95	20	75
Conner	118	40	78
Ornellas	97	18	79
Rodrigues	115	35	80
Maxson	123	40	83
Lopez	114	30	84
Vieira	125	40	85
Makolo	126	40	86
Miike	126	40	86
Wood	112	26	86
Char	127	40	87
Rhea	106	18	88
Saffery	124	35	89
Halm	123	30	94
Rushton	125	30	95
Williamson	134	35	99
Ing	130	30	100
Platt	130	24	106
Jackson	157	40	117

All participants in the tournament received prizes donated by downtown business firms and friends of the Settlement.

PUBLIC SCHOOL SWIMMING MEET ON TAP TODAY

The annual Public School Swimming Meet sponsored by Palama Settlement is scheduled for this afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock in the Settlement Pool. The schoolboys will compete in 13 events, with contestants segregated into three groups, boys 10 years and under, boys 12 years and under, and an open division.

Competitors will be limited to four events, three individual and one relay or two individual and two relays, for the afternoon. Relays will count 10-6-4, and individual events 5-3-2.

The order of events follow:

1. 75-yard Medley Relay (Open)
2. 25-yard Freestyle (Open)
3. 20-yard Freestyle (10 years & under)
4. 25-yard Freestyle (12 years & under)
5. 50-yard Backstroke (Open)
6. 20-yard Backstroke (10 years & under)
7. 25-yard Backstroke (12 years & under)
8. 50-yard Freestyle (Open)
9. 20-yard Breaststroke (10 yrs. & under)
10. 50-yard Breaststroke (Open)
11. 25-yard Breaststroke (12 yrs. & under)
12. 100-yard Freestyle Relay (Open)
13. 100-yd. Freestyle Relay (12 & under)

PAL VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE TO ORGANIZE MONDAY

The organization and final meeting of Palama Settlement's 1940 Volleyball league will be held Monday, May 6, at 7:00 p.m. in the Settlement auditorium. Teams intending to play in the circuit are requested to send representatives to the meeting with player-lists and entry fees ready. The meeting will be the only one scheduled before the league-openers Thursday, May 9, in the Westside gym.

Albert Azevedo's Kakaako Sons won last year's championship and will most likely defend their title. The Sons whipped a fine eight-team field which included Maggie's Inn, Damon A.C., Kakaako, Elders Club, Puerto Rican Independent Club, St. John, and Kalihi Pharmacy, to the top the 1939 championship.

 * VOLLEYBALL MEETING *
 * 7:00 P.M., MONDAY, MAY 6 *
 * PALAMA AUDITORIUM *
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Activities

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PAIS STAR IN JUNIOR REPUBLIC TRACK MEETS

A handful of Winged "P" junior track stars made their presence felt in the Junior Republic Relay Carnival and Track Championships held April 21 and April 28 at McKinley High School, by coming through with brilliant individual performances. The Pals were handicapped by lack of manpower and were unable to put relay teams on the track, but made up for it by sensational individual feats.

Standout Palama star in both meets was J. W. Bevan, who smashed two records of long standing when he covered the quarter mile in 53.3 and hung up a new mark of 2:08 for the half-mile on the windy McKinley cinderpaths.

Other outstanding Pals were Danny Lau, Wah Kau Kong, Mack Lee, Dan Meheula, and Harold Lau.

PALAMA ENTERED IN OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Palama Tennis Club, runner-up in the recently-closed Class "B" league, is making a fine bid for top honors in the Open League now operating at city and rural courts. The Pals have won five matches against top-flight competition and are expected to swell their total of victories as the season progresses.

Playing for the Palama team are R. Sakai, 1st singles; T. Ito, 2nd singles; Kahanu-Inouye, 1st doubles; Chang-Young, 2nd doubles; and Hewlett-Emoto, 3rd doubles.

Definition of a true musician: When he hears a lady singing in the bath, he puts his ear to the keyhole.

.....Walter Winchell

SECTIONAL SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS CROWNED SUNDAY

SECTION "A"

Palama A. C.	15;	Westiders	2
St. Theresa	9;	Carabian Braves	0
Charlie Chan	7;	Honolulu Chop Sui	2

SECTION "B"

Castle "A"	10;	Kaiulani	9
Vagabonds	15;	Waiaka	9
Lakimela	8;	Pal Babes	3

SECTION "C"

Royal Malts	3;	Phantom A.C.	2
Desha Lane	10;	Ueno Shoten	9
Akepos	9;	Castle "B"	0

Ernest Kauhane's Charlie Chan outfit and Sylvester Abili's Castle "A" crew were crowned champions of Section "A" and Section "B" respectively of Palama Settlement's Softball league Sunday, April 28, in the circuit's closing nine-game attraction at Castle field. Section "C" finished its regular schedule with Phantom A.C. and Royal Malts tied for the title with one loss each in five starts.

Charlie Chan whipped Honolulu Chop Sui 7-2 behind brilliant hurling and spectacular sticking. A big lead established in the early stages of the game enabled Castle "A" to stave off a brilliant seven-run rally by Kaiulani in the final inning to win 10-9. The victory carried with it the Section "B" championship.

Manager John Goo's Royal Malts scored a sterling 3-2 upset over Phantom A.C. to throw Section "C" into a tie. Eric Pang handcuffed the heavy-hitting Phantoms for the first time this season.

The Vagabonds blasted Waiaka's championship hopes by coming through with a 15-9 triumph. A Waiaka victory would have thrown Section "B" into a tie. Lakimela A.C. won its first tussle in five starts by taking Pal Babes 8-3. The Lakimela outfit found Bob Kau easy pickings and smashed his offerings all over the lot.

Palama A.C. closed its season with an impressive 15-2 victory over the Westiders as Kapahua and Wong starred with the willow. Desha Lane nipped Ueno Shoten 10-9, while St. Theresa and Akepo won on defaults from Carabian Braves and Castle "B" respectively, to close the regular season.