



TALKIE MACHINE BECOMES A REALITY

The Palema Settlement recreation department and the Tuberculosis Association of Hawaii jointly inaugurated a new era of "talkie" movies for members of the Settlement last Saturday at the regular matinee and evening shows. The long-planned innovation became a reality through the T.B. Association's cooperation in purchasing a new Bell-Howe projector equiped with sound apparatus. However, in addition, a screen and microphone will be bought as a purely departmental project planned primarily for the enjoyment of recreation members. Join up now, Pals, and see the pictures free.

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SCOUTING AT PALAMA

By James Koo

With re-registration completed for both Troop 21 end Cub Pack \$10, scouting activities are again gaining momentum at Palama Settlement after a three-weeks holiday.

Troop #30, meeting on Friday nights, enjoyed a picnic at Nanakuli, Sunday, January 23rd, with twelve members present. Part of the afternoon, however, wes spent at Waikiki, where they enjoyed swimming and football besides listening to an interesting bend concert presented by the Royal Hawaiian Band.

Enthusiastic scouters of Troop #21 are preparing for a year of activity beginning with the annual Boy Scout Makahiki which will be held at the Civic Auditorium on February 12th, as a finale to the National Boy Scout in Honolulu.

Makahiki discussions were uppermost at all scout meetings for the past week and interest is steadily mounting for the event which all scouters look forward to each year. A wonderful program is being prepared, and all scouters and followers are being asked to attend.

Several outings have been planned for each unit this year, and "activity galore" are in store for all who want

JUNSKOL CAGE LOOP IN FULL SWING AT PALAMA

Junior Scholastic cagers have been cavorting on the Pal court on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons for the past week. Hotly-contested twin-bills were staged with Kamehameha, Vocational, McKinley, Farrington, and Iolani supplying the thrills.

PAL COMMUNITY BASEBALL RACE OPENS SUNDAY

Palama Settlement's 1938 Community Baseball league will open this Sunday morning at Castle Field, with six teams, Kalihi Valley Club, Mailes, Tan Wah, Harold's Taxi, Kyodo Kai, and Ponce Jrs. already registered and ready to play. Entries will officially close this Wednesday evening at 7:00 in the Settlement auditorium at the final meeting of the league. All teams desiring entry must be represented with players lists and full fees for the season. Schedules will be drawn at this meeting.

Lakimela A.C. won the championship last year in a stirring finish, but will not defend its title, leaving the thronunoccupied.

SECTOR-NAVY BASKETBALL GAMES AT PAL GYM

The sector-nevy basketball league are using the Palama gym for most of the games in which the Fort Shafter quintet participates. The Shafter squad is playing its "home" games at the Settlement court, and have drawn packed houses.

PAL SENIOR CAGERS HUMBLED TWICE LAST WEEK

Winged "P" senior basketeers were defeated twice last week at the University of Hawaii gym, when the Matson A.C. humbled them 38-13 in a regularly scheduled game, Wednesday evening, January 19, and Tam's Maluhians chalked up a 40-38 victory, Friday, January 21, in an exhibition tilt.

The Pals wore unimpressive in their senior ASUH debut against the star-studde. Matson outfit after a year's lay-off, failing to find the basket all evening. The score at half-time was 22-2 in favor of Matson, Palama having registered via the foul throw route.

Tam's Maluhians, runners-up in the junior ASUH league won by the Palama Jrs. won the exhibition game in the final minute of play after both teams had battled on even terms most of the way. Palama showed fine improvement against the Maluhians, and should be hitting on all five cylinders in the Aiea game scheduled for Thursday, February 3rd, at 7:30

Palama will play a scrimmage game with Waialua Friday, January 29th, at 7:30 p.m. Clativel

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SPORT NOTES

Palama's monthly swimming meet found eighteen girls willing to brave the nippy breezes and chilly waters in an attempt to add a few more points to their Girls' Athletic Club award record. Little Thelma Young walked away with all of the 15 yard events to close the point winning in the youngsters field. Toshiko Akamine smartly splashed her way to a win the 50 yard freestyle and Thelma Chai doubled her scoring with a first in backstroke and a tie with Libby Aoki in the 50 yard breaststroke event. Regardless of weather these girls are taking advantage of every opportunity to put and keep them in trim for the spring swim meets. It is interesting to note how many new and young swimmers are making Palama's monthly meet their training period.

Likelike Swim Club stepped ahead last week with eight more children qualifying for Red Cross Swimmers Buttons. A number of the school swim club girls have passed the Beginners test and we are hopeful that 1938 will find a large percentage of our girls wearing these red and white emblems of endeavor.

It is whispered around the gym these days that if Palama finds enough High School girls interested in basketball we may be able to sponsor a Senior league. Farrington and McKinley have two teams ready for competition and we have hopes that other schools will register or permit their senior girls to play unattached so that a schedule can be drawn up. See Mrs. West--if you are interested!

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HULA CLASS STARTS FEBRUARY 2ND

Palama members who have wanted hula lessons included in the class program will be glad to hear that arrangements have been made to open a course of twenty lessons beginning Wednesday, February 2nd at 6:30 p.m. This class promises something new in Hula at Palama. Mr. Joseph Ilalaole the instructor is well known for his fine work with the authentic ancient dance of Hawaii and will concentrate on this type of hula rather than "haole" variations. Registrations may be made in the girls'

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CLASS CHATTER

The Thursday morning adult cooking class laid aside their pots and pans last week to visit the Capitol Market for some first hand information on meat, cuts, prices, and quality. The Market was more than kind to the interested group of P alan women and conducted a special tour of store rooms and iceboxes all livened by an interesting description and discussion of the selection and choice of cuts of meat. The class was delighted with their adventure into the meat packing business and plan other tours to points of interest for housewives.

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ACADEMY ART CLASS CLOSES

The Honolulu Art Academy has called a temporary halt in the Palama sponsored Art Class which has been meeting every Saturday afternoon at the Academy. This is the close of their winter program and all classes are closed with a display of the children's work before the start of the spring session. As a special favor the Academy has promised to make a display of the work of Palama's class out here at the Settlement. So -- soon now, we shall see just what our boys and girls have geen making at the Academy. Keep your eye on the Display Case.

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N.Y.A. girls assigned to the girls' division got together last week and discussed problems and the possibility of organizing an N.Y.A. club. It is a peach of an idea, girls, and we'll be ever so glad to help you along. All work and no play makes Jill (as well as Jack) a dull girl--so good luck and we'll expect a report from you soon.

office. Palama members 10 years of age and older are cordially invited to take advantage of this opportunity.

Remember -- Wednesday, February 2nd, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Maids Cottage.

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THE SILVER LINING

An enthusiastic golfer came home to dinner. During the meal his wife said: "Willie tell me he caddied for you this afternoon." "Well, do you know," said Willie's father, "I thought I'd seen that boy before."