

Grievances Settled - Delegates Elected

Brief Notes From Units

UPW MEMBERS make interesting news at the unit level. Here are some brief notes showing where union action is made.

PARKS DEPARTMENT

Members NAOMI KOBAYASHI and DAVID HA- ZAMA, together with BA Lefty Muramoto, met with management regarding compensation for employees in the recreation section who use their own cars for government business. Result: The department will name one person from each area to use his car for which compensation will be provided, retroactive to Feb. 1.

DEFENSE

Unit members met with Col.'s Woods, Kennison, Muraco and Mrs. Yuen regarding personnel practices. Among the agreements:

- All employees will be notified of promotional vacancies in the future.
- On leave requests, workers will first notify Col. Muraco, or Col. Woods or Col. Kennison, in that order depending on who is available.
- Arrangements are being made with a nearby restaurant to provide meals during emergency overtime.

The UPW committee included BROTHERS MEYER, PATRICIO, JEREMIAH and KAUWELoa assisted by BA Lefty Muramoto.

HARBORS DIVISION

Ground crew members found their schedules changed with less than 48 hours advance notice. BA Bill Gonsalves called the department personnel officer Lenore Hammond who was cooperative in helping to straighten out the beef. Result: The men will be paid time-and-one-half for any day's work on short notice.

STATE HOSPITAL

Kitchen workers met with BA Lefty Muramoto and management representatives Lilillian Page and Ray Nagai regarding the chain of command in the issuance of orders to kitchen employees. Orders from Head Dietician Page are now routed through Supervising Cook Nagai, then to Cook III and to the workers. The reverse order applies to complaints or requests from workers. Employees who ask for sick leave

after they have reported for duty must be released by a State Hospital doctor unless the case is a chronic illness.

The UPW committee consisted of BROTHERS JAKAHI, CYPRIANO and LYMAN.

CITY HALL

White collar Unit-A named ARTHUR LUKE, Chairman; EDGAR HAMASU, Vice-Chairman; LORETTA CHEE, Sec.-Treasurer.

PAWAA ANNEX

White collar Unit- B elected the following officers: GEORGE JOY, Chairman; OLIVE ROBERTS, Vice-Chairman MAURICE LEE, Sec.-Treasurer.

ELECT CONVENTION DELEGATES

The following units have reported delegates elected for the Kauai UPW Convention:

- **DOE** - TADAO JINBO, IRENE VALDEZ, JULIA KUKAHIWA, NANCY RIVERS, MARY KEAWE, FUMIO CEN- TEIO, JULIA TSUGAWA and JOEL KA- HOOKELE. Officers WALLACE HELENIHI and HELEN KANAHELE will attend as State Executive Board members.
- **PARKS** - JEANETTE GASPER, WILLIAM BLAKE, NAOMI KOBAYASHI, WILLIAM PAIA, WILLIAM SOARES, THOMPSON IZAWA, HAROLD MEDEIROS and MOSES MAHOE.
- **HALE MOHALU** - FRANCIS KURODA and HELEN LUNA.
- **HARBORS DIVISION** - GEORGE BURNINGHAM and ALVARETTA KA- MAILE with WILLIAM CANDIDO named as alternate.
- **CAFETERIA** - MARY THOMPSON and STELLA WAKAMATSU.