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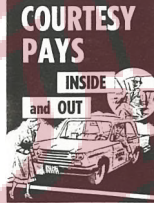
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The Safe Way Is the Ewa Way

COURTESY MAKES DRIVING SAFE



There are many driving rules that help your safety. These rules are based chiefly on common sense and courtesy. Here are a few for your guidance.

Put your headlights on the low beam when traffic is moving in your direction. If you blind the driver in the approaching vehicle, there is a good chance that he will hit you. Be courteous with those headlights.

When driving on a dusty road you don't have to imitate an airplane laying down a smoke screen. Courtesy makes safe driving. Show consideration to the man behind you and your dust cloud.

Take your proper turn in traffic. Only road hogs rush up the wrong lane to crowd others.

Drive in one traffic lane, unless passing. If you straddle, you're a nuisance and a hazard.

Pass vehicles ahead only when there's room to get back in line without crowding others.

Fernandez Villagers Meet Tonight



Last Friday evening, a group of men interested in rekindling pride in Fernandez Village and reviving interest in the community center met and discussed ways and means to achieve those ends. Left to right: Nicasio Gabay, Tomas Amorin, Antone Santiago, Sandy Aragon, Felipe Lariosa, Laurito Miran, Sabas Bacon, and Juan Ranches.

There will be a general membership meeting tonight at 7:30 at the village park to hear proposals of the committee and discuss the future of the community center.

Reunion Time In Ewa



Mrs. Faustina Saquibal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zoilo Manoloyo of Fernandez Village, is home visiting her parents after an absence of 35 years.

She left Hawaii with her husband, Teodorico, for the Philippines in 1931.

In Sympathy

The people of Ewa extend their deepest sympathy to the family of the late MRS. KIYOKO HIGASHI, age 41, who passed away on Friday, April 15, in Ewa Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Masao; four daughters, Junice, Esther, Margaret, and Jane; her mother, Mrs. Chi Shiraki; two brothers, Toshio and Tatsuo, and a sister, Mrs. Sueki Itagaki.

Japanese Movie

SPONSOR: Ewa Japanese Club
 DATE: April 23, 1966
 TIME: 7:30 P.M.
 PLACE: Japanese Club Grounds
 TITLE: "ORE NI TSUIE KOI"

Report to Ewa Stockholders

In a letter to Ewa Plantation Company stockholders dated April 15, 1966, Castle & Cooke president Malcolm MacNaughton reports that sugar production at Ewa has been adversely affected during the current fiscal year by abnormally heavy rains that fell in record amounts during the Fall of last year and continued through early 1966.

Cane scheduled for harvesting during this period will be carried over into the fiscal year 1966-67. The result will be a significant decrease in production for the current fiscal year and higher production costs.

Returns for Ewa's sugar, however, are expected to average \$131 per ton for 1965, compared to a return of \$127 per ton for 1964.

A new 6 year Sugar Act was enacted, providing for an orderly marketing of beet and Mainland cane sugar surpluses and removes the fee charged against foreign sugars.

Alertness, Quick Action, Prevent Serious Fires

Hawaii's sugar industry and the I.L.W.U. reached agreement on a costly three-year contract. One of its main provisions calls for an across-the-board wage increase of 20% spread over the first two years of the contract.

Wakatsuki Completes Sugar Tech Course

Ewa's Robert Wakatsuki was one of twelve Oahu and Neighbor Island men who completed a three-month sugar technology course at the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association experiment station.

Courses such as this are designed to give new knowledge to men already in responsible sugar positions.

Production News

Week Ending	To
1,782	9,932
134	
17,428	
8.78	

Plantation Duty Roster

April 16 - April 22, 1966
H. Duncan 683-107
April 23 - May 1, 1966
P. Wiley 683-188
TO REPORT FIRES 681-047

Cane Varieties Are Young and Cosmopolitan

Hawaii has a young population, it is often pointed out. And it turns out that the sugar cane varieties growing here are pretty young, too.

Close to 80 per cent of the sugar cane acreage is now occupied by varieties bred and tested here since 1948, reports Dr. John N. Warner, head of the genetics department of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association Experiment Station.

The older varieties are being rapidly replaced, he said. None of the older varieties, those bred before 1949, made any net gain in acreage during last year.

Of the new plantings last year, over 95 per cent of the area was planted to varieties first germinated as seedlings in 1948 or later, Warner said. (Some areas are planted anew each year; other areas have come coming up from old-root systems.)

Meanwhile, variety 50-7209 was a double champion again.

This variety led the list in terms of total acreage for the fourth consecutive year, with 88,755 acres, or 38.16 per cent of total caneland acreage in Hawaii.

Variety 50-7209 also led the list, for the sixth straight year, in newly planted acreage, with 13,003 acres, or 34.44 per cent of the newly planted area.

Variety 50-7209 also helped at least five individual plantation companies to establish individual per-acre sugar yield records, Warner said.

In variety designations, the first two numerals (as 50) indicate the year (in this case 1950) in which the variety was first planted as cuttings. The second set of numerals (as 7209) is the number assigned to that seedling when selected.

All commercial cane varieties now growing in Hawaii were bred and started here, although, like the people, their parents or ancestors came from many foreign lands.

Nursing Scholarships Offered by Planation

Applications are being accepted for the two annual Nursing Scholarships offered by the Plantation to aspirants who are bona fide residents of the community.

The scholarships will be awarded to those accepted for training at any accredited school of nursing.

Apply with Joseph Budge, Ewa Plantation Industrial Relations Director on or before July 1st.

Chinese Seed Sale For Ewa School

Ewaitee—Your help is needed! Ewa P.T.A., with the cooperation of the students, is sponsoring a Chinese Seed Sale to raise \$500.00, the cost of a new kiln for Ewa School. The new school building being started in June will have a kiln room but no kiln in which to bake the clay products of Ewa School art classes.

Prizes will be awarded to the top student salesmen. Orders may be placed through April 27 for delivery on May 14th.

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds

Ewa Japanese Club Scholarship Available

The whispered hope of a few—"We want to give it a try, for no better investment can be made than in our young people," has become a reality.

The Ewa Japanese Club is offering a Student Scholarship to qualified children of club members. Deadline for application is May 31, 1966. Interested applicants may contact any of the following gentlemen for information: Yeikichi Abe, Kame-shiro Abe, Fukuo Abe (Honolulu-11), Taicho Imao, Shunichi Kikuta, Barney Tsutsumi, Takeshi Ishihara, Yoshiyasu Terao, Hiro-suke Oshita, Ichiro Yamane, and Kenane Tashiro.

May Day at Ewa

Ewa Plantation Company will host the annual May Day picnic for the students of Ewa School next Friday, April 29, at the Ewa Recreation Center.

Temporary Hires

Four employees were recently added to the plantation's work forces: Nestor Alcala, Anthony Gonsong, Henry Casay, and Ralph Tella.

Ewa's Oldtimer

ROQUE AGCAMBOT doffs his cap as Ewa's "old timer" of the week. On Tuesday, April 26, he will celebrate his 29th year as an Ewaitee.

He arrived in the Territory aboard the S. S. President Grant in 1928 from Dingras, Ilocos Norte, Philippines. He was assigned to Makaweli Plantation on Kauai before coming to Ewa in 1937.

Roque has held various field jobs: Knapsack Sprayer, Portable Track, Irrigator, and Hand Re-planter. His present duties are that of a Roadside Sprayer.

A better than average athlete, he is remembered as one of the top slammers of his day on the volleyball court.

A bachelor, Roque looks forward to a trip to the Philippines upon retirement.



Library for Ewa?

Maybe someday, but for now, the Library of Hawaii serves the community with its roving Book-mobility.

The unit has enough of a variety to satisfy most needs, but what they don't have, they'll get for you on their next trip.

Why not browse through, it only takes five minutes--you might find something interesting ---and it's free.

Ewa Bowl Echoes

EWA COMMUNITY MIXED LEAGUE

Kazuo Suyama, sporting a 130 average came roaring thru with a 232 hi-1 and a hi-2 of 436 to top the men last week.

Virginia Odaka's 122 average didn't stop her from setting a hi-1 record for the wabines of 224 pins. Steady Ewa Marquinn upped her average to 138 with a 3 game hi of 569.

Little League

The Ewa Little-Cane Little League will open with appropriate ceremonies next week Saturday, April 20 at Ewa Tenney diamond.

Five teams will comprise the Major division and seven Minor teams will be contending.

League president Stanley Tamashiro has a "star"-studded cast for the opening ceremonies which get under way at 8:30 A.M.

Our Best Wishes...

For a speedy recovery to the following Ewaitees who are recuperating at Ewa Hospital: Lel Yamasaki, Sabas Bacon, Quirino Valdez, Mesdames Mary Anuhe, Tokino Mori, Bonifacia Biscaino and Fortunata Lariosa.

Baseball

Three free-scoring games last Saturday resulted in football-type scores.

In the American League, the E.R.A. Yankees continued their "orbit" with a 35-3 romp over the Ewa Beach Lions at Varona Village.

In the National League action at the Ewa Beach Elementary School field, the Makakilo Eagles swamped the Ewa Beach Tigers 29-10 and the Ewa Beach Cubs handed the E.R.A. Dodgers a 23-10 spanking. Schedule, Saturday, April 23, at Elementary School, Field "N". 9:00 A.M. Colts vs. Eagles 10:30 A.M. Tigers vs. Dodgers At Varona Village, 9:00 A.M. Yankees vs. Cubs

E.R.A. Yankees



Sitting, L-R: Kyle Halmos, Warren Vogel, Ted Ueyehara, Chuck Reynolds, Rubin Villanueva, Rodney Retialo, Lenard Barbieta.

Standing, L-R: Kapena Kaanehe, Timmy Villanueva, James Millan, Jr., Emmet Kaanehe, Ted Garcia, Rodney Huff, and Daryl Hermosura.

Coaches, L-R: Roy Robins. "Shorty" Villanueva, and Al Respicio. Missing from picture - Justin Navarez.

Classified Ads

WANTED: Part-time Dishwasher. Must be reliable. Apply in person at Tenney Center Tavern. **FOR SALE:** Twin bed, 8 months old. \$65.00. Call 465-119.

I.L.W.U. Softball

Ewa's Unit 53 will try to extend its winning streak to four this Sunday when it faces the strong Gouvea's Sausage team at Ewa Field at 10:00 A.M.

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