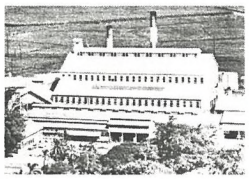

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At the Annual HSPA Meeting....

About 200 top executives of Hawaii's sugar industry and their associates, including Ewa's Vice President and Manager Ed Bryan, Asst. Manager Robert Cushnie and Executive Asst. Frank Wiley, attended the 84th annual meeting of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association, December 8, 9, and 10, at the Agee Hall.

In his opening day report HSPA president Malcolm MacNaughton said that various important cost decisions now are necessarily made in concert with our important partners, "the ILWU and the state legislature." He called for understanding from these two parties in order to preserve the Hawaiian sugar industry.

He pointed out that major decisions regarding price, labor costs, working conditions, and land use are made by management, union, and legislature together, and each must, as partners, understand their joint responsibility if the strength of Hawaii's sugar industry is to be preserved.

Mr. MacNaughton termed the decline in the sugar price as "the most startling and most depressing event of the year." He said the estimated return to producers started the year at $150 a ton but has now sagged to $125.35 a ton. "Even the so-called experts," he said, "didn't think the fall out of bed would come as soon and as hard."

He also noted that the contract with the ILWU expires January 31, 1965. "It is too early to make any guesses as to the direction the formal talks will take," he said. But he warned that the beet sugar people in Hawaiian sugar's chief market "are literally bulging with excess, unsold sugar."

"To have C&H cut off of the market shelves for any period because of an inability to obtain raws could be disastrous and would strike at the very heart of job security."

Donald Maclean, president of California & Hawaiian Sugar Refining Corp. warned, "injury to Hawaii" is "an inseparable part of the announced Mainland beet sugar program and "unless all elements of the domestic sugar industry are prepared to work out the problems of the Sugar Act in a spirit of realistic compromise which is fair to all, the Act itself will lose essential support and be lost of all of us."

He noted that though sales of Hawaiian sugar "have held up well," returns to Hawaii's sugar producers will plunge this year. The net return for the 1964 sugar crop is expected to be $125.35, "a disappointing drop of $35.25 per ton from last year." Molasses returns are expected to be $16.50 a ton, lowest since 1961.

And Sanford L. Platt, HSPA vice president and Washington representative, urged all elements of the domestic sugar industry to get together on new sugar legislation fair to all.

Weidig Elected HSPA President

H. D. Weidig, president of Theo. H. Davies & Co., was elected 1965 president of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association.

Weidig succeeds as HSPA president, Malcolm MacNaughton, president of Castle & Cooke.

Elected first vice president was H. C. Eichelberger, president of American Factors. C. C. Cadagan, president of Alexander & Baldwin, was elected second president.

Re-elected were: Slator M. Miller, Vice president-secretary; Sanford L. Platt, vice president (and Washington representative); J. G. Butterfield, treasurer, and G. Douglas Fairhurst, assistant treasurer.

On HSPA's executive committee are: Weidig, Eichelberger, Cadagan, Boyd MacNaughton, and Malcolm MacNaughton.

Election of officers was conducted on the opening day of the HSPA's three-day 84th annual meeting, held at Agee Hall of the HSPA Experiment Station.

Transfers and Promotions

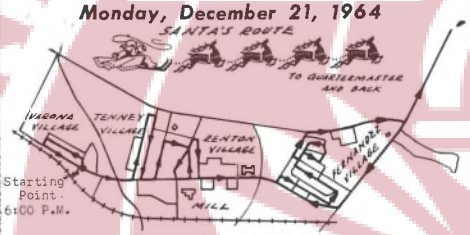
BENITO APOSTADIRO, Machinist Trainee II to Machinist Trainee III.

YASUO HIGASHI, Machinist Trainee II to Machinist Trainee III.

Fight TB! Use Christmas Seals

Santa Comes to Town

Monday, December 21, 1964



Ewa Plantation-E.R.A. Community Christmas Program

Tuesday, December 22, 7:00 P.M.-Ewa Gym

Season's Greetings; Pageant - "The Chirst Child"; E.R.A. pre-school children - Mrs. Yukio Omiya directing; Community sing; distribution of gifts from Santa Claus to the children of Plantation employees and E.R.A. members.

At Our Churches

EWA COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday, December 20
10:30 A.M. - Christmas Sunday Worship
7:00 P.M. - Christmas Program (White gifts to be received for the needy)
Thursday, December 24
7:00 P.M. - Pilgrim Fellowship Caroling
11:00 P.M. - Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

EWA IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Ewa and Ewa Beach - Confessions
Saturday, December 19
3:00 to 4:30 P.M., 7:00 to 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday, December 23
2:30 P.M. Children (Ewa Only), 7:00 to 8:30 P.M.
Thursday, December 24
12:00 to 2:00 P.M., 3:00 to 5:00 P.M.
(No confessions Christmas Eve)
Ewa and Ewa Beach - Christmas Masses
12:00 Midnight - High Mass
8:00 A.M. - Children Mass, 10:00 A.M. - Third Mass

Livingston Heads Conservation Group

W. H. Livingston, Ewa's Research Agriculturist, was elected Chairman of the Board of Directors of the West Oahu Soil and Water Conservation District for 1965.

The Board of Directors of this group is comprised of representatives of sugar and pineapple companies as well as independent farmers in the district. The group functions under the U.S. Department of Agriculture and maintains close working relationship with the State Department of Agriculture in a continuous program of encouraging good farming practices aimed at conservation of Oahu's precious natural resources--soil and water.

Mr. Livingston has served the District as Secretary-Treasurer of the District for the past three years. His election to the chairmanship is a well-deserved recognition of his contributions to this program.

LOOKS PEACEFUL AND SAFE LET'S KEEP IT THIS WAY!

The sign in this picture is as big as life. Recognize it?

There are thirteen of these signs along Renton road between Fernandez and Varona Villages yet daily it is noted that altogether too many motorists continue to whiz along well over the posted limit.

The death toll on Oahu's roads so far in '64 is 77. Let's not have Ewa add to this toll. Better yet, let's do something about it by observing all traffic laws while driving.

And while you're celebrating the holidays, have a good time but make that "last one for the road" a cup of coffee or a bowl of saimin.

So take heed? The life you save may be yours or your loved ones!

Japanese Movie

SPONSOR: Ewa Japanese Club
DATE: Saturday, December 19
TIME: 7:00 P.M.
PLACE: Ewa Japanese Social Club Grounds
TITLE: "TAIYO-O DAKU ONNA"
STARRING: Akemi Mari, Shuji Sano and Kazuya Kosaka

Honor Roll

Harriet Kagawa and Eileen Watanabe have been named to the Campbell High School honor roll for the first semester.

Harriet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Masami Kagawa of Tenney Village. Eileen's proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Shutaro Watanabe of Tenney Village.

Parents, Note!

Plantation parents and E.R.A. members, with children 10 years old and younger, who have not received invitations to the Ewa Community Christmas program may pick them up at the gym. The card entitles each child to a gift from Santa.

Our Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to the following Ewaites who are recuperating at Ewa Hospital: Tadashi Matsuura, Emiliano Pascual, Venancio Rosario, Mesdames Maria Namocot, Miyeko Ogawa, Mary Ancheta and Vicenta Quinones.

Tourists From Ewa

More than 60 of Ewa's pensioners and wives spent Thursday, December 10, touring Honolulu. The excursion included visits to the ILWU Memorial Hall, Love's Bakery, City Hall and Iolani Palace where the group was greeted by Mr. Dan Aoki, Administrative assistant to the Governor.

Lunch was enjoyed at scenic Ala Moana Park.

Accompanying the group were Unit 53 officials: Masami Kagawa, Melvin Tanaka, Herbert Perreira, Ernest Abe and Benny Apostadiro.

Ewa's Oldtimer

ROBERT YOSHIMI MORI, Cane Hauler Driver in the plantation's Harvesting Division, holds the spotlight as Ewa's "old timer" of the week.

A native son of Ewa, he started at Ewa on July 17, 1934 as a young man of 17, assigned to irrigating in former Field 23-A. Nine years later he transferred to Tractor Helper, and was promoted to Farmall Tractor Driver in March, 1945. He was assigned to various types of tractors until May, 1952 when he was promoted to his present job, then known as Tournahauler Driver.

An avid baseball fan, Robert is a staunch supporter of Ewa's ball teams, and time permitting he is virtually sure to be in the stands rooting for his home team during the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Mori are parents of five children - Karen, a '64 alumnus of Waipahu High, now attending a designing school in Honolulu; Dennis and Jane, students at Campbell High; Richard, a first grader at Ewa School; and three-year old Katherine. The Mori family reside in Tenney Village.

A.J.A. Baseball

Ewa's defending Rural Senior A.J.A. league champions opened their exhibition schedule by dropping a close 6-4 decision to state titleholder McCully at Ewa last Sunday.

Sporting a star-studded line up comprising of most of last year's veterans, Ewa certainly should make its might felt in the 1965 diamond campaign, some observers dare to predict.

Scheduled at Ewa at 10:00 A.M.
December 20 - Moilili
December 27 - Kalihi

Opening game at Ewa, January 3, at 1:30 P.M.

Ewa vs. Aiea, 1:00 P.M. opening ceremony.

Calling All Cyclists

E.R.A. Bicycle Derby, December 30, 1964, 10:00 A.M., Ewa Tenney Field.

Contact Jimmy Ornellas or Al Respicio.

Events planned are:

4 yrs. & below (tricycle)	50 yds.
6-7 yrs. Boys & Girls	440 yds.
8-10 yrs. Boys & Girls	660 yds.
11-13 yrs Boys & Girls	880 yds.
14-16 yrs. Boys & Girls	3/4 mile
Men Open	880 yds.
Ladies Open	440 yds.
Age Group Relay	1 mile

Ewa Bowl Echoes

EWA COMMUNITY MIXED LEAGUE

League Standing as of Dec. 10:

	Won	Lost
Tonys	19	14
Primos	17½	15½
Kellys	17	16
Dados	16	17
Dukes	15½	17½
Porkys	14	18

Individual Hi-2 W/Hdcp.

T. Kiyohiro	(Tonys)	459
E. Niino	(Primos)	416

Individual Hi-Single W/Hdcp.

T. Behic	(Porkys)	261
M. Hatch	(Primos)	219

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EWA FIL-AMERICAN BOWLING LEAGUE

League Standing as of Dec. 14:

	Won	Lost
Manila	26	10
Legaspi	21	15
Cavite	20	16
Corregidor	18	18
Bataan	14	22
Davao	9	27

Individual Hi-Series W/Hdcp.

R. Ossay	663
J. Calotis	593

Individual Hi-Single W/Hdcp.

D. Daclison	262
C. Sojot	215

E.R.A. Sports

VOLLEYBALL

E.R.A. MIXED LEAGUE

Final Standings	Won	Lost
Ewa Beach Kihewa	9	0
*Ewa Cosmpolitans	5	4
*Ewa Beach Cummings	5	4
*Ewa Beach Bills	5	4
Makakilo	3	5
Fernandez Village	2	6
Ewa Beach Pruses	0	8

*To playoff for 2nd place.

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E.R.A. TENNIS DOUBLES

Teenagers

Wayne Itamoto-Clay Kiriu defeated Dick Horiuchi-Bob Nagamine, 6-2, 6-3.

Adults

Susumu Yamane-Ronald Rosco outlasted Mits and Earl Yasui, 8-6, 6-2.

Jerry Lum Lee-Al Respicio over Yamane-Rosco, 6-2, 6-4.

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BASKETBALL

At Ewa Gym, Thursday, Dec. 10

Campbell Faculty 28-Campbell 22
Leeward Lakers 62 - Campbell 27

Monday, December 14

Kalakaua 40 - Campbell J.V. 21
Raiders A.C. 89 - Campbell 36

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