

LATE NEWS



MR. MAGILL

Named Manager of Club

E. P. Magill, an experienced mainland club manager, has been named new manager of the Outrigger Club, Wilford D. Godbold, president, said Wednesday.

Mr. Magill came to Honolulu on a vacation and was asked to make a survey and report on the Club, Mr. Godbold said. On the basis of this report and his experience, he was chosen for the position.

He is a former manager of the Tower, Miami Beach, Fla.; the Marcy, Lake Placid, N. Y., and the Wyndham Club, Lenox, Mass.

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ANNUAL MEETING

\$20,000 Voted for Lockers, Etc.

At the annual meeting the membership authorized the transfer of a sum not to exceed \$20,000 to be transferred from the Building Fund to be used for building new locker space and installing equipment therein.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Godbold gave a comprehensive report on the stewardship of the Club by its officers and directors for the year 1947. This report was highlighted by the fact that the increase in net worth of the Club for the year was \$15,232.96 even though the profit and loss statement for the year showed a loss of \$540.07. The reason for increase in the net worth of the Club irrespective of the loss shown was due to the fact that all initiation fees collected for the year were not shown as profit and also large amounts of money were expended from the current funds for numerous kitchen improvements which were reflected by an increase in the Inventory of the Club. In other words, the Club did operate at a small margin of profit for the year. However, as Mr. Godbold pointed out, the dark side of the picture is the fact that over \$5,000.00 was incurred as operating loss during the last six months of the year.

A House Committee was appointed composed of Tom Gage, Sam Fuller, Bill Mullahey, George Emmert, Bill Capp, Bob Fischer and Jimmy Mann. This committee, after a detailed study of Club operations, made the finding that the paramount need of the Club was for a "Professional Manager." This House Committee report which was read at the annual meeting, had been adopted by the Board of Directors and the Finance Committee of the Club was directed to immediately take over the active management until such time as the services of a duly qualified professional manager could be obtained. During the final two weeks of February, your Finance Committee put into effect numerous economies which will save the Club an operational expense in an amount exceeding \$12,000.00

a year. The details of such economies are two numerous for mention in the space available. However, as generally indicative, the following are mentioned:

Salary economies in connection with the kitchen and dining room include the curtailing of staff by deleting the salary of a butcher, who was performing work in that capacity for only a few hours each day; the total curtailment of salaries in the dining room and kitchen amount to over \$800.00 per month.

The elimination of a number 2 Club car which was used exclusively for the purposes of the Manager.

The elimination of the payment of rental for plants to decorate the dining room.

The elimination of complimentary meals and drinks by the Club Manager which involved large outlays each month.

The membership will be informed in the FORECAST of other economies as they go into effect from time to time.

MEMBERSHIP

Listed by classifications is the total membership—1,940:

	D e c e m b e r		
	1947	1946	1945
Sustaining	7
Life	14	14	14
Term	86	86	81
Regular	793	838	797
Associate	221	222	195
Junior	286	298	151
Service	21	36	76
Non-Resident (Inc. Inactives)....	471	494	145
Island	20	14	12
Special Service	10	25	35
P. A. A.	15
Australian Airways	3
	1,940	2,027	1,513

Excerpts from

SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 1947

The following comparative figures are condensed, but will give you a clear statement of the Club's financial condition as of December 31, 1947:

	1947	1946
ASSETS		
Cash on Hand and in Banks.....	\$ 7,880.88	\$ 28,468.30
BUILDING FUND	118,836.74	91,721.75
Accounts Receivable	55,373.69	53,049.79
Inventory—Bar and Restaurant, etc.	28,745.87	30,028.31
Building, Plant, Equipment, etc., Depreciated	113,632.29	106,819.71
Deferred Charges	1,828.48	977.13
	<u>\$326,297.95</u>	<u>\$311,064.99</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current Accounts Payable	\$ 11,604.27	\$ 6,451.31
Accrued Misc. Taxes Payable.....	7,881.63	9,493.28
Deferred Credits	473.89	862.00
Accrued Dues—3 Months to March 31, 1948 and 1947.....	16,928.00	16,986.00
Term Memberships—Unexpired Balance	15,561.04	17,793.21
	<u>\$ 52,448.83</u>	<u>\$ 51,585.80</u>
Initiation Fees—January 1, 1947 and 1946	\$113,899.50	\$ 83,809.50
Paid in During Years 1947, 1946	14,910.00	30,090.00
Total Initiation Fees	\$128,809.50	\$113,899.50
Surplus—January 1, 1947, 1946..	\$145,579.69	\$135,080.43
Operations Profits from All Sources	— 540.07	10,499.26
Total Surplus	\$145,039.62	\$145,579.69
Total Initiation Fees and Surplus	273,849.12	259,479.19
	<u>\$326,297.95</u>	<u>\$311,064.99</u>
INCREASE IN NET WORTH.....	\$ 15,232.96	

Use Your Club Services

The Outrigger Canoe Club through its dining room, bar and cocktail lounge offers the best of food, drinks and service to its members and their guests. We believe too, that the prices are the most moderate in Hawaii, commensurate with the quality.

A continuation of the excellent meals and service can only be assured by the patronage of our members. The Club dining room, the bar and the cocktail lounge is reported by the Treasurer as having been operating at a loss during 1947. Only a decided increase in revenue through the patronage of members will assure recovery of overhead and cost. The Club, as is any club, is at a decided disadvantage in getting business as it *depends entirely on a limited membership* for sales. It cannot advertise to the general public or accept outside business.

The management has done everything possible to supply the best in food, properly served, well prepared, in a clean, sanitary kitchen and preparation rooms. YOU and YOU only can assure continuation of these services if you *dine, dance, and entertain at your Club.*

Club Closed Mondays—Except

The Club dining room, bar, and cocktail lounge will be closed every MONDAY—except when any holiday falls on a Monday or is observed on a Monday. In this event all services will be open and available to members. The next holiday, Decoration Day, May 30, falls on Sunday and will be celebrated on Monday. The Club will be open on Monday the 31st, but the help will be allowed their day off the next day, Tuesday. However, for the convenience of the members the Snack bar will be open all day Monday 'til 6 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

If you wish to volunteer to serve on a committee, why not check this list and sign, then return to the Club office.

I will be glad to serve on a club committee. My preference is: Entertainment....., House....., Admissions....., Games....., Volleyball....., Surfing....., Swimming....., Canoe and Sailing....., AAU....., Women's Activities....., Publicity.....

Signed

Remarks

40 Year Old Youngsters—Start

Yep! We were going to say "they are off," but will change to "they have started." It's a tournament made up of twosomes of men 40 years of age or older. Five teams have signed up. They'll play on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m., starting on March 3rd and ending (if they are still standing) on the 24th. This really will be a lot of fun and a good tournament. While some of these youngsters are not as young as they were, they make up in skill and craft for their lack of speed. We forgot to say that it is a Volleyball Tournament. Rooters welcome.

Applications for Membership

Below is a list of applicants for membership in the Club. If you have any objections to any applicants gaining membership, be sure to write a note to the Admissions Committee or phone Dr. Irving Blom, phone 58884, giving your reasons for objection. All information will be treated as strictly confidential.

SENIORS

NAME	PROPOSED BY	SECONDED BY
David Angell	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Mary Bertain	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
David Austin, Jr.	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Stephen Derby	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Charles Klenske	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Hazel Taylor	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Vincent Danford	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Walter Haglund	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
C. T. Littlejohn, Jr.	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Kenneth Pratt	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Albert Wilkinson	Robert McCorrison	Marie Gedge
Julia Balding	Francis Brown	Robert Purvis
George Bicknell	Thomas Gage	Larry Quinlan

JUNIORS

Janet Christenson	Elmer Jenkins	Edward Bolles
Myrtle Schattenburg	Eleanor Brown	Violet Gaspar

Saturday Nite Concerts Popular

The change of concerts from Sunday nights to Saturday nights of the Outrigger Serenaders seems to be very popular. Here is an idea: the management suggests that if you wish to entertain a party on the Hau Terrace on any Saturday night the Serenaders will be glad to sing, play and do hulas for your party. See Howard Ruggles for arrangements.

Auto for Sale

Members may be interested in the purchase of the Club's 1939 8-cylinder, 4-door Buick sedan. This car was formerly for the use of the manager and is now for sale. Sealed bids will be received in the Club office and will be opened on March 22, 1948. For full details, if interested, contact Charles Hee in the accounting office.

Beach Services Offer Novelty

Spear fishing is no novelty in Hawaii, but the Beach Services are now taking out malihinis (or others) and teaching them spear fishing. The Beach Services supply everything: spears, goggles, glass bottom boxes, fins and, of course, a competent member of the force with the know-how. The tourists like this added novelty and we predict that it will soon vie with canoeing in popularity.

Sailing Breezes

The sailing committee has been stymied. We thought the war was over—but—did you ever try to have a suit of sails made? Toots Minneville has everything ready—except sails. They are ordered, but delay after delay has occurred through no fault of the Committee. They believe though that about March 15 everything will be ready. Plans are afoot to have a launching ceremony, old Hawaiian style with chants and aided by the proper kahuna. Watch the bulletin board.

Aloha! Gay Harris

As of February 2nd, the Board of Directors accepted the resignation of Gay Harris who has acted as Club manager for several years. Mr. Harris has made many friends for himself and for the Club and his genial smile will be missed by them. He is, however, an active member of the Club, being one of our oldest members in point of years of membership. All the staff and personnel and members wish you "aloha" in your new ventures, Gay.

Finance Committee Acting

In the interim before a new manager is engaged, the affairs of the Club are being handled by the Finance Committee. They are Wilford D. Godbold, Club President, chairman; Thomas Singlehurst, Secretary-Treasurer, member, and Leslie Hicks, member. All office detail and accounting are presently in charge of Charles Hee, the dining room, bar, cocktail lounge and all catering in charge of Howard Ruggles.

The Finance Committee have a number of applications for the position of manager and hope to engage an experienced Club manager. Announcement will be made to the membership when a new General Manager is engaged.

Election Results

The results of the annual election of Directors for the year 1948-49 as reported at the meeting held at the Club February 27, 1948, is as follows:

Wilford D. Godbold, Leslie A. Hicks, Duke P. Kahanamoku and Thomas G. Singlehurst were re-elected and K. C. Leebrick and Herbert (Yabo) Taylor elected. A meeting of the new Board of Directors will be held soon for election by the Board from the Board of Club officers and for organization and appointment of Committees.

Senior Doubles Hotly Contested

This Tournament, now more than midway, has been hotly contested and a fast exhibition. Teams entering were all threats and each Sunday at 10:00 a.m. has shown some of the best volleyball games ever witnessed at the Club.

It appears at this writing that the two teams made up of Chiswick and Dolan and of Sarge Kahanamoku and Arnott will pull through to the finals and fight it out on Sunday the 28th. However, anything may happen and an upset may place other teams in the finals.

Medals for this tournament, especially made, are on display in the lobby showcase. They are handsome and well worth fighting for.

(Come down Sunday mornings, have one of those Outrigger Special Breakfasts—and then watch the tournament.)

Swimming Pool—Maybe?

Bill Mullahey, member of the Board, has presented a tentative plan for a swimming pool and stadium for the Club. His proposed plan was explained to the Directors at the last meeting and "Bill" was authorized to present an architect's sketch and detailed proposition at an early meeting of the Board. The proposal hinges on many problems to be solved and it may not be possible to accomplish. It is, however, a step in the right direction as there are many of our members who feel that the Club should hold first place in Hawaii in the development of swimmers and divers as well as in other aquatic sports.

President Reappoints

President Wilford D. Godbold has announced his reappointment of Les Hicks and Dr. Francis K. Silva as members of the Advisory Board of the Building Fund. Dr. Silva's new term will expire December 31, 1949, and Mr. Hicks' term on December 31, 1950.