

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS AT OPERA HOUSE

Series of Six Services Will Begin
Sunday Night; Churches
Will Close

Beginning next Sunday evening, the Central Union and Christian Churches will close their evening services for the big Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. meetings which will start then for a series of six Sunday nights in the Hawaiian Opera House.

Dr. Raymond C. Brooks of Berkeley, California, who will be the speaker for the six meetings during the summer, will arrive on the Manoa Tuesday. Dr. Brooks is pastor of a large church in Berkeley and until recently was professor in the University of California. He was forced to resign because of the pressure of his pastoral duties.

The plans for the meetings are well under way, and it is expected that the central location of the Opera House and the fact that it is one of the cooler places in the city, will bring out large crowds to hear Dr. Brooks.

The Y. W. C. A., which has charge of the music for the different meetings, reports that the orchestra of the Hawaiian band will play the opening night. Besides the regular chorus, special music will be heard each evening. Mr. Stanley Livingston who has been connected with Punahou, and is taking charge of the chorus work at Central Union Church will be director of the chorus.

HOT WEATHER SENDS BIG CROWDS TO BEACH

Waikiki Becoming More Popular
For Swimming, Surfing
and Fishing

Waikiki is fast becoming as popular among Honoluluans as it has been for a long time among tourists. This summer, as never before, the water is crowded with swimmers and the beach is crowded with spectators who take the car to Honolulu's best known resort to take advantage of the cool air of the beach.

Since the beginning of the present hot spell about two weeks ago there has been a marked increase of swimmers and would-be swimmers patronizing the public and private bath houses

all along the beach from Fort De Russay to the Queen's place near the old sea wall. Morning or afternoon, it is almost impossible for one to find a minute of the day at Waikiki when there is not some one in the water.

Many Surfers At Waikiki

Not only is there a large increase in the number of swimmers at Waikiki but there is also a larger number of surfers on surf boards and in outrigger canoes. Particularly is this noticeable among the younger boys, mostly members of the Outrigger Canoe Club. These youngsters are taking advantage of their vacation time to learn the old Hawaiian art of riding the breakers. It is to be expected that in the ranks of these younger frequenters of the beach there are some future world beaters in the swimming game.

Fishing is also becoming more in favor off Waikiki. Often a party will take an outrigger canoe, get two or three old Hawaiian spears and a glass box and go out to the reef to fish in true Hawaiian style. The results obtained by some of these youthful disciples of Isaak Walton are often not as good as might be wished but then the fishermen have had their half day's sport. On the other hand, a day's catch often pays for the time spent.

Sailing a Favorite Sport

In addition to the other sports already mentioned, sailing is sometimes indulged in. One of the most fascinating sports in the Islands is sailing in an outrigger canoe with a sufficiently large sail and with a good breeze. Then too, there are devotees of the canvas canoe, of which there are several along the beach. Most interest of all, however, is shown in surfing. This is particularly true since the surf has been getting bigger since the middle of last week.

FILIPINO Y. M. C. A. MISSION IS OPENED

New Rooms In Palama Pave
Way For Bigger Work

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The formal opening of the new Filipino Y. M. C. A. and mission rooms took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. These new rooms are in the Waikiki end of the new O. R. & L. building in Palama. There was a special service in both Filipino and English.

Rev. Leon Loofbourow, representing the Methodist Mission Board was the principal speaker. His topic was "The Value of Loyalty in Christian Work." He showed the value of loyalty and the results of disloyalty as seen in the history of the Hebrew people. He then showed that loyalty and disloyalty had these same results in modern life. He appealed to the Filipino young men to be loyal to their Christian