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Polynesian Cultural Center

Village Store to be new Center Feature

Have you noticed the disappearance of the weavers lately?

Well, you are just not looking in the right places for them. Check out the villages for the women who used to demonstrate daily in the weavers' hut mauka of the lagoon near the Tahitian garden.

The reason for the change is a new Village Store which will open soon in the old weavers' building. There will be four employees in the store: Sophia Turaga and Ula Leia-
taua who will work full time, and Marlene Tuimaunei and Pona Tuaitanu, both students, who will be employed part time.

The store will stock handcrafts made by village personnel and items will include hats, baskets, fans, and feather leis. In addition, fresh produce from the village gardens will also be on sale. This includes bananas, papaya, lilikoi, soursap, and others.



Ula Leia-
taua sells goods in the temporary Village Store building.

A new service that tourists have asked often for will be fresh flower leis, and the Village Store employees will make and sell these daily.

So, if you feel like a banana breakfast one day, you will soon be able to stop by the new Village Store to satisfy your appetite.

Is Your Blood Pressure Up?

A lot is said these days about blood pressure, but do you know what the term actually refers to?

Blood Pressure means the amount of force it takes for the heart to circulate the blood through your body. Your blood pressure is read in two numbers. The top number measures the force of your heartbeat pushing blood into the vessels, and the bottom number measures the pressure when your heart is at rest

between beats.

Your blood pressure may go up and down depending on what you are doing, but if it stays high (in adults that's usually anything over 140/90) it means there is too much strain on your heart and blood vessels.

High blood pressure or hypertension, causes damage to the heart which can result in heart attacks. It also causes damage to the brain which can result in strokes, and to the

kidneys and eyes.

Only about 50% of those who have high blood pressure are aware that they have it. The only way to tell if you have it is through regular blood pressure checks.

Employees are urged to have a free blood pressure check Tuesday June 8 from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm in the First Aid Office in the old administration building near the theater.

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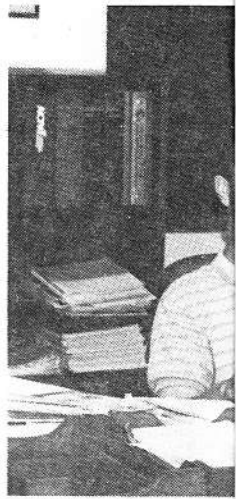


Elliot Ozu
Manager, Business Office

Meet the Business Office gang! Perhaps your only contact with the Business Office has been to check out your paycheck. Well, you should know that if it weren't for the work of the whole team who keep the Center's books and accounts, you wouldn't be able to collect that check.

Several departments comprise the office, including Accounts Payable, Accounts Receivable, Credit and Collections, Accounting, and Payroll. Elliot Ozu is Business Office Manager, and we present here his happy staff.

Now you will know exactly who to approach if you have any need other than picking up that paycheck.



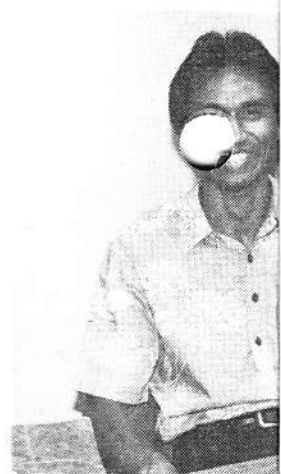
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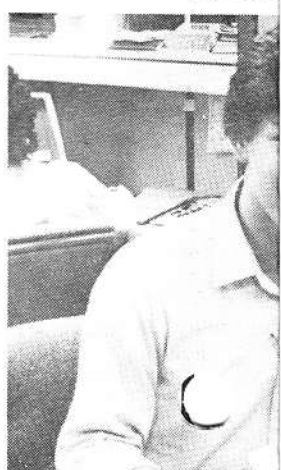
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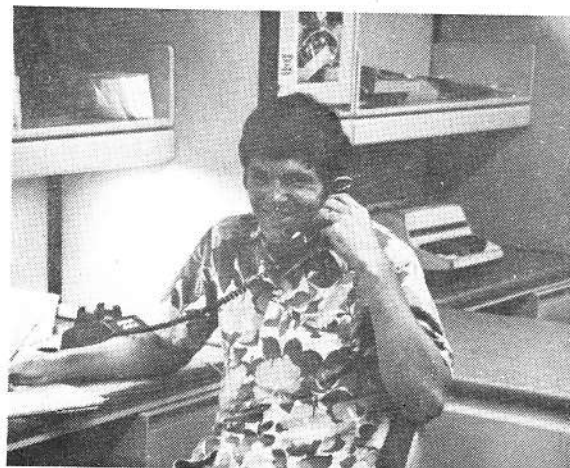
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EDITORIAL

COLUMN COMMENT

Guest Writer: Harry Brown

One day last week the phone rang in another office. I answered it, and the following conversation ensued:

Me: "Hello, may I help you?"

Voice: "Hello, who's this?"

Me: "This is Harry."

Voice: "How come you answer this number?"

Me: "I'm picking up the line of the office that's ringing because there's no one in that office."

Voice: "Well, I don't care. I don't want to talk to you."

Click. He hangs up the phone.

One of the great challenges of life is that with the dawn of each new day, comes the knowledge of a bit of uncertainty as to what exactly fate has in store for each of us. Despite all our careful planning and preparation, we do not always follow our detailed game plan of life. Other people co-exist with us, and they inturn, through their words and actions, whether direct or indirect, affect us as to how we act or react to others.

In a sense this is good. That is what makes life interesting and not a complete bore. However, we must realize that both good and bad can result from this, and how well we prepare our defenses to cope with the negative issues of life will determine our character, personality, and destiny. What an awesome power and thought! To control our destiny through our daily living.

Life isn't always happy and pleasant. There are times when we fail our own defenses and allow unhappiness into our lives. But we can rid ourselves of unpleasantness and bitterness and allow ourselves to be happy again.

There are many who do not allow much happiness into their lives. They carry so much pride that there is not enough room for the love of Christ in their lives, and as a result, they are rude in speech and actions.

We need to be more kind in our actions and especially in what we say, for in our voices are tones of our true feelings. We must have genuine concern and love for all in our daily living. By this, we are strengthened and uplifted. We become happy and in turn make others happy. It then becomes harder to allow unhappiness and unpleasantness to overtake our thoughts and actions.

What great rewards and blessings await us if we truly love all as our brothers and sisters.

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Happy Birthday!

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New Houses Opened

There are three new houses in the Center nowadays.

Actually, they are houses that were previously used by employees as changing and storage rooms. They have now been opened and made available for visitors to see.

The Hawaiian Village has the Hale Mua, a men's eating house. Another new addition for this village is a place for their carver, who will now be a permanent feature there.

The Marquesan Tohua has a new "old men's house", and the Tahitian Village another small building that was formerly used just for storage.

These new attractions should add to the overall authenticity of the villages.