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JOEL LEE MAN BREAKS RECORD

"Joel Leeman of the Hawaii Swimming Club . . . in the Rainbow Swimming Meet," on May 10, 1952, "at the Wai-kiki War Memorial Natatorium," broke the "Hawaiian AAU Women's record for the hundred-meter backstroke. She topped Teammate Evelyn Kawamoto in a hairline finish with favorite and Hawaiian record-holder Julia Murakami taking third. Catherine Kleinschmidt was fourth. Joel's record time was 1:20.3." Her coach, Soichi Sakamoto, said that Joel Leeman "has an excellent chance of qualifying in the backstroke for the American Olympic Team."