CATALINA SURF RACE

The race held from Catalina Island to Manhattan Beach on September 12 had one Hawaiian entry, George Downing. George, who came in fifth in a time of 9 hours and 16 minutes, was adjudged third later due to disqualification of two others who led him. The race is a grueling 32mile pull through mighty cold water and George suffered from the cold. He did, however, make a fine race of it. Our own George Brangier was the helping hand that advanced the final finances in order that Downing could compete.