

# COAST DEFENDERS TRIM OUTRIGGERS

Oahu-Service Athletic League  
Basketball Season Coming To  
Close Next Thursday

## OAHU-SERVICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE BASKETBALL SERIES

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Marines	5	5	0	1.000
Coast Defense	6	5	1	.857
Signal Corps	5	3	2	.600
Outrigger	6	3	3	.500
College of Hawaii	5	2	3	.400
First Hawaiian	6	1	5	.167
Department Hospital	5	0	5	.000

### Yesterday's Results

Coast Defense 62, Outrigger 28 (regular).

Argonauts 39, Goecas' Wonders 22 (exhibition).

### Next Thursday's Games

Department Hospital vs. Marines.  
Signal Corps vs. College of Hawaii.

Despite the fact that the Outrigger Canoe Club put up a hard fight in its scheduled game of the Oahu-Service Athletic League basketball series yesterday afternoon in the National Guard armory court, the Coast Defense had apparently no difficulty in winning out, 62-28. It was the last appearance of the two teams in a regular game this season, for both have played six games.

Malone was in fine fettle, while Lieutenant Wells played a star game, some of his long-distance shots being marvels of accuracy. Levenson also played a great game. Although James and Rankin fail to show on the score sheet, they were very much in the game in passing and interference.

Percy Nottage starred for the Wai-kikians, while Decker and Auerbach also showed fine form. Harvey and Smith did their share, as did Fritschi later on. "Dad" Center was sent in to save the game in the final quarter, but it was too late to do any good, despite his heroic efforts.

### Season Near Close

The last regular games are scheduled for next Thursday evening, these being those postponed from last Thursday to Saturday and then put off again to the coming Thursday. In this double-header the Department Hospital and Marines are scheduled to come together in the opener, but the Department Hospital will forfeit. This will give a chance for a great exhibition game between the Marines, leaders and already acknowledged champions of the league, and the Coast Defense, runners up.

It has been claimed right along that the Coast Defense five is a much faster and more formidable team on a hard-wood floor than are the Marines. The game, should it come off, would alone be worth the price of admission.

In the second game of the evening the Signal Corps and College of Hawaii will come together. This will close the year's basketball season, although there is a possibility that another exhibition game between the Marines and Coast Defense will be played next Saturday evening, to be followed by a dance which should draw the service and civilian fans and fannettes in big numbers.

The second game yesterday was an

# CLIF DURANT WINS SANTA MONICA RACE

Walter Melchior Killed When Car  
Overturms In Making  
a Curve

SANTA MONICA, California, March 16 — (Associated Press)—Clif Durant won the Santa Monica Road Race yesterday, covering the 251.16 miles of the distance in 3 hours, 4 minutes and 45 seconds, an average of 81.6 miles an hour.

Eddie Hearne was second, Lecocq third, and Pullen fourth.

Walter Melchior, one of the racers, was killed when his machine overturned in making a curve.

exhibition affair between Christ Foley's Argonauts and Goecas' Wonders and as a contest it was all to the good. The Argonauts put the game on ice in the first quarter.

### Coast Defense vs. Outrigger

Lineup of first game:

Coast Defense—Levenson, Malone, Wells, James and Rankin. Sappier for James in last quarter.

Outrigger—Auerbach, Decker, Nottage, Harvey and Smith. Fritschi for Smith in third quarter; "Dad" Center for Nottage in last quarter.

### Summary:

Baskets from field: Coast Defense—Malone 14, Wells 12, Levenson 5. Outrigger—Nottage 6, Auerbach 3, Decker 3, Harvey 1.

Baskets from foul: Decker 1, Nottage 1. Miss baskets from foul: Levenson 2, Decker 1, Nottage 1.

### Score by quarters—

	1	2	3	4	Total
Coast Defense	20	10	16	16	62
Outrigger	6	11	6	5	28

### Officials—Henry Haneberg, referee;

Dr. S. K. Lorigan, timekeeper; Rudolph J. Smythe, scorer; J. Ashman Beaven, blackboard marker.

### Argonauts vs. Goecas' Wonders

Lineup of the second game:

Argonauts—Abe Kaleikau, Ah Chu Ho, Judd, Thurston, Blaisdell. Luiz Gaspar for Judd in second half.

Goecas' Wonders—Sarabashi, Walter Chung, Goecas, William Ching, R. Chung, Ah Wun for Sarabashi and Kamfor R. Chung in second half.

### Summary:

Baskets from field: Argonauts—Kaleikau 10, Thurston, 4, Ah Chu Ho 2, Blaisdell 2, Judd 1. Goecas' Wonders—Walter Chung 5, Goecas 2, Ah Wun 2, Sarabashi 1, William Ching 1.

Baskets from foul: Judd 1. Miss baskets from foul—W. Chung 1, Goecas 1.

### Score by quarters—

	1	2	3	4	Total
Argonauts	15	4	10	10	39
Goecas' Wonders	6	4	4	4	22

### Officials—Henry Haneberg, referee;

Dr. S. K. Lorigan, timekeeper; Rudolph J. Smythe, scorer; J. Ashman Beaven, blackboard marker.

DETROIT, March 3.—Taking four of the six fifty-point blocks, Pierre Mappome, Mexican billiardist, tonight won the 300-point three cushion match with August Kieckhefer of Chicago, 300 to 281.