

Medeiros Will Run Unattached

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IN TODAY'S A. A. U. MEET

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Pals May Nose Out Beach Club

THAT imposing lead conceded the Outrigger Canoe Club to win the annual Hawaiian Track and Field A. A. U. meet this afternoon at the Alexander Field, is not so imposing and Palama Settlement now has a better chance of nosing out the Beachcombers because of the withdrawal of Henry Medeiros, St. Louis distance ace with the Outrigger club, from that organization. Medeiros last night told The Advertiser that his father objected to his competing under the colors of the Canoe club, hence his withdrawal. Medeiros has not been in the best of health during the last few days because of a severe cold and it is not certain whether he will run at all this afternoon.

TO BEAT HOOPER'S RECORD

It is a safe bet that Medeiros can splinter to pieces the mile record of Burton Hooper without much effort if he should be in as good condition as he was at the Rainbow Relay Carnival last week.

W. Robinson's mark for the half mile grind should be no test for the fleet-footed schoolboy. There is only one man who may withstand the prowess of Henry Medeiros in the mile scramble and that is Frank

Cerney of the Army. Cerney has been credited time five seconds or so faster than the AAU's best mark. There is Castanha too who has to be considered when the final reckoning comes. It is true that the Palama star looked weak last week as compared to his last season's form, but he may be a whole lot better today.

ANOTHER MARK CERTAIN

The half mile record is going to be smashed without a doubt, that is the consensus of opinion among track fans and dopesters. That mark of 2 minutes 2 seconds by W. Robinson, after standing for nine seasons, will be dumped into the rubbish box, when George Kahoiwai, Palama stepper, Castanha and Medeiros are through with it, also the two-mile run. G. Nather's mark of 10 minutes 46 and 1-5 seconds is easy for such boys as Stone, Toots Harrison, Waialua Low and Sorenson.

Even with the loss of Medeiros, the Paddlers still hold the edge over the Pals and University of Hawaii. That edge is slighter since Medeiros was certain of earning from five to eight points. Palama should come in second and the University third.