

# Army Distance Star Wins Annual A. C. A. Marathon

Frank Cerny—short, stocky and only Army entry—raced to a close victory over A. P. Helbush, unattached runner, yesterday morning in the annual All-Around Chinese Athletic Club marathon classic which attracted a field of 12 fast starters who stepped off from the foot of Fort St. before the brand new Aloha tower to the finish which was at the start of the annual Star-Bulletin mile swim on Alawai.

Cerny gave the starters a handicap of five and a half minutes and came in on the final stretch to nose out Veteran Helbush by a little less than 20 yards. The timers clocked him at 40 minutes 49 seconds, but the net time or the real time that Frank Cerny covered the course in was 35 minutes 19 seconds.

Burton Hooper, the famous distance runner of the Outrigger Canoe Club, left the start seven minutes after the first group took off, but found that the seven minutes' handicap was too great to overcome. At the three mile mark which was at Kalakaua Ave. and John Ena Road, he was over 1000 yards behind the leader, and he thought it wise to drop out from the grind altogether. Cerny, the winner, started a minute and a half ahead of Hooper and overtook Helbush, who had been given a full three minutes' handicap over him.

## Starts at Fast Clip

Frank Cerny is with the 21st Infantry of Schofield Barracks. He trained exclusively at that post for the race. Starting off at the bark of Arthur Powlison's starting gun, Cerny set for himself a fast pace. Just before the first bridge at the Ala Moana he passed Fong Mau who had left the start fully a minute ahead of him. He was in seventh place and about a mile behind Yoshii, who had been going a good pace at John Ena Rd. and Kalakaua Ave. Hooper was about 440 yards back of him.

It was on the long stretch on Kalakaua Ave. that he cut down the handicap. Yoshii, who was leading Helbush and Mendonca by 25 yards dropped out and slid into an automobile at the entrance into Kapiolani park on Kalakaua Ave. Cerny was coming fast in third place and caught up with the leaders at the end of the carline. He kept up the pace with the leaders and cut loose in the final stretch, nosing out A. P. Helbush and Fong Mau, who finished second and third in order.

To Frank Cerny goes the big silver cup offered to first place by the A. C. A. club. Helbush captured the United Chinese society cup, and Fong Mau the Chinese consul trophy.

More than 2500 persons followed the race in cars and there were about 3000 persons at the finish.

## Enviably Record.

That Cerny is a strong distance man may be gleaned from the following record: He won the mile event in the army division track and field meet, doing the distance below 4 minutes 59 seconds. At the annual Rainboy Relay carnival he helped the army snatch first honors in the medley event in which Outrigger with Burt Hooper as anchor was disqualified

after winning first place.

The course was altered a bit to make the distance equivalent to six miles. The start was at the foot of Fort St. before the Aloha tower. The runners ran on Allen St. into the Ala Moana and turned in at John Ena Rd., thence into Kalakaua Ave. until the end of the Walkiki carline. From there the runners turned left into the road leading into Kapiolani park. At Kapahulu Rd. the course turned into the Canal Rd. to the spot where the second annual Star-Bulletin swim started.

The A. C. A. wishes through the medium of The Star-Bulletin to thank the numerous officials who helped to make the race the success it was: To Dr. Min Hin Li, who donated his services as physician of the run; Arthur Powlison, starter; Mr. and Mrs. E. Fullard-Leo, referees; Victor Ligda, timer and judge, and all others who assisted.

## CHICKAMAUGANS WIN SWIM MEET

### Jackson Is High Point Man With Two First and One Second

KAWAHAPAI, June 1. — The Chickamaugan aquatic team won the brigade swimming meet held yesterday from the Gimlets by the narrow margin of 22 to 19. Jackson was the high point man for the day, grabbing off two first and one second place. The meet was followed by a demonstration in life saving in which many regiments participated.

Three heats were held in the 50-yard dash, the 21st getting first place in two and the 19th managing to take the third heat. Read and Broderick were the men from the Gimlet camp to show the speed while Jackson did the work for the Chicks.

100-yard swim—First, Thornton, 21st Infantry; second, Wilcox, 21st Infantry; third, McKelvie, 19th Infantry.

200-yard swim—Posnermick, 19th Infantry; second, Davis, 21st Infantry; third, O'Shea, 19th Infantry.

Flag race, 50 yards—First, Jackson, 19th Infantry; second, Martin, 21st Infantry; third, Pitzer, 19th Infantry.

50-yard swim—First, Broderick, 21st Infantry; second, Jackson, 19th Infantry; third, Martin, 19th Infantry.

All of the events were keenly contested and in the finals of the 50-yard dash Jackson was but a few inches behind the winner at the finish. The demonstration in the life saving events brought out a lot of well skilled swimmers who proved to be quite familiar with the ocean waves. In the stunt of removing the outer clothing from the