

2 CONTESTANTS SCRATCHED FROM 100 YARDS RACE

Real Talent Is Uncovered In First Night of Palama Swimming Meet

Gay Harris and H. Wright were scratched from the 100 yards free-style for men listed on the program for the Palama swimming meet to-night, making it unnecessary to run off heats in that event at Palama tank last night. The balance of the program will start at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Although no records were broken, some fast time was made in the heats held last night in two events, and the two final races which were staged.

In the 100 yards men's novice, T. Ellis, Outrigger Club, won the first heat in 1:06 with very little effort. H. Brotz, Army, grabbed the second heat in 1:06.1. These times are not fast even for the novice event, but the leaders in the two races were content to place and did not extend themselves. It looks as though the finals tonight will develop into a close contest in this event.

The biggest upset of the evening was the defeat of Lieut P. C. Howe, Army, but J. Jones, Navy swimmer, in the 100 yards breaststroke, service. Jones was timed at 1:16.

Wins Backstroke

J. Komenaka won the finals in the 50 yards backstroke for boys under 18 years, his time being :32.4. J. Bergau finished a close second and C. Lum was third. The three first men finished within a yard of each other.

The other final events run off was the diving for boys under 18 years. F. Kennedy was given first place, A. Hess second and H. Komura third. A comer was uncovered in B. Howell, diminutive Outrigger Club contestant. Howell was leading on points, outclassing boys several years his senior, until the last couple of performances, when he lost his balance in the middle of difficult dives. Howell looks like a find and will undoubtedly be heard from later.

The summary follows:

Finals

50 yard backstroke for boys under 18—1st, J. Komenaka, Mac; J. Bergau, OCC; 3rd, C. Lum, Nuuanu Y. Time, .32:4.

100 yard breaststroke (service)—1st, J. Jones, Navy; 2nd, Lieut. P. C. Howe, Army; 3rd, F. Murphy, Army. Time, 1:16.

Diving for boys under 18—1st, F. Kennedy, Mac; 2nd, A. Hess, OCC; 3rd, H. Komura, Mac.

Trials

First heat, freestyle, boys under 16—1st, A. Hess, OCC; 2nd, Mamiya, Palama; 3rd, P. Katsumi, Palama. Time, .28. Second heat—1st, J. Fortune, Nuuanu Y; 2nd, K. Oihara, Nuuanu Y; 3rd, H. Gaudall, Palama. Time, .27.3.

100 yards for men, novice—First heat: 1st, T. Ellis, OCC; 2nd, W. Loo, N. Y.; 3rd, J. Komenaka, Mac. Time, 1:06. Second heat: 1st, H. Brotz, Army; 2nd, J. Kakauku, Central Y; 3rd, H. Kawamura, N. Y. Time, 1:06:1.