

OUTRIGGER CANOE RACES PREDICTED BY 'DAD' CENTER

Motors Attached To 'Yaku' of Canoe Adds Speed; Ideal For Cruising

Gratifying results are being obtained by George ("Dad") Center and several motorboat experts in experiments along the beach of Waikiki with outrigger canoes with motors attached to the "yaku" or rear end of the boats.

High speeds have been obtained in these successful experiments which promise to revolutionize outrigger canoeing at the beach. The motored-outrigger canoes will be of valuable service to the swimmers at Waikiki, not only as a means of transporting and cruising in speedy manner but for first aid to helpless swimmers.

Plans and the specifications of these designed motors will soon be turned over to the Outrigger Canoe club by "Dad" Center and his committee of experts.

"When all experiments are completed," "Dad" Center said, "and the people see their practical value, I would not be surprised to see outrigger canoe racing on a high scale at the beach in the future."