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will join Johnny Weismuller of the Illinois Athletic club; Walter Laufer of the North Shore Swimming club of Chicago and George Kojac of the Boys' club of New York in competition in the sprints.

Kahapamoku will be 39 years of age on his next birthday. If he appears at the Detroit trials, as is expected, Duke, who is nearing the two score mark, will be competing against men who are all in their early twenties.

For many years Duke Kahanamoku shattered one world's record after another. He was the champion of more than one Olympiad and was hailed as the swimming phenomenon, bringing aquatic glory to the United States and especially to his own Hawaii.

Prospect that Duke again will appear at an Olympiad was hailed with enthusiasm here today.