

"Buster" Crabbe

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was 2 minutes and 50 seconds flat.

The big race of the day was the 1500 meters. Crabbe swam third through nearly the entire race, pressing Charlton closely during the early stages. At the half way mark Crabbe was about six yards behind the Australian.

Crabbe sprinted 100 yards from the finish, but he was unable to decrease Charlton's lead. Buster's coach declared he is delighted in the Honolulu lad's showing in his first real competition. Crabbe swam throughout the race at a six beat crawl stroke.

At the 400 meters mark Crabbe was clocked at 5 minutes and 9 seconds flat. At the 1000 meters mark he was clocked at 13 minutes and 27 seconds flat and at 1300 meters his time was 19 minutes and 6 seconds flat.

Crabbe finished 26 1-5 seconds behind Charlton, who was 11 4-5 seconds behind Borg. Borg was obviously striving for the world's record throughout the race. He set a remarkable pace from the very start.