

LET'S GO AFTER THE NATIONAL WOMEN'S SWIMS

THERE is no logical reason why Hawaii should not stage the 1929 National women's outdoor swimming championships, we have the pool and also the fans who will pay their way to see the world's best mermaids in action. We are shy only women who can compete against the mainlanders and make a good showing, for our best, Lily Bowmer May and Mariechen Wehselau failed to place on the last United States Olympic team.

If Center has inside information that Hawaii can get the women's championships (and the chances are that he has), then plans should be made at once for this event, which is 12 months away, and these plans should include a roll call of all the women swimmers of Hawaii, when an intensive campaign should be mapped out, so that we can develop our mermaids into real threats when the mainlanders arrive.

Judging by past performances Hawaiian women swimmers will train more faithfully and work harder than the men.

Let's give 'em a chance.