

SWIMFEST

JOHNNY WOODD TO COMPETE IN THE BACKSTROKE SWIM

Lillie Bowmer May and Other Star Performers Will Be Seen In Action

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Sixty-one entries were received for the first official A. A. U. swimming meet to be held Friday night, February 14, at the War Memorial Natatorium.

The Duke Kahanamoku Swimfest featuring many Olympic, national and international aquatic titleholders promises to be a big gala meeting of aquatic luminaries. The first event will commence at 8 p. m.

Every open event including the four junior district championships have a large number of entries. Many clubs that have been active in The Star - Bulletin weekly swims have their competitors entered.

Lillie Bowmer May former district champion and experienced

swimmer in many national championships, is entered in the 100 meter freestyle for women. Lillie will find May Wescoatt and Mildred Slight a little more experienced and trained for these races. However, the O. C. C. mermaid is always capable of 1 minute 12 seconds for her race.

Another Star

Another well known national competitor is entered in the 200 meter backstroke, a junior district championship. Johnny Woodd of Central "Y" is one of 16 entries in this open event. Johnny is not eligible for any of the freestyle title events, having already won previous championships in this style of swimming.

The Duke will give two exhibitions in the pool. He will demonstrate various strokes, swim a fast 100 meters and then compete in the 300 meter medley relay against the picked team of the Harris family. This will be a feature race.

In Exhibition

Norman Ross will give an exhibition of swimming against time at a speed distance and surprise many of the followers of swimming who will see a six foot four man over 200 pounds cut the water like a lightweight.

Hui Nalu, Hui Kakanl, Nuuanu Y, Central Y, Port De Russy, Port Shafter, Palama Settlement, McKinley high school, University of Hawaii, Star-Bulletin A. A., Aliiolani school, Women's Swimming Association of Hawaii, Outrigger Canoe Club; Lincoln Junior high school, and seven unattached are the organizations who will be represented in the gala swimfest for Friday night. Fourteen swimming clubs are ready for the gala program of events.

Place Lanes

The swimming lanes will be placed in the pool this afternoon. This will give all the contestants an opportunity to work out in the preserved seven foot lanes allowed for

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