

# STAR SWIMMERS PREPARING FOR MEET JUNE 4-5

## Many Arguments Will Be Settled At Meet Sponsored By McKinley High

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Hawaii's best men and women swimmers are working out daily at the natatorium and indications are that the annual Acme meet to be held at the big pool June 4 and 5 will produce some fast races.

The 14 senior Hawaiian association championships for men and women will settle definitely in the minds of the swimming committee the outstanding performers in our district.

The argument as to who is the best mermaid sprinter and medley champion is nothing compared to the comment regarding breaststroke.

May Wescoatt, a 17-year-old swimmer from McKinley high school, has lowered most records made in the association and should have very little trouble in defeating her field even though this is her first year of open competition.

The rivalry between Buddle Crabbe and Maiola Kalili will be settled when these two friendly champions meet in the various events where a title and gold medal will be at stake. There should be fast times recorded. The 300 meter medley will be one of the feature events.

### Juvenile Races

The races for the juveniles will be a meeting of young champions. The final May 31 Star-Bulletin swimfest will determine many of the entries, and the Acme meet should witness for the first time these young titleholders in their first official open race.

The 400 meter relay for women should be a real race. The possible entry of the University of Hawaii with the reputed times made by Rose Simonson; the young novice team of the W. S. A. of Hawaii, Barbara Barilo, Jean Smith, May Wescoatt, Beatrice Nicoll, Barbara Nicoll and the strong older and more experienced Outrigger team with Olga Clark, Lorena Hines, Mildred Slight, Lillie B. May, should furnish plenty of fireworks for the spectators.

### Great Event

The 880 yard championship relay for men will be a great race. The team of Hui Makani with Maiola Kalili and his brother Manuella, Maurice Purusho and Hiromoto, who have already broken many of the records of the association, will find the other teams a little more prepared than they were last year.

Outrigger will have a half mile relay team that should make the Hui Makani boys step out. However, the Battery A team of De Russy, the quarter from Fort Shafter with its speedy anchor man, Harold Hanhy, and one or more teams, possibly the University of Hawaii, will make this Thursday night final event a real championship affair.



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