CRABBE DEFEATS MAIOLA KALILI

Buster Only Undefeated Swimmer In Nationals; Kalili Wins Backstroke

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Austin Clapp, turned ahead of Crabbe at the 220-yard mark. It took Buster only about three strokes to plll even with his rival after the turn, however, and by the time he reached the 330 yard mark he turned even with Maiola. On the pushoff from the ewa end of the tank Buster again displayed stronger drive, which forced him ahead. He then increased his speed, never once glancing at his opponents, and plowed down the home stretch to finish two full yards ahead.

Unable To Match

Maiola, unable to match Buster's speed on the final lap, finished second. The big surprise came when Ted Wiget of the Athens Athletic club of Oakland, Cal., took third place. He finished ahead of John Howland of the New York A. C., who was fourth. Austin Clapp, expected to be a strong contender for first place, was in the group that touched close behind Howland.

Buster's long, smooth, powerful stroke was again the cause of comment from all sides. He swam much smoother than any other swimmer in the pool and, though tired at the finish, still had plenty of strength left.

This evening the Kalili-Crabbe feud will be continued when Boster defends his title of national 300 meter medley champion. This race, considered the supreme test of an all-around swimmer, should develop into another battle between Maiola and Buster with the latter the favorite.

Maiola Winner

The 220 yard backstroke national championship event Maiola Kalili won all the way, turning first at the 110 yard mark and hold his lead on the home stretch to finish about four feet ahead of his teammate, Frank Walton.

The Hollywood A. C. took all three places in the backstroke, Frank Booth finishing third.

Maiola Kalili is still high point man in the meet with 11 to his credit, having won the backstroke and taken second in the 100 meters freestyle and 440 freestyle. Buster Crabbe is second with 10 points, having won the one mile and 440 yards freestyle national events.

Muriel Swift Stars

Next to the performances of the swimmers in the national events the feature of last evening's program was the swimming of Miss Muriel Swift, who won both the 50 meter freestyle and backstroke events. Miss Swift, who swims for the Women's Swimming Association of Hawaii, finished first, in the 50 meters backstroke for girls under 16 in 42 3-5 seconds. She was closely pressed by Gladys Slaght of the Outrigger Canoe club, who was second, and Frances Reuter, also of the Outrigger club, who finished third.

Diving Exhibition

This race was followed by the diving exhibition and after that brief rest Miss Swift went back into the pool and won the 50 meter freestyle novice for women in 35 4-5 seconds. Helen Stanley was second and Frances Reuter third. Sargent Kahanamoku started the meet off by winning the 100 meter freestyle Hawaiian championship for the Hui Nalu, finishing in 62 2-5 seconds. Malcolm Paoa of Hui Nalu was second and Maurice Furusho of Hui Makani third.

Joseph Steele of the Navy broke the Hawaiian record for the 200 meter breaststroke when he won the service championship in 3 min-

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