

# BUSTER CRABBE TAKES THE 400 METERS FINALS

Honolulu Youth Victor With  
Terrific Finish Over Jean  
Taris, French Swimmer

New World and New Olym-  
pic Mark of 4:48.4 Is Set  
By Island Speedster

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LOS ANGELES, Aug. 10.  
—Coming from behind in a  
terrific finish, Clarence  
(Buster) Crabbe of the  
United States defeated a  
classy field today in the 400  
meter freestyle swimming  
final of the Olympiad. Jean  
Taris of France was second  
by inches.

Taris took the lead from the start  
and held it until the last few meters.

Buster's time was 4 minutes 48.4  
seconds, better than Arne Borg's  
1925 world record of 4 minutes 50.3  
seconds and was a new Olympic  
record.

The United States captured the  
first three places in the women's  
Olympic springboard diving finals  
today, with Georgia Coleman of Los  
Angeles winning the 1932 cham-  
pionship.

Katherine Rawls, 14 year old Mi-  
ami sensation, was second and Jane  
Fauntz of Chicago third.

The sweep of the springboard  
diving gave the United States a  
commanding lead in women's team  
points with 39. Australia was sec-  
ond with 13, Holland and Japan  
tied for third with five each, Den-  
mark had four, Great Britain and  
Germany three each, Canada two  
and South Africa one.

## Takes 87.52 Points

Miss Coleman totaled 87.52 points  
in three compulsory and three vol-  
untary dives off a 10-foot spring-  
board. Miss Rawls had 82.52 points  
and Miss Fauntz 82.12.

Olga Jordan of Germany was  
fourth with 77.60; Doris Ogilvie,  
Canada, 70; Madeline Epply, Aus-  
tria, 63.70; Etsuko Kamakura, Ja-  
pan, 60.78; Ingrid Larsen, Denmark,  
57.26.

The three American girls led in  
the event throughout, with the  
Florida girl tying Miss Coleman,

America's diving  
queen, for first  
place as the com-  
petition opened.

Miss Coleman  
and Miss Rawls  
each gained 11.48  
points with a  
front jackknife  
off the 10 foot  
springboard, Miss  
Fauntz rating

Miss Coleman 11.20.

As the diving started, Doris  
Ogilvie was the leading foreigner  
with 9.80. Etsuko Kamakura had  
9.52, Olga Jordan 8.96, Madeline Ep-  
ply 7.84 and Ingrid Larsen 7.56.

The first two heats of the 100 me-  
ter backstroke for men didn't pro-

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