

Local Boys Will Give Champ Close Battle; All Training Hard

BY RUTH STACKER

JOHNNY WEISSMULLER, senior national indoor champion, from the Windy City, is coming up against probably the strongest opposition he has ever known in the Hui Makani meet to be staged at the Waterhouse Memorial tank on Friday and Saturday nights.

With Duke Kahanamoku entirely out of the running, Weissmuller will have much to think about in the persons of Billy Harris of the Outrigger club and Warren Kealoha, junior national champ, of the Hui Makani.

Harris is swimming so hard and fast that his trainer, "Toutie" Hough, is actually surprised, and Warren on Friday morning equalled the Chicago lad's practice time of 52 1-5 without any visible effort.

Boys on Their Mettle

The boys are on their mettle, nor are they in any way overtrained. They are taking it easy—without loafing, realizing that the reputation of the islands as well as themselves is somewhat at stake, and they want not only to keep but to bring more records to the islands.

Nor is all of the interest centered on the men. Both Mariechen Wehseleu and Lillie Bowmer will put up a fight for world supremacy in the 50-yard back stroke and women's 100-yard event. Lillie Bowmer already has a good start for the back stroke event and Mariechen is but a fraction of a second behind the world mark in the 100.

Under the direction of D. L. Conkling, president of the Hui Makani, this is going to be easily the most spectacular and best organized tank meet the islands has ever known. There are 96 entries.

Somewhat after the manner of Australian meets a review of the contestants will be held, led by a band of Hawaiian troubadours, from the dressing rooms down the terrace and around the sides of the tank and back, starting promptly at 8 o'clock. At 8:15 the first race will be run off and each event will be pulled according to scheduled time, with a view to having the tank cleared after the last event at 10:15.

Hawaiian Music To Feature

Hawaiian music at a swimming meet is a new venture and a pleasing one. In fact, Conkling believes that all the meet will lack will be a great, round moon, and even without it, the stars may be kind.

Another feature will be the presentation of a maile and real ilima lei to each swimmer who breaks a world record. This will be done immediately after each event when also the prizes will be awarded to the contestants.

Conkling has ordered 12 of these leis for each night, and he says that he expects to use every one of the 24, as there is a record-holder competing in nearly every event.

Another class A feature of Conkling's meet is the elimination of the long session in the plunge for distance, which will be for the first time competitive in that the entrants (not more than six) will leave the starting board at the same time. The usual method of running off a plunge is to give each man three chances, which makes it a long and tiresome event.

Side Lines Clear

Officials only are to be allowed along the sides of the tank and the starting mark. In other words, coaches, towel swingers and newspaper reporters will have a space portioned out to them, with tables and every convenience for their work.

Today the judges and officials will meet at luncheon and discuss new rulings and every detail for the meet so that it will be run on schedule time and in order.

Tryouts for the meet will be held at the Waterhouse tank on Wednesday night. At least six contestants will be drawn for Friday night's swim.



Due to the large number of entrants tryouts will be held for the following events tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock:

220-yard men's novice, 50-yard women's novice, 50-yard women's back stroke, 50 yards for boys under 15, 100 yards women's open, 50 yards men's novice, 50 yards men's back stroke, 50 yards men's open, 50 yards women's back stroke novice.

List of Entries

Following are the entrants, by clubs, and the officials for the meet: Illinois Athletic Club—John Weissmuller.

Kaimuki Athletic Club—George F. Kane.

Outrigger Canoe Club—Peggy Ault, Geraldine Beckus, Lillie Bowmer, Eleanor Bickerton, Constance Davis, Leilehua Judd, Helen Moses, Helen Martin, Dolly Mooney, Ruth Rankin, Ruth Scudder, Christine Smoot, Dorothy Waldron, Mariechen Wehseleu, Donald Angus, Tom Balding, Buster Brown, Bob Burbank, Bouldin Burbank, LeRoy C. Bush, Ernest Cook, Harrison Cooke, Harold Erdman, Gay Harris, W. W. Harris, Fred Lambert, Colin G. Lennox, M. L. Hartmann, K. McKinney, Clifton Mayne, A. E. Minville, Frank Mooney, James O. Dowda, Oliver Reynolds, Kenneth Ross, Fred Steere, Fred C. Trotter, A. C. Westervelt, T. Marston.

Palama Settlement—Elsie Brown, Doris Halenhi, Elizabeth Rath, W. Holt.

Hui Nalu—Ah Kong Pang, Mark Bertlemann, Francis H. J. Brown, Jack Hjorth, Richard Holstein, Joseph Ikeole, Sam Kahanamoku, Lukea Kaupiko, Fred Wilhelm, James Whittle.

Hui Makani—Mollie Akana, Lorna Awai, Phoebe Herriek, Edith H. Kenn, Thelma Kenn, Hilda Miller, Margaret Miller, Hazel E. Westcott, J. Buffum, Wm. H. Crozier, Jr., Hartwell Doane, Robert Dutra, James L. Foley, Alan Freeland, Robert K. Fuller, William Jones, Isaih Kaakimaka, William Kaeo, Philip Kahala, Noah Kalama, Keli Kanoa, Warren D. Kealoha, Albert H. Lum, Henry Lunning, Ernest Mamala, Albert K. Napoleon, Walter Napoleon, Mel Peterson, Charles Pung, Joseph Pung, James Sakuma, Jr., Wm. K. Simerson, John K. Wood.

Unattached—Gertrude Burns, Thelma Keller, Ella Moltzau, Edith Pang, Flora E. Woodhull, Helen Young, George Forrest, Pua Kealoha, James G. Rodgers.

Those In Charge

Games Committee—D. L. Conkling, chairman; E. Fullard-Leo, Robert McR. Purvis, A. L. C. Atkinson, F. C. Bailey.

Starter—W. A. Cottrell.

Referee—L. Leo.

Clerk of Course—A. C. Reinecke.

MAJOR AND MINOR STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	31	21	10	.677
Pittsburgh	30	17	13	.567
St. Louis	32	18	14	.563
Chicago	31	16	15	.516
Cincinnati	34	17	17	.500
Brooklyn	32	14	18	.438
Philadelphia	28	11	17	.393
Boston	28	9	19	.321

Yesterday's Results

Brooklyn 3, at Chicago 0; New York 2, at Cincinnati 7; Philadelphia 0, at Pittsburgh 5; Boston 8, at St. Louis 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	36	25	11	.694
St. Louis	34	20	14	.588
Philadelphia	31	15	15	.500
Cleveland	35	17	18	.486
Detroit	34	16	17	.485
Washington	34	15	19	.441
Boston	29	12	17	.414
Chicago	34	13	21	.382

Yesterday's Results

Cleveland 7, at Boston 1; Detroit 5, at Philadelphia 5 (called in 10th, rain); St. Louis 3, at New York 4 (13 innings); Chicago 4, at Washington 3.

COAST LEAGUE

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Vernon	34	22	12	.647
San Francisco	38	22	16	.579
Salt Lake	32	17	15	.531
Los Angeles	38	20	18	.526
Seattle	38	18	20	.474
Portland	32	15	17	.460
Oakland	39	16	23	.410
Sacramento	38	15	23	.395

Yesterday's Results

Vernon 7, San Francisco 5. No other games played.

Scorer—C. E. Warriner.

Head Judge—H. N. Mosher; associate judges: Duke Kahanamoku, Herman von Holt, Lawrence Cunha, Ben H. Clark, A. H. Tarleton, Lorin P. Thurston, R. L. Richards.

Head Timer—Robert Horner; associate timers: R. A. Vitousek, Merle M. Johnson, A. H. Myhre, Ben Hollinger, P. M. Smoot.

Marshal—J. W. Asch.

Chaperones—Mrs. R. T. Moses, Outrigger Club; Miss Laura Love, Palama; Mrs. Harvey P. Chilton, Hui Makani; Mrs. George Paul, unattached.

Announcer—Addison A. Kinney. Ushering in charge of Punahou Academy.