

ONE YARD BACK! ARE YOU READY? BANG! STARS SWIM AT PUNAHOU TANK TONIGHT

It won't be "Onyer marks!" as in the old days, but it will be "One yard back!" tonight at the Punahou tank when the first race is started in the two-night Hui Makani meet at which Johnny Weissmuller, Illinois Athletic club star, is to be chief performer.

And when the swimmers have moved back a yard, as the new starting system prescribes, Starter "Knut" Cottrell will yell out:

"Are you ready?"

The swimmers will step forward to the edge of the tank.

"Bang!" goes the gun. And they're off in a cloud of spray.

The main event tonight is Weissmuller's appearance. He is entered for the 50 yards men's senior indoor national A. A. U. championship and for the 220 yards men's open. In the first event his keenest competition will be from Warren Kealoha of the Hui Makani club and W. W. Harris Jr. of the Outrigger Canoe club. In the second event, the two local stars will compete against Weissmuller again but Harris is expected to give him the test. Warren Kealoha holds the national indoor 50 yards title at :25 flat but that time is sure to fall tonight. In the 220 yards, Weissmuller hold the record at 2:17.2.

"Wahine" Number

The next most important event will be the 100 yards women's free style. Since Helen Moses beat Mariechen Wehselau in the half century at the Thurston meet and Lillie Bowmer made record time, the competition between these three Outrigger swimmers has become mighty keen. The record for the distance is 1:03.4 held by Ethelda Bleibtrey.

The remainder of the 14 events listed are not major numbers but will nevertheless be highly interesting. The meet will open with a grand review of swimmers and the first race will start at 8:15 o'clock. The officials are requested to be on hand at 7:30 o'clock.

Prizes

The presentation of prizes will take place immediately after each event. Those who break world records, will be presented with a real malle or ilima lei. The presentation will be made by a group of young women, headed by Princess Kapiolani, who will have for her assistants Miss Frances Farrington, Miss Mildred Jones, Mrs. Robert Purvis, Miss Leinani Chillingworth, Miss Madeline Chapin, Miss Marion Paris, Miss Helen Church and Miss Jeannette Kilburn.

THEY'RE OFF



PREP LEAGUE NOTES

Punahou is working hard to get that game with Mills which will be life or death for at least two teams of the prep league. McKinley and Punahou will both be tied with the Pilipili team if Punahou wins.

Mills has displayed a steadier hitting team than any other member of the interscholastic league. The Manoa gang is always there with safe wallops in a pinch, and