Four World's Records To Be Established at Swim Meet Next Week

Events Carded For Paris Next Year To Be Run Off Here For First Time; Greatest Meet Ever Held

THE October Swimming Meet, to be held this week-end in Honolulu Harbor, will be the greatest aquatic event ever staged in the islands, and will be as good as the best ever pulled off anywhere on the mainland.

Two hundred and thirty-five entrants will compete in 36 events, not counting the trial heats.

Three girls who together hold the world's women's aquatic laurels, will race against each other in events which are expected to be the hardest fought in any women's swimming races ever held.

Four world champion swimmers and twelve others who are nationally known will compete in races against each other. These men include the world's premier backstroke and breaststroke swimmers, and men who have come closer to Johnny Weismuller's records in the sprint swims than any other living swimmers.

WORLD MARKS UP

Four world records and seven American records will be certain to be set at this meet, because it will be the first time that four events will be run off, events which are included in the Olympic program for next year; and the first time in history of American swimming that metric distances are to be used exclusively, so that several races are being staged for the first time in American waters.

One relay record, the 400 meters women's record, a world mark, is expected to be slashed by the Outrigger women's relay team, composed of Helen Moses, Janice Lovett, Lillie Bowmer and Mariechen Weheslau.

ONLY FEW

These are only the more important of the things which will make next Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday the greatest swimming dates in the history of the territory.

The Hawaiian band will furnish music on some of the nights, and the Kamehameha school quartet, composed of 25 persons, will furnish music on all nights. The Hui Nalu orchestra will furnish instrumental Hawaiian music, the real dope that you read about in Robert Louis Stevenson's stories of Hawaii.

On Saturday night the election returns will be flashed as soon as they are made known, and the swimming fans will have the most convenient place to receive this information.

Already sales indicate that the largest crowd that has ever attended a swimming meet here will be present on the two big nights, Thursday and Saturday.

Next Wednesday the first events will be run off, and the trials in some of the big events will be staged.

SWIM STARS

The women swimmers who are to battle for the world's swimming supremacy in their field are Miss Gertrude Ederle, recognized as the greatest woman swimmer ever developed; Mariechen Weheslau, who is regarded as the world's greatest sprint swimmer, and Lillie Bowmer, who has made faster time than any other woman swimmer, having traveled 50 yards in :28 flat.

Besides these, Helen Moses, one of the veterans in women's swimming, will compete, and may make the others travel, especially in the longer distances. Janice Lovett, probably the fastest swimmer of her age in the world, holding records which are better than those of the present junior national champion, will also compete with the older swimmers, and is expected to make a creditable showing in the sprints.

MEN SWIMMERS

In the masculine field, Warren Kealoha, world's champion backstroke swimmer; Sam Kahanamoku, the fastest breaststroke swimmer; Clarence Lane and Pua Kealoha, both of first caliber in freestyle swimming, will compete, as well as a number of local stars.

All four of these men are capable of finishing in the money in any race staged, and fans will get an exhibition of speed that will open their eyes.

Here is the program for the three big nights:

WEDNESDAY

1500 meters men, 9; 200 meters women, 7; 100 meters breast men's novice, 12; men's plain high diving, 12; 100 meters service novice, 19; 100 meters boys under 18 years, 15; springboard diving novice, 8.

THURSDAY

200 meters men's breast, 9; 100 meters breaststroke for women, 2; 100 meters men's back, 9; 50 meters for officers, 4; women's high diving, 7; 200 meters men's novice, 12; 50 meters girls under 13 years, 3; 100 meters women, 8; 400 meters men's, 10; men's springboard diving, 8; 100 meters service back, 8; 50 meters boys under 15 years, 11; 800 meters service relay, 3 teams; 400 meters women's relay, 2 teams.

SATURDAY

100 meters women's back, 3; 25 meters girls under 11 years, 4; 100 meters men's, 9; 100 meters service, 20; men's fancy high diving, 5; 400 meters women, 6; 50 meters men's back novice, 15; 25 meters boys under 11 years, 3; 50 meters girls under 15 years, 8; women's springboard diving, 7; 400 meters service, 16; 200 meters breaststroke for women, 2; 50 meters boys under 13 years, 7; 800 meters men's relay, 3 teams.

PRIZES

L. Fullard-Leo has put up a cup for the 200 meters for women. The Print Shop cup is for the 1500 meters for men. The Lewers & Cooke shield is at stake in the girls' relay. Dawkins, Benny Co. cup is up for the service relay, and D. L. Conkling has put up a cup for the men's club relay. Due to the fact that the meet is to raise money for the Hawaiian Olympic team, only ribbons are being given, and any fan wishing to donate a cup will be welcomed.

The list of officials include L. Fullard-Leo, referee; Herman von Holt, starter; A. C. Reinecke and Paul Rice, clerk of course; William Meinecke and C. Chang, scorers; Robert Purvis, M. R. Gregg, E. Coble and A. H. Tarleton, judges; V. Ligda, Milo Vanek and H. Willard, diving scorers; Hiram Anahu and E. Hanson, U. S. N., announcers; J. W. Asch, marshal; Robert B. Fauss, physician; Henry Brooks, U. S. A., physician; Miss E. Viets, Mrs. R. T. Moses and Mrs. H. P. Chilton, chaperons.

World Records Which Are Up At Big Splash

OLYMPIC RECORDS — MEN

100 meters freestyle—Time, 60:2 (Duke Kahanamoku, 1920). American record, also world's, 58:3 (Duke Kahanamoku, 1922).

400 meters freestyle—Time 5:24.2 (Werdgsen, 1912). American record, also world's, 5:06.3 (Weismuller, 1922).

1500 meters freestyle—Time 22 min. (Werdgsen, 1912). American record, also world's, 21:54.4 (Beaurpair, 1921).

100 meters backstroke — Time 1:14.4 (Warren Kealoha, 1920). No American record.

200 meters breaststroke — Time :31.4 (Bathe, 1912). No American record.

WORLD RECORDS—WOMEN

100 meters freestyle—Time 1:13.3 (Ethelda Bleibtrey, 1920). American record, also world's, 1:12.4 (Bleibtrey, 1920).

200 meters freestyle — Time 2:53 (Fanny Durack, 1912). No American record.

400 meters freestyle — New Olympic event, record to be set. American and world record, 5:53.1 (Gertrude Ederle, 1922).

100 meters backstroke—New Olympic event, record to be set. No American record.

100 meters breaststroke — New Olympic event, record to be set. No American record.

200 meters breaststroke—New Olympic event, record to be set. No American record.

400 meters relay — Time 5:11.3 (United States, 1920). No American record.

These events, with the exception of the 200 meters women's freestyle and 100 meters women's breaststroke, are the events which will be staged at Paris next year. The records established 400 meters freestyle for women, 100 backstroke for women, 100 meters breaststroke for women and 200 meters breaststroke for women will establish world records, which will stand until broken.

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Prelims Staged In Island Play; One Defaulted

Dunham-Leys, Parker-Littlejohn, King-Hoogs Pairs Win

The first matches in the Hawaiian doubles championship were played yesterday afternoon at the Beretania courts. Only two matches were played, as R. Cooke was ill, and his game was defaulted.

Dunham and Leys won by default from W. H. Hoogs and R. Cooke. Parker and Littlejohn defeated H. Matsumoto and K. Matsumoto, 6-2, 6-2. King and R. Hoogs defeated Bento and Kau, 3-6, 6-4 7-5.

Littlejohn and Parker were never in much danger of losing their match; Parker in particular played fine tennis the first set, his driving and service being accurate. Littlejohn served some double faults, and seemed a little off-form until the middle of the first set.

In the second both played well and deserved to win. The Matsumoto team was unsteady, and in one game served three double faults. Their opponents worked fast cross shots, proving too much for them. The umpire was Oswald Mayall.

OTHER MATCH

In the other match there was all kinds of tennis, good, bad and indifferent. Kau's service was accurate and well played, and his partner was fair from the back court.

Bob Hoogs played the best game of the four, his lobbing at times being accurate. King was erratic, driving them out quite frequently. It was a close match and at one stage stood set all 5 games all. Then King took a brace and won his serve, and he and his partner succeeded in annexing Kau's service and the match. The umpire was W. H. Hoogs.

NEXT GAME

Tuesday's games are called for 4 p. m. Dunham and Leys will play R. Hoogs and King, while Parker and Littlejohn play Zabriskie and Hoppe in semi-finals.

Central Grammar in Grid Victory

Central Grammar school defeated the Normal football team in the first game of the sandlot series yesterday, by a score of 6 to 0. The winners took the game in the last minutes of play.

Normal school had the best of this match played at Makiki for the first quarter. From then on Central Grammar outplayed the Normalites. Central had the ball in their opponents' territory the last three quarters and just before the whistle blew North accepted a forward pass from Harrison and got over the line for the only score of the match.