According to the report of the record committee of the A. A. U., 78 swimming records were made during 1923. More than half these, 46, to be exact, were set by representatives of the Illinois Athletic club. Of the 38 men's records allowed, the overwhelming number of 34 were credited to the I. A. C. Two were made by representatives of Hawaiian clubs, and two on the coast.

In the women's events the New York Women's Swimming association was supreme, accounting for 21 of the 40 new standards put up. The I. A. C. mermaids hung up 12, and Outrigger girls 6.

This is a remarkable example of the leadership of the two great clubs in their respective fields, and shows where the center of the swimming world seems to be.