

A.A.U. NAMES TEAM OF ELEVEN TO GO TO U. S. OLYMPIC TEAM TRIALS

Committee Recommends Five Swimmers for Eastern Tryouts, and Five to Go to Coast; Three Track Men Go

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REJECTING a plan of a special committee appointed to recommend candidates for the Hawaiian Olympic team, which suggested that five swimmers be sent direct to the national tryouts and the others sent to the western tryouts on the coast for preliminary trials to determine their ability in competition, the Hawaiian A.A.U. yesterday approved the selection of 11 athletes, three of whom are track men and who will go to Palo Alto for trials. The rest go directly to the national tryouts.

The committee appointed to consider the athletes made a thorough investigation of the performances and records of each athlete, and placed them in order of their ranking. Five were selected to go directly to the national tryouts. Three track athletes and five other swimmers were recommended to be sent to the trials at Palo Alto, where they may compete with the westerners, and if they make good may go back east.

Instead of adopting this report, based on a comprehensive survey of the situation, the board of governors after considerable debate, voted to send the three track men and eight swimmers, the swimmers to go directly to Indianapolis and New York. The meeting adjourned with the matter still unsettled.

The athletes are Warren Kealoha, Mariechen Weheslau, Sam Kahanamoku, William Kirschbaum, Henry Luning, Pua Kealoha, Charlie Pung, Gay Harris, Dick Gartley and John Watt.

The committee presented records to show that while the first five swimmers mentioned are practically certain to make the Olympic team, the others merely have a chance; and the committee presented expense budgets showing that if the five "sure-fire" swimmers are sent back east and five others sent to the coast, the total expenses will be less than if the eight swimmers recommended by the board are sent directly to the national tryouts.

The committee recommended the following swimmers:

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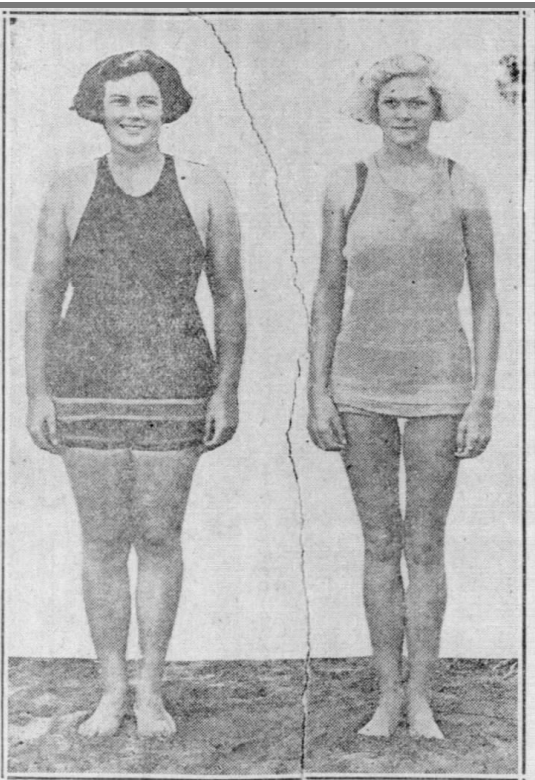
FIRST TEAM—To go to the National Tryouts—

Warren Kealoha, Hui Makani, Mariechen Weheslau, Outrigger.

Sam Kahanamoku, Hui Nalu, Henry Luning, Hui Makani, William Kirschbaum, Hui Makani.

TRACK TEAM—To go to Palo Alto—

Dick Gartley, pole vaulter.



John Watt, hurdler.
Milton Carter of Hilo, high jumper.

SECOND TEAM—To go to Western Tryouts at Palo Alto—
Charles Pung, Hui Makani, Pua Kealoha, Hui Nalu, Gay Harris, Outrigger, Helen Moses, Outrigger, Janice Lovett, Outrigger.

The successful members of this team would be sent to the national tryouts, but their chances are not certain enough to justify sending them directly to the tryouts without giving them preliminary test competition.

The situation is this: the five athletes first named are almost certain to be placed on the American team. Their performances will reflect no discredit on Hawaii, and they cer-

tainly should be sent.

The other three adopted by the board are of doubtful status, and should be sent only to the coast, and if they can make good there, they may be sent on. To send them directly east is an unnecessary expense, unless they prove themselves on the coast.

SHOULD GO

Helen Moses and Janice Lovett, by their performances in the recent trials here, certainly deserve to be sent as far as the coast, where they will have a chance to prove what they can do against mainland competition.

They have worked hard and faithfully, and both are improving rapidly. To keep them here would be an injustice, especially in view of

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