

Mariechen Won Again In Sprint Exhibition With Eastern Stars

Hawaiian Flash Defeated Ethel Lackie, Bacrach's Marvel, in Sprint Swims at Feature Splash; Other Locals Won

NEW YORK.—America's Olympic swimmers, men and women, engaged in an interesting set of events in the 60-foot pool of the Olympic Baths at Long Beach, June 14, but cold water and unfavorable conditions prevented remarkable performances.

John Weissmuller, the peerless Illinois A. C. sprinter, won the feature contest for men, a 100-yard free style dash, but the time was slow for him. He defeated Pua Kealoha of Honolulu by three yards in 56 1-5 seconds.

Miss Gertrude Ederle of the Women's Swimming association captured the outstanding swim for women. She covered the distance in 1:07 2-5 and led her only opponent, Miss Martha Norelius of the People's Palace, Jersey City, by five yards.

One of the surprising developments of the competition was provided by Miss Aileen Riggan of the Women's C. A., Olympic fancy diving champion, in the 60-yard backstroke test. Miss Sybil Bauer, the Illinois A. C. dorsal marvel, was expected to outswim her by a decisive margin. Instead, Miss Riggan forced the pace all the way and finished within a couple of feet of the Chicago champion. The time was 43 2-5 seconds.

Warren Kealoha of Honolulu, world's record holder in the backstroke, encountered keen rivalry in a 100-yard dorsal swim. Five started against him and it was neck and neck most of the way. Kealoha did not work into the lead until the last lap. He beat George Schroth, of the Olympic Club, San Francisco, by one yard, and Schroth nosed out Henry Luning, of Honolulu, for second. The time was 1:08 4-5.

Robert Skelton, of the Illinois A. C., did not have to extend himself to win the 220-yard breast stroke, nor did Miss Agnes Geraghty, of the Women's S. A., to take the

100-yard event for women. Skelton finished three yards ahead of William Kirschbaum, of Honolulu, in 3:08, while Miss Geraghty led her clubmate, Miss Matilda Shurich, by five yards, in 1:27 1-5.

HAWAIIANS COME THROUGH

Hawaiians came through in the 60-yard free style dashes for men and women. Duke Kahanamoku, the veteran champion, now representing the Los Angeles A. C., won the former in 0:33 1-5, hard pressed by Jack Robertson, of San Francisco; while Miss Mariechen Wehse-lau of Honolulu, took the latter in 0:38 1-5, winning easily from Miss Ethel Lackie, of the Illinois A. C.

A mixed relay swim at 160 yards, in which two men and two girls composed each team, created considerable interest. The Misses Mariechen Wehse-lau and Ethel Lackie, teamed with Pua Kealoha and Duke Kahanamoku won by a narrow margin from a quartet headed by Weissmuller.

MEN

220-yard breast stroke swim—Won by Robert Skelton, Illinois A. C., Chicago; William Kirschbaum, Honolulu, second; John Farley, Illinois A. C., Chicago, third. Time, 3:08.

200-yard swim—Won by Wallace O'Conner, Venice S. A., Venice, Calif.; Lester Smith, Olympic Club, San Francisco, second; Sam Kahanamoku, Honolulu, third. Time 2:22 3-5.

100-yard back stroke swim—Won by Warren Kealoha, Honolulu; George Schroth, Olympic Club, second; Henry Luning, Honolulu, third. Time 1:08 4-5.

60-yard swim—Won by Duke Kahanamoku, Honolulu; Jack Robertson, Olympic Club, second; Harold Kruger, Illinois A. C., third. Time, 0:33 1-5.

100-yard swim—Won by John Weissmuller, Illinois A. C., Pua Kealoha, Honolulu, second; no third. Time 0:56 1-5.

WOMEN

60-yard swim—Won by Miss Mariechen Wehse-lau, Honolulu; Miss Ethel Lackie, Illinois, A. C., second; no third. Time, 0:38 1-5.

100-yard breast stroke swim—Won by Miss Agnes Geraghty, W. S. A., New York; Miss Matilda Shurich, W. S. A., New York second; Miss Ruth Thomas, Ambassador S. C., Atlantic City, third. Time: 1:27 3-5.

100-yard swim—Won by Miss Gertrude Ederle, W. S. A., New York; Miss Martha Norelius, People's Palace, Jersey City; no third. Time 1:07 2-5.

60-yard back stroke swim—Won by Miss Sybil Bauer, Illinois A. C.; Miss Aileen Riggan, W. S. A., New York; second; Miss Doris O'Mara, W. S. A., New York, third. Time 0:43 2-5.

160-yard mixed relay team—Won by Miss Mariechen Wehse-lau, Honolulu, Pua Kealoha, Honolulu; Miss Ethel Lackie, Chicago and Duke Kahanamoku, Honolulu; Miss Martha Norelius, Jersey City; Sam Kahanamoku, Honolulu; Miss Gertrude Ederle, New York and John Weissmuller, Chicago, second. Time, 1:25 1-5.

INSIDE GOLF

By CHESTER HORTON

Maker of 51 Golf Champions. "Golf's most successful teacher," says "Chick" Evans

Golfers are prone to let the arms, in the back swing, get too far from the body. If you will hold both arms

lightly close to the body, at the beginning of the back swing, then keep them there throughout the entire back swing—though not rigidly—you will find the club under much better control.

The expert golfer never lets his arms wander astray. You keep the arms right in there, letting the shaft travel in absolute unison with the arms and the body as you turn the body away from the ball. The left arm does, in reality, lift upward some—but not nearly so much as you perhaps imagine, not more than three or four inches at the most. Holding the arms lightly to the body keeps the right elbow in, too, where it should be. It is the turning of the body that elevates the club, not the lifting of the arms. That is why I constantly urge players not to let the left wrist break the club back. Just let the arms, free and loose, move with the body pivot, then stop, when every instinct tells you to stop, at the top of the back swing. It is trying to go beyond this point that really spoils the shot. The golf swing is free, easy—almost totally exertionless.

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Wee Wee Jimmy Collins defeated Frankie Crown, eight rounds at New York City, May 24.

