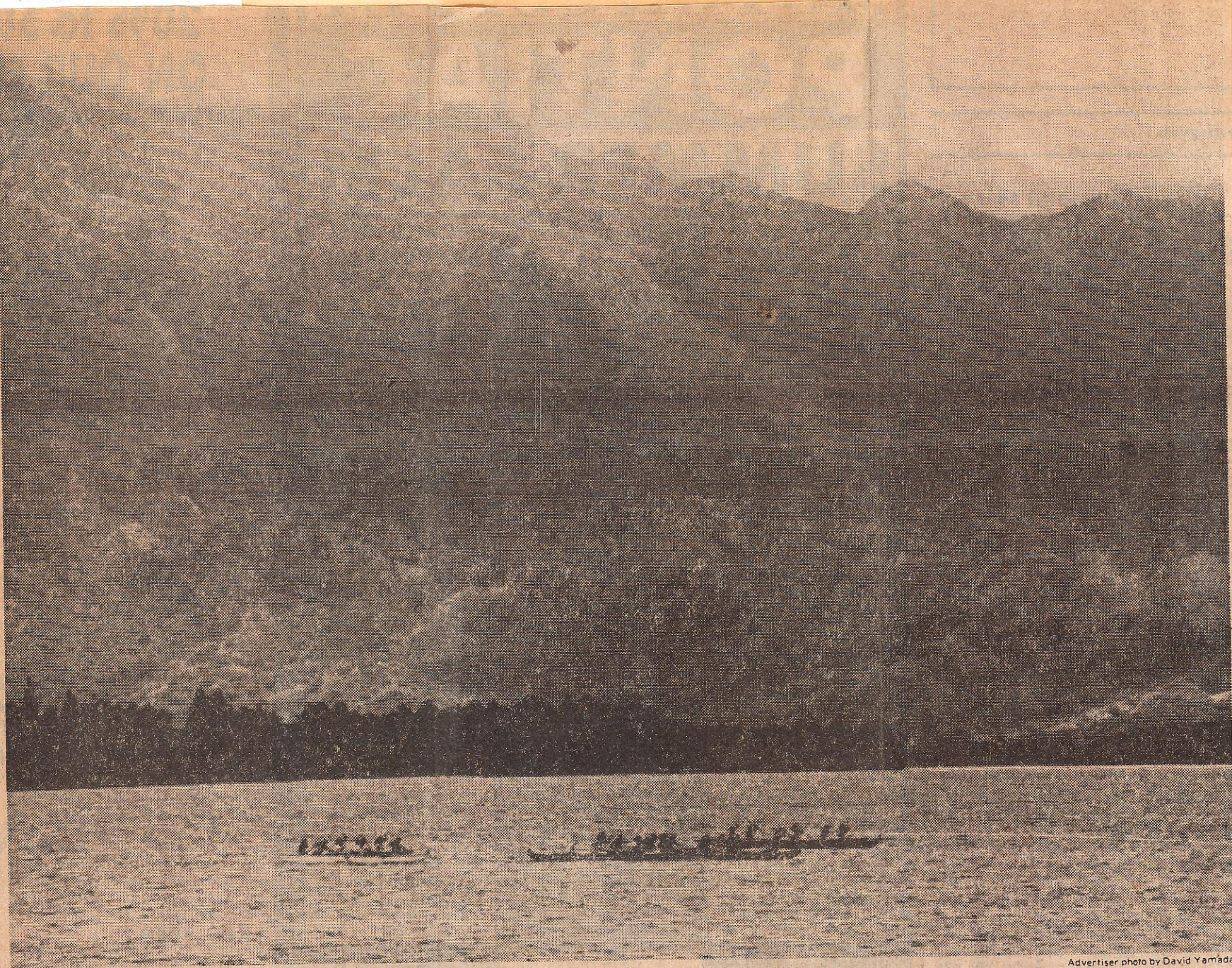


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A competition of canoes

In the shadow of the Koolau range, paddlers compete in yesterday's Outrigger Canoe Championship Regatta at the Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station, a combined meet between the Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association and Hui Wa'a & Surfing Association. The event marked the end of the regular regatta season, and paddlers now begin to train for long-distance events. **Outrigger Canoe Club**, which won the HCRA state regatta Saturday, stole the show yesterday to win the combined state title. For more details, see Sports Report on Page B-1.

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STROKING OUT... pack is bunched at start but spreads soon. For spectators, this is one of the most exciting scenes in the

sport of canoe racing. Most of the action takes place far out of sight except for those on escort boats.

Hanalei takes third in races

By Gaylord Wilcox

Hanalei Civic Canoe Club, with its strong crews racking up 20 points, took home the 3rd place trophy in a field of 50 clubs at the State Outrigger Canoe Championship Regatta held Sunday, August 12, at the Kaneohe Bay Marine Base.

This was the strongest showing for Hanalei since the 1975 team which had much more depth to win its 3rd straight Hui Wa'a Association Championship.

The unexpected finish behind O'ahu's powerful Outrigger club, (35) and Hui Nalu club, (29) is the best Kaua'i or any neighbor island has placed in statewide regatta competition since Kaua'i Canoe Club missed becoming State Champions by only 3 points in 1964.

Hanalei jumped into the lead with a 1st in the boys' 12A and built on that to a 20 to 11 margin over Outrigger after 10 events, which held until 14 of the 19 events were completed.

The men's novice class, A and B, brought home gold medals. The girls' 15 took a silver, and the women's novice B, (with 5 of the same paddlers) snatched the bronze.

In addition the masters men, (over 35) took 1st in a non-scoring event, (Hui Wa'a not competing).

In the qualifying race Saturday, Hanalei didn't fare as well, tak-

ing 2 seconds and 2 fourths for 8 points and 10th place. Taking 2nd on Saturday were the boys' 12A and the mixed boys and girls 12, an event not held on Sunday.

Also taking 2nd, but disqualified for being over the line at the start, were the women freshmen, who deny the charge.

Coach Nick Beck is now looking forward to the Liliuokalani distance races at Kona over Labor Day weekend, with Hanalei possibly entering 2 men's crews as well as 1 women's.

Hanalei's medal-winning paddlers:
MASTERS, MEN: Frank Addleman, Rex Durrell, Dick Parks, Don Montgomery, Nick Beck, Jerry Lynn.

GIRLS 15: Kainoa Chandler, Kirsten Hermsstad, Mia Burns, Sherri Burns, Rachel Chandler, Wailana Kaipaka.

MEN NOVICE, B: Brad Yadao, Andy Belmonte, Jimmy Ledward, Shawn Conant, Lane Tamura, Bito Hermosura.

MEN NOVICE, A: Peter Cornwall, Togo Hermosura, Steve Landis, Leslie Yokotake, Earl Simpson, Emilio Fernandez.

WOMEN NOVICE, B: Kainoa Chandler, Kirsten Hermsstad, Mia Burns, Sherri Burns, Wailana Kaipaka, Naomi Yokotake.

BOYS 12A: Chris Carswell, Silas Chandler, Steve Burrell, Russell Mahuiki, Keola Sheehan, Hobe Beck.

BOYS AND GIRLS 12: Chris Carswell, Silas Chandler, Rachel Chandler, Kimberly Kaipaka, Nicole Wilcox, Hobe Beck.

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Canoe Record for Hui Nalu

Members of the Hui Nalu men's team (photo at right) celebrate after setting a record for the Duke Kahanamoku long distance canoe race yesterday by winning the 24-mile event from Magic Island to Kailua Beach with a time of three hours, 10 minutes and 21 seconds. From left, they are Kala Kukea, the head coach, Myron Thompson, Bob Rocheleau and Benet Ekhammer. Others on the winning crew were Bruce Blankenfeld, George Kissner, Jim Beyer and Brant Ackerman. **Outrigger Canoe Club** finished second (3:13.30) among the 27 men's teams entered, also shattering the previous distance record. The OCC women, however, won the five-mile race from Kailua Beach to Mokulea Rock and did it in 47 minutes, six seconds with Hui Nalu second.—Star-Bulletin. Photo by Jack Titchen.



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State Enforces Fishing Ban in Waikiki Area

By Helen Altonn
Star-Bulletin Writer

The state's conservation enforcement officers are cracking down on fishing violations in the Waikiki area with help from residents.

Six men recently were cited for illegal activities on the same day after the Division of Conservation and Resources Enforcement received complaints from citizens.

Two men tried to escape officers in a Zodiac inflatable boat but were kept under surveillance and picked up at Maunaloa Bay when their boat landed.

The division received calls from three citizens on one violation. "Residents are really keeping an eye on it," said Bruce Bikle, information specialist for the division, in the state Department of Land and Natural Resources.

HE SAID THE Neighborhood Board in the area went to all ocean-front residents to solicit their cooperation in the program.

The Waikiki Fisheries Management Area was established in July 1978 with fishing activities prohibited for two years in an effort to rebuild the inshore marine population.

It is called the "Kapuku Plan," which means to restore life. And Bikle says it appears to be working. Fish which haven't been seen off Waikiki's shores in some time are returning.

The division conducted an education campaign from July to October last year to inform residents and fishermen of the program and then officers began issuing citations.

Bikle said the division has had 19 complaints since October and has issued a total of eight citations. In two other cases, the violators weren't caught but they left behind fishing equipment which was retrieved by the officers.

THE ITEMS, including tackle, a bucket and net, may be claimed at the division office, but not without a "chewing out for using the area," Bikle said.

In the recent case, two men were cited for taking coral from the reef. And two others were fishing from shore and cited after they were called in. The coral, bucket and fishing tackle were seized as evidence.

An enforcement officer borrowed a canoe from the **Outrigger Canoe Club** and paddled to the Zodiac, where two men were fishing, and ordered it to go to shore. But the men refused to comply and sped off toward Koko Head.

The officers maintained visual surveillance of the boat until it landed at Maunaloa Bay.

Names of the six offenders were withheld by the division pending court disposition of the cases. The maximum penalty for violations is a \$500 fine and/or 30 days in jail. Items used in the violations also may be confiscated by the District Court judge handling the cases.

THE CLOSED fishing area covered by the Kapuku Plan extends from the Diamond Head Lighthouse to the Kalakaua Avenue junction and includes all waters from the high water mark to 500 yards seaward, or to the edge of the fringing reef if one occurs beyond 500 yards.

The area will be open again next July for fishing for two years. Only hook and line fishing will be permitted the first year. Spearing and netting also will be allowed the second year. But coral-taking will be prohibited.

The fishing ban will resume for another two years after the two-year open fishing season.

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Kokua Line

By Harriet Gee

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Q — About 4 o'clock Aug. 4 I noticed a neighbor down the street, — Aumakiki Loop in Aiea, had a hookup to a fire hydrant in front of his house. I called the Pearl City police about it but the duty officer said it isn't their job to look into it and hung up on me. Whom should I call?

A — The Honolulu Board of Water Supply dispatcher should be called if you see anyone taking water from hydrants without a permit to wash down their driveways or for other personal use. Only those who have temporary permits from the board may hook up to the hydrant, such as landscape and contracting firms.

The dispatcher will call police to go to the scene and prepare a report. His telephone numbers are 548-6137 and 548-5200.

There is a \$100 surcharge for anyone caught stealing water the first time; \$200 for the second offense.

A water inspector went to the address you gave but saw no violations. He plans to investigate further because he noticed a tile wall was recently constructed around the house. No water permit was obtained for that address. He also found out the new owner of the house still lives on a Neighbor Island but will move in soon.

Q — The Hawaii Public Employment Relations Board (HPERB) recently ruled that the Hawaii Government Employees Association (HGEA) must refund money it spent on certain political activities to those members requesting it in writing. Most people in our office and many others have done so but to date no one has received any refund. Can you help us?

A — The HGEA's fiscal officer said refunds will not be made until after Sept. 11, which is the deadline for requesting refunds. So far, she said, she has received about 2,000 requests.

Q — Many gasoline stations have switched in selling gasoline from gallons to liters but they do not post any conversion charts to tell us if we're buying gasoline cheap or not. Are they going to put conversion charts on each pump so that we can know how much we are buying the gasoline for?

A — No such charts will be posted because there already are too many signs at service stations, the executive director of

the gasoline dealers association told Kokua Line. He said this was the first such inquiry he has received. Dealers also have told him the public seems to have accepted the change.

The official said he thinks it is more important to educate the public first about the changeover and what it involves. When in doubt, ask your dealer how much a gallon or liter costs. Just remember, there are 3.7854 liters to a gallon.

Q — We live next to an apartment building on Auwailimu Street. The occupants there do not clean up when their plastic rubbish bags are broken and garbage is strewn all over. Sometimes there is broken glass. The resident manager doesn't make an effort to clean up and the garbage men won't pick the mess up. Can something be done about this?

A — A city refuse department official said the rubbish must be re-bagged before his men will pick it up. He felt the landlord or resident manager should handle the problem. He suggests that they take the rubbish out on the morning it is collected so that the dogs—if they are the trouble-makers—won't have a chance to get into the bags.

Q — Why is it that the Outrigger Canoe Club is allowed to put concrete pilings in the water, obstructing the beach area? Is this unlawful or are they allowed to do this?

A — The club received the state's permission in 1968 to put in the pilings to stem the flow of sand from the beach.

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"Whenever there is a function at the church on Mokauea and Kaunualii streets in Kalihi, the people going there park all over the place illegally. I've called the police several times because of the hazardous traffic conditions created by the illegal parking, but nothing is done about it. Why aren't these cars ticketed?"

Mahalo

"I went to the summer fun finale at Moanalua Elementary School and was really impressed with the program and leaders there. It was so terrific that I'd like to give them my deepest appreciation. All the parents really appreciated it."

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Rough Water Swim Set

A steady stream of swimmers will be racing off Waikiki Monday, September 3, when the 10th Annual Waikiki Rough Water Swim gets under way at 11:30 a.m.

The 2.375 mile course begins at San Souci Beach, located on the Diamond Head side of the Natatorium across from Queen Kapiolani Park, and ends at the Duke Kahanamoku Beach in front of the Hilton Hawaiian Village Hotel.

It should be an exciting finish as the swimmers must leave the water and race some 30 yards up the beach from the water's edge to cross

the finish line. There are 24 different classes for all age groups, and swimmers range in age from 8 to 58.

At press time the oldest entry was 58-year-old Zeda Taft from California. She was the oldest female swimmer last year and her time was 1 hour, 40 minutes and 36 seconds.

Wally Laury was the oldest male last year at 77 and swam the course in 2 hours, 29 minutes and 58 seconds.

Between 350 and 400 swimmers are expected to participate in this year's swim. They will be competing for 72 koa bowls and other prizes.

The two top winners will have their names engraved on the Alexander Hume Ford perpetual trophy which is displayed year-round at the Outrigger Canoe Club.

The Outrigger Canoe Club will act as a safety patrol, paddling their canoes along with the swimmers. There will also be Coast Guard boats standing by, and surfboard paddlers from the Hawaiian Women's Surfing Association.

The first to finish will probably cross the line some 50 minutes after the gun goes off and the last about 2 hours later. An awards ceremony will be held at 2:30 p.m.