



A terrific surf runs at Makaha Beach each winter during the months of November, December and January. Our photographer, "Scoop," caught some twenty to thirty foot waves in November.

Pic by "Scoop" Tsuzuki

OUR BOYS WERE THERE!

In the January issue of the "Forecast" we said "The lack of competitors from the OCC was quite evident." This was in regard to our report on the Waikiki Surf Club's recent aquatic day including surfing and other sports. We are proud to say that the OCC was well represented, in, that three of our members took part placing within the first seven who finished.

In the Stock Board Class races there were fourteen entries and our Pat Wyman placed fourth, Stanwood Formes placed sixth and Rick Steere was seventh. A pretty good showing in that the competition was the best the islands and mainland could produce, most of whom were older men.

In the Race Board Class there were no entries from OCC as it is impossible to compete successfully without an especially built 16 foot hollow board unusable for regular surfing. Our boys just didn't have any of that kind of boards.

In Stock Board Class, the only restriction was that the board be surfable. Club Captain Fred Steere tells us that help is available to any Club youngster

who wishes coaching and/or the loan of boards. All that is necessary is to ask Fred. He also hopes to see more members enter events and particularly boys and girls under sixteen.

So we apologize for our statement and proudly hail the three stalwarts who carried on. We also suggest that the "Forecast" be supplied with entries to all events, winners, times, photos and any other information pertaining to all activities.

ISLE SURFER MAY COMPETE IN PERU MEET

Plans to send a Hawaii surfboard rider to a surfing meet in Peru, South America, next month were disclosed by John Lind of the Waikiki Surf Club, co-chairman of the International Surfing championships scheduled for Sunday, January 24, at Makaha beach.

The Waikiki Surf Club and the Waianae Lions Club, co-sponsors of the surfing meet, are behind the move to send a local surfer to South America.

"We hope to raise enough funds through contributions to send a local



It was such waves as this that were hoped for when the Lions Club of Waianae and the Waikiki Surf Club sponsored a surfing meet on Sundays, January 17 and 24. These pics have appeared in many mainland newspapers.

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representative to Peru," Lind said yesterday.

Harris Warren, president of the Waikiki Surf Club, and Norman Johnson of the Lions Club are in charge of the committee to raise funds for the trip.

If the fund-raising campaign is successful, a Hawaii surfer will be selected by a special committee.

"We hope also to invite a surfer from Peru to participate in our International championship next year," added Lind.

Meanwhile, isle and California surfers here for the International meet were hoping for a break in the weather for Sunday's (January 24) competition.

Lind, who is co-chairman of the meet with David Klausmeyer of the Lions Club, said the championships will be held if the surf is at least 15 feet in height. Otherwise, the mixed tandem and body surfing events will be run off and the open championships postponed until the conditions are right for surfboard riding.

It was also announced that Joe Quigg, well-known body surfer and board rider of Santa Monica, Calif., will arrive to enter the meet.

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CALLING ALL CHAIRMEN

According to the Directory in each issue of the "Forecast" there are eighteen committees in our Club. Some of these committees are very active, others have activities from time to time. There are few committees however whose chairman recognizes that the "Forecast" is the medium of information for all our members.

Your editor each month tries to gather pertinent information of interest to all and would appreciate full co-operation from committee chairman. It is a task to call each chairman each month and remind him to remember. Co-operation that would be most appreciated would be for the chairman of each committee to either phone the editor or write a note, leaving it at the office of the Club giving any news concerning his committee's activities. Editors phone numbers are in each issue of "Forecast."

How about it committee chairmen—let's make the "Forecast" for 1954 your medium of information?

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