

LIVELY CONTESTS EXPECTED IN THE AQUATIC MEET SATURDAY

That the newly formed Hui Nalu intend to play an important part in the aquatic events of Saturday next is shown by their list of entries, which comprise some of the best known natatorial experts in the Territory.

The club was formed for the purpose of taking part in water sports on a bona fide amateur basis and with this in view affiliation has been made with the local branch of the A. A. U.

The club's membership is made up chiefly of young men who swim and surf regularly at Waikiki, but who are not attached to the Outrigger Club.

While the club was formed for the purpose of entering the coming meet the project met with such abundant measure of support from its very start that it will take a permanent place among the local sporting and athletic organizations and will enter men at all future swimming meets and canoes at all local regattas where such events are on the program.

Provided the Regatta Day committee put up trophies in lieu of cash prizes, as has been the rule in the past, the Hui Nalu will enter four and six-paddle canoe crews.

Archie Robertson is one of the club's live wires and he is greatly enthused over the Hui Nalu's chances of winning pointage honors at the coming carnival. Asked as to his views on the different events, he had the following to say:

"I expect that Vincent Genoves will win the half-mile swim.

"The fifty and hundred-yards events should be won for our club by Duke Kahanamoku, whom I consider to be one of the fastest swimmers in the islands today.

"The mile race looks to lie between Mayne of the Healanis and David Center of the Myrtles.

"The fancy diving contest will be won by George Freeth, provided he obtains his A. A. U. ticket, which he has been after.

"I think that I have a fair chance of taking the plunge event myself; anyhow, I mean to have a good try.

"The four-forty yards will be a hard race. There are a very level lot of men entered and I won't attempt to pick the winner.

"In the two-twenty-yards Cunha of the Healanis should just about beat D. Center of the Myrtles, but if he does so it will only be after a grueling race.

"The Hui Nalu should have no trouble in taking the relay."

The Hui Nalu boys are practicing every day off the Moana Hotel over a course which has been laid out.

Special pains will be taken to have the timing accurately done, and the times as recorded will furnish a reliable line on the standard of local swimming.

More Entries Made.

There are a number of interesting developments to record in connection with the aquatic carnival to be held on Saturday afternoon next in the Bishop slip.

The following new entries came to hand before the closing of the book last night:

Myrtles: L. Hough, A. Hough, K. M. Smith, A. Myhre, 50, 220, 440 and 880 yards swim. W. A. Raseman, 50 and 100 yards swim.

K. M. Smith, A. Myhre, fancy diving obstacle race, plunge.

A. Hough, obstacle race.

Healanis: A. E. Tinker, plunge, and 220 yards race.

Relay race, L. Cunha, F. Kruger, W. Grace, R. Fuller, George Murray, J. P. Honan, A. E. Tinker, G. B. Bechert, C. E. Mayne, C. A. Broderick.

Outriggers Not In.

Contrary to expectations the Outrigger Club has failed to enter a team and report has it that the members got cold feet as soon as the entry list of the Hui Nalus was scanned.

There is a proposition on foot to make the gladiatorial and obstacle races without any age limit as was at first suggested; also to accept post entries for the former event. The decision of the management in these matters will be announced later. It is reported that the Outrigger Club will be represented in the gladiatorial contest.

It will be decided today whether George Freeth will be allowed to compete in the fancy dive or not. It appears that he applied for registration with the A. A. U. but failed to answer two very important questions on the application form.

One of these was when he last competed at a meeting held under the auspices of the A. A. U., and the other was if he has ever applied for registration with the A. A. U. before?

These are two very important questions and Freeth, is coming in from Watertown at the request of John Soper to answer them.

Mr. Soper stated this morning that seventy-six local athletes have registered with the A. A. U., not including the Kauai men.