

# Girls' Swimming Meet During October Plan of Promoters

That a second and larger girls' swimming meet will be held in the M. C. A. tank, probably on October 27, was assured following a meeting of leading women physical directors of Honolulu last night in the W. C. A. to make arrangements for such a meet. Final plans will be laid at another meeting which was held for next Monday night at 8 o'clock in the same building.

All proceeds of the meet will go to the Red Cross. This decision came following an appeal from that organization and promises for their undivided support.

The meet will be run under the rules of the local A. A. U. All of the girls competing will, by reason of this, be called upon to take out A. A. U. cards in order to establish their amateur standing. All officials of the meet will be women, but it is expected that the sanction of the A. A. U. will be received for this.

Seven women attended the meeting held last night to make arrangements for the meet. They were Miss Ruth Stacker, who called the meeting and who is in charge of the girls' work at Palama; Miss Allen, the new physical director of the Punahou academy; Mrs. Fullard Leo, representative of the Women's Auxiliary of the Outrigger club in the Hawaiian association of the A. A. U.; Miss Besse Seybolt, representative of the Kunalu boat club; Miss Leonora Andersen, physical director of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Marjorie Capps, who was formerly a physical director and

own swimming coaches in the Middle West. He makes his headquarters at Chicago and at the Illinois athletic club. The local A. A. U. has been in touch with him on several occasions in the past concerning swimming propositions.

is now boosting girls' swimming.

That the meet next month will be the first women's swimming meet held under the auspices of the A. A. U. is the belief of those who are making the arrangement. The idea of a big women's meet was conceived early in the summer and during August a meet was held in the Palama tank which brought out many new and good swimmers.

The success of this event warranted starting preparations for a second meet. All of the arrangements, all of the swimmers, all of the spectators, and all of the judges will be women—not one man will be allowed to have anything to do with the event. The women have already proved their ability to handle such a big meet alone and the scheme will become a big swimming event in itself.

## Stringent Supervision Assured

With stringent supervision assured, promises of many entries have been made. Punahou academy may enter swimmers in a team. Meets have been held for the girls of the school for a long time now, and many good swimmers have been developed. Palama will undoubtedly enter a team while the Kunalu boat club, the Y. W. C. A. and the Outrigger clubs have plenty of swimmers to compete as members of the clubs.

A feature of the meet will be the relay. Just what shall be the length of the race has not been decided as yet. Each team will probably consist of six girls.

While no chairman of arrangements has been appointed yet, Miss Ruth Stacker has been directing the plans for the meet and is calling the meeting next Monday night. She was largely responsible for the meet of last August which was held in Palama and proved a great success.