

# Outriggers Hard At Practise In Daily Sessions

With just three weeks between them and their first game the Outrigger Canoe club football squad is plugging away with unabated determination to cop the championship of the major league. Daily scrimmage is their program, and every afternoon sees a large turnout of over twenty candidates for the team.

They have gained invaluable training from their daily scrimmages with the Punahou interscholastic eleven. At first the prep schoolers gave them a rub for their money, but gradually the older men worked into condition until they are now able to make headway against their lighter opponents almost at will.

Many fans are anxiously awaiting the 5th of December when the Outriggers meet the Waikikis in what is looked upon as the deciding game for the championship of the league, although Eliot's Varsity may have to be reckoned with yet. Each of the elevens is being coached by a great Harvard player, and an All-American man in his day. Gilman, the Waikiki mentor, was rated the greatest of them all when he was in college, which wasn't so very long ago; while Withington was so well thought of that he was retained as an assistant to the head coach after his graduation. There are a lot of conjectures and some wagers being made around town as to which one will produce the better eleven.

Withington's squad has suffered recently from the loss of a number of valuable players. Stickney is out permanently with an injured shoulder; Thompson is laid up with a sprained ankle; King has retired from the squad; and Morgan, last season's all-star guard, has also been forced to drop out and may not be able to get back into the game.

However, the Canocemen still have two full backfields with which to meet their opponents. The Hollinger brothers are playing wonderful ball at fullback; Andrews, Austin, Bryant and Hart are all good, dependable halfbacks, and Parker is rated one of the best quarters in the islands.

On the line Colter, John and Hicks are fighting it out at center; Kapiko, Anderson, Hiorth and McTaggart are trying for the guard positions; Boyd and Kahanamoku are fixtures at tackles; Fuller, the Gall brothers and Billy Thompson are the prospective ends.