

A. A. U. Throws Out Relay; Bars Palama Points

There was a considerable amount of fireworks as an aftermath of the Saturday A. A. U. track and field meet when the games committee met at noon today in the Central "Y." As a result the relay race was thrown out and all points made for Palama by five different men were nullified.

Three protests were read and acted upon. The Hui Makani club protested Tin Luke Wong, the Kamehameha boys who had signed with Palama and ran unattached and the four former Braves athletes who registered for Palama while the All-around Chinese Athletic club protested Tin Luke Wong and the Outrigger Canoe club using a substitute in the relay race.

The first motion carried was that of placing on the unattached list Tin Luke Wong, John P. Smith, J. O. Mitchell, Albert Vivas and S. Souza, all of whom competed for Palama without a year having expired since they competed unattached, as prescribed by the rules.

The second resolution adopted was the relay race be thrown out entirely. The rules barred the Outrigger club from changing the personnel of the team that competed in the trials but as the injury to Clifford Melim prohibited his running in the finals a substitute ran.

The Palamas lost second place in the relay because of Tin Luke Wong's ineligibility. The A. C. A. and Hui Makani then urged the resolution to discard the result of the relay race. It carried.

Total receipts for the meet were \$241 while expenses were \$335 making a net deficit of \$94.

Despite the rulings, Palama has sufficient points to retain first place in the meet with the Outrigger second.