

Hawaiian Stars Sweep New York Tourney Clean

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NEW YORK, N. Y., August 8.—Cleared of all charges of professionalism by the Amateur Athletic Union, the Hawaiian swimmers carried everything before them at the meet here last night before an immense crowd, Duke Kahanamoku being in especially fine form and establishing a new world's record at 125 yards. The Hawaiian swimmers were given a remarkable ovation and their victories were enthusiastically applauded, all being popular in spite of the defeat of local contestants.

In the 125-yard swim Kahanamoku led all the way, drawing fast away from the field and finishing far ahead in 1 minute, 12 4-5 seconds. Leo Geible of New York was his closest competitor.

Harold Kruger, swimming backstroke, easily defeated King and Troensgard of Brooklyn in a mixed match for 100 yards, time 1 minute, 8 3-5 seconds.

Lane easily defeated Ted Reilly of New York at 50 yards, time 24 4-5 seconds.

It is uncertain whether this is the big two-day meet for the benefit of the Red Cross which was scheduled for this month, but as the information from New York was to the effect that the big meet would be held in mid-August the meet last night was probably in the nature of a preliminary affair. As witnessed by the above despatch the Hawaiian swimmers are winning new laurels every meet and now all the clouds as to their amateur standing have been swept away they will undoubtedly continue to indelibly engrave Hawaii's name on the roster of fame.