

Eastern Swimmers Easy Victims, Kahanamoku Finds

Duke Allows Nine Seconds and
Finishes Two Yards Ahead of
Next Competitor; Equally His
Own Best Record Time

NEW YORK, August 15—(Associated Press)—Duke Kahanamoku, Hawaiian short distance champion swimmer, won a hollow victory in the hundred yards swim last night, set the crowd wild and equalled his own record for the distance. It was the most marvelous exhibition for the distance the East has ever seen.

Allowing Alfred Steen of Brooklyn, who finished second, a handicap of nine yards, the tall Hawaiian got away with the crack of the pistol and swam at a pace that left all behind him. Well up toward the finish he caught Steen and finished a clear two yards ahead. Time, fifty-four seconds.