

KISTLER CREDITED WITH DEVELOPING KAHANAMOKU

Duke Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian swimming champion, is electrifying the experts by his form in the water this season, says the St. Paul Despatch. He has broken the 125-yard record twice in the past two weeks.

The Duke of Waikiki credits all this to the coaching he has received from George Kistler, former instructor at the University of Pennsylvania, and now in charge of aquatics at the Harvard Yacht Club. Kistler made Kahanamoku an Olympic champion in four weeks.

Kahanamoku first made his appearance in this country in 1912. Certain crudities in his style were apparent to the shrewd eye of George Kistler, but the Penn coach also saw his capabilities. He took him in charge, and the Duke of Waikiki swam away from the world at Stockholm.

Today Kahanamoku is a human fish. No one in the swimming world can begin to compete with him on even terms. Much of his ability is credited to his unusually large hands and feet. They are abnormally large, giving him four fine paddles as a starter.