## Hawaiian Swimmers Are Helped By Friends At Home

## W. T. Rawlins Forwards \$868 To Clarence Lane and Harold Kruger In New York

William T. Rawlins, president of the Hawaiian Association of the A. A. U., cabled yesterday through Alexander & Baldwin to the latter's New York house, William Cooke, manager, \$868.10 which is to be turned over to Clarence Lane and Harold ("Stubby") Kruger, two of the Hawai ian mermen who were left stranded by Manager Owen Merrick in the East after the Red Cross swim ming benefit tour of the country came to an unsuccessful end.

The money sent forward will clear up a number of debts incurred by the 'wo Hawaiian lads in the East and see them back in Oakland, California, where they are to resume their studies in St. Mary's College.

The big benefit dance given at the Outrigger Canoe Club recently for the swimmers netted \$304.-70. The total taken in by Mr. Rawlins and "Dad" Center, athletic captain of the Outrigger, was \$373.20, but of this sum \$29.30 was paid out for expenses and \$39.20 went to the government as war tax. The subscription list passed around by Mr. Rawlins realized \$563.40.

"Captain Center and I wish to thank everybody for the assistance given the boys," Mr. Rawlins said yesterday.