

WARREN KEALOHA BREAKS HAWAIIAN RECORD IN 100-YARD EVENT HELD FOR NOVICES AT BIG SWIMMING MEET

Duke Kahanamoku Wins Century But Is Closely Pressed By Field of Nine Other Competitors—First Evening of Victory Carnival Goes Off Like Clock Work—Girls' Races Keenly Contested; Springboard Diving Is Feature

One Hawaiian record, that is the 100-yard for men novice, was broken at last night's swims of the Victory Swimming Carnival held in the slip between Piers 5 and 6. A number of new Hawaiian records were established.

Duke Kahanamoku made the half century in 23 4-5, his world's record being 23 flat. This was probably the prettiest race, the 10 swimmers competing in this event being bunched up to about a yard of the finish, when Kahanamoku sprinted and finished by probably under a yard in the lead of the other swimmers. Nowhere in the world has such a finish been witnessed.

The girl events were all closely contested, except in the club relay, where the Outrigger team literally ran away from the field, which consisted of Palama and Hui Makani, these teams finishing in the order named.

Starting Was Good

There were murmurs over the work of Starter R. A. Vitousek, yet there were fewer false starts last night than there have been at any other swimming meet held in the past few years. Starter Vitousek never lets any one beat the gun. The actual starts were all close and in no event did any swimmer beat the gun and gain an undue advantage on the rest of the entrants.

In the neighborhood of 5000 spectators saw the swimmers, the Ewa bleachers being packed and the Waikiki bleachers showing but a few bare spots. A crowd equally as great, if not larger in numbers is expected to witness the final events of the meet tonight. The lighting was good, the seating arrangements excellent and the work of all the officials quite above criticism. There were no fouls committed, although in two or three events it appeared as if there was interference by one or more swimmers; still, there were no deliberate fouls noticed.

Form Shown in Diving

In the springboard diving events all the entrants did excellent work, particularly Bob Fuller, Lorrin P. Thurston and Charlie Dudoit, to whom went first, second and third places, respectively.

Although failing to come near his world's record, Ludy Langer, swimming under the Hui Nalu colors, swam a good race in the 440 yards, having it very much to himself. He finished easily 15 yards to the good. John Kelli and Dickson Hitchcock swam neck and neck most of the way, the Healani man taking second place from the Outrigger entry by a small margin, as margins go in the long-distance events. Bill Hollinger also did well and for a time looked as if he would place.

The midget girls' race was a lively little tilt. Little Ethel Mooney was the last to alight on the water but she made up for whatever advantage the others had got on her at the start by hastening to take the lead, which she did in short order, maintaining it to the end. One of the midgets was only "knee-high to a grasshopper," and she was not the last at the tape by any means.

Mermaids Fight It Out

Blanche Fernandes won a pretty race in the 50 yards, closely followed by Julia Kehia and Bernice Lane. They were bunched all the way and it was only near the finish that Miss Fernandes sprinted and nosed out her rivals.

It took a real Hawaiian to win the 220-yard Service event, A. V. Kaehu of the Navy doing this handily. Granrose and Sanders also swam a good race.

What Warren Kealoha did in the 100-yard men's novice has been told already. He finished easily five yards to the good. Minvielle and Sam Kahanamoku (there are four younger ones at home yet and they are all swimmers), made a pretty race between themselves.

In the 100 yards girls' novice event Agnes Auld won over Beatrice Dowsett by a small margin. Yoshino Mamiya, known as the Japanese woman swimming champion of the world, was a good third.

Boy Scout Relay

The Boy Scout relay was an exciting event and developed itself into many duels of sprints. It was swum across between Piers 5 and 6, finishing at the latter. Palama, Kaimuki and Kakaako took the three places, although the other four teams were very much in the swim all the time.

Charlie Lambert Jr., of the Signal Corps, won first place in the 50-yard Service event. Granrose was second and Kaehu third. The last was "tele-scoped" at one stage of the game, although unintentionally, it appeared. As it was he did well in placing.

For once in his life, Duke Kahanamoku, the world's sprint champion, had to do some tail churning when in the 50 yards, nine other competitors hung on to him until very near the tape.

Kenn Sisters in Backstroke

Thelma and Edith Kenn took the

extreme ends in the 50-yard backstroke and they landed first and second, respectively, with Blanche Fernandes, somewhere in the center, coming third. The Kenn sisters were so close at the tape that the judges had some difficulty in deciding the event as between the two.

John Kelli won over Warren Kealoha in the 100 yards backstroke. He nosed the Hui Makani man out only at the finish. From start to finish the race was between the two. The time was taken also at the 50 yards, but Harold ("Stabby") Kruger's records for the distance are still his own.

There are 15 events on tonight's program, which will close the big meet and it is expected that they will prove even more exciting than were those of last night.

Summary of Events

440 yards, men's, open—Ludy Langer (Hui Nalu), first, time 5:37 3-5; Joan Kelli (Healani), Dickson Hitchcock (Outrigger). World's record, 5:17 3-5, held by Ludy Langer.

20 yards, girls under 11 years—Ethel Mooney (Women's Auxiliary), first, time 13 1-5, establishing Hawaiian record; Elsie Brown (Palama), Girlie Wise (Palama).

50 yards, girls, open—Blanche Fernandes (Outrigger), first, time 32 4-5; Julia Kehia (Palama), Bernice Lane (Hui Makani). World's record, 29, held by Fanny Durack; Hawaiian record, 29 4-5, held by Dorothy Burns.

220 yards, Service—A. V. Kaehu (Navy), first, time 2:49 2-5; Sylvester Granrose (Fort Kamehameha), V. L. Sanders (Fort De Russy). Hawaiian record, 2:45, held by Arthur Pingry.

100 yards, men's, novice—Warren Kealoha (Hui Makani), first, time 57 1-5; A. E. Minvielle, Jr., (Outrigger), Sam Kahanamoku (Hui Nalu). This time broke the Hawaiian record held by Wodehouse, Hurley and Pua Kealoha, of 1:02 2-5, by 5 1-5 seconds.

100 yards, girls, novice—Agnes Auld (Palama), first, time 1:27 1-5 Hawaiian record being 1:21 1-5, held by Kathleen Law; Beatrice P. Dowsett (Outrigger) Yoshino Mamiya (Palama).

Boy Scout relay—Troop II of Palama, first, time 1:41 4-5; Troop IX of Kaimuki, Troop V of Kakaako. Establishes Hawaiian record.

50 yards, Service—Charles Lambert Jr., (Signal Corps), first, time 27. Hawaiian record being 26 4-5, held by Arthur Pingry; Sylvester Granrose (Fort Kamehameha), A. V. Kaehu (Navy).

50 yards, men's, open—Duke P. Kahanamoku (unattached), first, time 23 4-5, world's record, 23, held by Kahanamoku; John Kelli (Healani), Lorrin P. Thurston (Outrigger).

50 yards backstroke, girls—Thelma Kenn (Hui Makani), first, time 41 4-5, establishing Hawaiian record; Edith Kenn (Hui Makani), Blanche Fernandes (Outrigger).

50 yards, boys under 15 years—Lee Chong (Palama), time 28 4-5, Hawaiian record, 26 2-5, held by Harris; Isobe Hakuiku (Palama), I. Kuanhimaka (Hui Makani). Protest entered by Hui Makani, claiming Lee Chong is 17 years old. In this race Kum Hong Lum (Hui Makani) finished fourth, and Carwin Savvas (Outrigger), fifth.

100 yards, boys under 18 years—Pua Kealoha (Hui Makani), first, time 58 4-5, establishing new Hawaiian record; A. G. Harris (Outrigger), A. E. Minvielle Jr., (Outrigger).

100 yards, men's, backstroke—John Kelli (Healani), first, time 1:10 4-5, time at 50 yards 32; Warren Kealoha (Hui Makani), Herman Kealoha (Healani). World's record for 100 yards held by Harold Kruger at 1:08 1-5.

Springboard diving, open—Robert K. Fuller (Healani), first; Lorrin P. Thurston (Outrigger), C. Dudoit (Healani).

600 yards, Service relay, six-man teams—Fort De Russy awarded tape by default. Fort Kamehameha and Navy teams failing to qualify.

400 yards, girls' club relay, four-girl teams—Outrigger first, time 5:24; Palama, second; Hui Makani, third.

National League

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 9, Cincinnati 3 (morning game); Pittsburgh 3, Cincinnati 2 (afternoon game).

At New York—New York 6, Brooklyn 2 (morning game); New York 4, Brooklyn 1 (afternoon game).

At Boston—Philadelphia 6, Boston 4, called in ninth (morning game); Boston 6, Philadelphia 0 (afternoon game).

At St. Louis—St. Louis 5, Chicago 4 (morning game); St. Louis 4, Chicago 1 (afternoon game).