

Regatta Day

Tomorrow will be Regatta Day, a gala occasion that looms large in Honolulu's year. The best talent available will participate in the races and the events are expected to make aquatic sports history. Few places can muster such an array of oarsmen while the outrigger races are, of course, peculiar to Hawaii. The people here are deeply interested and this year the community enthusiasm seems greater than usual.

The decision to hold the affair in the Ala Wai channel, off Moana park instead of in the harbor, as has been the custom, was a happy one. The chief objection to the harbor as a stage for the spectacle has been the lack of proper accommodations for spectators. By making the change the public will be able to view the races from the magnificent new park that is being completed along the Ala Moana. There will be ample room for thousands and an unobstructed view will be provided. The course is practically perfect and every prospect is pleasing. It is to be hoped that this year's regatta will be but the first of many water sports events to be presented with Moana park as the background.
