

Waikiki's Crew Contingent Off to Kona This Afternoon

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from Honolulu tomorrow afternoon on the Waialeale, arrive at Kailua shortly after the daybreak and then after a busy day, sail for home about midnight Saturday.

Reservations for the Kona excursion are still being taken at Inter-Island, and indications point to one of the largest crowds ever to attend the big races.

KONAITES GATHERING

According to reports from Kona yesterday the crowds are beginning to gather at Kona-waena, Kailua, and other points from virtually every nook and hamlet on the Big Island. Preparations are being made to handle the greatest throng ever gathered to witness an athletic event on the Big Island.

From Honaunau came word that Julian Yates' lads were primed for the greatest challenge of the regatta, and that these same paddlers are being viewed as favorites in the forthcoming races. At the same time, the powerful defending champions, Kailua, coached by Arthur Stillman and Ernest Cook, are even stronger than they were a year ago when they scored their sensational victory over the greatest collection of crews ever entered in a race.

While Honaunau and Kailua, with a natural rivalry driving these crews through a stiff training period, are favored to uphold Kona's tradition Saturday, pad-

dlers from Milolii, Hookena the Japanese entries and others are expected to furnish more competition than the average onlooker may expect.

STIFF TEST

All in all the Honolulu crews face a stiffer test than they did a year ago and while the Waikiki paddlers have improved a great deal during the past four or five months, their best may not be enough to overcome the powerful strokes of Honaunau and Kailua.

The following men will embark today on the Itasca with an overflow list preceding them on the Humuula which sails at 10 a. m. today:

OUTRIGGER CANOE CLUB

Herbert Van Orden, George Perry, Fred Hemmings, Richard Davis, Louis Hall, John Dolan, Philip Dolan, William Ryan, Jack Banks, Paul Banks, Lloyd Chiswick, Earl Alexander, Herbert Loomis, Earl Kraft, William Paty, Frank Hicks, Fred Maertens, Martin Vitousek, Paul Breley, Chas. Bates, Robert Dolan, Clarence Rickey, Lex Brodie, George Bates, Albert E. Minvielle, Bernard Powers, Richard Bechert, Robert Vanek, George Stepp, John Frazier, Geo. D. Center, Gay Harris.

HUI NALU CLUB

Walter Love, Jimmy Ing, James Peltier, Malcolm Love, Wendell Bayne, Conkling Wal, Alan Love, Pat O'Sullivan, Ed. Camara, Loy Cluney, Bill Spitz, Robert Wal, John Machado, Ted Akana, John Wise, Henry Ho, Noah Alull, J. Kaiwi, Sonny Sterling, Wayne Sterling, Fred Wilhelm, Elwood Van Gieson, Henry McPherson, H. Vierra, Bill Maertens, Andy Lambert.

QUEEN'S SUBFRIDERS

Buddy Adolphson, S. Long, Joe Davis, A. Lewers, D. Young, Charles Amalu, Dan Oyama, Ed. Tasni, Loui Bodle, David Alama, Wally Froiseth, Dan Toomey, Chun Hoon, Jim Dias, Johnny Kauo, T. Boyd, Heine Austin, Buster Shim, John Oliver, Bill Kea, Bill Sheather, Dick Young, B. Kauhane, J. Dickson, Wm. Young, H. Enos, Jimmy Alama.