

# Paddlers Prepare For Race At 'Tent City' On Waterfront

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2. The start will be in the center of the pier, the canoes to go out the channel a quarter mile, turn and go a quarter mile inside the starting line, make another turn and finish where they started.

Seats for 5,000 will be erected on the pier, and spectators will be able to follow the canoes along the entire course.

With about 125 paddlers coming from other islands, about 300 will take part in the races Kamehameha Day. Three Big Island clubs will send crews to Honolulu. They will be from Honaunau, Kailua and Milolii. Kauai will send two club delegations down and will send an excursion party of rooters to see the regatta and other Kamehameha Day events.

The visiting athletes will be housed at the Army and Navy

YMCA, the men to sleep in cots in the gymnasium and members of the girls' crew to have rooms. Girls' crews from Oahu to take part in the race will represent the Outrigger club and the Honolulu Girls Rowing club. Kona will send three girl crews.

There will be seven major races—a senior six, senior four, senior two, junior six and four, kids six and girls six. Between the canoe races it is planned to stage surf board paddling championship races.

Defending champions will be the Honaunau club of Hawaii, which cleaned up in the races at Kona last year.

Biggest favorite to trim the champions is the Outrigger club. Coach "Dad" Center will send some husky crews in to try to repeat their victory in the 1933 regatta. The Kailua paddlers won the 1934 title.