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Leary Will Navigate Lucky Star

H. B. Hobson Ready For Transpacific Event

Crewmen for "Lucky Star," H. B. ("Hobby") Hobson's schooner entry in the Transpacific Yacht Race, have been selected and will proceed individually to the Coast, Mr. Hobson announced yesterday. The "Star's" afterguard will meet at Wilmington, California, not later than June 16 to ready the boat for the race.

Robert T. Leary, ex-Coast Guard Lieutenant-Commander and top-flight sailing skipper in his own right, will act as navigator for the "Star." No novice at ocean racing, Leary has also made a 'round the world journey on a sailing ship, aboard the schooner "Yankee." He is a member of the Waikiki Yacht Club.

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Alan Faye of Kauai will hold the job of "chief steward" in addition to acting as able seaman. He is a member of the Kauai Yacht Club, and is believed to be the only outside-islander participating in this year's Transpacific.

Phil Caricof, Jack Beaumont, and Van Darrow of Honolulu will make up the remainder of the crew. All three are members of the Outrigger Canoe Club, and Caricof has been a former Mercury skipper in the Waikiki Yacht Club.

Caricof will also be first man away, leaving for the Coast on Monday. Faye plans to go on June 2, followed by Skipper Hobson on June 5, and Beaumont and Leary on June 12. Darrow, who is now attending Purdue University, will join the group at Wilmington where the "Star" goes into dry-dock on June 16.

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