

# Duke Kahanamoku Announces He'll Seek Re-election in Sheriff Race

Sheriff Duke P. Kahanamoku, who marks his 60th birthday anniversary August 24, announced today he will run for reelection to the post he's held for the past 15 years.

**An internationally famous athlete and former holder of several world swimming marks, the sheriff has had a long and varied career in the public eye.**

A Republican for the past 33 years, Mr. Kahanamoku was first elected in 1934. He has been unopposed since 1944.

The sheriff is a graduate of Kamehameha school for boys, senior grade.

## WAS OFFICIAL GREETER

In 1920 and 1921 he was attached to the governor's office as passport clerk and official greeter. He later managed successfully a service station at Pauoa Rd. and Nuuanu Ave.

Mr. Kahanamoku has appeared in several Hollywood film roles and is currently interested in a New York firm which manufactures and distributes aloha shirts.

## PARTY PLANNED

Outrigger Canoe club officials are completing plans for a Duke Kahanamoku Day celebration August 26 to honor the 60th anniversary of the famous Hawaiian swimmer's birth.

The Duke's birthday is that Thursday, but the club chose the Saturday following for its observance.

**Water events, including canoe races, are scheduled by Club Man-**

**ager Ted Magill and Robert D. Fischer, coordinator of the club's athletic committee.**

Mr. Kahanamoku will appear on the "Hawaii Calls" broadcast from the Moana hotel and will participate in a 25 yard sprint race with George (Dad) Center, Sam Harris and other "oldtimers."

## STAINBACK OPPOSED

### Mayor's Letters to Chapman Reported

Mayor Wilson is believed to have sent off a letter to Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman arguing against the reappointment of Governor Stainback.

**Reliable reports a week ago said the mayor was drafting such a letter in a final appeal.**

They said the mayor offered to withdraw his own name from the list of candidates if he could be assured that Mr. Stainback would not be reappointed.

The mayor flatly denied the report a week ago but it persists.

Personnel in the mayor's office said Tuesday they have no knowledge of the letter.

## BRITAIN SETS POLICY

LONDON, Aug. 16 (P)—Prime Minister Clement Attlee was quoted Tuesday as saying Britain's part in the Korean war in no way binds her to defend Formosa against a possible Chinese Communist attack.