

# Races Will Start at 11 On Keehi Lagoon Course

Three hundred paddlers, possibly more, will take part in the annual Kamehameha Day canoe races scheduled Wednesday in Keehi Lagoon.

Six clubs will be represented on the 11-event program which will get under way at 11 a.m., Fred Mosher, manager of the Outrigger Canoe Club, announced Monday afternoon.

Tomorrow's regatta, second in a series of qualifying races for the Julian Yates Territorial Rowing Championships slated in Kona, August 9, promises to be one of the finest in years.

## CLOSE RACES PREDICTED

Race-wise followers predict some of the closest races and fastest times in several seasons. Calm Keehi Lagoon, easily reached by the Sand Island Access Road, is expected to prove better for canoe racing than Honolulu Harbor.

The course, a half-mile run, is on the ewa side of Sand Island. There is ample parking and spectators may drive their cars right to the edge of most of the course. There is no admission charge.

OCC, team champion of the recent National Maritime Day regatta held in Honolulu Harbor, is a heavy favorite to repeat tomorrow.

## ALL CLUBS STRONG

However, as most onlookers agree, each race is wide open and all clubs are equally as strong.

The Outrigger Club, which won seven of the 10 races of the Maritime Day regatta, is gunning for the senior men's six man crew event, the blue ribbon race of the program.

However, OCC is given little more than an outside chance to upset the strong Hui Nalu crew which copped first place in that event on the Maritime Day program.

Four other clubs offering competition tomorrow are the Waikiki Surf Club, Healani, Koolaupoko Lions Club and Hui Kalia.

## ON TIME SCHEDULE

Regatta officials have lined up a time schedule for tomorrow's races and hope to complete the 11 events in 3 hours 5 minutes.

The third regatta, qualifying crews for the Territorial Championships at Kona, will be held July 20.

Tomorrow's schedule of races follows:

- 11 a.m.—Novice girls, ½ mile.
- 11:15 a.m.—Boys under 13, ¼ mile.
- 11:30 a.m.—Freshman boys, 1 mile.
- 11:50 a.m.—Boys novice, ½ mile.
- 12:05 p.m.—Junior men's six, 2 miles.
- 12:30 p.m.—Junior women's six 1 mile.
- 12:45 p.m.—Boys 17 and under, 1 mile.
- 1 p.m.—Senior men's six, 3 miles.
- 1:30 p.m.—Junior men's four, 1 mile.
- 1:45 p.m.—Senior women's six, 1 mile.
- 2:05 p.m.—Senior men's four, 1 mile.

## TIME OUT!



"Now get the picture, folks! There I was right behind this big birch with the green off to the right and over a rise...."

## Padres Should Be Considered Flag Contenders

LOS ANGELES, June 10 (P) — It's time for folks to start thinking of San Diego as pennant material.

Ever since "Lefty" O'Doul's Padres assumed the lead in the Pacific Coast League race back in mid-April, observers have been predicting — and confidently awaiting — the club's fall.

The consensus was, and still is in many quarters, that the Padres are strictly a second division outfit who reached the top by luck and have stayed there by playing over their heads.

Here's how San Diego "fell" last week: the team won four out of