

# Olympic Kayak Paddle Exhibition Set Today

A demonstration of Olympic kayak paddling will be given today in the Ala Wai canal.

George Downing, one of Hawaii's leading outrigger canoe paddlers, will demonstrate the one and two-man Olympic kayaks which arrived recently from Europe.

A four-man kayak, only the seventh of its kind in the United States, will be on display.

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**LOUIS GILLS**, junior single Canadian canoe champion of the United States, will be on hand to advise and demonstrate the handling of the kayak.

The demonstrations will follow a meeting called for 10 a.m. at the Ala Wai Boat House. It is open to all interested persons.

A committee has been set up to push Olympic kayak and Canadian canoe racing in Hawaii. Members of the committee include:

John Bustard, Lt. Col. E. B. DeGroot Jr., USAF; Lt. Col. T. M. Fields, USMC; Alfred S. Harris, Cmdr. C. A. Hennessey, USN; Capt. Henry Nachtsheim, USA; Neil Iverson, Richard Madden, Iwao Miyake, Dudley Pratt, Robert Rath and William R. Thompson.