

Monte Ito



Incentive for Volleyists

Now that Keala O'Sullivan has qualified for the United States Olympic team by winning the women's three-meter diving event, distaff members of Hawaii's volleyball candidates have added incentive to earn berths to the Mexico Games.

Barbara Perry, Fannie Hopeau and Sharon Peterson are training with the women's Olympic candidates at California State College in Long Beach. Workouts got under way yesterday and will continue through Sept. 2.

Miss Perry, a Kamehameha School and California



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State graduate, was selected for the tryouts from the national champion Los Angeles Shamrocks. She played on the U.S. teams in the 1967 Pan-American Games and World Games.

Miss Hopeau, also a member of the Pan-American and World Games teams, qualified for the tryouts as a member of the Central YMCA team, as did Miss Peterson who is a Punahou School teacher. Miss Peterson was on the 1964 Olympic team and also played in the 1967 Pan-American and World Games.

Cindy Kalama, Linda Fernandez and Miki Briggs McFadden, all of Hawaii, are alternates for the tryouts.

From the tryouts at Los Angeles, 12 players will be selected for final high altitude training at Lake Tahoe. The U.S. team will meet Japan in a special match at Los Angeles Sept. 23 and this could be a preview of the Olympic finals at Mexico City. Japan won the women's volleyball crown in 1964.

Four men from Hawaii are also trying out for berths on the U.S. Olympic volleyball team. They are Tom Haine, John Alstrom, John Stanley and Pete Velasco. Tony Crabbe of Church College is an alternate. The four at the tryouts are from the Outrigger Canoe Club.