

# shots fired at 4 men off Waikiki

Large caliber shots were fired yesterday at four men riding catamarans and surfboards 150 yards off the Outrigger Canoe Club at Waikiki.

The men, one each on two surfboards and two small Catamarans, said bullets whined over them and splashed in the water nearby at 5:45 p.m.

Police, combing the beach soon after, found six .45 caliber shells on the sand at a beach right of way about 500 yards from where the shots hit the water.

"Someone was up the beach, toward Diamond Head, shooting out at the boats," said detective Thomas Pickard. "A .45 at that distance would still kill a man."

Police were called when the men came ashore. They were Robert A. Anderson Sr., 49, and Michael Holmes, 29, both alone aboard separate catamarans, and William C. Capp, 63, and Fred S. Brown Sr., 55, both on surfboards.

Police said neighbors to the right-of-way said they saw teenagers shooting a gun into the sand there last week. They said they had thought yesterday's shooting was firecrackers.