

## SAILING PROGRAM FOR THE OLYMPICS

Dan Wallace has recently been given the job of developing a new sailing program that may eventually lead to participation in the Olympics. Bob Casey has preached inter-club competition for several years—as a result, a number of Hawaii's leading sailers are keenly interested in the formation of such a program.

A recent meeting was called by Taffy Sceva, Commodore for Sail at the Waikiki Yacht Club. The meeting was well attended by members from all the yacht clubs.

OCC was represented by Bob Casey, Dan Wallace, and Jim Grouney. Carter Pyle, a former National Champion and designer of the P-CAT, Flipper, and other successful hot boats, spoke at length on the many advantages of such a program. Needless to say, his remarks were well received. The group agreed to refer the matter to the Hawaii Yacht Racing Association with a request that they foster the program. Now, the big question is—what boat will be selected by this committee, and when the selection is made, will all clubs agree to purchase one or more boats. Each club would then devise their own youth training program. The Outrigger will start its training program in the near future (sign-up sheets at the club). On the teaching committee will be Bob Casey, Dan Wallace, Wally Young, Tom Reiner, and other experienced club members. Classes will be held on Saturday mornings throughout the year.