

'A' Catboats Provide Best Show in Barnegat Regatta

(Staff Correspondent)

SEASIDE PARK. — With 147 boats competing in the second event of the racing schedule for points in the Barnegat Bay Yacht Racing association's championship regattas yesterday at Seaside Park Yacht club, the "A" cats, racing for the Middleton trophy, provided most of the excitement. A lack of wind in the morning made for slow time but, as is usually the case down the bay, the breeze freshened in the afternoon and the "A" cats raced over the finish line, providing the only real competition of the day in a race that was "nip and tuck" all the way.

Tom Dilworth, of the Toms River Yacht club, came in first in "Bat" with G. C. Clark, of the Lavallette club a close second. The first of the season's B.B.Y.R.A. regattas was held last Saturday at the Bay Head Yacht club.

The "B" sneaks, competing in the first race of the day, were over the line at 10:30 a.m. "Falcon," sailed by Joe Flynn, of the Island Heights Yacht club was the winner,

with "Applejack," sailed by Richard Brenn, of the Lavallette club, coming in second.

Also racing in the morning were the nipes, with Bruce Roth, of the Beachwood club taking first place in "Reynard" and John Stillmun, jr., of the Island Heights club, second in "Jolly Roger"; the race for 17-foot cats, won by Fred Winkelman, of the Lavallette club, first in "Sea Puss" and "Felix," sailed by Patty Winkelman, also of the Lavallette club, second; "A" sneaks, with Paulding Phelps, Mantoloking club, first in "Fan Tan" and Frank Giammattei, also of the Mantoloking club, second in "Frisky"; junior comets, won by John Peet, of the Bay Head club, in "Weasel" and Fred Grigg, of the Island Heights club, second in "Esquire."

The moths, international class, failed to finish in their allotted time due to the light breeze but the bay moths finished with Charles Carpenter, of the Mantoloking club, first in "Snig" and Ann Giammattei, of the same club, second in "Bonnie." In the penguin class, "Small Consolation," sailed by Jack Wright, of the Mantoloking club, was first with John Pilling, Interlaken and Mantoloking, second in Nemo. He is also a member of the Mantoloking club.

The afternoon starting gun was at 2:20 when the "E" sloops went over the line. "Hirondelle," sailed by J. L. Fagan, jr., of the Seaside Park club, was first and "Wigwam," sailed by Cliff Lewis of the Mantoloking club, was second.

The lightnings, racing in the bay championship series, were brought home by two well known bay sailors. Fred Wiedeke, of the Toms River club, was first, in his "Thor" and Mrs. Louise Cattus Wells, of the Bay Head Yacht club, a consistent winner in last summer's races, second in "My Gal."

Nancy Ill, of the Island Heights club, was winner in the "G" sloops in her "Barracuda" and Bob Snyder, sailing "G-20," was second. He is a member of the Toms River club. In the senior comets, "Coro-

net," sailed by Robert Afflerbach, of the Island Heights club, was first with George Doscher, of the Bretton Woods club, second in "Restless." The individual race for lightnings was won by William S. Childs, of the Bay Head club, in "Midgie" and J. Davison, of the Shore Acres club, second, in "Jay Dee."

The next regatta in the series will be Monday at the Island Heights club.