A QUARTER POINT DID IT

Skipper Frank B. Howard of Texas Corinthian Yacht Club took Corinthian class honors by a quarter point Sunday at the annual Seabrook Sailing Club regatta. Pictured above, left to right, are H. G. Safford and Mrs. Howard, crew members; Howard, and Claude Collins, regatta chairman.

Frank Howard Takes Feature Boat Event

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Competing. Frank B. Howard in Finale moved up the Corinthian class trophy Sunday in the closest feature of the annual regatta of the Seabrook Sailing Club.

Howard sailed seventh in the final race among 16 boats but won the three-niner series by a quarter point.

The weekend turnout of 66 boats in 16 classes was the best in Galveston Bay Yacht Club's history.

Howard was one of Seabrook's early races to help build up the fleet winning margin over Albert B. Pay's Builder.

A small boat skipper who was inactive a cutter entry in the 1954 Bermuda race came up with the Titanic's only collision, the winner. Jim Jutt in Small Fry won all three Beetle class events.

J. B. Thompson's Pagan won two firsts and a second in the Star class.

With two firsts and a second, G. T. Parker in Hellyer sailed to the top of the Finisterre class ever Earl Garth's 19th winner of Houston's race.

Berwick O'Brien's Puff took class honors among the J-24s, which carry in the Spring 19th at strong.

Two Rebel IIIs fought for flight displacement victories as J. R. Shiebler's Rebel beat Leonard S. Pochner. In this same banding group, the

united class S now skippers by Newton Clayton at St. Louis placed fourth, and trailer Cat, a modification sailed by J. W. Langham of Corpus Christi was seventh.

Dragon, Lew Mickle's Victory, skippered by H. P. Sanger, won in the heavy displacement class over Inexp, a Grand Internation

ship handled by an all-women's crew with Mrs. E. Bennett as skipper.

Pennant, Crawford's 18, set a record in the smallest class ever since the

inception of the annual regatta.