

SPORTS

O. C. Sleppy Runner-Up at Halfway Mark

Torrance Man Turns In Card of 155 in Los Angeles Public Links Championship Flight

Oliver Clarence Sleppy, winner of the Santa Monica Midwinter tournament at Santa Monica golf links last March, is second in the list of contenders for the Los Angeles public links championship, now being played off at Griffith Park.

Sleppy turned in a score of 77 for his first 18 holes, 146 for 36. The third round will be played next Sunday.

Sleppy is only two strokes behind P. J. Cahill who is leading the field at the half-way mark.

Two more rounds will complete the championship play of 72 holes.

HOME RUNS FEATURE OF BALL GAME

LOMITA.—Narbonne Gauchos upset the Gardena baseball nine last Friday on Griffith field by a score of 7 to 5. The game was featured by the heavy hitting on both sides and some fancy fielding.

Three home runs featured the game. Harry Morgison hit the first ball pitched for a homer which gave Narbonne a one-run lead in the first inning. Johnson followed with a three-bagger but the next two batters failed to connect.

Murphy of Narbonne hit a home run in the fourth inning with no one on. Bender of Gardena hit a home run in the seventh with one man on and the score stood 7 to 4. Gardena's ninth inning rally netted one more run but fell short of victory.

Rugraffe of Narbonne and Mendez of Gardena each allowed 10 hits with Narbonne getting more extra bases.

Narbonne played errorless ball Friday and looked stronger than at any other time of the season. Captain Darrel Wolverton garnered two hits, as did Morgison and Johnson while Thistle, Murphy and Rugraffe also connected safely.

Bender, Gardena's lead-off man, got four hits in five times at bat and Brown in center fielded beautifully. Kelly and Aspitelle fielded well for Narbonne along with Wolverton.

Tomorrow Narbonne journeys to Bell which looms as the league's strongest team having won all games with ease. Next Tuesday Narbonne plays a practice game with the Hanning outfit at Narbonne and with Jordan in a league game here on Friday. Narbonne's junior varsity team travels to Banning for a return game today. Angelleh and Bidwell will form the battery.

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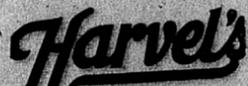
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Throughout the entire district the planting has been extremely heavy, and full creels are much in evidence, Franklin stated. Franklin, who has been identified with the motor car industry for years as road scout, hunting and fishing authority and motorists' friend, is now associated with the Richfield Oil Company in the same capacity. In his new position, Franklin, who has ridden nearly a million miles up and down and across the entire West gathering information for dissemination to the motor car owners, will continue this work which has proved so helpful to the tourist, camper and sportsman.

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"The first streak of dawn, May 1st, found many hundreds of sportsmen on their favorite water, eager to tempt the speckled beauties to the creel," said "Outdoor" Franklin

on his return. "Owing to the nearness of the local streams and lakes, these were somewhat overcrowded, with the result that very few limits were taken, those fortunate enough to have chosen the Bishop Country for the initial trial were amply repaid for the extra mileage. There is still plenty of snow on the higher levels which must run off before the streams are at their best. The lake fishing however, is good but no doubt will improve as the season advances.

"Trotting and still fishing have so far brought the best results as the fish are in deep water on account of the coldness of the water. Silver and Grant Lakes just now seem to be the best bets with Convict Lake a close second, while Hot Creek and the Owens River are both excellent."

to Rennie in time to nip Reynolds who had figured on racing home while all this was going on.

The boys tried this stunt once more in the seventh, but the net result was only a lot of back pedaling along the base paths. Pasadena had acquired a wholesome respect for the quick-thinking Torrance infield.

Box Score:

Torrance	A. B. R. H. O. A.
Frenchie, cf.	5 1 2 0 1
May, cf.	5 2 1 2 0
Wolfe, 3b.	5 0 1 0 1
Bouett, ss.	4 0 1 3 7
Ducasse, 2b.	4 0 1 3 0
Atwood, 1b.	4 0 0 1 0
Hatfield, lf.	4 0 0 3 3
Rennie, c.	4 0 0 1 0
Flickner, p.	4 1 1 0 1
	34 4 9 24 18

Pasadena	A. B. R. H. O. A.
McNabb, 2b.	4 0 2 4 2
Huserot, ss.	4 2 2 2 0
G. Haas, cf.	3 0 1 1 0
Schille, lf.	3 2 0 2 1
Rundy, lf.	3 2 0 2 1
Reynolds, 3b.	4 0 2 4 0
McClain, 1b.	4 1 3 8 0
Rohrer, c.	4 1 0 4 1
Williams, p.	2 0 1 3 0
	33 6 11 27 7

Summary: Base on balls, off Williams 1; off Flickner 2; struck out by Williams 2; by Flickner 2; two-base hits Squett, McClain 2; home run, Haas; hit by pitcher, May; left on base, Torrance 5, Pasadena 6.

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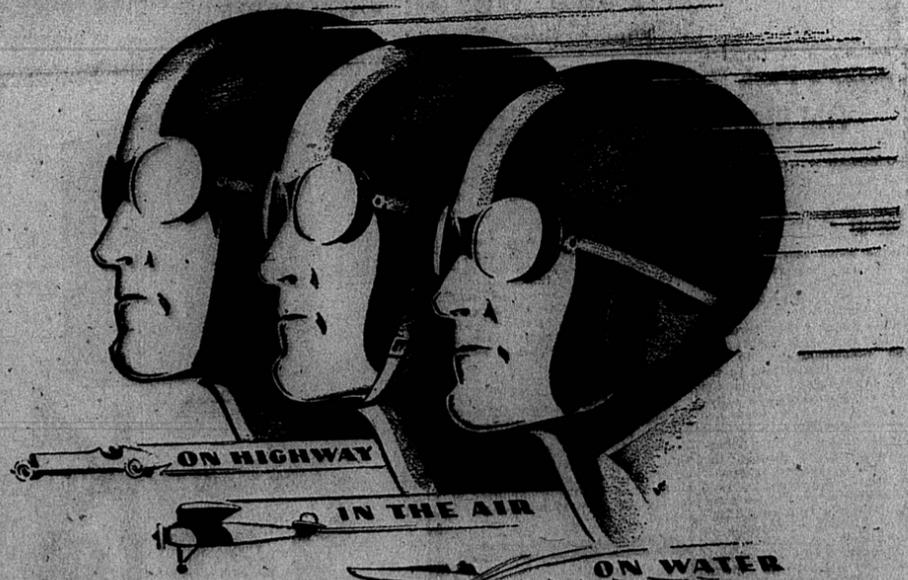
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