

Ocean Regatta Next Week At Cabrillo Beach

Pleasure Craft of All Sizes to Compete in Annual Event

On an ocean race course laid out to let thousands of people look on from the automobile roads along the cliffs of Point Firmin or the sand at Cabrillo Beach in Los Angeles harbor, more than a hundred pleasure boats, ranging from tiniest "dinghies" to towering schooners, will compete in spectacular races and events from February 22 to 25.

The event is the eighth annual National Midwinter Regatta of the Civic Regatta Association, a subsidiary of the Los Angeles Junior Chamber of Commerce, greatest boating spectacle of the year.

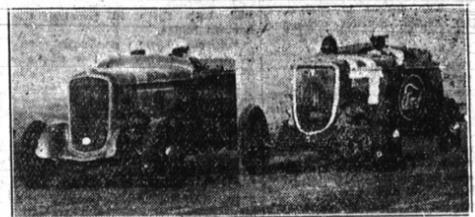
Starting sharply at 1 p. m. each day, will see the 8-meter class, with five-men crews, swing along the wind, followed at five-minute intervals by the six-meter boats, the Star boats, the R-boats, the Skimmers, the "Common Sense," and the Pacific Coast classes. On the last two days, the small boats will get in their contests, sailing inside the breakwater, and starting in flights, including the Rainbows, Snowbirds, Snipes, and unclassifieds of 14 feet and over, and 14 feet and under.

VISITS FRIENDS HERE

Mrs. J. C. McVey of Glendale visited friends and acquaintances in Torrance on Wednesday. Mrs. McVey was formerly one of the owners of the Torrance theatre.

SPORTS

Two Speed Kings In Practice Spin For Road Race On Sunday



Chet Gardner (left) veteran Long Beach speed merchant, and Eddie Seward hooked up in a stirring practice session on the two-mile B-shaped dirt road course at the Los Angeles Municipal Airport while preparing for the Gilmore Gold Cup road race next Sunday afternoon. Gardner is at the wheel of a Ford V8 while Seward pilots a Plymouth.

Kite Flying Season Brings Danger to Young Enthusiasts

Kite flying season has come around again, and with it comes the necessity of impressing upon the boys and girls of this community the safety rules that should be observed to avoid the possibility of accidents through the contact of kites with electric wires. Parents, school teachers and

leaders of boy and girl organizations are urged to co-operate with the electric light and power, telephone and street railway companies in the effort to prevent kite accidents which might result in injury or death to children.

The first safety rule is for children to fly their kites where there is no likelihood of their coming near any electric line. And the children should remember that the kite string is at an angle and may pass over electric lines considerable distance away and out of sight.

Children should never attempt the removal of a kite that has become entangled in electric wires. The safety rule is, do not attempt to get the kite by climbing poles or by any other means, but let it alone and call the electric company, telephone company or the street car company to which the wires belong. Men with proper equipment will be sent almost immediately to take the kite from the lines.

It is unsafe to attempt to pull down a kite which has become entangled in the electric lines because the wires may be brought together causing a short circuit. It sometimes happens in such cases that the wires break and fall to the ground, causing danger of serious injury to anyone who may be near them.

It is dangerous to use wire or tinsel cord or Christmas cord with metal strands in it, as a kite string. These materials are conductors of electricity. It is also unsafe to use wire or metal in any part of the construction of the kite itself, and the use of tinsel for decorating or tailing the kite should be avoided. In flying a kite, use a good kite

TORRANCE MERCHANTS BEAT ARIZONA TEAM IN TWO GAMES

Locals Defeat Navy Boys In Double Header Sunday Afternoon; Largest Crowd of Season Watches Pastime

The largest crowd of the season watched the Torrance Merchants take both ends of a double header Sunday afternoon from the U. S. S. Arizona team. The first tilt went nine innings to an 8-5 score.

Seven innings were played in the second half, with Torrance out in front again, 12-7.

Ingewood Club Amateur Boxing Bouts Wednesday

Athletic Club is Reopened Under Management of Harry E. Winkler

Torrance boys who are interested in the many art of self defense, will have a chance to develop their skill and knowledge of the amateur boxing game at the Ingewood Athletic Club, which has just reopened with Coach Harry E. Winkler, former instructor at the Los Angeles Y. M. C. A. and former professional at the fist game, in charge.

Mr. Winkler announces that the Ingewood club has been licensed under the A. A. U. and the state athletic commission for amateur boxing events which will be held every Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock, at 1010 Hyde Park boulevard, Ingewood. Eight events will make up the program on these nights.

The fight program is made up exclusively of amateur boxers, who are put through a course of preliminary training before they are allowed to enter the ring. This training is done under the personal supervision of Mr. Winkler, and is free to all comers, so that any boy who wants to learn how to defend himself with his natural weapons, his fists, may enter and take part in the boxing shows when he becomes skilled enough to do so.

Mr. Winkler was for 13 years in charge of the boxing instruction at the Los Angeles Y. M. C. A. and is regarded as one of the foremost instructors in the country. He won the amateur Northwest, five states competing, and for five years was recognized as the champion at his weight in the professional ring in Minnesota. He has fought such men as Matty McCue, Jack Sharkey, Billy DeFoe, Harry Coffey and others of equal caliber, and has managed and trained other professional fighters such as Fred Fulton, Mike O'Dowd, Bob Moha and Otto Wallace.

Torrance used to have some pretty fair amateurs, and the invitation from Mr. Winkler to the present crop of boys to come up and take part in the amateur bouts may develop another local white hope who can give a pretty good account of himself. According to Winkler the training is free and all equipment is furnished in the club's well appointed gymnasium.

Followers of amateur boxing are invited to attend the bouts on Wednesday night.

West Marine League Track Season Opens

Long Beach Relays Will Start Spring Events On March 3

The newly formed West Marine League track season will open on March 3 with triangular meets held at Leuzinger and Torrance, and will continue for two months, closing with the finals in Classes A and C on May 3.

The new league is made up this year of six teams, five of them from the old Marine League, and the sixth, a new school, North Long Beach, which was added this spring.

The complete schedule is as follows:

March 2 Novice relays for 8th and 10th grades at Torrance.

March 3 Long Beach relays.

March 9 Gardena, Narbonne at Leuzinger. El Segundo, N. L. B. at Torrance.

March 16 Leuzinger, Torrance at Narbonne. El Segundo, N. L. B. at Gardena.

March 24 City relays at Los Angeles high school.

April 6 Narbonne, N. L. B. at Torrance. Gardena, Leuzinger at El Segundo.

April 13 El Segundo, Gardena at Narbonne. Torrance, N. L. B. at Leuzinger.

April 20 Narbonne, N. L. B. at Gardena. Leuzinger, Torrance at El Segundo.

April 24—Preliminaries, Class B. April 27—Finals, Class B.

May 1—Preliminaries, Class A and C, league meet.

May 12—Southern California preliminaries.

May 19—Southern California finals.

May 26—State meet.

Cars Collide On Torrance Boulevard

R. R. Lindstrum, 640 Gale avenue, Hawthorne, and Mrs. J. Emory, residing at House 9, Arlington Court, were participants in an auto accident at Cedar and Torrance boulevard Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Emory was making a U-turn on Cedar street when the collision occurred. Both cars were somewhat damaged and a boulevard stop sign on the south side of the boulevard was broken off. No one was injured.

A. & P. Company Sales Increasing

Sales of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for the four weeks period ending January 27 were \$59,924. This compares with \$57,243.21 for the same period in 1933 and in an increase of \$2,680,359, or 4.68%. January sales expressed in tons were estimated as 356,514 this year, compared with 371,438 in January, 1933. This is a decrease in quantity of merchandise sold of 14,924 tons, or 4.02%. Average weekly sales in January were \$14,980,695, compared with \$14,310,605 in 1933, an increase of \$670,090. Average weekly tonnage sales were 89,125, compared with 92,860 in January 1933, a decrease of 3,731 tons.

Former Cardinal Catcher Visits His Cousin In Torrance

Verne Clemons, former catcher for the St. Louis Cardinals, visited last week with his cousin, Mrs. Grover C. Whyte, 1620 Post avenue. Mr. Clemons played with the St. Louis team and also with the Philadelphia Athletics, for a number of years until a knee injury forced him out of the game. Not wanting to get out of baseball altogether, Mr. Clemons took over the management of a minor league team in the Middle West and carried on for several seasons. He is spending the winter on the Pacific Coast, where he is visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances among the former big league ball players who have settled in California since their playing days are over.

Cross Country Run At Narbonne Wed.

Narbonne's annual cross country run will be held next Wednesday, February 21, starting at 11:10 a. m. for the two-mile hike over the hills and dales of Lomita. Considerable interest in the outcome of this event is felt in the student body, as Floyd Carpenter, winner of the Griffin perpetual trophy four years in succession graduated last semester and is therefore out of the race. Floyd ran against some stiff competition last year, so now that he is out of the way, there are several promising distance runners who are hoping to see their names engraved on the cup.

Free Swim Classes Given Every Week At Redondo Plunge

Free swimming classes for school students, which are held every Saturday between 9 a. m. and 10 a. m. at the Pacific Electric Plunge at Redondo Beach are becoming more popular each week. It was stated today by company officials.

Last Saturday Instructor Harvey Hamilton had to have three additional instructors to handle the big crowd of enthusiastic young boys and girls, all eager and anxious to learn all the intricacies of the very healthy and delightful art of swimming.

Every Saturday novelties will be given away to all students at the end of the lessons. Instruction is free, a small charge being made for use of suit, towel and locker.

Every Friday night, which will be "Collegiate Night," all high school students on presentation of their student body card at the cashier's office at the P. E. Plunge will be admitted at half rate, which will include use of suit, towels and locker.

Lomita Merchants Trim Wilmington

Ten runs in the first three innings gave the Lomita Merchants a decisive victory over the Wilmington Cardinals Sunday afternoon. The game ended with Lomita on the long end of the 12-5 score. Dick Moudy started for the locals, and was relieved by Walt Morris, the two of them yielding 11 hits.

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Look Out, Fellers! Do not fly kites near Electric Wires! Kite-flying time always brings heaps of fun to thousands of boys and girls. But in past years, kite-flying has resulted in serious injury to a few whose kites came in contact with power-lines. Every boy and girl should know these 3 SAFETY RULES. 1. Do not fly kites anywhere near electric wires. 2. Never use wire or tinsel cord, or cord that has become damp from rain or fog. 3. If cord is caught in Power-Line, let go! Do not pull it. Call the power company to remove it and get your kite back for you. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY LTD.

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