

Miller Is Generous

Furniture Man Will Donate Percentage Of Sales to Parent Teachers Fund

With the score 15-3 in favor of the Miller Furniture, pitted against the Columbia Steel, Friday night in one of the last games of the City Short Ball League, Umpire Culp ended the agony for the steel man by calling the game in the sixth inning. The score was hopelessly one-sided and the Miller boys were rapidly becoming exhausted from running bases and the steel boys from running after base hits.

In the second game Friday night the Safeway Stores came within an ace of breaking their season's record by winning from the Arnold & Pullman team. The Safeway went into the last half of the seventh with the score, 8-8, but the independent grocery boys put over the winning run

with two out, making a thrilling finish for the evening's pastime. Too bad the Safeway are just beginning to hit their stride, with the season practically ended.

Welfare Work Benefits

Scorekeeper Jack Modesitt announces that for the championship playoff games which will be played shortly, an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged. The proceeds will be turned over to the Torrance Elementary Parent Teachers Association for their welfare work. The P. T. A. will be in charge of the ticket sales, and Jack Miller of the Miller Furniture Store has announced that to increase the fund that will go towards this benevolent purpose he will give the P. T. A. ten percent of the sales at his store from now until the date of the championship games. Each person who spends a dollar at the furniture store will receive a ticket good at the ball park for any play-off game and Miller will redeem them from the P. T. A. at the admission price of ten cents.

Copper Output Huge

SALT LAKE CITY, (U.P.)—During the last decade and a half, the Utah Copper Company has supplied one-seventh of all the primary copper produced or 8 percent of the world's production, according to D. D. Moffat, vice president of the company.

San Pedro Girls To Play Arizona Team Here Sun.

The San Pedro girl softball team comes back to Torrance Sunday evening, bent on showing fans of this community that last week's walloping handed out by the Max Factor team was not by any means the kind of ball they play ordinarily. Tired from a campaign that had lasted thru five days, the girls also were handicapped considerably by the wet grass in the outfield, which made it nigh impossible to chase a fly ball. The Max Factor team was equipped with "spiked" shoes and were able to catch balls that San Pedro could not touch.

This week the team is importing the Phoenix, Ariz., W.O.W. squad. In two games, on July 4 and 5, San Pedro defeated the Phoenix outfit twice in the Arizona city and hope to continue the streak by taking the series here.

State Champions

Boasting some of the best feminine baseball players in Arizona, the W.O.W. team holds the championship of the state for last year and have won the first half title again this season. Lois Pitts, star hurler, the "Lois Terry" of Arizona, whose fast ball tosses failed to fool San Pedro last month, will try again when the team comes here.

The game is billed for the municipal park and will start 8:15 p. m.

SHE'S A NIFTY ON DOUBLE PLAYS



Lois Springman, San Pedro shortstop, a Lomita girl, who will see plenty of action Sunday evening when the San Pedro and Phoenix W. O. W. teams clash in a tilt scheduled at the Torrance city park. With Virginia Alford, another Lomita girl, the San Pedro second base combination is rated the best in Southern California. They have completed many double plays during the season and both are hitters of ability.

His Number Choice

TOLEDO, (U.P.)—As Charles G. Cron, secretary of the East Toledo club, was the first patron of the safety-box department at a branch bank, he had the choice of numbers. He chose 18.

Denver Paefists Organize

DENVER (U.P.)—An organization known as the People's Mandate to Governments to End War has been organized here.

Sport Shots

By Bob Lovell

America's Two Great Distance Runners Are In There

Louis Zamperini, Torrance Tornado, proved to the world, and himself, Tuesday afternoon, at the Berlin Olympic Games, that he is the No. 1 man in the 5000-meter run for the United States. Tomorrow, Louis will try to be the first American runner to ever take a first in the long grind. Don Lash took a third in the first heat.

Archie San Ramoni Has Relative In Torrance

Mrs. Frances Tansey Santore of Torrance not only had her eyes on Louis Zamperini this week, but was keeping a very close tab on the new 1500-meter sensation of the United States, Archie San Ramoni. Why? Well the great Kansas runner is her sister's boy. Mrs. Santore is one of the loyal women followers of sports in the city, and loves to talk about her now famous nephew. Well who wouldn't?

"Good Luck Louie" Reads Local Sign

LeRoy "Stew" Trompson, proprietor of the Fountain Cafe, Sartori avenue, and former track and football star for the Torrance Tartars, has a unique way of wishing Louis Zamperini the best of luck for his big race tomorrow in Berlin. "Stew" has cut a beautiful picture of an Olympic athlete out of a magazine, pasted the picture on a white 11x14 card, and printed across the bottom, "Good Luck Louie." The card is in the cafe's show window. Well let's hope that this remembrance brings the "Torrance Tornado" luck enough to win for the United States.

Vonderahe Host To Baseball Club

Coach Paul Vonderahe was host when he entertained members of the Sandy and Scotty Baseball Club at a spaghetti feed recently. The affair was held in the gardens at the home of the club's third baseman, Bobby Trexise, 2019 Arlington. The boys say Vonderahe, who took as well as coach. After the dinner the club joined in general baseball gossip, which lasted until 11:30 p. m.

Are You Interested In An Athletic Club For Torrance

Several local citizens are endeavoring to organize an athletic club for Torrance. Said club to be run on a non-profit basis, and to keep "sticky fingers" out. If you are interested read the story appearing in another column in the sport section, and read the Torrance Herald from week to week, for further information.

Did You Know? Well Read On Then

The United States has won a first place in the 100-meter dash every time except in 1908, 1924 and 1928. . . That Canada and the United States have won every first place in the 200-meter dash since the beginning of the Modern Games. United States has won seven times with Canada taking three. . . That this is the second time in history this country has lost a first place in the shot put. Finland took first in 1920, while Germany was the winner in the present games. . . That Uncle Sam has won the pole vault every time except in 1908, France was the winner that year. . . That the Stars and Stripes has only been hoisted to the first place position twice in the marathon run. The games of 1904 and 1908. . . That five out of the first six winners of first places for the U. S. were won by Negroes, Johnson, high jump; Owens, 100 and 200 meter dashes and broad jump; Woodruff, 800-meter run. Glen Hardin, 400-meter champion was the first white American to win a race. . . The United States has never won a first place in the javelin, 5000-meter run, 10,000-meter run and the 3,000-meter steeplechase.

What Present and Former Torrance Athletes Are Doing

Many people have asked this writer in the last few months, What is so and so doing now? Well here's what a few are up to. . . Bobby Trexise, football sensation for the coming season is working for the International Derrick Company. . . Jack Javens is employed by the City of Huntington Park (Yes our local athletes have to work for another city). . . Donald Haines is working for the Co-

Benny Goodman

Famous Swing Dance Maestro, Will Play at Redondo Sunday, Aug. 16

Benny Goodman, generally conceded to be the greatest exponent of "swing" music in the country today, and who will be making his debut to local dance devotees when he brings his famous orchestra to The Mandarin Ballroom at Redondo for an evening of dancing Sunday, August 16, will introduce to song lovers here his charming vocalist, Helen Ward.

In addition to the appearance of this world famous or-



Benny Goodman and his vocalist, Helen Ward.

chestra, the Redondo Junior Chamber of Commerce, who made possible the band's appearance here, has arranged to conduct a dance contest for the Swing Dance championship of the world at which Helen Ward herself will officiate as a judge and award the cups.

Miss Ward, a native of New York City, made her debut as vocalist with Goodman's orchestra while the latter was headlining the three-hour "Let's Dance" program over NBC. Little more than a year ago, after winning the coveted spot in competition with countless other lasses who wanted to sing with his famous organization.

Miss Ward is Goodman's only feminine vocalist and has been featured with him on all his programs since joining his orchestra. Her resonant vocal renditions were heard in addition to the Let's Dance Program, on the RCA program and the Elgin Revue on NBC. Helen was also featured by Benny at the Congress Hotel in Chicago where the orchestra recently made the Windy City "swing music" conscious.

Retailers Endorse John T. Rawls

Three more important organizations this week added their endorsement of John T. Rawls for election to the state assembly from this district. The California Retail Druggists' Association, the Independent Retail Grocers' Association, and the California Veterans' Association are sponsoring Rawls it was announced today by the campaign committee. Rawls has the endorsement of a large number of other influential groups.

BATTERY CHARGE

John P. Inge, 2310 W. 240th street, Lomita, plead not guilty on arraignment before Judge Frank R. Carrell of the Inglewood township justice court at Gardena, this week and will have a trial Aug. 14. Charges of battery were preferred by his wife, Mrs. Edith Inge.

New Pitcher For Columbia Hurls Three-Hit Game

Star Department Store Is Shut Out 1-0 In Last League Game

Columbia Steel tossed in a new pitcher by the name of Fred Pierson, Tuesday night, in

STANDING OF THE TEAMS CITY SHORT BALL LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Sandy & Scotty	10	2	.833
Nat. Supply	7	4	.636
Miller	7	4	.636
Star Dept.	7	5	.583
Arnold & Pull.	6	5	.545
Columbia	6	6	.500
Lomita	2	9	.182
Safeway	0	10	.000

Postponed game between Arnold & Pullman and Safeway will not be played.

their final game of the City Short Ball League season, and defeated the Star Department Store, 1-0. Pierson let the Stars down with three hits, well scattered, and struck out six men. Luevano, pitching for the Stars, struck out 10 Columbia batters but slipped a bit in the sixth when he walked Venable, struck out Pierson and Molinar, and yielded a double to Ruiz, for the steel men's only run.

Sandy & Scotty's boys outclassed the Arnold & Pullman boys in the first game of the evening, winning 9-1 to make them the undisputed leaders of the league. Salo Luevano, pitcher for the Arnold & Pullmans, scored their only run in the seventh inning on a smash to Tony Nady which Tony found too hot to handle and the ball went far out in center, for a homer.

Chuck Mearing was retired from the game early when he stopped a fast throw from Earl Smith, and injured his hand.

The only games left to play in the short ball league are Miller Furniture against National Supply, and Lomita vs. Safeway. The Millers are now tied with National with seven wins and four lost. The result of this game will put the loser into a tie with the Star Department Store for the third spot.

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SOFT BALL

SUNDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 9 8:15 P. M.

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MUNICIPAL BALL PARK Admission: 25c

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