

## Torrance Has Four Squads Out for Basketball

With four squads ready for Marine League play, Coach Pete Zamperini at Torrance high school awaits the opening of the basketball season tomorrow. He is ready but he's not offering any rash predictions as to the Tartars' prowess in varsity, Class B, C or D hoop competition.

"We've lost all our four practice games but two weeks ago against Inglewood the varsity looked very good. This week, in a return game, we were swamped 38 to 11. The other squads are practically untested and should be on a par with other Marine League lightweights," Zamperini said.

The Torrance varsity basketball squad of 10 candidates has two lettermen, Richard Paxman, guard, and Ormsby Miller, forward. Neither saw much action last year, however. The varsity roster also includes Wilson Woodburn, Richard Miller and Glen Sessions, forwards; Guy DeWitt and David Delano, centers; Clifford Powell, Clair Johnson and John Hudson, guards.

In the Class B squad of 14 are Charles Stedman, Byron Woodard, Jimmy Deems, Jimmy Prowden and Wally Steinhilber, forwards; Stanley Pearson and Lawrence Prince, centers; Doug Crawford, Jimmy Woodburn, Keith Goddard, Marvin Maddy, Newton Sleeth, Larry Gansdy and Dick Jensen, guards. Woodburn is the only letter-man.

The Class C and D squads have 12 boys listed in each classification.

## Stolen Base Wins Game for Indians

Art Bonnell's theft of home in the 10th inning gave the Torrance-Lomita Indians a 3 to 2 win over the Inglewood Merchants Sunday afternoon at the Torrance city park diamond and kept the Indians tied for the Double A League lead with Arcadia. Frenchy Gendreau, pitching for Arcadia last Sunday, turned in a 7 to 2 decision.

Inglewood scored twice in the eighth on a walk, sacrifice and two hits to knot the score after Torrance had tallied twice in the third on hits by Swayne and Bill Johnson, scoring Hansen and Heke.

Bonnell walked in the tenth after one was out, stole second, went to third on an infield out and then pilfered home for the winning tally.

Swayne Johnson with two blows, paced the Indian attack at the bat and backed up against the wall to make a sensational gloved-hand stab of a liner in the ninth to save the tilt.

## Recreation Center Project Receives Favorable Support

Lomita is being favorably considered for a recreation center according to a welcome message given the Civic Betterment League at the regular meeting Friday morning.

Mrs. Edna Smith, president, and Mrs. Grace Brown have spent some hours visiting recreation centers and presenting the local problem to Supervisor Hauge with the result that he will visit Lomita Park in the near future. Hauge will be accompanied by park officials and members of the league to plan a setup for a local recreation building.

Mrs. Smith reported on the facilities provided at Lawndale, and Redondo Beach and Hermosa Beach and Mrs. Dorothy Atkinson spoke on the Wilmington facilities.

Mrs. Ellis McCay, newly appointed Red Cross chairman for Lomita, was introduced, and Mrs. Smith, chairman of sewing and knitting, stated that women were needed for Red Cross work and for training in first aid. It is hoped that a location can be secured for first aid on Highway 101 in Lomita. Women who can help are asked to get in touch with Mrs. McCay or Mrs. Smith.

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He also received an attractive light blue sport shirt with the initials of his school on the pocket. Gerald (known to Los Angeles sports writers as "Jerry") played in nearly every U. C. L. A. game until he suffered a knee injury a few weeks ago and was unable to participate in the game with U. S. C.

He has two more years in which to play for U. C. L. A. He played guard, the same position that he held down with great success in high school when he was chosen for All-Marine, All-City and All-Southern California teams.

## Marine Hoop Schedule Told

Six Marine League basketball teams swing into action tomorrow in a double-round, ten-game schedule. El Segundo, out of football, will return to the circuit to make the sixth team. Torrance opens the season by meeting San Pedro at Torrance while Narbonne is host to El Segundo.

The second round of the schedule will be the same as the first with home teams reversed. The first half Marine hoop dates are:

**FRIDAY, DEC. 6**  
San Pedro at Torrance  
El Segundo at Narbonne  
Banning at Gardena

**TUESDAY, DEC. 10**  
Torrance at El Segundo  
Gardena at Narbonne  
San Pedro at Banning

**FRIDAY, DEC. 13**  
Torrance at Gardena  
Banning at Narbonne  
El Segundo at San Pedro

**TUESDAY, DEC. 17**  
Torrance at Banning  
Narbonne at San Pedro  
El Segundo at Gardena

**FRIDAY, DEC. 20**  
Narbonne at Torrance  
Gardena at San Pedro  
El Segundo at Banning

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## Luxury, Roominess Found in 1941 Fords



## Schultz and Peckham New Trade-in Policy Sets Sales Record

With sales of 1941 Fords soaring to their highest levels in more than a decade, a liberal Torrance policy is now being featured at Schultz & Peckham, local Ford dealers. It was announced this week. The new sales program provides for the highest trade-in allowances on new Fords given by the local dealer in years.

A major factor in the new policy of "big deals," officially declared, is the bright sales picture for the 1941 model year. During October, Ford sales in Southern California and Arizona increased 96 percent over last year, making it the best operating sales month in ten years. Reports for the first 20 days of this month show the business curve still eclipsing the 1939 marks by impressive margin of more than 50 percent.

"It is only natural that these volume sales, such as we are now experiencing in our own dealership, make possible higher appraisals," the local dealers asserted. "This actually means that the purchaser pays less for a new Ford car now."

"Naturally our lenient trading policy has created much interest, but we find that motorists also are greatly impressed by the size of the 1941 Fords — by the fact that they are the biggest of the leading low-priced cars, the biggest inside, where bigness counts."

Still another factor making possible the high trade-ins was said to be a successful end-of-the-summer used car sales campaign, which depleted stocks to the lowest levels in years at the local dealership.

**COLLECTS RAZORS**  
Hugo Munson of Minneapolis has a collection of 500 razors. His collection includes razors that scraped the chins of Babe Ruth, Jack Dempsey, Victor Herbert, Will Rogers, Jimmy Braddock, Buffalo Bill, William Jennings Bryan and other notables.



Entirely new in body style and featuring interior roominess unmatched by any other leading low-priced car, is the 1941 Ford. Sweeping chassis improvements also make possible a new soft, level ride. Top: Long, graceful lines are emphasized in this new Ford Super Deluxe coupe, a five-window model considered ideal for business or general family use. Bottom: New luxury is found in interior finish and appointments, too. Ford's smart instrument panel, with all gauges under a single glass and clearly visible through the two-spoke steering wheel, has a beautiful, grained finish. Gray plastic controls, arranged on either side of the steering post, add to the neat appearance. Starter button and hood lock controls, shown at the extreme left, contribute to driving convenience and safety.

## Marine Grid Entries in Football Carnival Win Their 'Games'

The Marine League's four entries in the P. T. A. Grid Carnival last Friday at the Los Angeles Coliseum—Gardena and San Pedro—both scored over their opponents although they were on the losing side of the North-South spectacle witnessed by some 75,000. The Northern high school teams won 30 to 21.

Lowell Wagner and his Gardena Mohicans downed Lincoln 7 to 6 in the first period. After permitting Lincoln to tally on a sustained march down the

field and a ball-stealing pass completion, Wagner came back to spark a Gardena drive that netted 72 yards and a score in 12 plays.

The Mohicans quit the field with Bell taking over against Canoga Park and the South was on the defensive again as Canoga tallied. However, a pass interception by Bell gave San Pedro the ball on Van Nuys' 20 with a third down. John Kordich, Pirate grid star, scampered 31 yards to a touchdown, giving San Pedro a 7 to 0 edge over Van Nuys.

Franklin's upset win over Manual Arts and the Venice decision over Roosevelt in the final two quarters paved the way for the North victory.

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## Mrs. Lewis to Head 1941 March of Dimes Campaign in Lomita

Although no President's ball will be held in Lomita next February, the community will join the funds of the nation in raising funds to fight infantile paralysis by conducting a vigorous 1941 March of Dimes campaign.

Mrs. R. Lionel Lewis was named chairman of the drive Friday at the Lomita Coordinating Council session.

Mrs. Lewis is Toy Loan chairman of the council and has been active in Lomita Elementary school P. T. A. work, serving as president last year. In addition she has taken an active part in the work of the recently formed Lomita Civic Betterment League.

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