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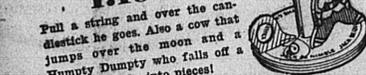
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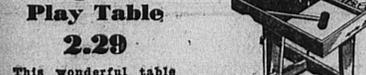
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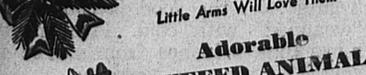
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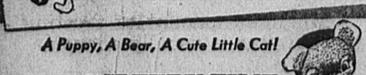
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The Torrance Athletic Club, now known officially as the Torrance American Legion, knocked out their fourth win Sunday when they beat Dix Manufacturers by a score of 5 to 3.

The Dix nine made a fast bid for victory in the first inning when a wild throw by Jimmie Daniels on third base scored them a tally. Torrance countered in the last of the first inning when Harold Jackson singled and Bobby Hobbs lifted one over the left field wall for a home run.

Dix returned in the second inning to tie the score on first baseman, Harold Jackson's error. The error must have burned Jackson for in the next inning he caught a fast one hurled by the Dix mounder, Harnart, and lifted the ball over center field fence for the second home run of the day.

Lefty O'Reagan's slow pitching seemed to cross up the Dix boys for he sat them down in order until relieved by Alex Palica who allowed 1 run in the seventh.

Harnart pitched a good game for Dix with Weidman catching. The Dix mound master also brought in their third tally in the seventh when his double brought in Caplain who had drawn a base on balls.

Ernie Palica and Bobby Hobbs also knocked out doubles to score, but the big thrill of the day came when Alex Palica climbed left field fence to snag a high one.

The T. A. L. will again play this Sunday at the Torrance city park, but no opposing team has been named at press time.

Sport Thumbnails

BOBBY HOBBS... Torrance American Legion's 2nd baseman... Age 20... unmarried, but near... lives in Lomita... played baseball at Narbonne High... works at Columbia Steel in Sheet Mill with Gar Johnson... signed last season with St. Louis and was farmed out... A hard and even hitter... Bats fourth in lineup... 5 feet, nine inches in height, scales 155 pounds... Has played with the Gardena Browns, a club owned by St. Louis Browns... A very clever base runner with many stolen bases to his credit.

Tartars Edged By Pilots, But Not Outplayed

BY BUD SMITH

The Torrance Tartars suffered their first defeat of the football season at the hands of the Banning Pilots. Although this defeat placed Torrance in third place, it leaves the league race undecided, with Torrance, Banning and Gardena possible champs.

The game started with the Tartars kicking off. After two ten yard gains and a first down, the Pilots to kick. The Tartars were held to very short gains, so they punted. The ball stopped on the four yard line, the Tartars gaining about forty yards on the exchange of punts. After Halliday gained fifteen yards through center, he fumbled, giving the Tartars the ball on Banning's 21. On the first play they lost 8 yards on an attempted pass; then George completed two passes, one to Holloman, the other to Schwenk, netting a first down on the 8. Here the advance was halted by a fumble. That was the only scoring threat of the first half.

The rest of the period was merely a see-saw affair with the ball remaining between the two thirty yard lines.

The second half began with the Tartars on their own 21-yard line. After a short gain, the Tartars punted, to start another see-saw battle, with neither team scoring a first down until late in the fourth period.

Late in the fourth quarter the Tartars punted, but the play was muffed by a penalty. On the next play, they threw a pass which was intercepted by Nelson of Banning who ran it back for the only score.

The Torrance boys are determined to take this defeat in stride and even attempt the championship by completing the season with no more defeats.

Touch Football Starts Saturday With League Play

Touch football as played by youth in the junior division for ages 13-15, will get underway at the city park this Saturday at 9:00 a.m., kickoff time for the opening of the league play, features two games. The first game brings together the Little John's team captained by Boyd Crawford and the Air Devils led by Glen Mitchell.

The second game is called for 10:30 a.m. when Eddie Lee's team tangles Vince Reichman's players. League play will continue until Saturday Dec. 8 with double-headers being played each Saturday.

Each team will be able to meet each of their opponents in this period of time and the winning team will be Torrance's representative in the district and county championships which will be played off during the Christmas vacation holidays.

Compensation Insurance Refunds Start

The State Compensation Insurance Fund, according to an announcement by Paul Scharrenberg, chairman of the Board of Directors, has commenced its annual refund of the excess premiums collected on 1944 policies. The fund operates on the basis of furnishing insurance at cost.

After the payment of full compensation benefits to injured workers and setting aside reserves for all benefits that may become due in the future for injuries that occurred under these policies, the remaining surplus premiums are returned to policyholders. The total sum to be refunded this year will exceed \$5,000,000, one of the largest amounts for any year since the fund was established in 1914.

Trio In Freak Accident Here

A 1942 Chevrolet sedan, driven by 17-year-old Billie Chapman, went out of control at Sepulveda Blvd. and Vine Ave. Oct. 29, and turned over on its side. The boy's mother and grandmother were reported as passengers. Police report that all occupants were unable to get out of the auto until it had been righted.

The body of the car was said to be badly damaged, but no windows were broken and all three escaped with only minor injuries. The mother and grandmother were treated at the Torrance Memorial hospital.

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Hunting Comes Before Business, Realty Man Says

Mr. and Mrs. Monis McEwen, 1236 Acacia, returned here Oct. 25 after a three weeks vacation through the Pacific northwest. McEwen, a local real estate broker, told of killing a 130 pound deer during a 6-day encampment in the Salt Lake area near Fillmore, Utah.

He told of riding horseback at 10,000 foot elevation and stalking his deer in about 5 inches of snow. "It was the first real trip the wife and I have taken in about four years," he said, "so why bother about business when there is hunting to do."

Gauchos Lose, But Fight All The Way

BY JOHN HABBICK

As most of you have heard by now, the local football team often referred to as the Narbonne Gauchos, is not doing so well this year. It is the feeling of all the student body that their team is terrifically undermanned as well as being out-weighted.

There are only twenty-seven boys for football this year, of these six are returning lettermen. At the very beginning of the season the team looked as though they might have a chance in the league, but when Sheldon Loughborough, their coach, had an attack of appendicitis, the shift to another coach and another formation was pretty hard to make.

Walter Kuns, the new coach, employs the single wing formation, while most of the team is used to the "T" formation, since a number of them came up from the "Bee" squad, where this formation is used.

The Gauchos have played three league games, losing all three of them. The scores were not so bad after Torrance got through with them, with a score of 28-0. Banning won by only 7 points, while Gardena squeezed 13 points out of the local boys. There are three more games to be played, one on the 2nd of November, with San Pedro, one on the 9th of November with Torrance, and another on the 16th with San Pedro again. We wish the boys the best of luck in these games.

Narbonne's "Bee" team has played three very good games so far this year, losing by very close scores. These boys are the future varsity team and they could stand a lot of support from their own home town. They play at opposite fields, when the varsity team plays, so when the Gaucho Varsity team is away, go on down to the high school and support those kids.

Tartar Bees Bow To Banning On Winners Grid

BY RALPH GEORGE

The Banning Bee team defeated Torrance 6-0 on the winners' field, Oct. 25. Banning was undoubtedly the superior team as was predicted before the game. However, Coach Katz's boys did very well to hold them down only one touchdown.

The game was marred by fumbles and penalties. Fumbles by the Torrance backs in the first quarter set up Banning for the lone tally of the day, and a clipping penalty against Banning caused the Pilots to miss a score in the closing seconds of play. As far as good ball-handling goes, neither team had any edge, having fumbled three times.

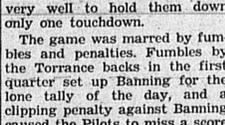
On the first play of the game, after the kick-off, Torrance fumbled and Banning recovered. Three plays later, Bill Morgan intercepted a Pilot pass to stop the threat. However, another fumble on the part of the Tartars on the third down gave Banning another chance to score, and this time they made good. It took them seven plays to march only twenty yards, which proved the Tartar Bees were fighting all the way.

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