

### Torrance High Open House Set

Torrance high school's annual "Open House" will be held on Tuesday, April 23. The program will begin at 1:15 o'clock in the school auditorium. A brief business meeting of the P.T.A. will be followed by greetings from Miss Helen Rogers, principal of Torrance High; Mrs. A. C. Turner, president of the P.T.A. and Frederick Cook, of the Masonic lodge.

A concert will be given by the combined choir and glee clubs under the direction of Miss Clara Storrs.

The auditorium meeting will adjourn at 2:00 and visitors are then invited to go any place on the campus to visit classes. Parents may have their sons and daughters summoned from classes to act as guides. In the course of their visit refreshments will be served.

### Makes League Debut Today

Coach Wayne Sloss will unveil his 1947 Gaucho Varsity nine today against Banning on the Narbonne diamond in the first Marine league encounter of the season for the Gauchos.

Five returning lettermen form the nucleus of a Gaucho diamond squad which has won five and lost one of its pre-season practice engagements.

Southpaw Stylist Paul Pettit, star hurler from last year's championship B team, will take the mound against Banning. Pettit has won four and lost one in practice tilts this year.

Catcher Bill Kelly, first baseman, Jack Allen, second baseman, Curtis Ratzloff, third sacker Kozo O'Hara and shortstop Dave Downard are veterans from the third-place 1946 aggregation.

The Narbonne "Bee" diamondmen invade Banning today.

### Two Wilmington Fighters Meet Golden Gloves

Two Southern California Golden Gloves champions for 1947 may find their crowns hanging rather loosely tomorrow night in the double main event of the weekly amateur boxing card at the Wilmington Bowl.

In fact, Harbor area fans will be laying the dough that Freddie Negrete and Tony Contreras upset the fistic appeal.

Negrete, one of the smoothest little boxing machines developed in the Wilmington area in many years, is matched against Henry Martinez, Southern California lightweight Golden Gloves champion from Los Angeles, in the climax bout of another promising "club" show under direction of promoter-matcher-maker Joe Craig.

And Contreras, coming to the fore as a crowd-pleasing deluge, draws Ernie Laterno, now a lightweight, but who won the Golden Gloves featherweight title in February.

Both Wilmington boys are highly rated in fistic circles, and despite the class of the invading pair from Los Angeles, are being backed to the hilt by rabid Harbor area fans who have been packing the Bowl arena for slam-bang shows the past two weeks.

Balance of the card will bring out Bobby Trujillo of San Pedro, coming back into action after several months of inactivity; Ernest Sandoval and others. First preliminary will begin at 8:30 p.m.

## SPORTS

### Gauchos Harriers Take San Pedro, Banning Clashes

The Narbonne Gaucho varsity tracksters last week kept their winning streak intact by dumping both the Banning and San Pedro track teams in their meets Wednesday and Friday.

The Banning meet Wednesday was a rip-snorter all the way, but clean sweeps in both the shot put and pole vault by the Lomita boys proved too much for the Pilots to overcome, winning by a score of 54-50.

The Banning Bee and Cee teams took their respective affairs by scores of 56-39 and 45-32.

In the San Pedro clash Friday, a brilliant final event triumph in the 800-yard relay gave the Gauchos spikemen a hard earned 56-48 victory over the Buc harriers, with a sprinter by the name of Jack Moffitt doing the honors.

Running as the anchor man on the relay quartet, Moffitt took over for the final 220 and out-traced Joe Aguila to the wire by some 10 yards to wipe out all chances of a Pirate win. Much credit for the relay win, however, should go to Bill Brown, of Narbonne, who overtook San Pedro's Edgar Johnson in the third lap to give Moffitt a flying start.

Once again the Bee and Cee Gaucho squads bowed to their opponents, the Pirates, taking the Bee 56 1/2-41 1/2 and the Cee 46 1/2-30 1/2.

Summaries of the two varsity meets:

### BOWL STANDINGS

Tuesday	Won	Lost
S. & K. Produce	42	36
Rogers Liquor	41	37
Daniel's Cafe	40	38
Torrance Bowl	40	38
Higgins Brick	39	39
Workers Cafe	38	40
Bearl Sprott, Inc.	37	41
Moore Lodge	36	42
Wednesday		
Lander-Morris	47	34
Buckeros	45	36
Y. & H. Garage	44	37
Lomita Auto Parts	44	37
Carson Mart.	41	40
Ben Mar Beauty	38	43
Lomita Market	34	47
Quality Market	31	50
Thursday		
Lomita Auto Parts	53	28
Hamburger Hut	53	28
Wait's Cafe	48	33
Robert's Liquor	48	33
Vurps Cocktail	42	39
Kendall Play	32	49
Kelly Sign	22	49
Swartz Clothiers	25	56
Friday		
Rolling Mill	75	33
Poundry	67	41
Buckeros	56	52
Slickers	54	54
Clayco's	56	52
Eng. & Maint.	60	58
Laboratory	49	59
Insurance	29	79
Swing Shift National Supply		
Turret Trojans	3	1
Guard House Gang	3	1
Chad's	3	1
Troubled Gun Drillers	1	1
Are Splatters	1	1
Four Hills	1	1
Milling Jakes	1	1

### New Columbia Plant Announces New Officers

Eight operational appointments for the new \$25,000,000 sheet and tin mill at the Pittsburgh, California, plant of Columbia Steel Company, were announced this week, including two men formerly with the Torrance plant.

Assistant division superintendent will be D. W. Lasell, who was named superintendent of the sheet mill of the Columbia plant at Torrance in 1945. In 1946 he was transferred to take the same position at the Pittsburgh plant.

J. H. Clark, formerly supervisor of industrial relations at the Torrance plant, will be superintendent of the new plant's tin finishing department.

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### Cancer Drive To Get Proceeds Of Ball Game Sunday

Art Swartz, manager of the Torrance Signal Oilers, has announced that all proceeds of the baseball game to be played next Sunday afternoon at Torrance park, will go to the Cancer drive which is in progress during this month.

Their opponents will be the 20th Century-Fox, who promise a very interesting afternoon.

The Torrance 20-30 club, who are sponsoring the drive in Torrance this year, have scheduled a program of entertainment before the game.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS (Continued on Page 1-D)

**Tartars Drop Varsity Meet To Gardena**  
The Gardena high school varsity spikers Friday showed lots of power in defeating the Torrance Tartars by a score of 63-40 in a Marine league meet at the Gardena oval.

The Gardena Bees took their meet in a close finish 48 1/4 to 46 3/4, while the Tartar Cees grabbed off their affair 54 1/2 to 22 1/2.

**Varsity Meet**  
Shot put—Jones (T), Charles (G), Harper (G), 47 1/2.  
High hurdles—Van Kralingen (T), Harper (G), Avalos (T), 16.3.  
800-yard run—Conner (G), Hood (T), Spanner (T), 2:07.2.  
100-yard dash—McCarthy (G); tie for second between Morgan (T) and Maxson (G), 10.4.  
Broad jump—Clark (G), Morgan (T), 20.8.  
Low hurdles—Harper (G), Van Kralingen (T), 20.8.  
440—McCarthy (G), Maxson (G), Brown (G), 52.8.  
Mile—Lane (G), Marshall (G), Holquin (G), 24.1.  
High jump—Tie for first between Peppard (T) and Buttle (T), 5'11".  
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Relay—Gardena, 1:35.5; Torrance, 46.  
Final score: Gardena, 63; Torrance, 40.

**BEE MEET**  
Broad jump—Hanna (G), Jarratt (T); tie for third between Benton (G) and Chambers (T), 19'.  
High hurdles—Gottsch (T), Cloward (T), Ver Steeg (G), 109.7.  
600—Gorman (G), Hammond (G), Stevens (T), 1:41.2.  
High jump—Tie for first between Kurtz (G), Scott (G), Myle (G) and Bacon (T), 5'4".  
Shot put—Cloward (T), Gottsch (T), Faren (T), 49'4".  
Final score: Gardena, 48 1/2; Torrance, 46 1/2.

**CEE MEET**  
600—Jarratt (G), Duncan (T), Flores (T), 1:31.8.  
High jump—Flak (T), Hoffman (T); tie for third between Gettys (G) and Higgins (T), 5'8".  
Shot put—Webb (T), Duncan (T), Wiling (T), 49'7".  
100—Downing (T), Thomas (G), Cooker (G), 10.8.  
300—Foster (T), Baker (T), Greenfield (G), 20.5.  
Low hurdles—Goddard (T), Baker (T), Cooper (G), 15.1.  
Broad jump—Gettys (G), Foster (T), Crawford (T), 18'3 1/2".  
Pole vault—Tie for first between Flak (T) and Crawford (T), 9'2".  
Final score: Torrance, 54 1/2; Gardena, 22 1/2.

**SAN DIEGO COUNTY FISHING**  
On opening day of trout season there will be a concentration of San Diego anglers on Hawser creek, and there should also be good fishing on San Luis Rey. Fishing is expected to be poor in both Pine creek and Adar creek, since the water is very low.

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