

**GRAND THEATRE** PHONE TORRANCE 259  
 NOW PLAYING  
 Joel McCrea Veronica Lake  
**"RAMROD"**  
 and — Don Castle  
**"THE GUILTY"**  
 SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
 Clark Gable  
 Claudette Colbert  
**"BOOM TOWN"**  
 and —  
 Ann Sothern Barry Nelson  
**"UNDERCOVER MAISIE"**  
 Next Week — Starts Wed.  
**"HIGH BARBAREE"**  
 and —  
**"FOR THE LOVE OF RUSTY"**

**TORRANCE THEATRE** PHONE TORRANCE 122  
 Last Time Tonight  
**"BRUTE MAN"**  
 and —  
**"WOLF CALL"**  
 FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
 Al "Lashy" La Rue  
 Al "Fuzzy" St. John  
**"BORDER FEUD"**  
 and —  
**"HARD ROCK HARRISON"**  
 SUN.—MON.—TUES.—WED.—THURS.  
 Maureen O'Hara John Payne  
**"MIRACLE ON 34th STREET"**  
 and —  
 Richard Travis  
 Micheline Cheirel  
**"JEWELS OF BRANDENBURG"**

**GARDENA** Gardena, Calif.  
 NOW PLAYING  
**"IT HAPPENED ON 5th AVENUE"**  
 and —  
**"DEVIL ON WHEELS"**  
 SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
**"RAMROD"**  
 and —  
**"SMASH-UP"**

**THE NEW PARK** 14948 S. CRENSHAW BLVD.  
 NOW PLAYING  
**"LOVE AND LEARN"**  
 and —  
**"MY BROTHER TALKS TO HORSES"**  
 SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
**"IT HAPPENED ON 5th AVENUE"**  
 and —  
**"FUN ON A WEEKEND"**

**Townsend Club No. 1**  
 Regular social meeting and dance for Townsend Club No. 1 will be held Friday night at 7:30 in the Woman's clubhouse on Encarnacion ave. Dancing will begin at 8:00 p. m. Those who wish to play Bunco may play during the dancing and refreshments will be served.

The farm value of horses and mules averaged \$53.48 per head in 1933, as compared with an average value of \$65.00 in 1944.

May I invite you TO TUNE IN TO ERSKINE JOHNSON "IN HOLLYWOOD" for the latest, most intimate news of Hollywood pictures, personalities and features.  
 OVER STATION **KHJ** EVERY WEEKDAY 11:15 A.M. Lela Mae Smith, owner  
**MODE O'DAY**

**California-Breds Prove Best At Hollywood Park**

California-bred horses took 234 out of 400 races during Hollywood Park's eighth racing season which ended last Saturday.

Of the 16 stake races programmed for the meeting California-breds won 13, a new record for stakes wins at the Inglewood track. The homebreds were headed by Zack T. Addington's Cover Up, winner of three races including the Hollywood Gold Cup and the Sunset Handicap.

"Topping all California breeders was Louis B. Mayer with breeder awards totaling \$28,367.50. Average daily attendance records showed that the 50-day meeting was the most successful since the thoroughbred sport was resumed in 1935. During the meeting 1,460,965 fans saw the races for a daily average of 29,919 as against the previous record average of 28,578 established last year.

On the track one world's record was broken and one was tied, an American record was equalled and Hollywood Park track marks at seven different distances were beaten or tied on 13 occasions.

**THE PRICE OF PEACE**  
 If we desire to secure peace, one of the most powerful instruments of our rising prosperity, it must be known that we are, at all times prepared for war.—George Washington.



**CITY SOFTBALL** . . . More than 75 Torrance youngsters show off new softball equipment presented them by backers of the city-wide recreational program. Supervised by Elmer Moon, the boys are now participating in leagues set up for four age groups at Fern Avenue Park and Torrance high school. Teams include:

Lions Cubs, Moose Juniors, Mighty Midgets, Pueblo Angels, Junior Ravens, All-Stars, Aggie Maggies, Bums, Southsiders, Snooks, Shackers, Grizzlies, Stars, Dix Jrs., Walteria Warriors, Apaches, Seahawks and Woodcraft Rangers, American Legion Juniors.

**Carrell Speedway Features Big Car Racing Sunday**

Bayless Levrett of Glendale seeks his third straight main event victory in the big car races Sunday, August 10, at the new \$100,000 Carrell Speedway, Gardena. A 72-lap program is on tap, featuring the three-quarter sized Indianapolis powerhouses in a 30-lap main. Qualifying is set for 1 p. m., and races at 2:30 p. m.

Many records are expected to fall as the drivers now have the "feel" of the paved half-mile platter. Levrett's time for 30 laps is 11 minutes, 31.10 seconds. His No. 404 Wards Riverside Tire Special, Hisso-powered, is in top shape for Sunday's events.

Bill Sheffer of Los Angeles, who finished second and third to Levrett, looms as strongest threat with his new Offenhauser-powered job. Sheffer, who finished ninth at Indianapolis last year, is probably the only race driver in the world with two college degrees, having earned his B.S. and B.A. at U. S. C.

Numerous Southland towns are represented Sunday. Cars are entered by I. W. Molland, Highland Park; Bud Rose, Pasadena; Hal Cole, South Gate; Morales Bros., Anaheim; Bill Anderson, Long Beach; J. C. "Aggie" Aganjan, San Pedro; Nile McKinney, Whittier; Nigro Bros., San Pedro; Joe Gemsa, Pasadena; Karl Orr, Culver City; Bill Miller, Montebello; Ford Walters, Inglewood and George Seeger, Whittier.

Hot rod fans will be cheering for Jack McGrath, Troy Rutman, Ed Barnett, Andy Linden, Bill Steves and Leroy Nooks, all trying their luck with the big speedsters.

All starts will be inverted, forcing quicker qualifying cars to fight their way up from rear ranks. Thus, fans are assured of action aplenty in all events.

The following week a 150-mile, 300-lap race will feature 1946 and 1947 model stock cars led by a dual entry of Mad Man Muntz who will personally drive a new Kaiser in the event.

**Summer Softball Leagues Receive Civic Backing**

Boys' teams of the Torrance Recreation department's playground league received sweaters and baseball caps last week thanks to generous support by local civic groups, businessmen and other interested parties.

More than twenty teams have been lined up to participate in the all-summer program to provide boys of all ages with competitive sports. Teams participating and their captains include: Lions Cubs, Frank Schmidt; Moose Juniors, Billy Sommers; Mighty Midgets, Jimmie Murphy; Pueblo Angeles, Michael Grajeda; Junior Ravens, Richard Avalos; All-Stars, Kenneth Stevenson.

Aggie Maggies, Lavon Long; Bums, Bob LeBlanc; Southsiders, Jack Taylor; Jerry Wetzel's team; John Schultz' team; Snooks, Doug Tillson; Shackers, Jack Koshak; Grizzlies, Ronnie Wixom; Stars, Jerry Farrar; Dix Jrs., Bob Moon and Norm Chambers; Walteria Warriors, Larry Roy; Apaches, Danny Desmond; Seahawks, Jimmie Morris; Woodcraft Rangers, Charlie Babbitt.

Groups aiding and backing the leagues are: Torrance Moose Club, Torrance Lions Club, The Mayfair Dairy and Mr. A. C. Turner, The National Supply Unit, Oilworkers International Union No. 128, Mr. Daniel Desmond, sweater fund chairman, team managers of the Torrance Industrial Softball league teams and the championship Dix team.

There is still room for more boys to take part in the baseball competition, according to Elmer Moon, director of the program, and boys from 8 to 20 are asked to contact him at the Fern Avenue park.

**Sweepstakes On Midget Card At Gilmore Tonight**

One brand new racing car and one which has been completely rebuilt, will be on the midget car program tonight, Aug. 7, at Gilmore stadium when the 40-lap Culver City Sweepstakes headlines a card of sprint thrills.

Owned by Danny Hogan, the new car is similar to those which have won Pacific coast championships for Sam Hanks, Fred Friday and the late Bob Swanson.

The rebuilt car on the program is owned by Johnny McDaniels of Phoenix and the reconstruction work was done by Emil Diedt, the man who supervised work on Lou Moore's two cars that finished one-two in the Indianapolis 500-mile classic May 30.

Racing fans here are hailing the brilliant comeback of 42-year-old Karl Young, who last week halted Danny Oakes' three-week winning streak at Gilmore.

Ed Haddad, Johnny McDowell and other drivers, who have been campaigning in the east, are momentarily expected back at Gilmore for the weekly Thursday night events that will continue through Thanksgiving when the championship Grand Prix climaxes the season.

**AREA OF AMERICAN FARMS GROWS**  
 According to Federal statistics the area of the average American farm has grown from 174 acres in 1940 to 190.1 acres in 1945. With about 86,000 fewer farms there are nearly 82,000,000 more acres in cultivation.

**LOMITA THEATRE**  
 24333 LOMBONE PHONE LOMITA 243  
 FREE AUTO PARK  
 NOW PLAYING  
 Ends Saturday  
 Cont. show Friday from 6 p. m.  
 Victor Mature  
 Peggy Cummins  
**"MOSS ROSE"**  
 Fred MacMurray  
 Paulette Goddard  
**"SUDDENLY IT'S SPRING"**  
 SUN.—MON.—TUES.  
 August 10-11-12  
 Cont. show Sunday from 1 p. m.  
 Loretta Young Joseph Cotton  
**"THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER"**  
 —Also— Jean Rogers  
 Richard Travis  
**"BACK LASH"**  
 LOOK KIDS!  
 Big Special Matinee  
 THURSDAY, AUGUST 14  
 Box Office Opens 5:30 A.M.  
 Shirley Temple  
 in  
**"OUR LITTLE GIRL"**  
 —Also—  
 8 CARTOONS  
 Children 25c Adults 40c

Want-Ads Accepted Via Telephone

**COOL FOODS for Sizzling Weather.**

If you're having trouble picking up your family's lagging appetites these hot, humid days . . . then here's the solution. You can please each and everyone with plenty of refreshing, appetizing foods that make light, yet mighty nourishing, eating. And when you buy 'em at A&P you're sure to get fine quality at budget-holding prices. Remember, to keep your family on the cool side, and to make cool savings in the bargain, shop at your A&P!

**PICNIC VALUES...**

Peanut Butter	1-lb. Jar	34¢
Potato Chips	2 1/2-oz. Pkg.	14¢
Our Own Tea	Serve Hot or Iced	19¢
Ann Page Beans	Boston Style	2 16-oz. Cans 23¢
Large Eggs	Grade A, Golden West	Doz. 65¢
Martinelli Cider	Fresh Daily	Gal. 89¢
Cottage Cheese	Fresh Daily	1-lb. Cn. 27¢
Ice Cream	Carnation Deluxe	Pint 23¢
Yukon Club	Ginger Ale, and Assortment	2 29-oz. Bots. 19¢

**IN A&P MEAT DEPT.**

For Picnics and Snacks . . .

LUER WIENERS	Skinless, All Meat	47¢
MINCED HAM	Sliced, Large Bologna	43¢
LIVERWURST	Sliced or Pkcs.	43¢
AMERICAN CHEESE	Sandwich Slices	49¢

For Your Barbecue . . .

STEAKS	Full Cut Round or Swiss-Govt. Graded Choice or Good (AA or A)	63¢
Frying Chickens	2 1/2 to 3 1/2 lbs.	51¢
Frying Size Rabbits		49¢

Selected Seafoods . . .

Barracuda	Half or Whole	23¢
Salmon	Corned Chinook	49¢

**THRIFT-PRICED PRODUCE**

PEARS	Bartlett's —for Canning	Approx. 24-lb. Lug \$1.89
PEACHES	Rio Osa, or Williams Fay Elbertas	3 lbs. 25¢
SEEDLESS GRAPES	Thompson	8¢
WATERMELONS	Northern	3¢
ICEBERG LETTUCE	Large Crisp Heads	10¢
TOMATOES	Red Med Ripen Size	3 lbs. 25¢ Large, Fancy 10¢

<b>PICTSWEET</b> Golden Corn Cream Style No. 2 Can 17¢	<b>MOTOR OIL</b> A-PENN—Heavy Guaranteed 100% Pure Pennsylvania 2-gal. Can \$1.67	<b>OXYDOL</b> For Dishes and Laundry Large Package 32¢	<b>IVORY SOAP</b> For Bath or Laundry Regular Cake 10¢
<b>CLOROX</b> America's Favorite Bleach Half Gallon 25¢	<b>LUX TOILET SOAP</b> Cake 9¢	<b>IVORY SNOW</b> For Dishes and Fine Fabrics Large Package 32¢	<b>SWEETHEART TOILET SOAP</b> Regular Cake 9¢

**A&P Super Markets**

Red Beans	2 1/2-oz. 25¢	Dolich Margarine	1-lb. 42¢
Buttermilk	2 Qt. 25¢	Applesauce	A&P New York State Can 18¢
Koof-Aid	3 Reg. Pkgs. 10¢	Pepsi-Cola	6 12-oz. Bots. 27¢
Gelatin	1-oz. Pkg. 10¢	Wilshire Club	Assd. Beverages Bot. 15¢
Ritz Crackers	No. 10 Pkg. 30¢	White Rock	Assd. Beverages Bot. 45¢
Gold Medal	Egg Noodles 8-oz. Pkg. 15¢	Acme Beer	No Deposit—11-oz. Case, \$3.00 13¢
Grape Juice	6-oz. Bot. 52¢	Schlitz Beer	Quart Bot. 32¢ 35¢
Apple Juice	Ed. Check, 2 Bts. 26¢	Van Wyck	Condensed Milk 12-oz. Cans, \$2.35 10¢

PRICES EFFECTIVE THROUGH SATURDAY (Taxable Items Are Subject to Tax)

**Shackers Down Snooks Second Straight Game**

Coming from behind in the last half of the final inning, the Shackers took their second straight game from the Snooks 5 to 4 Tuesday evening to retain their lead in the Senior division of the City Recreational baseball leagues.

Boys 16 and over are eligible for this competition and there is still room in the league for several more teams. Play is to continue through the summer months Tuesdays through Thursdays from 5 to 7 under the supervision of Ray Richhart at Torrance high school.

Line score:  
 Shackers 100 020 2-5 4 3  
 Snooks 011 000 2-4 7 2

**Revolver Scores**

Torrance Police Revolver club scores for the week ending August 3, 1947.

**38 Cal. Police Course**

Name	Strings	Average
Ashton	273.25	277.50
L. Berry	4	277.50
J. Fitzgerald	2	266.00
D. Hoy	1	253.00
J. Grier	1	245.00

**32 Cal. Statistics**

High slow fire—98, Ashton.
High timed fire—86, Berry.
High rapid fire—82, Ashton.
High individual score—285, Ashton.

**45 Cal. Police Course**

Name	Strings	Average
J. Grier	1	216.00
J. Grier	1	208.00
D. Hoy	3	261.00
P. Mattes	2	257.00

**22 Cal. Statistics**

High slow fire—95, Mattos.
High timed fire—82, Ashton.
High rapid fire—91, Grier.
High individual score—269, Hoy.

Torrance Police Revolver club scores for the week ending July 27, 1947.

**38 Cal. Police Course**

Name	Strings	Average
Ashton	273.25	277.50
L. Berry	4	277.50
J. Fitzgerald	2	266.00
D. Hoy	1	253.00
J. Grier	1	245.00

**32 Cal. Statistics**

High slow fire—97, Ashton.
High timed fire—85, Ashton.
High rapid fire—82, Ashton.
High individual score—284, Ashton.

**22 Cal. Police Course**

Name	Strings	Average
J. Grier	1	225.00
J. Grier	1	221.00
G. Dubois	1	243.00
P. Mattes	2	249.00

**MONUMENTS OF FREEDOM**  
 No American can pass by the fields of Bunker Hill, Monmouth, and Camden, as if they were ordinary spots on the earth's surface.—Daniel Webster.

**DANCE Nightly**  
**JOHNNY'S Star Dust Band**  
 Completely Re-modeled And Re-decorated  
 NO COVER — NO MINIMUM  
 Western Band, Sunday Afternoons and Monday Nights  
 Workingman's Prices  
 Cocktails — Your Favorite Beer  
**Royer's** HAWTHORNE & REDONDO BEACH BLVDs.

**Weekly Teen-Agers DANCE**  
 BEGINNING SATURDAY, AUGUST 16th  
 TORRANCE CIVIC AUDITORIUM  
 8:30 to 11:30 P.M.  
 Sponsored by Torrance Area Youth Bands  
**Music by TORRANCE TEEN TUNERS**  
 ADMISSION 30¢ PER PERSON

**SAVE !!!**  
**AUTO COVERS**  
 SIZE 14 x 20 FT. . . . . **\$14.95**

**SLEEPING BAGS**  
 NEW, DOWN AND FEATHER  
 MUMMY TYPE WITH COVER . . . . . **\$15.95**

**FOLDING CHAIRS**  
 HARDWOOD FRAME, HEAVY CANVAS SEAT, FOR CAMPING OR HOME USE. . . . . **\$1.95**

**GAS CANS**  
 7 1/2-GAL. CAPACITY, ONLY . . . . . **97¢**

**MEN'S SWIM TRUNKS**  
 Print, Poplin . . . . \$2.95  
 Navy, Wool . . . . \$1.79  
 Swim Goggles, heavy duty \$1.95  
 — Why Pay More — Save Here —  
**VAN ROYS**  
 War Surplus STORES  
 1437 MARCELINA AVE. — TORRANCE  
 Next to Post Office  
 801 CAMINO REAL — HERMOSA BEACH