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Tartars Ahead Except in Passes

Torrance's Varsity outdid their gridiron opponents this season in every aspect of the game—except yardage clipped off via passes, a statistical report compiled by George Whiting, high school senior, revealed yesterday.

The Tartar opponents were out-downed, out-ran, and completed less passes than the local club—but those passes completed by opponents were deciding factors in a number of games and therefore in the Tartars final league standing.

If Tartar opponents would have had the same difficulty gaining yardage through the air as they did on the ground the local club would have had a highly successful season—probably second place in the Bay League.

TEAM STATISTICS—LEAGUE PLAY (Compiled by George Whiting)

Tartars	Opp.
Yards gained running	1031
Yards lost running	47
Net yards running	1484
Passes attempted	39
Passes completed	44
Passes incomplete	35
Passes lost intercepted	9
Yards gained passes	520
Net yards run and pass	2004
First downs running	89
First downs passes	27
Total first downs	96

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS (Compiled by George Whiting)

Player	Carries	Gain	Loss	Avg.
Yardley	34	67	1	1.97
Bishop	9	0	15	17.7
Goetsch	118	673	29	5.96
Crawford	29	29	0	5.27
Light	22	98	5	4.23
Taylor	89	353	3	4.22
Turner	60	222	8	3.97
Avalos	2	10	0	5.00
Wells	2	10	0	5.00
Farrar	2	10	0	5.00
Team Totals	316	1531	47	4.85

RUSHING—PRACTICE GAMES

Player	Carries	Gain	Loss	Avg.
Sullivan	1	20	0	20.00
Tuzer	35	170	0	4.86
James	1	1	0	1.00
Avalos	2	21	0	10.50
Bishop	7	31	0	4.43
Goetsch	29	166	1	5.69
Crawford	17	80	0	4.71
Light	17	80	0	4.71
Faylor	21	102	0	4.86
Strandberg	2	7	0	3.50
Thurman	2	6	0	3.00
Yardley	1	0	1.00	
Team Totals	105	684	9	6.52

PASSING

Player	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yards
Allo Goetsch	1	1	100	5
Jack Taylor	28	12	52	179
Dick Turner	62	31	50	383
B. Crawford	3	0	0	0
Team Totals	94	44	47	520

PUNTING

Player	Kicks	Yards	Avg Len.
Jack Taylor	94	3864	40.12

Cees, Dees Win

Torrance High's Cee and Dees basketball teams knocked over the two corresponding teams from Gardena yesterday afternoon in practice games for both schools.

Center Arnis Dandoy led the Cees to a 29-18 victory with 14 points for high man.

The Dees tripped the Mohicans 15-7, with Center Bruce Smith whose brother plays the same position on the Varsity, scoring six points for high man.

December 7th Is 'G-Day' to Four Tartar Squads

For the Tartar Basketball teams, December 7 was "G Day"—Gaucho Day.

Last Tuesday no less than four Narbonne High School basketball teams invaded Torrance with a bus load of sharpshooters and picked off all four of Torrance's teams, one by one.

Engaging in their first battle of the Casaba season, the Tartar Varsity dropped their opener to the Gauchos, 43-28. The Bees fell only three points behind to lose 30-27. The Cees dropped their battle, 29-21, while the Dees dropped to their knees before a 21-13 onslaught by the Gaucho Midgets.

In the Varsity battle Torrance held the advantage for the first five minutes after drawing the first blood. At half time the Gauchos, after a sustained drive, led 15-13. Coach Cliff Graybehl attributes the Tartar loss to a number of things—mainly missing shots. Mentor Graybehl in reviewing the battle called attention to the fact that the Tartars missed 12 shots. Bob LeBlanc missed six free throws. Dead-eye for the Tartars was Captain Paul Smith at center, who rang the bell for 10 points.

Although the series of four contests were the first for Torrance, Narbonne's timber topers were chalking up their 11th contest of the season.

"With a little eye practice our boys can develop into a pretty good ball club this season," Coach Graybehl said.

Coach Eddie Cole's Bee squad "looked like a real ball club the first half," according to Cole. They led the Gaucho Bees 18-16 but dropped the ball game in the second half as they suffered the same illness of their big brothers on the varsity—eye trouble. They made five out of 23 free throws.

Scoreboard

Post Grid Game Nets Fund \$108

With only a few tickets remaining to be accounted for, a report on the gate receipts and expenses of the Tartar's post-season game revealed that the game against Bell Gardens netted approximately \$108.86 toward the purchase of an all-electric scoreboard.

Net receipts (after tax deductions) amounted to \$612.28 while expenses totaled \$503.42.

Students at Torrance High School turned in \$333.40 which included student and adult tickets while the Torrance Athletic Boosters reported they had sold \$278.88 in adult tickets to the Tartar football finale of 1948.

Expenses for the contest included the following, according to Stan Briggs, "Captain" of the TAB.

Bell Gardens Share	\$200.00
Banquet for teams	137.89
Four officials	50.00
Field and Custodian	75.00
Bus Drivers	10.00
Posters	5.16
Place Cards	4.15
Sound Truck	5.00
Tickets	16.22
TOTAL	\$503.42

PEE WEE SCHEDULE

Monday, Dec. 13—Rockets vs. Rangers.

Tuesday, Dec. 14—Greens vs. Aces.

Wednesday, Dec. 15—Greens No. 2 vs. B-Wags.

MIDGET SCHEDULE

Monday, Dec. 13—Streaks vs. 216th Street.

Tuesday, Dec. 14—Blue Diamonds vs. Aces.

Wednesday, Dec. 15—Dons vs. A-Wags.

Varsity Scoring

Pos.	Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
F	Chambers	4	0	1	8
F	Fisk	2	0	0	4
C	Smith	3	4	5	10
G	LeBlanc	0	0	0	0
G	Turner	1	0	2	2
G	Ratsch	1	0	1	2
G	Goetsch	0	0	0	0
G	Bowers	0	0	1	0
C	Werpert	0	0	0	0
Totals		11	4	14	28

NARBONNE

Pos.	Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
F	Nishet	2	4	0	12
F	Madison	0	3	4	3
G	Presenius	5	4	3	16
G	Hartline	2	2	0	6
G	Schultz	1	0	2	2
F	Bowers	0	0	0	0
F	Meyers	0	0	0	0
C	Francis	0	0	0	0
G	Trambly	0	0	0	0
G	Rubel	0	0	0	0
Totals		15	13	11	43

BEE SCORING

Pos.	Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
F	Chambers	6	0	2	12
C	Schell	0	1	1	1
G	Higgins	1	1	1	3
G	Glatras	0	2	1	2
C	Stevens	0	0	0	0
G	Crawford	0	0	0	0
G	Daugherty	0	2	1	0
G	Maddock	0	0	0	0
G	Kulp	0	0	0	0
Totals		7	11	7	27

NARBONNE

Pos.	Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
F	Naulty	6	0	4	12
F	Admiral	0	1	1	1
C	McBride	1	0	2	2
G	White	0	2	0	0
F	Anglich	1	5	4	7
F	Haller	0	0	0	0
F	Keyes	1	0	2	2
F	Glimes	0	0	0	0
C	Bowers	0	0	0	0
C	Jones	0	0	0	0
C	Randelles	0	0	0	0
G	Veda	0	0	0	0
Totals		12	8	20	30

'Potlikker' Gomer Sims Signs Contract With County for New 18-Hole Course

Gomer "Potlikker" Sims, owner of the Sports Club and holder of the Los Angeles City Amateur Golf Championship, and his partner, Cecil B. Hollingsworth, this week by the County Board of Supervisors.



GOMER SIMS

Sims and Hollingsworth, owners of the Meadowlark Golf Course near Huntington Beach, will develop the 188-acre site into a regulation 18-hole course with a nine-hole pitch and putt course. Cost of the project is estimated to be \$220,000. Construction of the clubhouse and greens is expected to be completed within the next 18-months, according to Raymond V. Darby, chairman of the board.

Darby revealed that under the terms of the contract a recreational area in this section of the county will be developed practically at no cost to the public. The agreement calls for a 10-year lease with a 10-year option and monthly payments in lieu of taxes. The operators will construct and maintain both the course and the clubhouse. All, eventually, will revert to the county at the end of the 20-year period, Darby said.

Sims and Hollingsworth said work on the new course probably would be delayed until after the holiday season.

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