

LOCAL STAR LEADS BOWLING TOURNEY

Warriors Name 32 Lettermen

Head Coach Amby Schindler recently named his El Camino College football lettermen.

Heading the list was second string All-Metropolitan Conference tackle, Jerry Wear.

Thirty-two lettermen make up the list along with two managers:

Vince Benstead, Bob Bell, George Bishara, Max Burris, George Clark, Bud Cravens, Steve Dagggett, Ray Day, Bob Dieken, Dick Dobos, Bernie Flaherty, Stan Garriss, Al Jimenez, Mel Kelley, Paul Komenda, Don Laurie, Joe Link, Dick Lohry, John McCaull, Gene Metcalf, Ted Mitchell, Bob Moneymaker, Bob Morgenson, Bob Pack, Nick Pappas, Bob Steele, Doug Stott, Al Tyson, Bill Witty and Bob Reeves. Managers were Bill Peyton and Bruce Taylor.



Vaughan's 5091 Leads Quest for Match Game Title

Jimmie Vaughan, a little bowler with a big average, blasted his way to bowling stardom this week as he led the field in qualifying rounds of the National Match Game Championships in Chicago.

Vaughan, who lives at 1415 Greenwood here, racked up a total of 5091 pins during the 24-game qualifying round in the Windy City. He averaged 212 for the four 6-game blocks, which were started last Saturday night.

The slender Texan, who is now an accountant in a Long Beach aircraft plant, held a 100-pin bulge over his nearest rival as he went into yesterday's 12-game semi-final match.

ONLY 48 REMAIN

The qualifying round eliminated all but 48 of the 160 original entrants from all over the United States. Vaughan's sensational opening rounds virtually assures him a place in the finals, which open tonight.

Only the top 14 bowlers in the semi-finals will qualify for the finals. The defending match game champion, Dick Hoover, of Cleveland, and Junie McMahon, Detroit ace who was the 1950 runnerup, have automatically qualified for the finals, bringing the total to 16.

The 16 finalists will begin round-robin competition tonight. In all, each man will bowl four games against each other finalist. Scoring for the final round will be on the Peterson point system.

The winner will receive \$2500 as first prize, plus endorsements and other engagements valued at nearly \$40,000.

LEAD FROM START

Vaughan took the lead in the opening round of the Chicago classic, and held it securely for the next three rounds.

The Torrance star forged into the first-round lead with a tremendous 1360 total for six games—an average of 226 pins per game.

He came back with 1293 in the second round Sunday night in the huge Chicago Coliseum, scene of the match game championships each year.

Vaughan's next effort on Monday night was 1267, keeping him well ahead of the pack Tuesday night Jimmie slipped to 1171, for six games—the first time during the tournament that he fell under the 200 average class for a series.

Torrance's top bowler this year qualified for the tournament from Long Beach. He is one of 10 Southern Californians who made the grade for the event—richest and toughest of all American bowling classics.

SECOND ATTEMPT

This is the second try for Vaughan in the match game tourney. In 1947 he won a berth in the tournament in the Los Angeles eliminations. Then, as now, he called Torrance his home.

During the interim, Vaughan returned to his native state of Texas, where he entered Southern Methodist University in Dallas. During his stay there he teamed with Carl Richards, another Dallas bowler, to take second place in the 1949 American Bowling Congress doubles championship in Atlantic City, N. J.

Vaughan and his wife returned to Torrance in September of this year. The 5-foot 4-inch bowling star currently competes in three Torrance leagues, plus one in Long Beach. His brother, Ace Vaughan, also a Torrance resident, is one of Jimmie's chief rivals for local kegling supremacy.

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PRESSURE IS ON . . . The Pressure is on Jimmie Vaughan, Torrance bowler now competing in the National Match Game championships in Chicago. Vaughan's tremendous performance in the opening rounds virtually assures him a spot in the round-robin finals starting today in the richest and toughest bowling tourney in America. This is Vaughan's second try for championship.

Tor-Loms Will End League Season Sunday

Torrance-Lomita's sadder-but-wiser semi-pros set their sights today on their final league game of the season Sunday against the Compton Pacemakers at Torrance Park.

After winning seven straight, the unbeaten Tor-Loms were jolted, 62, Sunday by the Los Angeles All-Stars in a 12-inning set-off.

The All-Stars cashed in with four runs in the first of the 12th after Tillie Schafer knocked out his second home run of the afternoon.

L. A. ALL-STARS				TORRANCE-LOMITA			
Player	AB	R	PO	Player	AB	R	PO
Schaefer, T.	5	2	3	Briganti, S.	5	0	4
Walker, W.	5	2	1	Stricker, R.	5	1	2
Stinger, R.	5	4	0	G. Jackson, J.	5	1	0
Burbrink, C.	6	0	6	H. Jackson, J.	5	1	2
Pettit, E.	4	0	1	Hinchberger, H.	5	2	2
Swartz, J.	5	1	0	N. Pallen, C.	5	0	3
Martinez, S.	5	1	3	Deluca, J.	5	0	5
Thoms, J.	5	0	1	A. Pallen, C.	3	0	1
Rodell, P.	2	0	1	Waters, P.	3	1	0
Dollins, P.	3	1	0				
Totals	46	11	36	Totals	47	8	36

Summary: Runs—Story, Walker 12; Schafer 2, Dollins, H. Jackson, Deluca, Stricker, Schaefer, Pettit, Martinez, HBI—Story, Walker 2, Schafer 2, Dollins, Johnson, Deluca, Stricker, Stinger, Hinchberger, HBI—Schafer 2, SB—N. Pallen, Hiss off; Rauloff, 2 for 1 run in 7 innings; Dollins, 3 for 1 run in 5 innings; Pallen, 5 for 2 runs in 7 innings; Waters, 6 for 4 runs in 5 innings; Hines—Privotal and Smith, Times—2:45.

Score by innings:
L. A. All-Stars . . . 000 002 000 004—2
Tor-Loms 010 001 010 000—2

City Cage Loop Takes Break

The Torrance-Lomita basketball leagues settled back for a two-week Christmas layoff following the opening round of play last night.

Both the A and B circuits will resume action on January 2. Each loop has six members.

The leagues will play at the Torrance High gym and the Lomita Park floor on alternate Wednesday nights.

Regarded as the top club in the A League is Fenwick's Shoe Repair, headed by playing manager Dick Turner, a former Torrance, High athlete who last year was one of the best guards in the Metropolitan Conference while playing for El Camino.

Along with Turner, Fenwick's have Dave Doherty, the league's leading scorer last year; Bob Chambers and Paul Smith, all former Tartar cage performers.

Other teams in the A League are Torrance National Bank, Alton's Burgers, Torrance Mormons, Redondo Eagles and the Redondo Beachcombers.

Performing in the B loop are Fierman's Men's Shop, Treske's Men's Shop, National Supply, Torrance Teachers, Columbia Steel and George's Meat 'n Place.

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