Kissel 'Loans' PCL Little League Diamond Site

TARTAR BEES . . . Torrance's Bee basketball squad takes on the Leuzinger Olympians at the Lawndale academy tomorrow afternoon in a Bay League affair. Members of the Bee squad are, from left, standing: Glenn Christensen, Jess Hanon, Craig Edman, Bill Alexander, Tom Kulp, Charles Jennings and Captain Jerry Thrall. Kneeling, from left, Dale Mead, Toby Venable, Mike Bertolet, Jim Schmidt, Gary Schmidt and Coach Jack Miller. (Herald Photo)

CEE CAGERS . . . The "mighty midgets" of the Torrance High School cage lineups are these Cees, who put forth with some classy ball handling. Posing for the photog this week were, standing, from left, Cliff Witherspoon, Jim McDougal, Tom Hasse, Paul O'Kain, Lloyd Durry, Dave Skinner, Bob Grajeda. Kneeling, Tak Haramoto, Jack Taylor, Joe Rios, Mick Babbitt, Bill LaDuke, Ronnie Hase, and Coach Bill Andreasen. HERALD photo

Locals Close Season

Pirates Win In Wild Game With Tartar Varsity

The curtain will ring down on the 1955 basketball season, as far as home shows go, tomorrow afternoon, following the Torrance-Leuzinger affair at the high school gymnasium, slated to get underway at 2:45 p.m.

In their last meeting, the Tartars banged out a narrow one-point win over the Olympians in a wild melee at the Olympians midget-size gymnasium.

But Friday night's mix with the Paramount Pirates was the game of games.

Two real determined squads battled (the understatement of the week) it out for the entire period before the Pirates finally wound up on the long end of a 50-40 score.

The invaders held the edge for most of the game, but Coach George Stanich's band of fired up cagers were plugging away hard and fast and there was never any indication that they were out of the game until the final buzzer sounded.

Try New Tricks

Stanich sent his charges into the game Friday night with a new bag of tricks, and they proved to be a slight help in thwarting the invaders.

With Richard Ruffell in the keyhole to stand guard over Paramount's 6-foot, 7-inch center, Martin Pauley, the Tartars merely passed the seed back and forth while the visitors sweated it out.

Sterling Brown, Barrett Lee, Denny Hester and Don Iwata engaged in a quiet game of keep away, attempting to draw out the tight Pirate defensive forces.

Once the Pirates moved, the Tartars swung into action and got near enough to take shots at the basket. The move would have been highly successful had the locals been able to click with their shots.

Take the Rebounds

Once they missed the wicket, Pauley and 6-foot, 4-inch John Lovetere gobbled up the rebounders and the invaders were away.

The score at the end of the first period was a resounding Paramount, 4; Torrance, 2.

In the second period, Stanich sent in Tom Vanderpool to work against Pauley, and he had a little more luck against the towering giant.

The real excitement, however, came in the closing minutes when it was evident the Tartars were still very much in the game.

Battles for possession of the ball wound up in near fights several times; players from both squads were ejected from the game during this final period.

Fifteen fouls were tooted in the remaining eight minute period.

Denny Hester provided the shots that pulled the Tartars into contention in the second half.

The Pirate height prevented the Tartars from controlling the backboard, and it was a hit or be hit proposition from the start.

Scoring

Torrance Varsity

Player	FTA	FT	FG	Pts
Lawrence	3	3	1	5
Hester	4	2	7	16
Vanderpool	1	0	1	2
Ruffell	2	1	0	1
Lee	5	4	3	10
Brown	3	2	2	6
Totals	18	12	14	40

Paramount Varsity

Lovetere	6	4	4	12
Adamson	6	4	4	12
Pauley	8	4	4	12
Kirk	1	0	0	0
Shehee	8	6	0	6
Guillen	5	2	3	8
Totals	34	20	15	50

Score by Quarters

Torrance	2	11	25	40
Paramount	4	22	32	50

TORRANCE HERALD Sports

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In 64-23 Win

Allen's Moves Into Cage Lead

Allen's Burgers basketball squad jumped into first place in the Recreation Department's adult league with a resounding 64-23 win over Frank's Furniture at the high school last week.

Forward Bill Baron hit for 16 points for the winners to continue his torrid scoring pace and took top honors for the game. Forward Chuck Hawley centered the hoop for eight counters to do the mostest for the losers.

In the second tiff, Forward John Sousa sizzled the nets for 22 points to pace the Al's Knolls Drug quintet to an 78-19 win over the hapless National Blue Devils, and set a new single game total record for the season.

Their 78 points erased Allen's mark of 75 set Jan. 18 against these same Devils.

Manager Chic Cicchini injected himself into the fray in the fourth period and picked up six quick points to top the losers' scoring attack.

Cityworkers Local 1135 outscored Treske's Men's Shop in every period to win going away by a 56-37 score. Forward Ivan Keyes starred in the scoring department for the winners, garnering 22 points on eight good free tries and seven field goals.

Forward Norm Chambers, his brother Bob at center, and Guard Darl Mead shared the scoring spotlight for the losers, potting eight each.

Summaries

Allen's (64		Frank's (23)
Barron (16)	F	Hawley (8)
Farrar (10)	F	Bynum (4)
White (9)	C	Luddy (2)
George (4)	G	Petrat (1)
Ruffell (6)	G	Higgins (2)

Reserves: Allen's—Ball 4, Garcia 8, Schwenk 7. Frank's — Jackson, Dellan 4, Costas 2, McGee.

Devils (19)		Al's Drugs (78)
Hahn (4)	F	Sousa (22)
Williams (1)	F	Sommers (11)
Payne (4)	C	Mort'son (12)
Burnette (4)	G	Kulp (15)
Smith	G	Phillips

Reserves: Blue Devils—Massey, Cicchini 6. Al's Drugs — Cope 12, T. Smith 2, B. Smith 4.

Treske's (37)		Local 1135 (56)
N. Ch'bers (8)	F	Keys (22)
Lindberg (2)	F	Hasvold (15)
B. Ch'bers (8)	C	Le Blanc (5)
Mead (8)	G	Nady (4)
Babbitt (6)	G	R. Ch'bers (10)

Reserves: Treske's — Webb 5. Local 1135—Merrell, Scherer.

Standings

Team	W	L
Allen's Burgers	6	0
Cityworkers 1135	5	1
Al's Knolls Drus	2	4
Blue Devils	2	4
Treske's Men's Shop	2	4
Frank's Furniture	1	5

JV's Close Gap But Pirates Win In 41-40 Clash

A last minute flurry of action and points put the Torrance Junior Varsity cagers to within one point of forcing an overtime game, but the clock ran out with the locals trailing the Paramount Pirates 41-40, Friday night.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:45 on the local court, the jayvees will play their final home game of the season, as the Leuzinger Olympians invade for a rematch affair.

In Friday's encounter, Mike Kendall bounced back into the high scoring spot as he connected for five field goals and five free throws for 15 counters.

The final minutes of the game were as hectic as a bargain sale at the May Co. as the Tartars struggled to close the gap.

Richard Malone dropped in four shots from the field and a free throw to ring up nine points on the board. High man for the visitors was Ray Shackleford, with 14 points.

Scoring

Torrance JV

Player	FTA	FT	FG	Pts
Kendall	10	5	5	15
Anderson	2	1	0	1
Waller	0	0	2	4
Ito	2	1	3	7
Jackson	4	4	0	4
Malone	3	1	4	9
Totals	21	12	14	40

Paramount JV

Tirheimer	4	2	0	2
Hobbens'n	6	5	2	9
O'Toole	0	0	3	6
Vohles	7	3	2	7
Hombs	4	1	1	3
Shackleford	5	4	5	14
Totals	26	15	13	41

Score by Quarters

Torrance	8	17	27	40
Paramount	13	24	34	41

Southwest Area Offered for Coming Season

By SONNY TOMCHAK

A Little League playing field for the coming season has been made available to teams of the Pacific Coast Little League, it was revealed late last week.

Developer Harry Kissel builder of homes in the Ellinwood tract in southwest Torrance, has made a 250x250 foot lot available for use by the league.

The property, it was announced by PCLL President Al Marzilli, will later be used for a commercial development or for more homes. But until construction is to start, boys in the league can make exclusive use of the property, Marzilli said.

The offer was accepted with a great sigh of relief by league directors, who had been turned down several times in their request for available property.

The acquisition will enable 120 boys in the area to participate in the program.

Tryouts for teams will be held in the last two weeks in April.

Next PCLL meet is slated for Wednesday night at Walteria School. Cleve Herman, sports director of NBC's television station KRCA, Channel 4, will be honored guest.

Tartar Bees Bop Pirate Cagers In League Fray

Toby Veneable hit for 18 points to pace the Torrance High Bee cagers to a 50-25 win over the hapless Paramount Pirates, Friday afternoon, on the loser's boards.

The locals took an early lead and steadily increased their margin to win hands down.

Tuesday Coach Jack Miller will cart his Bees to Leuzinger for another Bay League fracas.

Scoring

Torrance (50)		Paramount (25)
Bertolet (10)	F	M. Russell (5)
Veneable (18)	F	Fox (8)
Thrall (4)	C	Hodges (2)
Hanon (12)	G	Reedle (2)
Schmidt (6)	G	Sypkins

Scoring Subs: Paramount — Jolley 2, J. Russell 1, A. Baird 1, Lovetere 2, B. Baird 2.

Half-time score: Torrance, 22; Paramount, 15.

GOLD INCIDENCE

Gold is found in minute quantities in almost all kinds of rock formations.

GOOD DEER SEASON

In spite of last fall's record deer kill, California herds remain at high levels and there are more than enough bucks to insure successful breeding, a Department of Fish and Game survey of deer managements units shows.

The regular post season herd counts also showed that the ratio of bucks to does is quite high in many areas.

During the count a record 14,800 deer were counted and classified as to bucks, does and fawns. In the Devil's Garden, Glass Mountain and Warner Mountains herds in Modoc County, more than 1,000 deer were classified in each herd. The same was true for the Doyle herd.

The number of bucks per 100 does ranged all the way from 12 for the Bogus Mountain herd in Siskiyou County, to 71 for the Pilot Peak herd in Mariposa County.

Grajeda Paces Torrance Cees To Pirate Win

The Torrance High Cee cagers bopped out a nifty 40-21 victory over the hosting Paramount Cees Friday afternoon in a Bay League game.

Bob Grajeda bounced in 16 points, made on seven field goals and a pair of free tosses, to pace the Tartar scoring attack.

Lack of enough school bus drivers put a crimp in plans of Coach Bill Andreasen to enter his Cees in the Capistrano tourney today. It would have been the eighth straight year that the Tartars had been entered in the play.

School buses were available, but no drivers, it was indicated. The last minute cancellation came as a big disappointment to the Tartars.

Scoring

Torrance (40)		Paramount (21)
Rios (5)	F	McQuire (7)
O'Kain (4)	F	Mageno (8)
Hasse (2)	C	Eynan (2)
Grajeda (16)	G	Hernandez (2)
Babbitt (6)	G	Allison (2)

Scoring Subs: Torrance — Taylor 1, MacDougal 2, Hase 4.

Halftime score: Torrance, 17; Paramount, 10.

LBCC Clips Harbor

Long Beach CC cagers nipped the Harbor College quintet 71-67 in a Metropolitan Conference race, Friday night. George Wagner connected with 19 points for high point honors.

Inglewood Nips Apaches

Richard Buckalew blasted through with 18 points to help the Inglewood Sentinels past the Centennial Apaches in a Bay League cage mix, Friday night.

The Inglewood quint shut out the Apaches in the first period, ending with a 12-0 score. Final score went to the Sentinels, 55-45. Fred McCrumby, with 14 points, was high for the losers.

Kegling

MONDAY MEN'S HANDICAP

7-Rancho Beverages	45	27
6-Torr. Van & Stor.	45	27
5-OK Egg Co.	44	28
1-Oscar Maples Ford	43	29
2-Mayfair Creamery	39	33
4	28	44
3-Westrac	26	47
8	19	53
THG-Team 6		865
THS-Team 6		2386
IHG-Paul Cole		209
IHS-Joie Shewshuk		535

SERVICE CLUB LEAGUE

5-Amer. Leg. No. 1	64½	23½
2-Lions No. 1	53	35
7-Elks	48	40
4-Optimist	47	41
8-Amer. Leg. No. 2	36	52
6-VFW No. 3251	32	56
1-Lions No. 2	30½	57½
THG-Team 5		816
THS-Team 5		2343
IHG-LeRoy Wickersham		199
IHS-Don Lawson		542

SAFEWAY MIXED FIVESOME

4-Store 190	46	20
8-Store 145	39	27
1-Store 228	36	30
5-Store 223A	34	32
3-79ers	32	34
2-Store 223B	30	36
7-Store 15-Meat	31	35
6-Store 199	16	50
THG-Team 7		807
THS-Team 7		2272
IHG-Men: Al Coast		221
IHG-Women: Alma Schmick		174
IHS-Men: Al Coast		583
IHS-Women: Alma Schmick		435

WEDNESDAY MIXED FIVESOME

5-Weber Bowling Shirts	65½	22½
1-SYB-Norge	54½	33½
8	53	35
7-TV Studio	43½	44½
6-Burke's Bargains	40	48
3	40	48
2-Torr. Furniture	30	58
4-SYB-Zenith	25½	62½
THG-Team 3		755
THS-Team 5		2152
IHG-Men: Mike Davison		186
IHG-Women: Gertie Davison		169
IHS-Men: Norm Allor		522
IHS-Women: Gertie Davison		439

DOAK AIRCRAFT

2-Cold Shots	50	30
5-Alley Cats	44½	35½
4-Pin Heads	41	39
3-Bowler Overs	38½	41½
1-Hot Shots	33	47
6-Pin Sillers	33	47
THG-Team 5		547
THS-Team 4		1565
IHG-Men: Bill Emmard		195
IHG-Women: Faye Mauer		162
IHS-Men: Junior Smith		518
IHS-Women: Bonnie McKee		411

SUNDAY MIXED FOURSOME

7	57	31
5	49½	38½
8	45½	42½
6	41	47
3	38½	49½
4	32½	55½
THG-Team 8		638
THS-Team 7		1694
IHG-Men: Don Lawson		230
IHG-Women: Luella Lassen		162
IHS-Men: Don Lawson		589
IHS-Women: Doris Royko		400

LIFTING POWER

A half-inch nylon rope can lift a load of three tons.

JOHNNY TOLAN
. . . In Gardena Classic

Johnny Tolan Enters Big Midget Race

Johnny Tolan, 1952 National Midget Champion from Denver, whose sensational semi-main win in track record time at last month's races had the crowd on its feet, has entered the 100-lap 3-A National Championship midget auto race, Sunday, Feb. 20, at Gardena Stadium.

Director J. C. Agajanian expects Tolan to face another top field of such probable entries as Rodger Ward, 1951 national stock car champ; Johnnie Parsons, 1950 Indianapolis winner; Cal Niday; Don Freeland, Danny Oakes, and a score of others.

Tolan had the huge crowd on its feet screaming as he drove a sensational race to capture the 15-lap semi-main in the last midget meet, in the track record time of 4 min., 10.14 sec. He started in ninth position.

In the 100-lap championship race, won by Cal Niday, the 35-year old veteran was charging like a bear when the tread on his right rear tire came off and he was forced out of the race.

Redondo Drubs Vikes

Redondo's Rex Hughes dropped in 27 points to kill the visiting Santa Monica cagers as the Seahawks drubbed out a 63-51 victory Friday night.

The Redondo crew outscored the Vikes in every period.

Renegades Drop Warrior Cagers In Metro Clash

Bakersfield's Ralph Barkley and his Renegade teammates thumped the win-hungry El Camino Warriors 78-53 in a Metropolitan Conference cage battle.

The Warriors, who have managed to scrape up but a single win in league play, weren't counting too heavily on their hopes against the Bakersfield battlers.

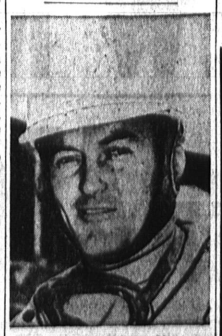
Bob Weiss was high point getter for the EC outfit, mustering up 16 points for the losing cause.

The Caminomen were "in" the game during the initial half, trailing by four points at halftime.

Scoring

Bakersf'd (78)		ECC (53)
Barkley (24)	F	Weiss (16)
Fields (4)	F	Graf (8)
Brown (4)	C	Geach (13)
Holliday (21)	G	Davidson (8)
Black (12)	G	Sues (2)

Scoring Subs: Bakersfield—Key 8, Perry 2, Strauss 2, McPhetridge 1. El Camino — Schmidt 2, Mix 2, Erlinger 2.



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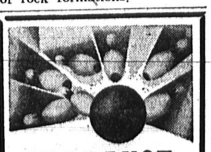

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