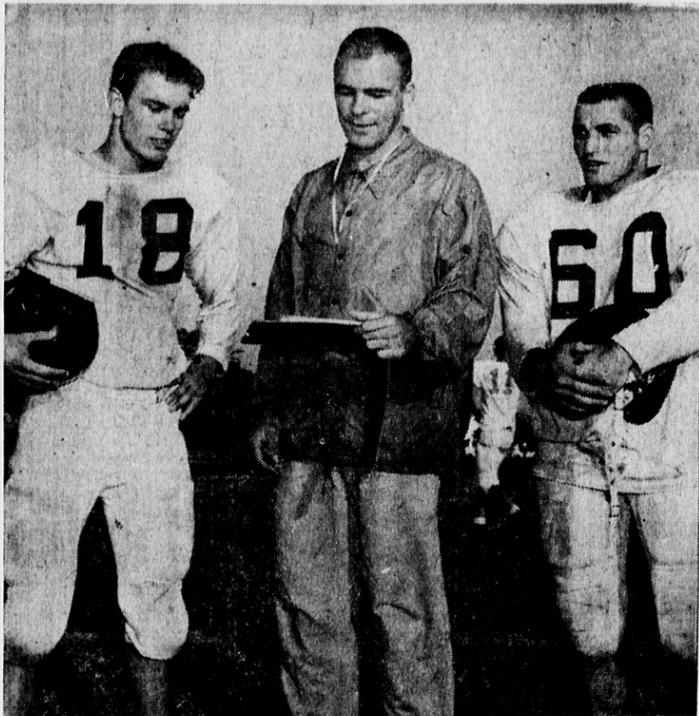


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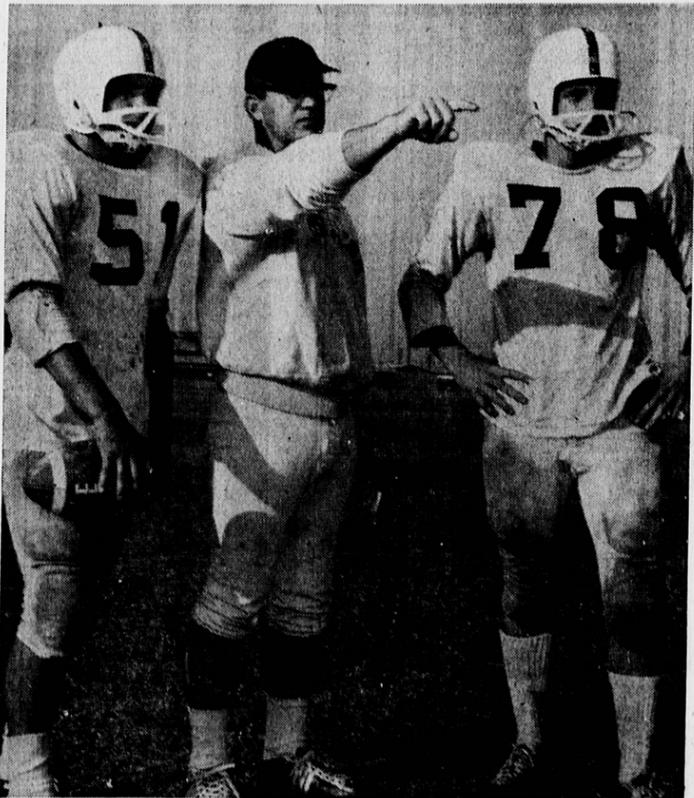
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**STRATEGY HUDDLE . . .** Coach Irwin Kas ten discusses offensive plays with Tartar QB Howard Taylor (left) and Halfback Joe Montgomery during practice session for tomorrow night's important game with their cross-town rivals, the South High Spartans. The game will be played at 8 p.m. at the Torrance High stadium. (Herald Photo)



**TARTAR HUNTERS . . .** Spartan grid stars Bob Wehrhan (left) and Joe Austin get the word from Coach Dave Tollefson as they pre pare for the crucial game here tomorrow night against the Torrance High Tartars. The clash will mark the first intracity varsity team meeting in the city's history. (Herald Photo)

## Warriors' Cheerleader Squad Takes On a New Look for Fall

Traditionally all-male, El Camino College's cheerleader squad is featuring "the new look" this year. Four girls have been added to the team. With the additions, there is new life in the group and new spirit in the school, as evidenced by the far greater turn-out for the rallies, as noted by the squad's leader, Buddy Youngreen.

**MAKING THEIR** first appearance at the first rally, in sharply designed costumes, the cheerleaders demonstrated a number of new routines. One skit, which was received with great enthusiasm, was called "Gunsmog in the KO Corral." Cleverly contrived, this routine opens with a corpse. In rapid order, as the yells, cheering ECC on and on, progress, Bang! one by one another gunslinger (or cheerleader) bites the dust. At last only Mister Dillon is left, and all the corpses rise up and "let him have it."

**BEHIND THIS** revival of spirit and renovation of the cheerleader team is Youngreen. In the past, he has devoted his talents to acting for the benefit of El Camino College. He took over the task of building the cheerleader squad and increased school spirit. By dint of many hours of hard physical effort, during

the summer and every afternoon after school, the cheerleaders have a repertoire of 30 routines on which to call. This promises considerable variety every time the team appears.

The popularity of the "Gunsmog in KO Corral" is attested to by frequent requests from students for repeat performances. "We won't do it too often" Youngreen said. "We don't want it to get stale."

**THE OTHER** members of the squad are Judy Sackett, Dianne Bennett, Dianne Ashdown, Camille Hill, Rick Oliver and Jeff Baldwin. Miss Sackett and Miss Bennett are sophomores, both graduates of Morningside High School. Miss Ashdown, Miss Hill, Oliver and Baldwin are all from Hawthorne High School; they are freshmen.

With the assistance of Hamilton M. Maddaford, assistant director of student activities, Youngreen was able to secure permission to add the feminine members of the team. Before the special action, which would make it legal, the four girls were known as "mascots."

With the addition of girls to their team and the shot of enthusiasm to El Camino's spirit, Warriorville's opponents this year may well be heard in protest, "No gun-smoking allowed in Los Angeles County."



**THE NEW LOOK . . .** Drama enters the field of cheerleading at El Camino College where yell kings and queens have devised novel routines for the current grid season. "Down and out" Western-style is Rick Oliver. Other cheerleaders, from left, are Dianne Bennett, Judy Sackett, Diane Ashdown, and Buddy Youngreen.

## LADS Drag Strip Stays Open in Fall

Contrary to custom, Saturday afternoon and night-time arc-light drag racing LADS will continue through November, Manager Mickey Thompson announced.

This Saturday, drivers will wheel through elimination runs from 4 p.m., with top qualifying heats going from 8 p.m. Regular \$1 admission will prevail.

who won top eliminator honors and \$500 without having to duel a single opponent in the big 5th anniversary meet, said that this Saturday he will drive his dual-engine Chevy "against all the hot shots who missed me."

In an inexplicable wholesale array of 'blown motors,' 10 powerful gas-dragsters scheduled to battle for top eliminator spot, washed out in quality-

ing runs of the birthday meet. "Blowing up isn't unusual for these high-speed (160-mph) outfits," Thompson commented, "but an engine slaughter like that wouldn't happen again in 50 years."

LADS, which is operated by nine Lions Clubs of the greater harbor area, is located on 223rd St., east of Alameda Ave.

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## Lomita Little League Elects

Lomita Little League held its annual fall meeting Saturday, Oct. 17, at Chandler Field, presenting the boys who participated in Little League and officials of the League with awards. Other business of the day pertained to the nominations and election of officers for the forthcoming 1960 season.

The 1960 Board of Directors will be as follows:

Tec Coggins elected as president for the new year. Bill Stowell, vice president; Tom Parker, secretary; Paul Gazeley, treasurer; Don Stadswald, chief umpire; Rod McDaniels, chief scorer and announcer; Mrs. Bill (Joan) Stowell, player agent; Mrs. Bob (Evelyn) Wilson, ways and means chairman; John Andrews, field maintenance superintendent; and Mrs. Jesse (Marcelene) Nichols, president of the Women's Auxiliary.



**CRASH DRIVER . . .** Gerry Lloyd, who lives at 1047 W. 222nd St., is a top contender for honors each Sunday when the women drivers begin tearing up cars in front of the grandstand at the weekly Destruction Derby held at Gardena Stadium. Gerry, along with a score of other drivers, will be trying Sunday evening to wreck all other cars.

## Bike Racing In Stretch Run at Ascot

The 1959 Southern California motorcycle racing season heads into the stretch run at Ascot Stadium Friday night with Sammy Tanner hot on the trail of seasonal leader Troy Lee.

First race of the 12-event menu is set for 8:30. Qualifying spins are set for 7.

Tanner, the "Flying Flea" from Houston and Duarte, will have to make up ground in a hurry if he is to wrest the lead from Lee. Troy, another jockey-sized rider, is bidding to become the first amateur ever to win the Southland flag.

There's also a tough battle for third place on between Al Gunter and veteran Don Hawley.

The Class B championship rests among Dick Hammer, Tony Hoover and Bob Kircher. Managing Director J. C. Agajanian reports the season's final race will be held early in November.