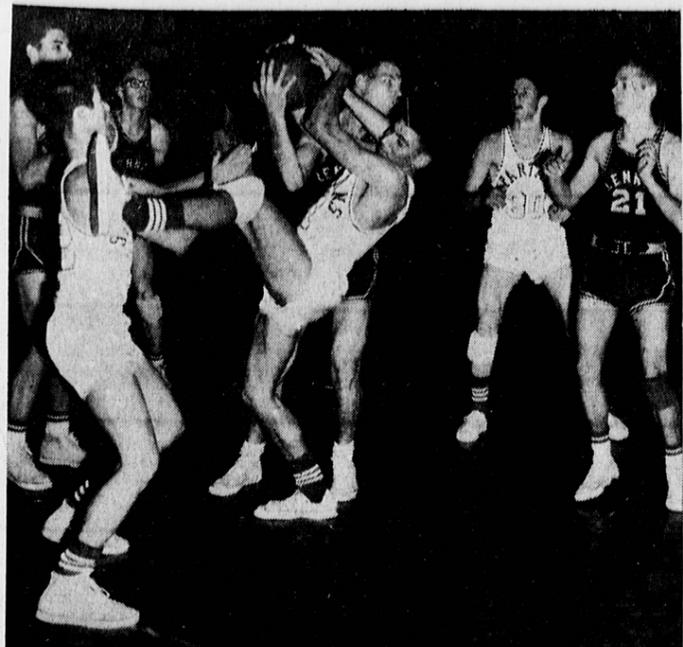


TARTARS-SOUTH COLLIDE FRIDAY



CHA-CHA-CHA . . . South High's Jerry Schipper tugs with unidentified Lennox player for possession of ball, as camera catches Spartan doing cha-cha-cha step and almost sticking foot in mouth of teammate Leonard Wood. Mike Andrews (30) watches action. South scored 61-43 win, and meets rival Torrance tomorrow night at 8 p.m. (Herald photo)

Torrance Favored by 10 As Cagers Spice Rivalry With 'City Title' Bid

By Bill Schipper
Herald Sports Editor

Seeing Bill Reinert, Joe Austin, and Bob Weister on the floor at the same time is in itself worth the price of admission, then throw in the second act of the Torrance-South High intra-city "Civil War" and you have an attraction that can't be passed up, and the rival clubs are scheduled for an 8 p.m. showdown tomorrow night.

Besides settling basketball supremacy, the winner will emerge as an uncrowned but undisputed "city basketball champion," and a full house crowd is expected to see the Pioneer League contest at the Torrance High gym.

TORRANCE IS TABBED as an 8-10 point choice, even though the Tartars are winless (0-3) in the league, and South is 1-1. Torrance was also a slight favorite for the football collision, but fell 27-14.

Tuesday, the Tartars were thumped for their fourth straight loss by Beverly Hills, 65-54, while South was taming the league's weak-sister, Lennox, 61-43.

BUT WHILE South backers boast and point to an "upset," Torrance people shrug it off and say, "We're due."

Going for the Tartars is their so far uncontrolled scoring punch of Reinert and Weister, who average about 35-40 points a game between them.

Weister is the leading scorer in the city, and the Pioneer League with a 21.3 league average.

JOE AUSTIN, South High's all-around handy man, looms as the Spartans' big gun and has a three-year varsity average well up in the double figure bracket.

Joe and Weister are juniors, two of six who will start the game.

While anything is liable to happen, and probably will, South's coach, Jim Hanny, points out that the outcome "depends on who's hitting the bucket, and I just hope that Reinert and Weister aren't hitting."

TORRANCE HAS had more games (16-9) and thus a little edge, but the usual "home court advantage" can be thrown out the window. South held its practice sessions in the Tartar pavilion for two years, and has played more than a few games in the THS sanctuary.

COMPARATIVE scores are of no value either, for South

lost by a wide margin to Mira Costa, and trimmed Redondo.

Torrance was dumped by Redondo and beat Mira Costa badly.

Tomorrow's affair could be said to determine an uncrowned "city champion" in that Torrance holds a previous 82-68 win over North High in a tournament game.

BESIDES BEING a long-awaited "big game," Torrance is especially on edge after losing three straight league outings. Coach Will Boerger's clan realizes it must "come back" and take nine in a row if it is to have anything to do with the CIF post-season playoffs.

On the other hand, South was tabbed for sixth spot in a seven team league.

TORRANCE IS AT full strength, while South has lost one star, senior guard John Mewborn, for the season last week when he re-injured a knee cartilage.

Going back to the football rivalry, Torrance has one grid-der-turned-cager—Howard Taylor, while South has five starters Austin, Mike Andrews, and Cliff Roy, plus Cliff Davis and Bob Wehrhan.



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JOE AUSTIN . . . South's brilliant Joe Austin will provide Spartans with scoring punch for Friday's cage rivalry with Torrance. Here, Austin drives past Lennox man for a layin shot. (Herald photo)

Saxon 'Quartet' Silent During Inglewood Tilt

Three first string players—not to mention coach Bill Wood—were forced to "sit out" North High's Bay League venture against Inglewood yesterday, and the picture doesn't look too bright for tomorrow night's home tilt against Hawthorne either.

Saxons' Sam Edwards (muscle bruise), Jack Golphenee (flu), Bob Mance (ineligible) and Coach Wood (flu) were

among the "missing persons."

GOLPHENE, a guard and two-year letterman, may be in good enough shape to play tomorrow, but Edwards is out for at least a week, according to JV coach Skip Enger, who took over the temporary varsity rein in Wood's absence.

Mance is ineligible—due to grades—for the week. Edwards, a junior transfer

student via Mira Costa and Palmdale and top flight scorer for the Saxons, banged his leg in a Monday practice session and "it's puffed up like a balloon," according to Enger. Sam has spent much of this week in the whirlpool.

ENGER INDICATED that forwards Rick Jacobs and Tom Clements, sophomore center Sparky Davidson, and guards Ron Combs and freshman Carey Hubert would start tomorrow's game.

North had its first Bay League victory meal last week—as Morningside unobliquely picked up the tab, 50-49, after Combs, a senior, sank two foul shots with 11 seconds to play.

North was 1-1 going into yesterday's fray against Inglewood (1-1). Hawthorne, tomorrow night's opposition, had an 0-2 record as it went against Mira Costa.

Game time is 8:15, following the junior varsity preliminary.

Probable line-ups:
North Pos. Hawthorne
Jacobs F Hoel
Clements F Lent
Davidson C Keierleber
Hubert G Russo
Combs G Tharp

Kentucky Derby 'Big Four' Set To Run Saturday at Santa Anita

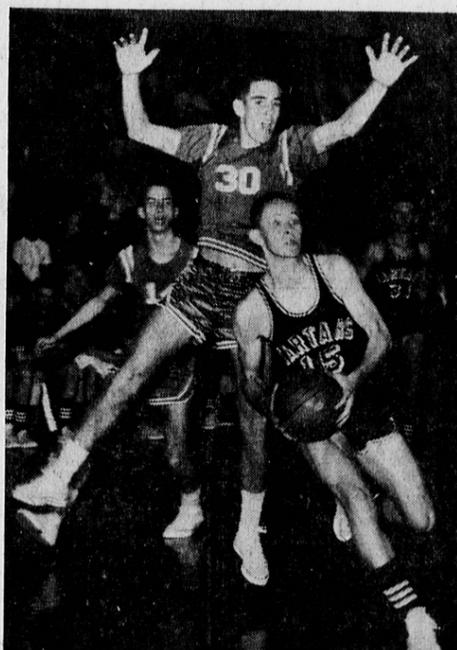
Top contenders for the estimated \$170,000 Santa Anita Maturity (Jan. 30) are among the nominees for this Saturday's San Fernando Stakes. Importance of the event, exclusively for four-year-olds, is shown by the added money being doubled to \$50,000 and the distance lengthened to 1 1/4 miles this season.

THE BIG FOUR of the Kentucky Derby—winner, Tony Lee; 1958 juvenile champion, First Landing; Lawrence Realization winner, Middle Brother; and Hollywood Derby winner, Bagdad, are also pointing to

run in the 1 1/4 miles at The Maturity.

Saturday promises to be a bang-up race with additional competition to come from American Comet, Demobilize, Finnigan, Mr. Eiffel and the outstanding South American challenger, Mamboreta.

FILLIES AND MARES, coming up to the \$50,000-added Santa Margarita Handicap on Feb. 6, get into action on Tuesday in the \$20,000 Santa Monica Handicap and Derby prospects shows their wares on Thursday in the \$20,000 San Miguel Stakes.



BOB WEISTER . . . Leading scorer in the city, Torrance's Bob Weister is shown driving past Beverly Hills' Dave Mohs on way toward bucket. Weister will be in the line-up for Tartars tomorrow night. Torrance lost Tuesday, 65-54 to Beverly. (Herald photo by Bob Wilton)

'Civil War' Line-ups

Torrance				South			
No.	Yr.	Ht.	Player	Pos.	Player	Ht.	Yr. No.
25	Jr.	6'2"	Bill Roberts	F	Jerry Schipper	6'1"	Sr. 31
14	Jr.	6'	Bob Weister	F	Cliff Roy	6'1"	Sr. 34
34	Sr.	6'3"	Lynn Keller	C	Mike Andrews	6'	Jr. 30
24	Sr.	5'10"	H. Taylor	G	Jim Mannix	5'8"	Jr. 20
13	Jr.	6'2"	Bill Reinert	G	Joe Austin	6'2"	Jr. 35

Tuesday's Boxscores

Team	fg a-ft pts	TORRANCE (64)	fg a-ft pts
SOUTH	3 2-1 7	Weister, f.	7 10-7 21
Mannix, g.	0 0-0 0	Gard, f.	0 0-0 0
Davis, g.	0 0-0 0	B. Roberts, f.	2 3-4 8
Lockart, g.	4 0-0 8	R. Roberts, f.	2 2-2 8
Andrews, c.	4 3-1 9	Schipper, c.	2 2-2 8
Schipper, c.	3 4-0 6	Roy, f.	0 0-0 0
Roy, f.	0 1-1 1	Challis, f.	1 1-0 2
Wehrhan, g.	0 0-0 0	Williams, g.	0 0-0 0
Austin, f.	3 6-3 19	Taylor, g.	2 1-0 2
Reinert, g.	2 2-2 6	Reinert, g.	2 2-2 6
Totals	22 16-6 61	Totals	20 22-14 54
LENNOX	0 1-1 1	BEVERLY HILLS (65)	13 14-18 35
Reinert, f.	1 0-0 2	Mohs, f.	6 8-1 18
Adams, f.	2 5-3 7	Kaufman, f.	4 4-1 9
Hyduke, g.	4 0-0 8	Wright, f.	4 7-11 11
Padock, c.	1 3-2 4	Einstein, c.	0 0-0 0
Crow, g.	0 5-3 3	Leonard, c.	4 3-1 9
Penrite, g.	5 14-13 13	Neiman, g.	0 2-2 2
Wiley, g.	5 14-13 13	Totals	25 25-15 65
Totals	13 28-17 43	Score by quarters:	14 14 18 9-54
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Lennox	4 15 12 12-43	Beverly Hills	14 13 21 17-65

Friday's Basketball Schedule

BAY LEAGUE
Hawthorne at North Torrance.
Inglewood at Redondo.
Mira Costa at Morningside.
Santa Monica at Leuzinger.
CAMINO REAL LEAGUE
Mary Star vs. St. Bernards.
Alhambra at St. Monica's.
CATHOLIC LEAGUE
St. Anthony at Pius X.
Notre Dame at Loyola.
Mt. Carmel at Cathedral.
PIONEER LEAGUE
Lennox at Beverly Hills.
South Torrance at Torrance.
Culver City at Aviation.
PREP LEAGUE
Pasadena Academy at Valley Christian.
Brethren at Chadwick.
Black Foxe at Filtridge.
METROPOLITAN CONFERENCE
Valley at Harbor.
East LA at El Camino.
Bakersfield at Santa Monica.
San Diego at Long Beach.

City Basketball Boxscores

Torrance High School and Perry Junior High School remained undefeated in the Torrance Area Faculty League, winning their second basketball games Monday night in North High gymnasium. Perry defeated Hawthorne High for a 1-1 record, while the feature game was South Torrance vs. Torrance High, with Torrance winning out in the last 5 seconds on a free throw and field goal by John Ogle, 44-43. Pier Avenue School has replaced North High in the schedule and defeated PV Kahlo Realtors by a whopping 92-41 score.	Perry 12 17 16 16-51 Scoring subs: Perry—Freeze (2); Hawthorne—Muirhead (1), Sevier (3). Pier Ave. (92) Kahlo (41) Bryant (26) F Armitage (10) Burket (20) F Coulter (5) Kincaannon (37) C Cole (10) Martin (3) G Ball (11) Braden (6) G Watson (3)
Score by quarters: Pier Ave. 21 12 25 33-92 Kahlo 7 12 10 12-41 Reserves—Kahlo: Bowen (2), Torrance (44) South HI (43) Bezzold (6) F Corman (9) Hulse (0) F Jan Dreau (12) Ogle (18) C Underwood (2) Sutherland (6) G Hanney (2) Christiansen (8) G McIlvain (0)	
Score by quarters: Knolls Drugs 10 8 14 12-44 Party House 6 9 12 14-43 Reserves—Torrance: Boerger (6); South: F. Wilson (16), Annis (2).	

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Metro Scoring

The following are the top scorers in the Metropolitan Conference.

Player and College	Games	Pts.
Thomas, East LA	3	98
Johnson, East LA	3	84
Carmichael, Long Beach	3	66
Gonzales, Santa Monica	2	55
Williams, San Diego	2	52
Johnson, San Diego	2	42
Hodge, Long Beach	2	32
Milhorn, Long Beach	2	27
Dinnel, El Camino	2	27
Rodriguez, Santa Monica	2	36

City's Top 10 Scorers

Bob Weister, Torrance forward, continues to lead the city's high school basketball scorers after a week and a half of league activity.

Weister, a 6 ft. junior, has racked up 64 points in three Pioneer League games for a 21.3 average.

Sam Edwards of North is second in average, and Torrance's Bill Reinert is third. Torrance has three cagers in the top ten city scorers for averages, North four, and South High three.

Averages and points are:

Player	G	Pts.	Avg.
Weister, Torrance	3	64	21.3
Edwards, North	2	29	14.5
Reinert, Torrance	2	42	21.0
Austin, South	2	24	12.0
Jacobs, North	2	23	11.5
Mannix, South	2	20	10.0
Schipper, South	1	9	9.0
Combs, North	2	16	8.0
Golphenee, North	2	13	6.5
Keller, Torrance	3	18	6.0

*Not including yesterday afternoon's game.

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