

# "LOOKING 'EM OVER"

With Mike Callas Jr.

## Little Big Horn Comes to PV

In the west many years ago a page of history was recorded at a little known battleground, the Little Big Horn.



TOMMY HART

Now in 1959 a versatile boxing referee, artist, author, teacher, Tommy Hart brings the "Little Big Horn" in the form of a boys' and girls' day camp, to Palos Verdes.

Hart's camp is a 15-acre recreation area set aside for boys and girls 6 through 12 years of age, located in the hills above Portuguese Bend in Palos Verdes. This beautiful woodland plot is part of the old Vanderlip estate overlooking the coastline, the ocean and Catalina Island beyond.

### Calif. Ref. 16 Years

Licensed as a referee by the California Athletic Commission for the past 16 years, Tommy admits owing everything he has to boxing.

But Hart has many other facets. Besides being an author and watercolor painter, he is an educator of merit with advanced degrees in education and recreation.

Talking to him recently in his comfortable two-story home overlooking the ocean at Hermosa Beach, it appeared that his boxing background was just a token of conversation as compared to his activities at Little Big Horn.

### Indian Theme

Tommy and his charming wife, Kathie, have been working with young people for the past 24 years. They are both well known to educators for their work in developing youth.

At Little Big Horn the youngsters learn to build and decorate. Tommy said, "The Indian theme is used because of its almost universal appeal to the child and its unlimited possibilities for building responsibility, character and leadership."

This Camp is the first venture of this nature for the Harts, but to hear him talk, one gets the impression they have been in business for years. "Why we are actually going to start the camp off, June 29th, that is, with a reconstruction of a fort, trading post, museum, teepees, wickiups and other regalia," Hart stated.

For eight weeks, ending August 21, Hart and his wife plan a camp circle complete with story telling and singing for the youngsters.

With Tommy's success as a character actor in the recently released Marilyn Monroe film, "Some Like It Hot," this corner is convinced that his "Little Big Horn" day camp for boys and girls will be equally successful. You can write Tommy at 335 31st St., Hermosa Beach, or phone him at FR 2-3179 if you are interested in his program for your youngster.

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## OUTDOORS with MEL

By MEL SALTZMAN

Barracuda, barracuda everywhere you look there's barracuda being caught. The breakwater, piers, rocks, surf, barges, and boats are all getting into the swing. They are hitting everything and anything that's thrown at them with a slight preference for white jigs and white headed nylon jigs. The run is so good that boats that normally go to San Clemente and Catalina are now running in local waters.

Small boats are having a ball as the fish are in close enough for them to reach. The piers are getting into the act near dark and there have been a few yellowtail taken by pier fishermen. With the increase catches of fish the violation of Fish and Game Laws have increased. Article 571.3 reads "Barracuda. (a) Limit ten barracuda (b) Minimum length: Not more than 2 fish less than 28 inches in length." This law is violated every day and the Game Wardens are being kept busy. Watch it!

Fresh water—Lake Bridgeport on the slow side with some limits on copper wobblers.

Silver, Grant and Gull—The fishing is picking up as the weather is improved. The fish are in the 1 to 2 pound class with some to 4 pounds.

Crowley—Good with many limits of fish taken. Crowds light.

Lake Cachuma—Good Bass and Bluegill. Bass about 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 pounds.

Irvine Lake—Bass fair on poppers, bombers and black jigs early in the morn. Trout slow to fair with best catches on worms and cheese. Crappie good on flies and worms.

Big Bear—Good with many limits on trollers. Trout up to 3 1/2 pounds. For more information call Mel at FA 8-2173.

## Bowling News

New leaders were posted on Bowl-O-Drome's Queen's Classic scoreboard over the weekend as Gene Goff and Peggy Walls came off the four-game route with totals placing them in the key positions of their respective divisions of the big \$1800 guaranteed affair.

Gene racked up a total of 823 to slip into the top notch of the handicap section of entries, with averages of 171 and over, followed by Peg Farley with 803, Judy Sakata with 801 and Lee Brnowsky, first week-end leader, riding in fourth with 800.

The potent 752 produced by Gene Hydeuk leads the field of high average female keglers in the scratch division with Chlyo Tushima taking over second with her 745, followed one pin down by Millie Rizzo with 744.

Peggy Walls whipped up a sizzling 877 to take over the classic's second week-end lead of hurlers entering with 170 or under in the handicap section, placing Jackie Dykes, who rode in the top spot for the opener, in second with her 849 tally. M. Swenson takes over third with her 821, followed by Jerry Grable and her 816 in fourth.

Irene Sprung and her impressive 743 scratch retains number one slot for scratch efforts as Nita White took over second with her 731, trailed by Bobbie Heldt with 726.

High game honors for Bowl-O-Drome's all-gal tournament are held by Bev Jimenez with a sizzling 224 pitch and I. Hawkins for her powerful 222 effort.

With two week-ends already under the wire, female bowling addicts will be competing only Friday and Saturday, with the finale squads scheduled to take to the lanes midnight Saturday, May 17.

spell the end of his reign, however.

Bill Finley's new "roadster" might score with Lloyd Corbin driving. It's a low-slung beauty powered by a "laid-over" GMC. Bill Hope, nephew of comedian Bob Hope, entered a new Chevy-powered auto gunned by Al Sherman, one-time Gilmore Stadium ace.

Jim Hurtubise, Lennox leadfoot who last year won four mains, is back with Will Kephart's 270 cubic inch Offenhauser, was fourth behind Jones last week and would surprise no one with a win tonight. Ray Douglas, Roy Prosser, Nick Valenta, Bud Sterrett, Jack Brunner, Rip Erickson and Clay Robbins are other top threats.

PLACES IN BACKSTROKE  
Warrior swimming star Bill Denny finished in second spot in both the 100 and 200 yard backstroke events to lead El Camino to a sixth-place finish in the state swimming finals at Santa Monica last weekend.

## Parnelli Jones Goes After 6th Main Event Win

Super speed stylist Parnelli Jones of Torrance goes after his sixth main event win of the year during tonight's California Racing Association program at Ascot Stadium featuring the Indianapolis-type sprint cars. Races start 8 p.m.

Jones, gunning the same No. 1 Chevy-powered machine that won the 1958 CRA championship, registered win No. 5 over a classy field last Thursday. Some new autos have appeared that might



PLAYFUL MOVE—Marilyn Jensen, assistant recreation director, takes a sporting break during move of department from the new to the old city hall at 1511 Cravens, where it will be headquartered. Transfer was made this week to give more office space to other overcrowded municipal departments. —Press Photo.

## Local Lodge Forms Hunter Gun Club

Organizational plans will be self-discipline, team play and self-reliance which are the essentials of good sportsmanship and the foundation of true patriotism.

The Moose Hunter's Gun Club will be affiliated with the National Rifle Association of America.

Applications for charter membership will be accepted during the meeting to be held at 1744 W. Carson St., Torrance, starting at 8 p.m.

"The objective of the Torrance Moose lodge sponsored gun club," according to Graab, "is the encouragement of organized rifle and pistol shooting among the citizens of the South Bay area, with a view toward a better knowledge of the safe handling and proper care of firearms, as well as improved marksmanship. It shall be our further object," concluded the club president, "and purpose to forward the development of those characteristics of honesty, good fellowship,

self-discipline, team play and self-reliance which are the essentials of good sportsmanship and the foundation of true patriotism.

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## Local Resident on Visit to Great Britain

Frank Thompson, 823 Cota Ave., left by polar flight, May 12, for a six week or longer stay in England.

Thompson, a resident of Torrance for 40 years, left Great Britain when he was 15 and plans to visit relatives there he has not seen for 54 years.

Twice retired, from the Pacific Electric shop and Northrop, Thompson, who served as Master of the Moose Lodge in 1957, will look into equipment for his hobby by raising homing and racing pigeons while there.

The City of Hope is a free medical facility depending on public support for its existence. Give all you can on Hope Sunday, (June 7).



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