

North Hangs on to Bay League Lead

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Linstead Blanks 2 Teams

Six-game winner Wade Linstead pitched South High to its third shutout of the week as the Spartans downed Inglewood, 4-0, Friday.

The week's three victories moved the Spartans within a game of North High which beat Hawthorne Friday, 3-1.

North has an 11-2 record going into Monday's game at Mira Costa. South visits Redondo tomorrow.

Linstead threw a two-hitter against Mira Costa on Monday for a 14-strikeout, 3-0 effort. Steve Trudell batted in two runs in the first and sixth innings.

On Friday South got two runs in the first and fourth innings against Inglewood to give Linstead a 4-0 cushion. He again gave up only two hits.

Steve Shrader homered in the fourth for the Spartans.

Dick Fouk, slated to pitch against Redondo tomorrow, had to go eight innings to beat Johnny Sain of Mira Costa, 1-0, Wednesday.

Steve Lehto scored the winning run on a grounder when Catcher Pat Moore could not handle a put-out at the plate.

North cashed in on singletons in the first three innings to hand Hawthorne its fourth loss. Brian Smith picked up his seventh win of the season without a loss.

The Saxons gave Smith a 1-0 lead on a sacrifice fly by Catcher Dave Skaggs. After Hawthorne tied the count in the second, Rick Creighton singled home Scott Bee in the bottom of the inning.

Royle Stillman scored in the third on an overthrow. North played only one game last week. North meets Mira Costa (there), Inglewood (at home) and Redondo (there) in a 3-game state this week.

South will follow tomorrow's game at Redondo with games at Santa Monica Wednesday and at Hawthorne Friday.

South, 4-0

Inglewood 000 000 0-0 2 2
South 000 000 0-0 2 0
Guerrero, Mello (5) and May; Linstead and Winter.

South, 1-0

South 000 000 0-1 3 0
Mira Costa 000 000 0-0 2 0
Moore and Winter; Sain and Moore.

North, 3-1

Hawthorne 010 000 0-1 4 3
North 111 000 2-3 4 0
Rutter and Percus; Smith and Skaggs.

Hawthorne, 4-0

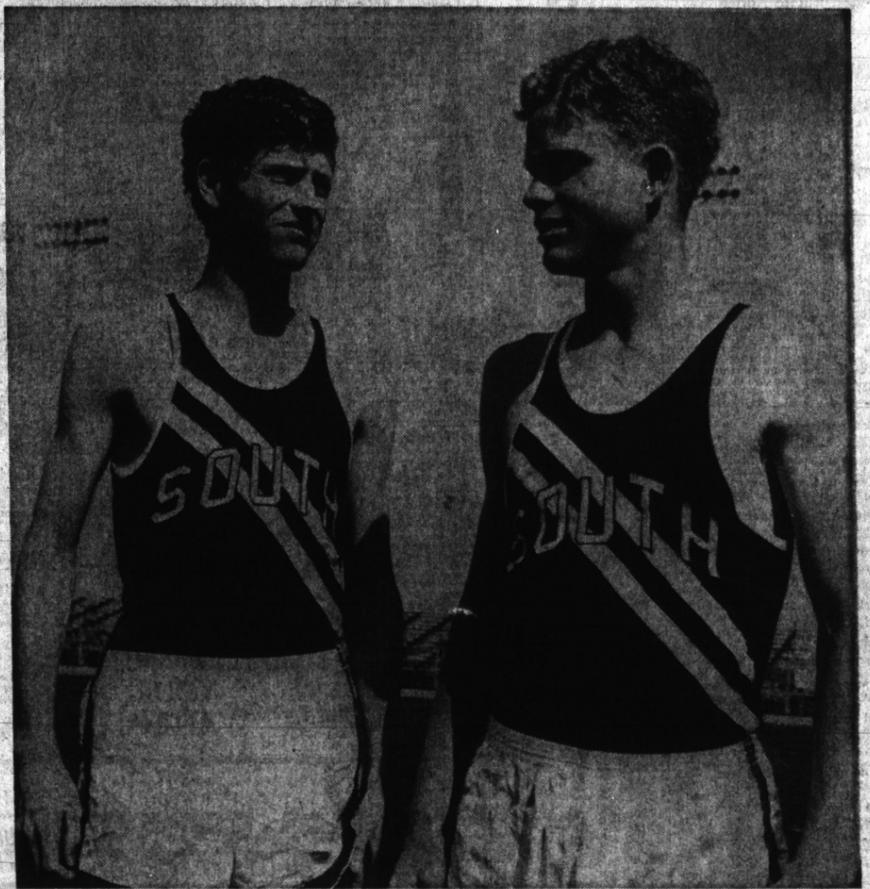
Hawthorne 000 003 1-4 4 0
Redondo 000 000 0-0 2 2
Tamburino, Pacioni (7) and Percus; Kratta, Luna (6), Kargl (7) and Harper.

Santa Monica, 16-5

Inglewood 202 000 1-5 8 5
Santa Monica 203 002 2-16 14 1
Kopel, Pratt (4), Adams (4), Smith (6) and May; Adesholt, McSpadden (2), aKtes (7) and Diaz.

Santa Monica, 3-0

Redondo 000 000 0-0 3 0
Santa Monica 010 110 2-3 8 1
Luna, Kargl (6) and Harper; Hatton and Diaz.



DISTANCE RUNNERS . . . George Watson (left) and Decker Underwood of South High are unbeaten 2-mile and mile runners in the Bay League. They will be in action next week when the Bay League finals are held on Friday. The prelims are Tuesday at Inglewood. (Press-Herald Photo)

Bay League Track Meet Is Tuesday

The Bay League preliminary track and field meet will be at Inglewood Tuesday. The finals are there next Friday.

South High ended its dual competition in the league with a 3-3 record and a 72-46 win over Hawthorne.

The Spartans' 440 relay team of Jay Little, Doug Raymond, Mike Link and anchorman Mike Hernandez had a winning time of 44.1.

Decker Underwood won the mile in 4:21.4, but his best time of the season is 4:19.9 when he won the Huntington Beach Invitational.

100-Hernandez (S), Ponder (H), Salebury (H), 10.3.
200-Hernandez (S), Ponder (H), Husey (S), 23.0.
440-Scott (H), Raymond (S), Lawlor (H), 54.0.
880-Bittbie (H), Letford (S), Doyle (S), 1:35.4.
1000-Hernandez (S), Mercurio (H), Walker (S), 4:21.4.
Two Mile-Watson (S), Strickman (S), Christman (H), 9:36.7.
5 Mile-Hernandez (S), Laidlaw (H), Stewart (H), 18.3.
10 Mile-Liaw (S), Hanson (S), Laidlaw (H), 20.8.
15 Mile-Smith (S), Walpole (S), Combs (S), 14.4.
20 Mile-Palomo (H), Wilson (H), Krutchoff (H), 5-10.
30 Mile-Gelbert (S), Tranbarger (S), Youngberg (S), 46.4.
40 Mile-Salebury (H), Soebes (S), Laidlaw (H), 19-10.4.
440 Relay-Hawthorne, 3:30.1.
Mile Relay-Hawthorne, 3:30.1.

Varsity Score
South 72, Hawthorne 46.
See Score
South 58, Hawthorne 39.
See Score
South 54, Hawthorne 32.

Friday's Results

North 3, Hawthorne 1
South 4, Inglewood 0
Santa Monica 3, Redondo 0

Monday's Games

Santa Monica at Hawthorne
North at Mira Costa
South at Redondo

High Speeds Expected At Riverside

Up to 200 miles an hour speeds will be attained by the road hungry Group 7 sports racers competing in this weekend's U.S. Road RACING Championships at Riverside International Raceway.

Jim Hall, Mark Donohue, Lothar Motschenbacher, Pete Revson, Skip Scott, Moises Solana, Sam Posey, Chuck Parsons, Bud Morley, Bill Young, Scooter Patrick, and Swede Savage will be joined by about 200 other drivers in an eight-race schedule of sports car racing over the 2.6-mile, nine-turn road course.

BAT NIGHT SET FOR STADIUM

More than 30,000 Louisville Slugger bats, suitable for Little League play, will be given to youngsters attending the game Friday night between the Dodgers and the Cincinnati Reds.

Each youngster paying admission to the game, who is 14 years or younger, will receive a free bat. This is an excellent opportunity for Little League teams to get their season supply of bats, and, of course, enjoy a ball game at Dodger Stadium as well.

This is the third annual bat date but the first time the Dodgers have staged it as a night event. Friday night was selected for several reasons. Youngsters attending the game will not have to attend school the following day and those participating in Little League play will not miss any of their games.

Bats will be presented to both boys and girls as they enter Dodger Stadium. The auto gates open for Bat Night at 5:30 and the Stadium turnstiles at 6 p.m.

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Kissin' George Eyes Los Angeles Handicap

Kissin' George, whose string of victories at six furlongs indicates he is the fastest thoroughbred in America at that distance, will have a chance to move ahead for the title of national sprint king when he meets a select field of dash stars Saturday in the \$50,000 Los Angeles Handicap at Hollywood Park.

The seven-furlong Los Angeles is the second leg of the "Triple Crown of Sprinting." The San Carlos Handicap is held in the winter at Santa Anita and is completed with the Carter Handicap at Aqueduct, New York, in the summer. Like the Los Angeles 'Cap, the San Carlos and Carter are seven-furlong \$50,000 events.

Suteki, competing for the Jaenot Stable of Chicagoan Jack Hogan, was the winner of the San Carlos and will be one of Kissin' George's rivals in the Los Angeles. A victory over Suteki and the other speedsters in the Hollywood 50-grander would put Kissin' George well out in front in

PIONEER LEAGUE

Sea Kings Have Two-Game Lead

The baseball team from Aviation High, winner of only one of its first nine games in the Pioneer League, came alive during the week to knock West High out of the running for the championship.

The Falcons won a pair of 5-4 and 8-4 victories against the Warriors, leaving them with a 7-4 record.

Palos Verdes (9-2) suffered a 4-3 loss to El Segundo Tuesday, but the Sea Kings came back with a 4-1 win on Thursday.

West must win its next two games against Palos Verdes on Tuesday and Thursday to get back into the race.

West had a 4-0 lead against Aviation on Tuesday, but in the bottom of the sixth the Falcons got three runs. They tied in the seventh and won in the eighth. Steve Melner drove in Steve Lindsay with the winning run.

Steve Laue unloaded a 3-run homer for the three runs off Glen Males in the sixth.

Paul Johnson tripped and stole home during West's two-run second inning.

Lawndale, 7-4

Lawndale 201 001 1-4 7 0
Lawnox 000 000 1-5 6 3
Davison, Hetrinton (6) and Savinelli; Willard, Ashworth (1) and Lamy.

Lennox, 5-4

Lawndale 200 001 0-0 4 7 3
Lennox 000 000 1-5 10 1
Granville, Ashworth (10) and Rubin; Culpepper, Jensen (8) and Stratford.

Aviation, 5-4

West 120 001 0-0 4 0
Aviation 010 000 3-4 8 2
Anderson and Lindsay; Mullins, Kendrick (4) and Johnson; Caudill and Lindsay.

Aviation, 8-4

Aviation 300 311 0-5 12 2
West 010 000 3-4 8 2
Kendrick (4) and Johnson.

Palos Verdes, 4-1

El Segundo 100 000 0-1 8 1
Palos Verdes 000 001 2-1 3 4
Salvinger Johnson (6) and Markko; Coffin and Swick.

El Segundo, 4-3

Palos Verdes 000 000 0-3 10 2
El Segundo 200 000 001-4 8 1
Stare and Swick; Helvy, Johnson (3) and Markko.

Rolling Hills Tied on Top

side both won Sky League doubleheaders last week to maintain 9-3 records in the battle for the pennant.

Culver City, which lost to Rolling Hills, 7-2 was dropped to third place with an 8-3 record.

Torrance lost to Culver City, 4-3, Tuesday and 17-1 to Morningside on Thursday. Pitcher Rocky Mettam of

Culver City clubbed a 350-foot homer in the eighth inning to break the 3-3 tie. Bob Fernley, working in relief, served up the home run pitch.

Terry Waters, who pitched the first seven innings, allowed two hits.

Torrance will be at Beverly Hills on Tuesday and Rolling Hills on Thursday of this week.

Bruce Wade Loses Shutout And Ball Game

Bruce Wade went into the bottom of the ninth inning, pitching a 2-0 shutout against Cerritos, but a triple and an error evened the score and a 10th inning run beat him, 3-2.

The loss left El Camino with an 8-10 record for the season.

El Camino 200 000 0-0 3 2 2
Cerritos 000 000 0-0 2 0 4
Wade and Barnes; Sinclair, Apataca (8), Wolf (9) and Gillette.

Pony League Opening Set

Redondo Pony League will have its opening day May 4 at 9 a.m. at the Redondo High School lower diamond.

A tripeheader will be held among the six teams in the league. Mayor Bill Czuleger will be principal speaker.

President of the league is Ole Vegge. Players in the league live in Redondo and Torrance, he said.

Hester Jumps 6-2; Tartars Win by 90-27

Torrance ended its Sky League track and field season with a 90-27 win over Leuzinger.

Bob Hester had a winning high jump of 6-foot, 2-inches for the Tartars.

The Sky League meet gets under way Tuesday.

100-Kindamm (T), Kibus (L), Billings (T), 10.6.
200-Kindamm (T), Billings (T), Jackson (T), 20.4.
440-Somers (T), Lovejoy (L), Walls (T), 55.5.
880-Somers (T), Mesmann (T), Kuhn (T), 2:04.2.
1000-Kindamm (T), Amen (L), Dahies (T), 4:34.6.
Two Mile-Nolan (T), Goodfriend (T), Sosa (T), 10:35.8.
5 Mile-Hernandez (T), Garrett (L), Terrell (L), 22.8.
10 Mile-Liaw (S), Turner (T), Hester (T), Riddle (L), Terrell (L), 42.2.
15 Mile-Jasper (T), Stevens (T), Hundy (L), 18-7.7.
20 Mile-Freeman (T), Dalton (T), 15-15.4.
30 Mile-Glat (T), Morgan (L), Kats (T), 50.4.
40 Mile-Leuzinger, 45.8.
Mile Relay-Torrance, 3:37.8.

Varsity Score

Torrance 90, Leuzinger 27.
See Score
Leuzinger 85, Torrance 21.
See Score
Leuzinger 55, Torrance 31.

Thursday's Results

Palos Verdes 5, El Segundo 1
Lawndale 7, Lennox 4
Tuesdays Games
Lawndale at El Segundo
Palos Verdes at West
Aviation at Lennox

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Tuesday's Games

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Wednesday's Games

Palos Verdes at El Segundo
Lawndale at El Segundo
Palos Verdes at West
Aviation at Lennox



SLUGGER . . . Larry Burch, former Gardens ballplayer, is the regular shortstop for El Camino College. The team dropped its 10th game in 10 innings Friday with a 3-2 loss to Cerritos.

Sky League

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Morningside	9	3	.750	
Rolling Hills	9	3	.750	
Culver City	8	4	.667	
Beverly Hills	4	8	.333	
Torrance	3	9	.250	
Leuzinger	2	10	.167	

Thursday's Results

Morningside 17, Torrance 4
Rolling Hills 7, Culver City 2
Beverly Hills 4, Leuzinger 4
Tuesdays Games
Culver City at Leuzinger
Torrance at Beverly Hills
Morningside at Rolling Hills

Culver City, 4-3

Culver City 200 001 0-1 4 2 2
Torrance 000 000 0-0 3 0 4
Angel, Nelson (6) and Carballo; Waters, Fernley (8) and Clark.

Morningside, 17-1

Torrance 000 001 0-1 3 2
Morningside 007 004 2-17 12 2
Fernley, Smoot, Waters and Waters; Solner, Boyes and Wade.

Morningside, 12-11

Beverly Hills 000 001 1-11 12 2
Morningside 123 240 2-12 12 2
Rutenberg and Heuman; Vorhies, Boyes (8) Neff (7) and Boyes.

Rolling Hills, 4-2

Rolling Hills 0 00 011 0-2 9 3
Leuzinger 200 000 0-2 11 2
Mayes, Parfitt (7) and Schiff; Kent, Parfitt (8) and Towrick.

Rolling Hills, 7-2

Rolling Hills 010 012 6-7 9 2
Culver City 001 000 1-3 8 3
Arenstein and Schiff; Mettam, Angel (6), Shraffon and Carballo.

Beverly Hills, 5-4

Leuzinger 000 100 2-4 8 1
Beverly Hills 000 000 2-11 2
Smoyer, Parfitt (8) and Towrick; Girard, Heumann (7) and Smith.

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