



SPORT PAGE



Townsend Gets Sweet Revenge Against Nips

Extra Innings Decide Sunday Battle at City Park

With the score at 4-all in the ninth, Ray Townsend's Torrance Merchants battled through two extra innings to win from the Los Angeles Nippons, Sunday, 6 to 5. The Japs made one in their half of the 11th, but the locals shoved two runs over in their half and thereby got ample revenge for the beating they took from the Japs on the day of the opening of the Torrance city park to Sunday baseball.

Bucky Harris, the internationally known catcher for the Jap team, was the star hitter of the day. Bucky caromed four solid blows off his trusty bat and scored two of the Nippons' runs. Matsura passed four men and struck out one batter. Davenport, wild at times to the extent of passing five and hitting two batters, was there in the pinches and whiffed 12.

Next Sunday the Merchants will play the L. A. City Margets at the local park.

Box score:

L. A. NIPPONS			
	AB	R	H
Sugi, ss.	5	0	1
Igasaki, 2b.	5	2	1
Harris, c.	5	2	4
Horio, lf.	5	1	3
Nakamura, lb.	4	0	1
Uyeda, rf.	6	0	1
Miyamoto, 3b.	5	0	2
Komatsu, cf.	4	0	0
Matsura, p.	5	0	0
Totals	44	5	13

TORRANCE

	AB	R	H
Montgomery, cf.	4	2	1
Mann, 2b.	5	0	2
S. Venable, lb.	6	1	1
Conroy, ss.-c.	5	0	1
J. Venable, rf.	5	1	1
Platt, 3b.	6	0	0
Howe, c.	2	1	1
Hall, lf.	5	1	2
Davenport, p.	5	0	2
Gilbert, 2b.	4	0	2
Totals	47	6	13

Score by innings:

Nippons.....001 020 010 01-5
Torrance.....001 300 000 02-6
Summary: Errors—Sugi, Miyamoto; Platt, Gilbert. Struck out—By Matsura, 1; Davenport, 12; Davenport, 5. Hit by pitched ball—Sugi, Harris. Umpire, Buck.

Elk Herd Increased

MISSOULA, Mont. (U.P.)—An 11 1/2 per cent increase in the size of the Yellowstone National Park elk herd has been reported by William Rush, forest service game expert. Rangers in a recent check counted 11,850 elk, compared to 10,614 at the last count. The herd is estimated to total 14,000 animals at present.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

N. W.	L.	Pct.
TORRANCE.....12	1	.923
Huntington B.....9	4	.692
Westminster.....8	5	.615
Anaheim.....7	6	.538
Olive.....5	8	.384
Santa Ana.....4	9	.307
Whittier.....4	9	.307
Fullerton.....3	10	.230

SCORES FRIDAY

TORRANCE, 10; Fullerton, 9 (19 innings); Anaheim, 9; Whittier, 6; Huntington Beach, 10; Westminster, 7; Santa Ana, 6; Olive, 0.

SCORES TUESDAY

Whittier, 8; Huntington Beach, 0; Fullerton, 7; Santa Ana, 6 (10 innings); Anaheim, 8; Westminster, 3.

SCORES WEDNESDAY

TORRANCE, 7; Olive, 0.

Night Loop Marathon Is Won By Birds

The lowly Fullerton outfit lived up to their reputation as one of the toughest squads in the National Night Loop, by battling Spud Murphy's high flying Bluebirds all over the lot Friday night and strung out the pastime until the loyal but sleepy fans had seen two full games and an extra inning all for the price of one. Nineteen innings went down in the score book and the count finally stood 10-9 in favor of the Birds.

Torrance had the game all but sewed up with the count 5-2 in the seventh inning, but right there trouble was brewing. A couple of walks, three hits and an error netted two runs for Fullerton and in their half of the ninth a walk to Coggins followed by a circuit swat by Schrott, tied the score. Dauser, Fullerton second sacker, sneaked home on a second base throw in the fourteenth, but the Birds came back in their half with one run.

In the nineteenth, Dauser cracked out a double. Arrows flied out to center field, Nelson to left, Miller doubled scoring Schrott. Hemus was safe on an error, Brande walked, Jewett walked forcing in Miller. Coggins struck out. Two runs and the count 9-7 in favor of the visitors.

But the Birds were there with a horseshoe in every mitt. L. Neva, who had relieved Brown after the eighth, stung one for a double. His little brother, Paul, cracked out another two-bagger. Leonard was out at first and Hal Forney turned in a homer that scored three runs and the ball game was over with the Birds string of 13 straight games unbroken.

Friday night's affair almost equaled the record of 21 innings played three years ago when Fullerton and Huntington Beach went the marathon route to a 1-0 score.

Olympic Champs In Benefit Show At Park Tuesday

Parent-Teachers Association Sponsor Colorful Program

Sophisticated sport fans of Torrance who imagine they have been placed and seen things in the athletic world will have one more thrill coming to them when they journey to the city park Tuesday night to watch a group of champions of the recent Olympic Games perform in their chosen events. A program of whirlwind, colorful character, in events of a spectacular type but which seldom break into the headlines because they are crowded out by football frenzy, baseball ballyhoo, or golf goings-on, will be compacted into the short space of two hours, so that a visit to the park will not be a leisurely trip through Exhibit Hall.

For instance, there will be Norman Parish, holder of the world's record in the rope climb of 25 feet with a mark of 5.6 seconds. The old time of 6.2 seconds had stood for 25 years until Parish came along to shatter it, only to have Brayton, another rope climber, cut his mark to 5.1 seconds last week. Brayton, who is a consistent performer can be expected to duplicate this mark on Tuesday night.

In the Roman rings, George Glascock, national champion of 1925, Bishop of the 1932 Olympic team, Davis, state champion, and Glass, national champion of 1904, 1905 and 1906, now 52 years young, will perform.

Did you ever see Indian clubs swing all afire? Watch Roth, Olympic champion.

On the parallel bars, Carmichael, 1932 Olympic champion; Does, state champion, and Gates, Los Angeles champion, will show their tricks.

Glen Berry, 1928 Olympics; Bixley, 1932 Olympic champion, and Holst, 17-year-old state champion, will perform on the high bar.

Caldwell, four times national light heavyweight wrestling champ and a member of the 1932 Olympic team; Vic Ciang, Pacific Coast heavyweight; Jackson, Pacific Coast welterweight, and Art Hodge, Pacific Coast middleweight, will be on the mat.

When brothers, an inter-collegiate and a state champion, in a fast fencing bout.

Schafer and Whitmore could headline a circuit but they will be there, hand-balancing for fun. Record holders in weight lifting will be there and for a finale, the world's greatest amateur tumbling troupe of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, headed by Ed Cross, will put on a six-minute show.

The show will be put on as a benefit for the Parent Teachers Association of Torrance as a means to raise funds to carry on their work among the needy children of the city during the summer vacation months.

The price of admission is 25 cents for adults, 15 cents for children and the show begins promptly at 8 o'clock.

Racetrack At Gardena Offers Thrilling Card

Thrilling short track motorcycle races were officially launched last Sunday, at 175th and Vermont avenues, Gardena. The track is owned and operated by the Gardena Valley American Legion Post No. 187.

Situated in a natural bowl, a feature of the new track is, that motorists may view the races without leaving their cars. Races will be held every Sunday at 2 o'clock. Torrance merchants who have passes that will entitle the holder to see the races at half the regular admission, are the Roi Tan and Earl's Cafe.

Sunday, June 18, according to Lee Norton, manager, there will be an added attraction, an exhibition of trick riding by Everett Mossman, whose exploits on his motorcycle have gained attention throughout the tracks of the West. Mossman, who recently completed several motion pictures will undoubtedly be at his best on this fast new track.

A field hospital, manned by a competent physician, is in readiness at every race, that the riders who are injured in the many spills that take place in an afternoon of racing, may be given prompt attention.

Seeks New Honors



Ward Angiley, who ranks among the best of them in the outdoor racing game, is shown here after a practice round in his hydroplane, Angiley, whose trophies already number more than 50, expects to add a few more in the Feather river regatta at Marysville, Cal., June 18.

Frank's Down Oilers Second Time In Month

Game at City Park Thursday Night Won By Cleaners

Coming from behind in the fourth with a barrage of five hits and six runs, Frank's Dry Cleaners defeated the Union Oil team for the second time in the past month at the city park Thursday night. The score at the close of the ninth was 9-5. This game makes five straight for Frank's as the team has not lost a game since they lost the opener on the Torrance city park grounds to the Harbor Dye Works on May 18.

Ragged play on the part of the Oilers contributed to their downfall with three errors in a row in the disastrous fourth. A fast double play from Jones in center to Williams at first to catch Blakely off the bag was a feature.

E. Holman hit a homer in the fifth but had to make the circuit alone as he was the first man up.

Box score:

FRANK'S			
	AB	R	H
Ekman, 3b.	5	1	1
Williams, lb.	5	2	2
Santich, c.	4	0	1
Johnson, lf.	4	0	0
Holman, 2b.	4	2	2
Foster, ss.	4	1	1
Jones, cf.	4	1	2
Turnell, rf.	4	1	0
Evela, p.	4	1	0
Totals	38	9	9

UNION OIL

	AB	R	H
Blakely, lf.	5	0	2
Taylor, c.	5	0	0
Johnson, c.	2	0	0
Dunn, lb.	4	0	1
Porter, p.	4	2	2
Cook, ss.	4	2	1
Benham, cf.	4	1	3
Armour, rf.	3	0	0
Zell, 3b.	4	0	0
Clark, 2b.	3	0	0
Totals	36	5	9

Summary: Two-base hits—Santich, Foster, Porter, Cook, Benham. Home run—Holman. Bases on balls—Off Evela, 2; Porter, 0. Struck out—By Evela, 12; Porter, 10. Double play—Jones to Williams.

Frank's Dry Cleaners will play the Texaco team from Long Beach tonight at the city park.

County Fair Will Be Held As Usual

(By C. N. P. A., Inc.) Not only will Los Angeles county fair be held as usual at Pomona for ten days, from September 15 to 24 inclusive, but prospects for a record in entries and attendance were never brighter. This is the substance of a statement just issued by Secretary-manager C. B. Afferbaugh following a conference with the heads of several of the larger departments of the huge agricultural and industrial exposition.

The reports show that inquiries regarding exhibit space, regulations, entry blanks, etc., are coming earlier and in larger numbers than ever before. As a result, plans for the fair include expansions in all departments to care for the substantial increase expected.

Frank's Down Oilers Second Time In Month



Ward Angiley, who ranks among the best of them in the outdoor racing game, is shown here after a practice round in his hydroplane, Angiley, whose trophies already number more than 50, expects to add a few more in the Feather river regatta at Marysville, Cal., June 18.

Frank's Down Oilers Second Time In Month

Game at City Park Thursday Night Won By Cleaners

Coming from behind in the fourth with a barrage of five hits and six runs, Frank's Dry Cleaners defeated the Union Oil team for the second time in the past month at the city park Thursday night. The score at the close of the ninth was 9-5. This game makes five straight for Frank's as the team has not lost a game since they lost the opener on the Torrance city park grounds to the Harbor Dye Works on May 18.

Ragged play on the part of the Oilers contributed to their downfall with three errors in a row in the disastrous fourth. A fast double play from Jones in center to Williams at first to catch Blakely off the bag was a feature.

E. Holman hit a homer in the fifth but had to make the circuit alone as he was the first man up.

Box score:

FRANK'S			
	AB	R	H
Ekman, 3b.	5	1	1
Williams, lb.	5	2	2
Santich, c.	4	0	1
Johnson, lf.	4	0	0
Holman, 2b.	4	2	2
Foster, ss.	4	1	1
Jones, cf.	4	1	2
Turnell, rf.	4	1	0
Evela, p.	4	1	0
Totals	38	9	9

UNION OIL

	AB	R	H
Blakely, lf.	5	0	2
Taylor, c.	5	0	0
Johnson, c.	2	0	0
Dunn, lb.	4	0	1
Porter, p.	4	2	2
Cook, ss.	4	2	1
Benham, cf.	4	1	3
Armour, rf.	3	0	0
Zell, 3b.	4	0	0
Clark, 2b.	3	0	0
Totals	36	5	9

Summary: Two-base hits—Santich, Foster, Porter, Cook, Benham. Home run—Holman. Bases on balls—Off Evela, 2; Porter, 0. Struck out—By Evela, 12; Porter, 10. Double play—Jones to Williams.

Frank's Dry Cleaners will play the Texaco team from Long Beach tonight at the city park.

County Fair Will Be Held As Usual

(By C. N. P. A., Inc.) Not only will Los Angeles county fair be held as usual at Pomona for ten days, from September 15 to 24 inclusive, but prospects for a record in entries and attendance were never brighter. This is the substance of a statement just issued by Secretary-manager C. B. Afferbaugh following a conference with the heads of several of the larger departments of the huge agricultural and industrial exposition.

The reports show that inquiries regarding exhibit space, regulations, entry blanks, etc., are coming earlier and in larger numbers than ever before. As a result, plans for the fair include expansions in all departments to care for the substantial increase expected.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS HARBOR LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
TORRANCE.....2	0	1,000	
Coleman Brokers.....2	0	1,000	
Venice.....2	0	1,000	
Lomita.....1	1	.500	
Willowbrook.....1	1	.500	
L.A. City Mkts.....1	1	.500	
St. L. Browns.....1	1	.500	
Jugo Slavs.....0	2	.000	
Jell Well.....0	2	.000	
L. A. Nippons.....0	2	.000	

Birds Shut Out Olive Pickers Wednesday Nite

Murphy's Men Chalk Up One More Game In Race For Pennant

Bluebirds, 7; Olive, 0. This thing of chalking up a win for the Torrance team is getting to be a habit with us. So much so that the demon for figures who measures up the standing of the teams had the Birds all pegged for 12 games straight before last night's game was played.

Whether Santa Ana with Seacord, their crack new pitcher, can break the Birds' winning streak tomorrow night is something else, which remains to be seen. Last year's champs have not been doing so well this year, but can always be depended on to put up a game colorful battle. It is not beyond the realm of possibility to say that tomorrow night the Birds may get their necks twisted and their feathers ruffled.

Wednesday's fray was all Torrance, with L. Neva doing his usual brand of stellar pitching.

Box score:

TORRANCE			
	AB	R	H
Wolfe, lf.	4	0	0
Storti, ss.	5	0	1
L. Neva, p.	5	0	3
F. Neva, lf.	5	0	0
Leonard, 3b.	4	2	2
Forney, cf.	5	1	2
Watson, 2b.	4	1	2
Alesso, rf.	4	1	2
Fabregat, c.	2	1	0
Totals	38	7	12

OLIVE

	AB	R	H
Sands, 2b.	5	0	0
Griffith, ss.	5	0	0
Thiery, c.	4	0	1
Heman, p.	3	0	2
Gunter, lf.	4	0	1
Sweet, lb.	3	0	0
Hartfield, rf.	3	0	1
Huarte, 3b.	4	0	0
Shell, cf.	4	0	2
Hammond, p.	1	0	1
Totals	36	0	9

Summary: Two-base hits—L. Neva, Storti, Leonard, 2; Forney, Alesso. Three-base hit—L. Neva. Base on Balls—Off Heman, 4; Neva, 2. Struck out—By Heman, 4; Neva, 6.

Merchants Top Jell-Well Team In Sunday Game

Fast Game Witnessed by Several Hundred Fans At Lomita

After losing their first tilt in the Harbor League series in an extra inning game to the City Markets, Walter Morris' Lomita Merchants came back Sunday to trim the Jell Well outfit, 5-4, in a fast and sparkling game on the home diamond. Both pitchers were in good trim and the best that either team could get in the way of extra base hits was a homer by Ellis which accounted for two of the Jell Well runs.

The Merchants will play the St. Louis Browns Juniors next Sunday.

Box score:

JELL WELL			
	AB	R	H
Sparks, lf.	5	1	2
Morris, 3b.	5	0	0
Crandall, 1b.	5	1	0
Ellis, lf.	4	1	1
Lyman, ss.	4	0	2
Collier, p.	4	0	2
Russell, 2b.	4	0	1
Carucci, cf.	4	0	0
Webb, c.	4	1	0
Totals	37	4	8

LOMITA MERCHANTS

	AB	R	H
Bryan, lf.	5	0	1
Morris, 2b.	5	0	0
Rowan, rf.	4	0	2
Lillis, lb.	3	1	2
Van Tress, ss.	4	2	2
Atwood, 3b.	3	1	0
Kenda, cf.	4	1	1
Epps, c.	2	0	1
Moudy, p.	4	0	1
Markham, 2			