

# JACK JAVENS; HUBERT LUCK LEAVE TO ATTEND SALINAS J. C.

### Two Great Athletes to Enter School, August 31; McFadden, and Zamperini Plan to Further Education This Year; Many Torrance Boys Are Competing

By BOB LEWELLEN

Two of Torrance high school's greatest football and track stars enrolled at Salinas Junior College this week. Jack Javens, no doubt the greatest football player to ever attend the local institution, and Hubert Luck, Tartar's greatest sprinter in the history of the school, left Sunday for the northern California school, which opens for the winter term, August 31.

Both boys have a host of local followers, who wish them the best of success, in their athletic and scholastic venture.

By far the best right halfback to ever don a football uniform at the local gridiron farm, is Jack Javens, 180-pound, 19-year-old student. Jack played the mainly art of football for Torrance for four years. Making a varsity letter three years, his sophomore, junior and senior years. In his junior year, he was selected as right halfback on the all-Marine league team; his last year in school he was selected as all-Marine league half; all-Los Angeles City half (second team) and honorable mention all-Southern California halfback. He was also selected, by popular vote of the citizens of Torrance on the all-time, all-Torrance team, at his favorite position.

Jack Javens

Shot Put Champion  
Jack earned two varsity letters in track and field, with his specialty, shot put, in which he is the holder of the school record of 46 feet, 8 inches. His best mark, in practice, was 48 feet for the 12-pound ball.

While attending the local school, Jack held many offices in student life, and was one of the most popular boys in the entire student body. Jack was a member of the Student Council, Senior President, Sergeant at Arms, Varsity Club, and was a member of the Tartar Knights. He was a candidate for Student Body President his senior year, but was defeated, by a very small margin, by Louis Zamperini. Jack had several college and university offers, including one to the University of Southern California, but chose to prep himself during his freshman year at Salinas. Probably entering some large university in his sophomore year.

Hubert Luck, Great Athlete  
Track fans of Torrance will never forget those thrilling races that Hubert Luck dished out to



Hubert Luck

the fans, time and time again, in the 100, 220, and 440-yard dashes. Football fans will never forget those fast end runs made by the Tartar flash, for which he was chosen, all-Marine league end, (honorable mention.)

Holds Many Records  
Hubert (Hard Luck) Luck is the holder of many school records. Here are some of his most important titles on the cinder track.

1932 Torrance record, 880-yard relay team, time: 1:35.2 (team included Thompson, Yamamoto, Lains and Luck). 1933 Torrance record, 220-yard dash, South Gate, time: 22.7. 1934 new State record, Long Beach Relays, Medley relay, time 8:30.2 (team composed of Wertz, Acree, Luck and

Zamperini. 1934 Los Angeles City Relays, new record, 4-man two mile relay, 1934 broke Torrance record, 100-yard dash, time: 10 flat. 1934 Marine league finals, first place, 440-yard dash, time: 52.3. A week later he set new Torrance record in quarter-mile dash, time: 51.1. 1934 Torrance record, 880-yard relay record (Wertz, McFadden, Acree, Luck). 1934 took first place, Southern California preliminaries; sixth in finals, after being boxed-up for 300 yards. 1935 Los Angeles Relays, first place, 4-man, 2-mile relay. 1935 Los Angeles Relays, first place in 4-man 880 yard relay. 1935, new Torrance record, 100-yard dash, time: 09.9; also new record, 440-yard dash, time 50 seconds flat (Lomita field, around three curves). 1935, Torrance record, 880 yard relay, time 1:34 (Wertz, Waugh, McFadden, and Luck).

Attends Compton J. C.  
Hubert attended Compton Junior College one semester, earning his varsity track letter, and establishing himself, as one of the greatest track stars, although he was sick most of the time. No doubt his biggest upset of the year, was the night he easily defeated, Dean Cromwell's U. S. C. 220-yard dash star, to the surprise of every spectator, including his coach, Marshall Smith, and Cromwell.

Hubert also was responsible for Compton J. C. winning a first place in the Long Beach Relays, in the 4-man mile relay. Santa Barbara Relays, in the 4-man medley relay and a fourth in the Fresno Relays. His team also took a second in the 4-man medley relays, Compton Invitational meet.

Hubert also held many student offices, while attending the local high school, the most important, President, Varsity Club, and was a member of the Key Club, President, Boys' Self Government Club.

This great track star, has several college offers, the most important of which include, the University of California and Notre Dame. He intends to attend Salinas J. C., this year, and then enter a university. His objective for the coming track season is to turn the quarter-mile event, under 49 seconds.

Other great athletes of bygone days at Torrance high who will be returning to college or entering as new students are: Johnny (Irish) McFadden, all-Marine league end, two years, and all-Southern California end, honorable mention, will enter as a freshman at Loyola University. William Acree and Tony Natali, both plan to return as Sophomores at Loyola, both of these boys earned their freshman letters last year in football at Playa del Rey. Jimmy Grubbs, will return to Stanford for his second term, after earning his freshman letter during the last season, at halfback for the Indians. Louis Zamperini, Olympic hero, will enter U. S. C. as a freshman, following his older brother Pete, who is taking his fifth year of studies at the Trojan school. Roger McGinnis, former all-Marine league guard, plans to enter U. C. L. A. as a freshman. Carl Paxman, great baseball pitcher, for Torrance and Compton Junior College, plans to return to the latter school for his second year of studies. Lloyd Baird, former Torrance boy, and Long Beach Poly high football player, who tips the scales at 220 pounds, and is 6 feet 3 inches, will enter U. C. S. next month. Baird will be remembered in Torrance, as his father used to own a hardware store in town.

It looks as though the City of Torrance will be well represented on the field of athletics for the next few years.

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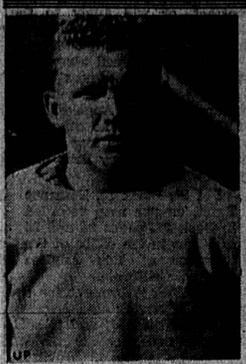
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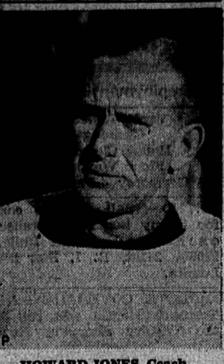
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### Next Meeting Athletic Club September 3

#### Temporary Organization Is Effected At Session Held Last Thursday

Preliminaries to the launching of the new Torrance Athletic Association were disposed of at the first meeting called for last Thursday night. The Chamber of Commerce rooms were taxed to hold the 50 men and three women of all ages who turned out to discuss the plans and take action.

Robert L. Lewellen was named as temporary chairman; Carl Marsteller, secretary.

The chairman outlined the proposed organization and the subject was thrown open for discussion, which resulted in the offering of a number of interesting ideas.

At the conclusion of an hour's hashing over the subject those present voted to form a permanent organization and Chairman Lewellen appointed a committee to take care of the details, draw up by-laws and secure additional information. Those named are J. C. Bishop, chairman; Robert McMasters, Dale Riley, Art Hodge, Bernard J. Donahue and Paul Vonderahe, with Lewellen as ex-officio member.

Lewellen also named Hodge, A. H. Bartlett, Mrs. Luella Lewellen, and himself to contact the Rotary Club, Moose lodge, Legion Auxiliary and Kiwanis clubs to spread the tidings of the organization and induce members of these and other groups to lend their assistance. Each one present was given authority to contact as many of his friends and acquaintances as possible to bring them out to the next meeting which will be held Thursday evening, Sept. 3, in the old council chamber over the fire department quarters. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock p. m.

In the meantime the committee on by-laws will meet and prepare the rules and regulations, and will look over the field for prospective permanent officers, who will be elected at the regular session.

In view of the interest displayed, and the large attendance at the opening session, it appears that the idea of a sports association is meeting with approval. Membership will be open to all, and it is planned to keep the dues low and make the athletic program as varied as possible in a small way until the organization is able to carry on a complete year-round schedule.

## Minnesota and Ohio Will Again Dominate Big Ten Conference

By STEVE SNIDER  
United Press Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO (U.P.)—Minnesota and Ohio State, twin scourges of the Midwest last season, again will dominate the Big 10 despite graduation losses that might have wrecked any other team in the conference. The Gophers, twice national champions, lack the finesse of their great seniors who went through three hectic seasons undefeated, but the same ruthless power remains. Ohio State has about the same potential strength with a fighting morale acquired too late in 1935 to prevent the Notre Dame debacle at Columbus.

Every coach in the conference is afraid of Northwestern. Indiana is the mystery team. Michigan, Iowa, and Illinois should be slightly better. Chicago, without Jay Berwanger, is just Chicago and Harry Stuhldreher likely can't do enough with Wisconsin to make notable progress in his athletic rehabilitation. Purdue—about the same.

Six Gopher Stars  
Team by team, the conference roundup:

Minnesota—Defending its title without six magnificent stars—Dick Smith, Vernon Oech, Sheldon Beise, Glenn Seidel, Dale Rennebohm, and George Roscoe. Sophomore team big, fast and rugged without an outstanding player. Likely first year prospects are Larry Buhler, and Ray Struthers, 200-pound backs, Horace Bell, guard and John Kulbitski, center. University of Washington game soon after practice opens may dull season.

Ohio State—Benefits by fact the Scarlet Scourge won't be crowned national champions in September as in 1935. The lateralized Bucks lost 15 lettermen, have 17 back Coach Francis Schmidt can line up a veteran team without use of many star sophos bound to play. Loss of Gomer Jones, center and captain, Kim Karcher, guard, Stan Pincura, and Dick Heekin, halfbacks, stinging losses. Pittsburgh game Oct. 10 tells on the Buckeyes.

Northwestern—Described as 25 per cent weaker by Coach Lynn Waldorf, Northwestern will nevertheless be among top flight elevens. Lost virtually full line, but has two tackles who alternated last year. Backfield lost Hugh Duval and Wally Cruice, whose spots must be filled by Don Heap, running star, Steve Toth, punter, Freddie Flato, fleet sophomore, and Don Geyer, letterman. Shattered line will be felt unless replacements are developed by October.

Irreplaceable Loss  
Iowa—One senior, Dick Crayne, (Continued on Page 7-B)

## Intersectional Football Games Are Scheduled

### Compton Jaycee Has Attractive Program Lined Up This Season

Starting its 1936-37 athletic season with football, Compton Junior College plans its greatest year of sports in history. Besides the gridiron program, the Tartars will have outstanding schedules in basketball, track, baseball, golf, tennis, swimming, water polo, crew rowing, gymnastics and wrestling.

The football bill includes games with two powerful out-of-state junior colleges. The first intersectional game is slated for Nov. 6, when the Tartars take an 800-mile trip to Ogden, Utah, to meet the Weber College varsity, rated as one of the strongest jaycee elevens in the Rocky Mountain area. The other day will be played on Thanksgiving Day at Compton with Phoenix, Ariz. Jaycee offering the opposition.

Champion Teams  
Other elevens on the attractive gridiron schedule that the Tartars will play are: Riverside J. C., 1935 Southern California champions; Pasadena J. C.; Taft J. C., Central California champion; the U. S. C. frosh;

Water Sports  
With its new \$45,000 plunge, one of the finest college pools in the Southland, completed last spring; and the securing of Edward B. Holston, former national diving champion from U. S. C., as coach, Compton expects to embark on a full-fledged swimming and water polo program.

## English Tennis Ace Will Enter Coast Tourney

### Fred Perry, Katherine Stammers, Expected to Play in September

Frederick J. Perry, England's greatest tennis player and acknowledged the champion of the world by virtue of his great victory at Wimbledon, will return to seek his fourth singles title in the tenth annual Pacific Southwest championship tournament, outstanding tennis event of the west, which this year will be staged Sept. 18-27, inclusive, at the Los Angeles Tennis Club.

The English ace has notified officials of the tournament that he intends to not only play in singles, but will team up with Frank Shields, America's No. 4 ranking player, in men's doubles, and play with Katherine Stammers, the comely miss, who is England's No. 1 feminine ace of the court, in mixed doubles.

Davis Cup Defender  
Perry has won the Pacific Southwest championship on three previous occasions but was forced to default last year because of an injury sustained in the national tournament at Forest Hills. This year he has battled his way back to the heights, more brilliant than ever with a great record both at Wimbledon and in successfully defending the Davis Cup for England.

One of the greatest arrays of international stars in the history of the Pacific Southwest looms. Miss Stammers will be competing in women's singles for the third year, having twice been denied the crown by Mrs. Ethel Burkhardt Arnold after winning her way to the final round. This year the petite little English girl will be a favorite.

Oceanside J. C.; Black-Foxe; and Fresno State College frosh.

Gordon Clark, former Trojan backfield ace, and Eddie Suggett, ex-Whittier College star, will coach the Compton gridders. Compton's basketball schedule will include games with the leading conference and non-conference junior colleges in Southern and Central California with the possibility that a strong Northern California jaycee may be added to the slate, as well as games with the Trojan and Bruin frosh and Southern Conference college fives.

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ADDITIONAL SPORTS  
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## Morrell Pitches No Hit, No Run

One more candidate for the baseball hall of fame is Earl Morrell, ace hurler of Torrance, who pitched the McDonalds to a 6-0 win over Shell Oil of the Hollywood-Culver City League last night. Morrell was aided by that sterling backstopper, Billy Widner, and turned in a no hit no run game.

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