

Tartars, North Hi Face League Foes Here

Centennial, Bay Leaders, Test Tartars

Bay League-leading Centennial, the surprise of the loop, moves into the Torrance gym tomorrow afternoon for a contest with the slipping Tartars. Jayvee teams meet at 2:45 p.m.

Centennial led all the way, then came through when the pressure was on to trip Mira Costa, 55-54, Friday night at Compton.

Coach Fanny Markham is counting on Jerry Mathews, Toby Venable, Mike Bertolo and Mick Babbitt to come through with scoring performance since it is a game that Centennial will flock on defense to halt high-scoring Tartar Rich Ruffell. Ruffell was held to four points in his last outing against Mira Costa.

Torrance's probable starting lineup will feature Mathews and Bertolo at the forwards, Ruffell at center, and Venable and Babbitt at guards.

Saxons Host Morningside In THS Gym

Still steaming for a Pioneer League win, North High entertains Morningside tomorrow on the Tartar gym floor in the first meeting of the season between the two squads.

The Varsity fray will start after the Jayvees have at it at 6:45 p.m.

Coach Bill Wood hopes his Saxons can stek with Morningside long enough to get a victory. The NHS five has been a fine first half ball club, staying right with several of their last foes until the second half, then falling back.

Tomorrow's game will be the first of a two-game home stand for the Saxons. They meet Hawthorne here Friday night at 6:45 p.m.

ECC Tops Vikes; Faces East LAJC

Continuing the Metropolitan Conference trend of high-scoring games, El Camino's Warriors topped Long Beach CC Friday night at ECC, 100-85, after league-leading Harbor JC had erased San Diego JC, 86-61 in the opener.

The Warriors simply outran the taller Vikings as Charley Davis, Phil Graf, Wally Torkells and Frank Consiglio all scored in double figures to lead the Camino surge. The win put the Warriors right behind Harbor at 5-2 in league play. The Seahawks are pacing Metro cage play with a 6-1 standard.

Coach George Stanich's Warriors converted 32 free throws to put the game on ice. Fifty fouls were called in the rugged contest as the Vikings tried in vain to halt the run and shoot tactics of the local crew.

Breeze to Lead

El Camino breezed to a 47-40 halftime lead then pulled away in the second half on the shooting of Davis and Graf. Graf tallied 24 to take game honors, while Davis who just returned to the Camino fold after being out with an injury, had 22.

Torkells tallied 17, Consiglio, 14, and sub Don Stewart, 13, to support the top scorers.

Maynard Thompson led the Vikes, tallying 18 points. Phil Joujon-Roche had 14 for Long Beach, as did Jim Smith.

The Camnans tangle tomorrow night with luckless East LAJC on the Huskie court. The East LA crew has dropped 13 straight.

On Friday, Harbor moves in to the Warrior gym to face El Camino in a rematch of their first league meet, which the Seahawks won. Both games start at 8 p.m.

Newman Gets 31

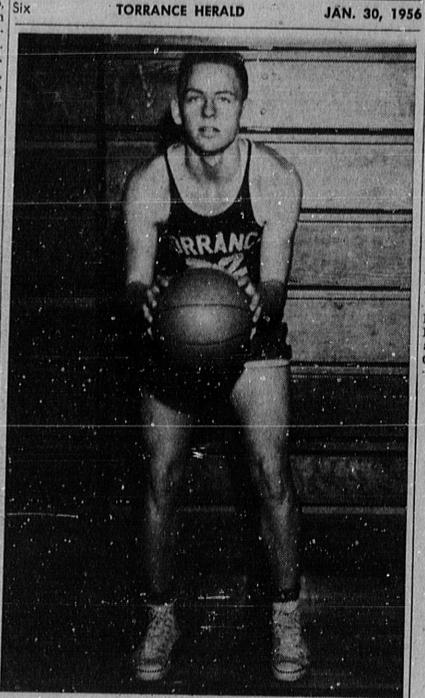
In the first part of the double bill, Harbor's hustlers led from start to finish in racking up San Diego. The anticipated scoring duel between Art Powell of San Diego, and the Hawks' Jim Newman didn't materialize.

Newman tallied 31 points to take game scoring honors, but was pressed mostly by Harry Wilson Powell's running mate at forward. The Knight star had 29. Powell had 24, while Harbor's center, George Padova, tallied 25.

Harbor had a 41-29 halftime advantage and raced through the second half to extend their victory margin to 25 points.

El Camino (100) Long Beach (85)
 Harbor (86) San Diego (61)
 Newman, 31 P Wilson, 29
 Padova, 25 F Powell, 24
 Torkells, 17 G Vanderlinde, 2
 Consiglio, 14 G Brown, 5
 Davis, 22 G Linschold, 0
 Sub:—H.C. Brekovich, 4; Gravett, 4. SDJC: Butts, 4.

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(Herald Photo) SHARP CAGER . . . Jerry Mathews, Tartar forward, came into his own last week when he took over scoring duties and tallied 21 against Mira Costa. Although Tarts lost fray to former loop leaders, 69-57, Mathews came through with his best performance yet. A Junior, the 6', 175 pounder is counted on to help lead Tartar attack against Centennial here tomorrow.

Thieves Raid San Diego Cage Team Friday

San Diego's traveling junior college cage team was humped by 25 points in its Metropolitan Conference game with Harbor JC Friday night at El Camino, but lost more than that in the final analysis.

After the Knight players returned to their dressing room in the Camino gym, they discovered their wallets had been rifled, with \$129 in cash lifted from 10 of the players. In addition, Jim Roderick, a squad reserve, had a \$75 watch stolen.

Bag on Bench

Coach Don Clarkerson told sheriff's deputies following the game the thieves must have been really bold. The wallets and watch were in a canvas bag that was taken to the San Diego bench. Coach Clarkerson said he didn't keep his eye on the bag throughout the entire game, since he had his mind on other business—basketball.

But someone evidently opened the bag, took the money from the wallets, returned the wallets and closed the bag during the game.

Stars Pursue Suspects

Art Powell and Harry Wilson, star forwards on the squad, told sheriff's officials that after the game two juveniles saw them and broke into a run. Wilson copied the license number of their car and jumped into his own car to tail them, but lost the fleeing suspects.

Powell lost the most money, \$52, while Roderick lost \$17 plus the wrist watch.

Sheriff's deputies are investigating the theft. Meanwhile, the San Diego cagers returned home yesterday after trekking to Bakersfield for a Saturday night meeting with Bakersfield JC's Renegades.

THS Teams Tiff Apache

Jim Ralston's Tartar Bee and Cee cagers will meet Centennial tomorrow in Bay League games at Compton.

Cee squads start things off at 2:45 p.m. in the Apache's gym.

Play at Morningside

The North High Bee and Cee squads travel to Morningside for a pair of Pioneer League games Wednesday. The Cee teams will meet in the opener, at 3 p.m.

Two Local Drivers File For Car Race

Scotty Cain, daredevil driver from Venice, will drive his 1956 car in the 200-lap late model stock car race at Gardena Stadium next Sunday afternoon.

Cain, sponsored by Oscar Maples, of Torrance, ran into some distressing mechanical trouble in the New Year's day race.

Jimmy Reed, the Peekskill, N. Y., ace who won the New Year's day grind, has entered his '56 auto in the race. Reed is four-time national short track NASCAR champion.

Howard Phillippi, of Torrance, will pilot a '55 car, as will Fred Steinbroner, another local driver.

Allen Adkins, of Fresno, Danny Letner, of Downey, Erick Erickson, of Lancaster, and Sherman Clark, of Yuba City, are other early entries.

Wet Weather Curtails Friday Cage Schedule

Wet weather washed out scheduled basketball action for both Torrance high schools Friday night.

North High's Pioneer League match with El Segundo was canceled because of the poor condition of the roads in the El Segundo area. The El Segundans didn't attend classes Friday.

The fray has been re-set for Feb. 7 at 3 p.m. at El Segundo.

The Tartars practice co-tes with Santa Fe High of Whittier was called off also. Santa Fe officials called Friday morning to say they weren't holding school and couldn't make the trip here because of flood conditions.

Whether or not the Torrance-Santa Fe game will be played at all was not known here Friday.

Santa Margarita 'Cap Headlines Charity Racing at Santa Anita

Three important stakes with special events feature the annual racing for charity at Santa Anita Park this week.

Following tomorrow's opening, dedicated to the Community Chests of Los Angeles and Southern California counties and the Cancer Society, the traditional \$20,000 San Carlos Handicap on Wednesday provides a speed test for the \$100,000-guaranteed to winner Santa Anita Handicap on Feb. 25, and the \$100,000-added San Juan Capistrano 'Cap on the turf course on March 10. Thirty-eight stars, including Swaps, were nominated but the chances of the California champion making his first start of the season will depend on track conditions.

Will Be Televised

The \$50,000 special for fillies and mares, the Santa Margarita Handicap at 1 1/4 miles, to be televised at 4:30 p.m. over KNXT (2) and the CBS network, and the \$25,000 San Felipe Handicap for three-year-olds on their way to the \$100,000-added Santa Anita Derby on March 3, will be the double attraction for Saturday to close the big week.

Feature races will be named for Heart Association, La Jolla Farms (Wednesday); Children's Hospital, March of Dimes, Helms Ranch (Thursday); American Red Cross, Arcadia Community Hospital and Salmagundi (Friday); and Santa Anita Hospital (Saturday).

All Profits to Charity

Los Angeles Turf Club, Inc., is conducting these charity days, as in past seasons, with the 100 per cent profits to be turned over to the non-profit Santa Anita Foundation for distribution. Since the inaugural meeting in 1934-1935, more than \$8,500,000 has been raised for charity and civic welfare from Thoroughbred racing operations at Santa Anita.

LINDELL GUEST OF OPTIMISTS

John Lindell, ex-baseball great, will address members of the Torrance Optimist Club to night at the group's regular meeting.

A former outfielder for the New York Yankees, Lindell later turned to pitching and Philadelphia of the National League and Hollywood of the PCL as a moundsman.

Now sports director of the TAP Youth Foundation, Lindell will discuss Little League baseball.

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