

# Torrance State Tournament Host

## Expect 60,000 for Shrine Game

### Gonta to Start on Defense

California's finest fifty prep football stars will clash tomorrow night when North meets South in the ninth annual Shrine Football Classic at the Coliseum, where a crowd of more than 60,000 is expected to watch strong legs run so weak legs may walk.

Kickoff time is set for 9 p.m. following the 7:45 Shrine pageant and the North is rated a nine-point favorite to take its fourth win in the last five years and square the series at four victories each.

**THE GAME** is shaping up as a test between the North's team bulk and the South team's speed.

Late injuries may rattle the line-ups, but even so it becomes pretty difficult to reach the conclusion that the South—which lost 26-6 last year—is a dead duckling. On paper and by the record, the Rebels have a little of everything to toss at the North.

Halfbacks Willie Brown of Long Beach, Larry Bryan of Huntington Park and H. D. Murphy of San Diego will supply plenty of speed and punch, all being sub-10 second sprinters.

Lonzo Irvin of Long Beach, at 210 pounds, is a battering ram at fullback.

**COACHES RAY** Vernoy (Huntington Park) and Ray Solari (South Pasadena) have indicated that Torrance High School's representative, tackle Stan Gonta, 215, may start on defense.

Gonta will become only the second player from Torrance to ever jog the Coliseum turf during the Shrine series. Tackle Ed Powell was the first, playing in the 1954 contest.

The South coaches settled a big question mark this week when they tabbed Huntington Park's Craig Fertig to start at the key quarterback slot over El Segundo's touted Pete Beathard.

However, it is expected that Big Pete will be in there pitching soon after both teams get a little dirt on their toes.

**HOW ABOUT** this North team? It is rated one of the best to ever invade the Southland, and rightly so.

Only two of the Yankees' set of runners is listed at under 190 pounds.

In fact, the whole team is so big that a new set of oversized game pants had to be especially ordered. The traditional gold pants will have to be set aside this year—by necessity.

Both clubs are loaded with weighty linemen that are rated as good or better than any that have yet to play in the series.

South bosses have tabbed Reseda tackle John Walker (228) and Banning guard Ray (muscleman) Avila (220) as the bulwarks of the forward wall.

The South line averages 221, 11 pounds heavier than the North's average.

**NORTHERN** head bumpers that have been drawing raves from scouts and coaches are headed by tackle Ken Francisco (225) of San Rafael, tackle Matt Baggett (235) of Berkeley and tackle Marshall (Little Daddy) Jenkins (229) of Auburn.

The South opened with four straight victories starting in 1952, but hasn't been able to win since '55.

**Past Scores**  
1952—South 20, North 19  
1953—South 20, North 0  
1954—South 7, North 6  
1955—South 17, North 0  
1956—North 21, South 6  
1957—North 32, South 6  
1958—North 8, South 8  
1959—North 26, South 6

Tickets for the game may be obtained at the sponsoring Al Malaikah Shrine Football Office, 655 W. Jefferson Blvd., or at any of the 50 Shrine clubs throughout Southern California.

The tickets are sealed at \$1.50, \$3 and \$5. All seats are reserved.



**SHRINE STARS . . .** Torrance's sensational All-CIF and All-Pioneer League tackle Stan Gonta, right, and Monrovia's Dan Pelkey dive for loose ball during South practice session for the ninth annual Shrine Football Classic tomorrow night at the Coliseum. Stan is scheduled to start on defense.



By BEN and PAUL SMITH

If you hear rumors of Frazier Mountain erupting, don't panic, it's just that the coastal deer hunting season opens this Saturday at one hour after sunrise. We can't warn you enough to be sure and check with us or the newspapers for areas that will be closed due to the recent fire hazards. Don't make a long ride for nothing, or to get a citation.

Things not to forget: A well sighted in gun, fresh ammo, red or yellow hat or vest, walking boots, canteen, a good sharp boning knife, rope-deer bags to keep the meat clean, "a clear head," to thing, and have a good time.

We'd appreciate hearing your stories. Helen always guarantees a deer to anyone buying their tags from us. Good sales pitch, but we did have a lot of happy hunters last year. Let's hope for the same this season.

Five Torrance Rod & Gun shooters really "chewed" them up Sunday, to beat El Segundo's Rod & Gun with a score of 306 to 228.

John Scott was "top gun," with a score of Skeet 24, Duck Tower 22, and Trap 24.

Ben Smith	24	19	22
Paul Smith	19	22	19
Vic Pallacia	22	15	20
Chic Hill	17	18	19

Some shooting. These five fellows will challenge any five and will be a tough team to beat.

John is top gun, but he'd better watch out for wife, Nell. She only started shooting last year and broke her first 25 straight trap last week. What a proud gal. Congratulations, Nell.

The Albacore stories are flying around fast and furious. Happy, happy anglers and how good it makes us feel. Typical stories such as, "Been fishing for 30 years and never saw such action . . . What a time we had . . . The trip's well worth it . . . Never though I'd limit out on albacore, etc."

They are still out 100 or so miles from here. Some big ones have moved up around Morro Bay and lots of commercial boys are heading up that way.

We called San Diego, last night, to verify the rumor that the Coast Guard had clamped down on sport fishing boats that do not have twin engines from going out to the albacore grounds. They have had too many rescues and mishaps lately with one-engined boats. It's sad for the boat owner, but a good precaution they have taken, for your protection.

John of the Seaport called and reported the yellows and berries are red hot at Catalina. So dad, if you've been promising that boy of yours a fishing trip, now's the time to go. The yellows are from 8 to 10 lbs. and the berries are big ones, going 8 to 12 lbs. You'll both have a good time.

### 'Moonlight Bowl' Theme At New Gable House in Torrance

By DARLENE COPE

One hundred bowlers plus many spectators gathered at the Gable House Bowl in Torrance last Saturday evening from mid-night to 3 a.m. to participate in the gaiety of the "Moonlight Bowl."

**ON SIDE** of the house was a sight to see, for it was in total darkness all but for the telescope lights and the bowling pins. Each participant took his turn at the blue, pink polka dot, bright yellow, passionate pink, green, striped, purple, grey, and white pins and the one "sneaky" black pin. Every second or third frame

the black pin would slip itself into an unknown spot which made it almost impossible to be seen against the backdrop. For a spot bowler it was rough for all he could focus on was the grayish, whitish blob to aim at for the pocket.

**THE HIGH** series for the evening was 512 bowled by Betty Koop. The low series of 270 was bowled by Matt Anderson. There were seven honors in all given.

On August 6 and 13 there will be two other such events. If you want to join in the fun call FR 8-2265 for reservations.

### Torrance Opens At Anaheim Friday Night

Seventy-six of Southern California's best junior baseball teams will compete for the 15th annual Anaheim Legion Tournament championship.

The tourney starts with doubleheaders tomorrow night with games at 7 and 9 p.m. at Anaheim's La Palma Park Stadium and Santa Ana's Memorial Park.

At Anaheim: Huntington Beach vs Torrance Post 70; Anaheim vs Chino.

At Santa Ana: South Santa Ana vs Hollywood and Newport Beach vs Upland.

First round schedule calls for 13 games Saturday and 8 games Sunday.

Doubleheaders will be played nightly at Anaheim. Second round starts Aug. 14, with the championship playoff on Aug. 26.

South Torrance Post 170 will get into the act next Thursday at 7 p.m. at Anaheim against West Covina.

### Sandlot Baseball Tourney Set in Area for Boys

The Southern California Municipal Athletic Federation's Baseball Committee announces their first annual baseball tournament to be conducted for boys since the founding of the athletic group in 1949.

The tournament will be held for boys in the 13, 14, and 15 year age classification with all teams, consisting of boys whose 15th birth day is after January 1, 1960, are eligible to compete.

The tourney is slated to start August 22, and each team is guaranteed to play at least two games, in a consolation type tournament. A maximum of 15 individual player awards will be presented to the championship team, runner-up, and consolation winner.

Games will be conducted on fields having 75 foot baselines and a 55 foot pitching distance.

Games will be scheduled on diamonds throughout Southern California.

Team managers or coaches may obtain entry forms through the local recreation department by contacting Elmer "Red" Moon, 1511 Cravens Avenue Torrance, (FA 8-108) or by contacting the Herald, at FA 8-4000.

Team applications and entry fees received after August 5, 1960 will not be considered.

### Standings

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE	
Independent Bldrs.	4 0 1,000
Ryan Aeros.	3 1 750
SB Church of God	3 1 750
Post Office	3 1 750
Harvey Aluminum	2 2 500
Harbor Hornets	2 2 500
Aerona	2 2 500
Maury's Cafe	1 3 250
Lucy's Lamb	0 4 500
Border Markets	0 4 500
Scores	
Independent 8, Ryan 2	
SB Church 11, Harvey 1	
Post Office 7, Maury's 3	
Hornets 11, Lucy's 8	
Aerona won by forfeit (Border's)	



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IN SECTIONALS

### Americans Tackle Buena Park Today

Torrance's heavy hitting American Little League all-stars will carry their District 27 banner into the sectional playoffs this afternoon when the locals tackle Buena Park at Talon Field in Hawthorne. Starting time for the second half of the sectional doubleheader today has been set at 4 p.m., following the South Redondo vs. Downey scrimmage at 2 p.m.

**TALON FIELD** is located at 120th St. and Van Ness.

Following their 2-1 triumph over cross-town North Torrance (East) Saturday for the district title, the Americans have spent every afternoon this week prepping for this afternoon's "do-or-die" crucial.

Manager Harry Lingo hasn't yet made up his mind about a starting pitcher, with five candidates to choose from following Johnny Schnepf's second tourney mound triumph last weekend.

Little League rules prohibit using a pitcher in successive all-star games.

So Lingo will pick a name out of a hat today. However, Brad Holmes may be a logical choice since the burley right-hander fired a no-hitter in his last start last week in a 20-0 rout of Lomita.

**IN THAT ONE** he fanned 12, but showed a little lack of control by walking seven in the six inning tilt.

Meanwhile, the Americans will have one basic line-up change. Jeff Lewin will move into the starting combination at centerfield to give the team even more hitting strength.

In their three wins to date, over Dominguez (10-0), Lomita (20-0) and North Torrance East (2-1), the Americans have pounded 34 hits, good for 32 runs.

Leading hitters in the three games have been Dickie White (600, 6-10), Jim Foster (600, 6-10), Holmes (500, 6-12) and Dale Reis (.571, 4-7).

**FIVE TEAMS** remain in the Section 6 playoffs. Hollypark drew a bye in the first round.

Section champion will be decided on Saturday.

The ultimate winner will then compete at Redondo Beach's Peewee Park, home of the South Redondo Little League, for the divisional title on Aug. 11, 12, and 13.

Then, off to Williamsport, Pa., for the World Series of Little League baseball.

### TOP HITTER

Duke Snider, one of the top sluggers of all time, has been the Dodgers' leading hitter in both Los Angeles seasons. He batted .312 in 1958 and .308 last year.

### Petty Leading Motorcycle Point Standings

With the national competitions moving elsewhere, the regular weekly program of motorcycle racing resumes Friday night at Gardena's Ascot Stadium with the first contest going at 8:30 p.m.

Southern California's stylists proved themselves the nation's peers during the recent 8-mile title tussle at Ascot by taking the first five places, as follows: Al Gunter, Los Angeles; Stu Morley, Los Angeles; Troy Lee, Pico-Rivera; Sammy Tanner, Gardena; and Jack O'Brien, San Fernando.

Preston Petty of Woodland Hills continues to cling to his point standing lead, but such racers as San Diego's Don Torrelli and Santa Barbara's Bill McDonough are moving into contention.

### Runyan Scores 19 but Bacon Nipped, 58-56

Unbeaten Starr Markets dealt Coach George Stanich's Bacon Ford (El Camino College) basketballers a 58-56 defeat Tuesday in an Alhambra Summer League test at Alhambra Gym.

Lithe guard Jack Runyan garnered high point honors for the game by sinking 19 counters.

Standings	
Art Frost	W L
Galbraith	5 0
Starr Mkts.	3 3
Bacon Ford	2 2
McDonald Const.	3 3
Bacon Ford	2 2
J. Illig & Son	2 2
PreFab Prod.	2 2
Slater Co.	1 1
Islanders	0 0
Phelps-Torkel	0 0
Bacon Ford (56)	Starr Mkts. (58)
Cativera (7)	(11) Gilmore
Kingery (4)	(12) Carter
Dinnel (11)	(13) Stereol
Rodriguez (7)	(13a) Wagner
Runyan (19)	(4) Wiederker
HALFTIME SCORE: Bacon Ford 20, Starr Mkts. 26. Scoring subs: Bacon: Karavas 8, Davis 2.	

### NIGHT OWLS

Six Dodger pitchers, Don Drysdale, Roger Craig, Sandy Koufax, Johnny Podres, Clem Labine and Johnny Klippstein were more effective at night than during day games last season.

### 'Ruthers Play at Del Amo

Southern California's four finest Babe Ruth League all-star teams will arrive in Torrance this weekend to duel each other for the Southern State championship at Torrance's Del Amo Field, home of the defending title winners from 1959, on Saturday and Sunday.

All-Star contingents of 13, 14, and 15-year old boys from Pasadena, El Segundo, Brawley-Imperial-Holtville and Sepulveda - Panorama all have their eyes cast on the 1960 crown and the giant sized trophy which goes with it.

**PRELIMINARIES** in the single elimination tourney are set for Saturday with games at 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Final game is slated for Sunday at 1 p.m.

The ultimate tourney winner will qualify for the District playoffs at Salt Lake City.

Torrance's National Babe Ruth League entry reached the semi-finals at Downey last weekend but was eliminated in the fourth round by El Segundo, 2-0.

Last year Torrance copped the Southern State championship at Stockton, but was eliminated in its next outing.

Saturday's games will pit the Brawley-Imperial-Holtville all-stars against the Sepulveda - Panorama all-stars at 1 p.m.

**THIS GAME** will be broadcast to the Brawley area by a Brawley radio station.

Pasadena and El Segundo clash in the 4 p.m. time slot.

The Babe Ruth championship trophy will be on display at the Torrance Cycle and Sports Shop until noon Saturday.

Last weekend, the Nationals dumped cross-town Pacific-American 7-2 behind John Cambon's four-hitter but were ousted the following day in Downey despite a triple play in the 4th inning.

The baseball rarity was staged when, with runners on first and second, second baseman Dennis Welch scooped to shortstop Cambon for a force, who in turn fired to first for a second out. First sacker Sid Horton then threw plateward to catcher Joe O'Neill who put the tag on the sliding runner to complete the triple killing.

Welch had the only hit for the Nationals in the game. Losing pitcher Mike Hartley was nicked for seven scattered hits.

**Nationals, 7-2**  
Pac-Am. 002 000 0 2 5 0  
Nationals 200 230 x 7 4 1  
Spellman and Grossman; Cambon and O'Neill.

**El Segundo, 2-0**  
Nationals 000 000 0 0 1 0  
El Segundo 010 001 x 2 7 4  
Hartley and O'Neill; Maxwell and Durnil.

**Hotaltail Revival, Hot Albacore Run Reported at San Diego**

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 2 — A sudden revival of yellowtail fishing at the Coronado Islands, sending catches shooting back to mid-season heights, and continued unexcelled albacore fishing 65 to 80 miles southwest of Point Loma gave San Diego sport-fishing a one-two punch of knockout potency.

The Coronados made the quick turn for the better last Saturday when comparatively light angling crowds accounted for 545 yellowtail, 3 white sea bass, 947 barracuda, 2336 bonito, and 222 calico bass. Top yellow was a 26 pound 10 ounce.

On the albacore banks, Saturday's take also was representative of the fine action to be had outside. A band of only 194 anglers on seven boats checked in 977 albies ranging into the 30 pound class.

Such heavy action on the longfins kept minimum qualifying weight in the albacore-tuna division of the \$25,000 Yellowtail Derby climbing, and it was knocking at the 29 pound level last weekend.

Minimum weight in the well-tail section also was ready to take its first jump from the 18-pound starting point.

**RELIABLE**  
Junior Gilliam grounded into only three double plays last year, an all-time club record.



**RECHARGED BATS . . .** Torrance's American Little League all-stars, their bats recharged after five day lay-off from tournament, enter Section 6 playoffs today at 4 p.m. at Talon Field in Hawthorne against Buena Park. Pictured above, after Tuesday workout, are (top row): Manager Harry Lingo, Dale Reis, John Schnepf, Jim

Foster, Bruce Sorenson, Jim DiCenso, Dave Huntoon, Jeff Lewin, Dick White, and Coach Bill Montgomery. Kneeling: Craig Campbell, Jimmy Bales, Dennis Welsh, Jim McPherson, Keith Rogers, Gordie Mahon, and Gary Schenck. Brad Holmes is absent from picture. (Herald Photo)