



RACE WINNER Jim Cook gets trophy from Pat Cod-walter of Torrance after recent California Jalopy Association win at Western Speedway, 130th Street and Western Avenue, Gardena. Cook has taken five victories this season at Gardena and will head a field of 50 drivers in Sundays Mid-summer Championship 40-lap race with a \$1000 purse. He drives a Ford for Vel's Ford Sales Co., Torrance.

PRESS Sports

Absence Ends Porzio Wins For Big Cars Little Indy Fast Time 'A'

It's Colby Scroggins against the field Saturday night, Aug. 11, at Ascot Park, where the powerful and entertaining California Racing Association big cars return after nearly a month's absence for an eight-race, 30-lap speedfest getting under way at 8:30 p.m. Time trials open the show at 7 p.m.

It'll be the first of three straight Saturday night CRA events at the tough, half-mile dirt 183rd and Vermont Gardena oval, with subsequent races being set for Aug. 18 and 25.

The saga of Scroggins this year has been really something. All the guy has done is to win the last eight out of nine CRA mains, including four out of the last five at Ascot. He's far and away the 1962 point leader, and Ascot experts believe him to be the equal of any driver in the entire United States.

This is no mere idle thinking, since second-place point leader Billy Cantrell, the estimable 49-year-old Anaheim "Old Grey Fox," has not been able to top Scroggins for several months at Ascot. Mr. Cantrell, now driving the potent Maxson-Jiffries Offy, two weeks ago easily defeated Indianapolis stars Parnelli Jones, Bobby Marsh man and a host of others in an Ascot midget affair. But he can't seem to beat Scroggins.

Saturday evening at Little Indy, 190th and Normandie, brought many spectators out to watch the youthful drivers race.

Setting fast time in the "A" class was Mike Porzio with Nancy Heminger winning the trophy dash. Main event went to Les Starr and Floyd Wilson. Margo Pickering won the semi-main and Johnny Classen came in second. The junior-main went to Robby Vieley and Jimmie Bin g a m a n. Heat winners were Mike Atwood, Eddie Esty, Margo Pickering and Jimmie Bingaman.

"B" fast time was set by Carmen Latchet while Chuck Esterline won the trophy dash. Main event went to Allen Johncox and Chuck Esterline. Tommie Kern took the semi-main and Butch Darpino took second. Heat winners were Irene Linville and Albert Craig.

Fritz Hupp set the fast time in the stock class and Terry Milburn took the trophy dash. The main went to Fritz Hupp, Joey Howard took the semi-main. Howard also won the special. Heat winners were Terry Milburn and Joey Howard.

The monthly powder puff race was won by Nancy Heminger.

'Hottest' Motorcycle Aces To Compare Notes Saturday

Al Gunther of Alhambra and Jack O'Brien of Santa Monica, hottest pair of dirt track motorcycle racers in the United States, resume their feud for the 1962 track championship Friday night (Aug. 10) at Ascot Park, Gardena. Racing starts at 8:30 o'clock, qualifying laps at 7 p.m.

O'Brien, who leads the point race with 1454 points, is the most consistent rider of the pair and has failed to score in but one main event out of 18 this season.

DAREDEVIL TURNS
Gunter, however, is the more spectacular with his daredevil broadsiding around the turns of the half-mile dirt Ascot oval. "Sliding Al" had nothing buting "Al" had nothing but trouble early in the season with repeated mechanical woes, but once the faults

were corrected he was all but unbeatable.

Right in contention Friday night will be such expert class riders as Sammy Tanner, Bellflower; Stu Morley, Topanga; Dick Hammer, Lakewood; Neil Keen, Pasadena; Blackie Bruce, Downey and Burt Richardson, Wilmington.

COMPETITION
Amateur point leader Clyde Litch of West Covina has dangerous competition in this AMA division from the likes of Elliott Schultz of South Gate, Mert Lawwill of Inglewood and Jeff Sperry of Bakersfield with the 10-lap "main" strictly a tossup.

Dick "Pee Wee" Guglielmana of Garden Grove continues to rule the Ascot favorite in the novice class. The Orange County star holds four of the five track records.

PLANS MADE
Racing director J. C. Agajanian is making big plans for the national AMA 50-lap steeplechase championships at Ascot Park Oct. 5 and 6 when the leading eastern riders, led by Carroll Resweber and Bart Markel, will be here to face the best of the west.

Ascot Park is at 183rd and Vermont, just off the Harbor Freeway.



CHEERING TEAMMATES of the Tordondo Little league Padres celebrate their 6 to 5 victory over the Seals to gain the Tordondo Minor League title. Winning pitcher for the game was Wayne Larson, who chalked up his 10th victory.

SALUTE

Richard W. Boucher, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boucher of 1618 Crenshaw Blvd., Torrance, is serving aboard the guided missile frigate USS Mahan, operating in the Western Pacific with the Seventh Fleet.

The Mahan is equipped for anti-aircraft and anti-submarine warfare. Aboard are the latest weapons used in these areas of defense.

The Seventh Fleet is the Navy's major operational force in the Far East. Its area of responsibility covers 30 million square miles.

David R. Goosey, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas R. Goosey of 1568 W. 222nd, Torrance, is serving aboard the dock landing ship USS Monticello, which has joined the Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific.

The Seventh Fleet is America's first line of defense in the Far East.

The Monticello will visit ports in the Philippines, Japan and Hong Kong. She is one of the Navy's most modern amphibious ships, having the capability to carry numerous assault crafts, troops and helicopters.

Harvey H. Bohman, inter-communications electrician third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bohman of 1138 May Field St., Torrance, is serving aboard the ocean non-magnetic minesweeper USS Energy, which departed Long Beach, Calif., July 2, for a tour of duty with the Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific.

The Energy sailed in the company of other ships of Mine Division 92, two coastal minesweepers and a Nationalist China tugboat.

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