

RECORD-BREAKING "Golden Thing," which recorded 152 mph in quarter-mile boat drags, was one of many speedy rigs to take part in J. C. Agajian's recent fourth annual Regatta of Champions at Long Beach Marine Stadium.



TORRANCE'S famous Parnelli Jones, only man lap Indianapolis at over 150 mph, spins out here at recent Ascot Park midjet action. The "mighty midgets" under direction of J. C. Agajian, will be back in action at the Gardena track later this year.

# PRESS Sports

## League Winners to Battle For Torrance Championship

Harvey Aluminum Company's Softball Team, winners of the Torrance Recreation Department sponsored Industrial League, will meet the Torrance Bears, City Open League Champions, in a one game playoff for the Torrance City Championship, at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, under the lights at Torrance Park, according to Elmer "Red" Moon, Adult Athletics Director for the city.

The Harvey nine captured their league banner by virtue of a 13-win, one-loss record, and the Bears won their league title by making a clean sweep of the 14 game schedule.

Following the game individual and team trophies will be presented.

### FINAL STANDINGS INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L
Harvey Aluminum	13	1
Magnavox Lab	11	3
Ryan Aeros	11	3
Western Brush	8	6
Post Office	7	7
Harbor Hornets	3	10
Mobil Oil	1	13
R. C. Mahon	1	13

### OPEN LEAGUE

Team	W	L
Torrance Bears	13	0
Torrance Douglas	11	3
Local No. 905	10	4
Aeronca Mfg. Co.	9	5
Lucy's Lambs	4	10
Torrance Dodgers	4	10
Anonymous	3	11
Normandie Indians	1	13

## Keeping in Trim Advice Offered To Boat Drivers

When an airplane doesn't ride perfectly straight in the air, the pilot is able to pump gasoline back and forth from one wing tank to the other, to "trim" his aircraft.

In an outboard boat the same thing is possible, by shifting passengers from one seat to another. The knack of changing trim to meet various conditions is one of the keystones of outboard seamanship.

This is the reason why many outboard boats have enough seats to hold seven or eight persons, when three or four appear to be a normal load. The extra space is to provide possibility for correct trim.

### DIFFERENT SITUATIONS

Each boat, motor and load combination poses a different trim situation, the Mercury boating authorities point out. Outboarders should observe effects of various loads and load distribution on their own craft, experiment by shifting one person at a time slightly forward or aft to note whether such change has a good effect on speed, comfort and handling qualities.

Often two or three friends will occupy the forward seat of an average-sized runabout, and their weight forces the relatively narrow forward portion of the hull deep in the water, while the stern rides high. If the motor is a smaller one, the boat may have trouble getting on plane.

### STARTS TO PLANE

When it finally starts to plane, it may not get up to normal speed because more of its bottom is held in contact with the water, increasing drag. The bow may knife the water and throw it right back in the boat.

By contrast, an outboard with too much load too far aft may be just as troublesome. Poor forward visibility may result from the bow being too high, and it may quite possibly give a hard ride. So, experiment with trim on your boat. It'll pay good returns.

## Lack of License No. 1 Violation

For the sixth consecutive month, angling without a license in ocean and inland waters was the leading violation of fish and game law in Southern California and the Inyo-Mono area, the Department of Fish and Game reported today.

DFG wardens issued 306 citations for this violation during the month of July, over half the total arrests for the month. In all, some 542 offenders were cited during July. They paid a total of \$12,139.20 in fines.

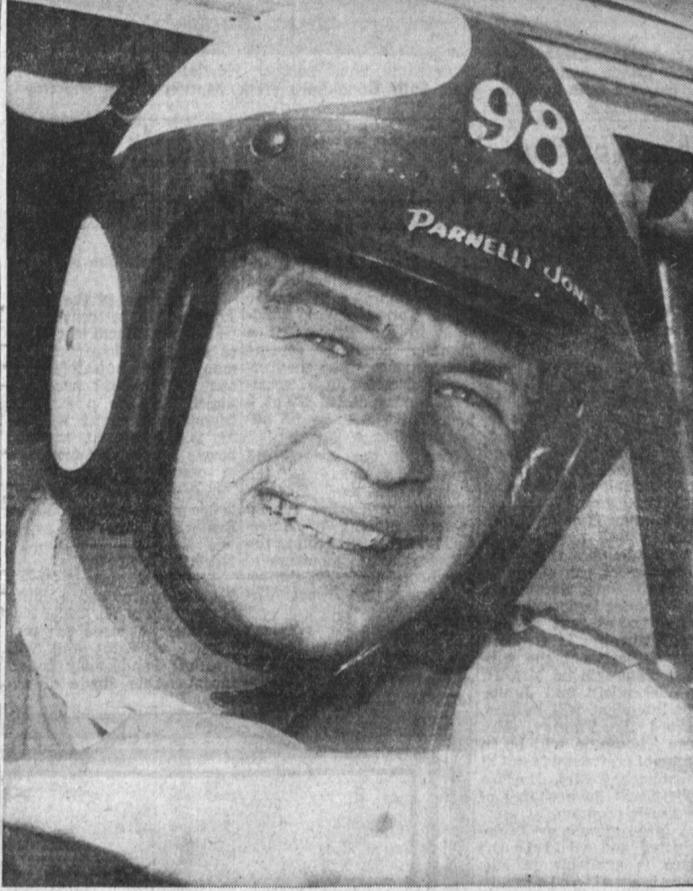
Angling with more than one rod was the second leading fish and game violation, with 54 citations issued during the month. Other frequent violations, by type and number of arrests, were: clams and shellfish, 35; no inland fishing stamp, 30; ocean sportfish, 21; commercial fish, 14; hunting without a license and possession of a loaded gun in a car, 13 each; trout, and inland fish other than trout, 12 each; upland game, 10.

Convicted offenders served 21 days in jail during the month, and had 970 jail days suspended. Sixteen cases were placed on probation, six cases were suspended, four cases were dismissed, one juvenile case was handled and one fishing license was revoked.

Convictions in the month of July were 195 less than year.

### CLIMB

The eleven-year period from 1949 to 1960 indicates adults arrested for Narcotic law violations climbed from 663, to some 2,934 -- an increase of 343 per cent.



ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S BEST—Torrance's own Parnelli Jones, J. C. Agajian's regular driver, now is in the thick of things in the fight for the national USAC driving championship.

## Torrance Man Named to Boxing Post

Laurence A. Rodson, 4814 Asteria St., Torrance, has been named comptroller for Graff-Reiner-Smith Enterprises, Inc., the Los Angeles firm that won the worldwide ancillary rights to the Patterson-Liston title bout with its record \$2 million bid against 85 per cent of the ancillary gross.

Ancillary rights are all rights other than the "live" gate.

As comptroller, Rodson will be responsible for administering funds that many sports and financial experts predict will top \$3 million.

A certified public accountant in Los Angeles since 1952, Rodson operated a private practice until being appointed Comptroller for Graff-Reiner-Smith Enterprises.

Rodson, a Los Angeles High School graduate, attended UCLA and Southwestern University.

Rodson is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, California Society of Certified Public Accountants and the Redondo Beach Elks Lodge.

### CONFISCATED

From 1958-60 inclusive, some 1,534 pounds of Marijuana were confiscated by Sheriff's Deputies. Figuring some 900 marijuana cigarettes to the pound, these confiscations are the equivalent of over one million, three hundred, eighty thousand (1,380,000) marijuana cigarettes! This is sufficient to furnish every man, woman and child in the State of Arizona with one marijuana cigarette!

Rock Creek (Mosquito Flat), Rock Creek Lake, Rush Creek, Sabrina Creek, San Joaquin River (Middle Fork), Satcher Lake, Shepherd Creek, Sherwin Creek, Silver Lake, Slate Creek, South Lake, Starkweather Lake, Taboose Creek, Tinnemaha Creek, Tioga Lake, Trumbull Lake, Twin Lakes (Mammoth), Twin Lakes (upper and lower), Virginia Creek, Virginia Lake, (upper and lower), Walker River (Chris Flats), Walker River (Pickle and Leavitt Meadows), Walker River, Little.

## Champions Race During Finals

The United Speed Boat Association has announced that Sunday, Aug. 19, has been selected as the date for its Antelope Valley Championship Boat Race at Thompson Ski Lake in Lancaster.

According to race chairman, Howard Jerome, a full program of inboard and outboard racing will be presented. The program will consist of two boat races for each of 10 classes, plus a free-for-all race for inboards and another for outboards.

Half-time activities will include ski races between boating clubs and a sky diving exhibition. In the ski race, the top two racing skiers from each club will compete for an overall club trophy. Marine Club of Van Nuys and the Los Angeles, Pasadena and Long Beach Boat and Ski Clubs have entered the event.

A true field of champions is entered in the program, with national, divisional and regional champions entered in nearly every event, both inboard and outboard. Over 100 racing boats are expected to compete.

Thompson Lake is located just outside of Lancaster, on Avenue "E."

## Southland Trout Plantings Listed by State Department

The Department of Fish and Game has scheduled the stocking of catchable-size rainbow trout this week in the following lakes and streams of Southern California and the Inyo-Mono area. Anglers are reminded that this list is tentative and subject to change, depending on weather, water and road conditions.

Los Angeles County—Big Rock Creek, Bouquet Canyon Creek, Crystal Lake, Jackson Lake, Legg Lake, San Gabriel River (East Fork), San Gabriel River (West Fork), one-half mile upstream from bridge construction area.

San Bernardino County—Arrowhead Lake, Big Bear Lake, Green Valley Lake, Gregory Lake, Lytle Creek

(North and Middle Forks), Santa Ana River.

Ventura County—Matilija Lake, Reyes Creek, Santa Paula Creek.

Inyo-Mono Counties—Big Pine Creek, Bishop Creek (South Fork, Middle Fork, Lower), Buckeye Creek, Convict Lake, Deadman Creek, Ellery Lake, Georges Creek, George Lake, Glass Creek, Goodale Creek, Grant Lake, Green Creek, Gull Lake, Hilton Creek, Hot Creek, June Lake, Leavitt Creek, Leavitt Creek (South Fork) Lone Pine Creek, Lundy Lake, McGee Creek, Mamie Lake, Mammoth Creek, Mary Lake, North Lake, Oak Creek (South and North Forks), Owens River (Big Trees Camp), Reverse Creek, Robinson Creek, Rock Creek (Below Tom's Place), Rock Creek (Above Tom's Place).

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**BOWLING**

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With only a few weeks remaining in the summer season, leagues are once again keyed up for the all-important sweepstakes.

The National 50 and Over is one of many leagues with a few weeks left to determine the winners of a very close championship race. Team Three (The Twisters) is leading by the slim margin of one-half a game. The foursome has 35 and one half wins against 16 and one-half losses. In close competition, second place Team Seyen (Leftovers) has 35 wins and 17 losses.

Season high scores are held by Art Kreuger with a 667 high series; Bill Coude posted high game with a soaring 248. In the ladies division, Helen Shively topped high series with a 593. Ruth Caudle holds honors for high single game with a 232. Bill Caudle leads the men with a 170 average. Ruth Caudle tops the women with a 152 average.

Pat O'Connell, bowling for the Junior 350 scratch doubles, boasts a tremendous 190 average for 48 games. Pat's high game to date is 245; high series was a ripping 867.

Winners of the Oscarett Tournament, held Tuesday at 1 p.m., are Mickey Halstead, with a well-earned 655 series, and Virginia Peters, 215 high game.

This tournament, held on Tuesdays, has helped many of the women to improve their averages. It's fun girls! If you haven't tried it, sign up now.

### WANTED

Men of the afternoon shift are wanted to join a doubles league at noon. This league will enable men who haven't had an opportunity to join evening leagues to have a chance to participate and establish an average.

Wanted are bowlers for the 675-Scratch Mixed Four-some. Information can be obtained by calling FR 8-2265. Hurry!! Hurry!! Hurry!!!

## Retiring Chief Receives Honors

Over 100 persons representing fishermen and sportfishing sent fish canners, sports-spokesmen at the dinner men's clubs, fishermen's organizations and governmental agencies turned out Saturday night at the Hacienda Motor Hotel near Torrance to honor Richard S. Croker, who is retiring as Chief of the Department of Fish and Game's Marine Resources Branch after 33 years of service.

Often strongly opposed in their views, both commercial

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