

SPORTS

EXTRA INNING PILL ROLLERS GAME GOES TO THE BARBERS TO CLEANING

Mercantile League Furnishing Fast Brand of Ball, and Biggest Crowds Yet.

Dave Gribbon, erstwhile pitcher for the Pacific Electric's Industrial League champions, and now star chucker for Tansy's Barbers, had the better of a pitching duel over Osborne, be-spectacled hurler for Torrance Pharmacy in a game played on the Cabrillo avenue lot, last Friday evening.

Fraught with exciting suspense, some scintillating plays and a little display of ivory, the game kept more than 500 fans on their toes up to the very last.

Gribbon kept the heavy hitters of the Pharmacy well in hand during the first inning, while Osborne seemed a little nervous at the start, allowing the Barbers to garner four hits and one run in their half. This narrow margin was wiped off in the second, as Gernhart met a fast one that soared far over the head of the center fielder for a home run. A double play by Young unassisted, after one man had scored in the last half of the second inning, pulled Osborne out of a kettle of hot water, and gave the Pharmacy partisans something to crow about for the time being.

Thus the score remained until the first of the seventh, when a hit and an error paved the way for the pill-rollers to tie the score, and force the game into extra innings. A sensational catch off his shoestrings by French Jimenez, with the winning run on bases saved the day in the Barbers' half of an exciting inning.

After Gribbon and his mates had held the Pharmacy in the final start, Singer secured life at first. Merritt with the count three and two on him, slammed one to center field which went for a home run, after Frenchie had failed to repeat his sensational catch of the seventh inning.

With the rivalry between teams at the keenest edge, with well matched crews in the field, the Torrance Mercantile Twilight League promises the fans the best season of indoor ball yet to be witnessed in this district.

Following is the score by innings: Tor. Phar. 0 1 0 0 0 1 0-2 Tan. Bar. 1 1 0 0 0 0 2-4

4 PERCENTERS TAKE 4 RUNS TO PRINTERS' 1

Thousand Fans See Automatic Boys Fan the Air to Morrill's Superb Pitching for First National

Joy reigns supreme down on Sartori Avenue, where the boys are counting their spots. The "wise guys" are saying, "I told you so." Far and wide over the city tongues are wagging, anent freak deliveries, protests, ad infinitum!

Real exciting baseball was the reward to the thousand fans who thronged Cabrillo avenue lot last evening to see Torrance Pharmacy administer the first defeat of the current season to the First National Bank team, both members of the Torrance Mercantile Twilight League. The score was 5 to 3.

The first inning was a concatenation of hits and errors, interspersed with a few of those rare boners that harken us back to the rear lot games of our youth. For the information of those who were unable to be present, if any, this is what happened, after the Torrance Pharmacy scored two earned runs on four hits, in their half of the inning:

Folsom for the First National singled, McBride was safe at first on Watson's error, Clappool singled, scoring Folsom. The prize misplay then came when Foster hit to center field, where Frenchie stood ready to make the catch. Lanthorn, racing across from right field knocked the ball away just at the moment it was to fall in the proffered well, and it went for two bases, scoring McBride and Ducanau.

With the score 3 to 2 against them, the Pharmacy dug their toes into the turf, and with stellar hurling by Hunter and brilliant support from his mates, held the power-hous hitters of the First National Bank in check. Particularly sensational was the play of Frenchie Jimenez, who accepted eight chances in center field.

The Pharmacy scored again, once in the third, and twice in the sixth, but the best the Bankers could do was threaten.

The score by innings: First National 2 0 1 0 0 2 0-3 Torrance Pharmacy 1 2 3 3 3

After the game the report spread that the contest would be protested on account of alleged illegal delivery on the part of the Bankers' chucker, W. Harold Kingsley and Hank Ulbright, owners of the Automatic team declared Tuesday morning, however, that they would not protest. In a statement to the Herald they said, "Some of the experts say that Morrill's delivery was illegal. Some say, too, that Robinson's hurling was against the rules. Not being experts we don't know. But in any event there will be no protest by us. This is a friendly league and we're

in it for fun. What's all the shootin' for?" Following is the score by innings: Automatic 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-1 First National 0 4 0 0 0 0 2-4

BAD BREAKS COST TANSEY CLOSE GAME

That little old boy, "Hard Luck" that has been dogging the steps of the Torrance ball team was on the job again, last Sunday when the Blue Boys dropped a heart-breaking contest to the Pasadena Merchants by a score of 8 to 7 on the Torrance high-school grounds.

Both pitchers were hit freely as is evidenced by the number of runs scored, but Wile was in good form and giving his best until the 11th when he wobbled slightly under the strain and Pasadena slipped the winning run.

Roselle in the outfield had a hard day, too, missing some catches, but taking it all in all the fans saw a ball game and got their money's worth.

Johnny Ducanau connected with a fast one for a homer, and on defense covered his territory at second in classy style.

Next Sunday the Torrance team will play at home, taking on the galloping gobs from the U. S. S. Lexington. Carl Heinz, former pitcher for the Blue Boys will be on the mound for Torrance. This is Carl's first appearance in a Torrance uniform for a good many months, as he has been pitching for some of the rival teams in this section.

Game will be called at the high school grounds at 2:15.

FIVE YEARS AGO IN TORRANCE

As Told by the Files of This Paper

With twelve new wells on production, the yield of the Torrance-Lomita field this week reached 62,000 barrels a day, the highest point yet recorded and, according to oil men, the peak production.

Fred Palmer and Mike Fix of the Palmer Service station are the first owners of an aeroplane in Torrance. It's a new Curtiss biplane.

With several hundred dollars in the treasury, the Bert S. Crossland Post, American Legion, last night launched a movement for a memorial clubhouse, which if plans of the post are perfected, will be an architectural contribution to the beauty of Torrance.

A romance that began last summer when Harry Dolley spent his vacation in Washington culminated Thursday July 24, when Miss Karmee A. Olson became his bride. The ceremony was performed at the bride's home in Spokane, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Dolley arrived in Torrance Wednesday and will make their home here.

Schultz, Peckham & Schultz have delivered two new Ford trucks to Renn and Tomkins, Cabrillo avenue grocers.

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"The Divine Lady" Coming Here Has Dozen Prominent Players

There have been many "all-star" casts heralded by motion pictures, but "The Divine Lady," the first National picture coming to the Torrance Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, August 7 and 8, comes as near meriting that phrase as any production of the season.

The real star of the picture, of course, is Corinne Griffith, who has her greatest screen role as Lady Hamilton in this picture.

More than a dozen players of great prominence in addition to character players who appear in microscopic bits surround Miss Griffith.

Victor Varconi, who has made such rapid progress in American films in a comparatively short space of time, plays the role of the heroic Lord Nelson.

H. B. Warner, whose greatest achievement on the screen was "The King of Kings," has a role of almost equal prominence as Lord Hamilton. Varconi, incidentally, first attracted real attention with his portrayals of the small but important role of Pontius Pilate in the same production.

Who does not know Marie Dressler, veteran comedienne, who, more than twelve years ago, eclipsed even the great Chaplin in the first feature length comedy, "Tillie's Punctured Romance."

Jan Keith, handsome player, prominent on both stage and screen, lends his striking personality to the role of Greville, whose affair with Lady Hamilton in her youth started her on her illustrious career.

Dorothy Cummings, Michael Vajitch, Montagu Love, Helen Jerome Eddy, William Conklin, George Periolat, Mary Marsh, Eyd Crossley, Hugh Ford, Gustave Partos and many others in small parts and "bits" are in the cast.

"The Divine Lady" is the first of a big production Frank Lloyd has contracted to direct for First National Pictures. It is scheduled as the most pretentious production of this year for that organization.

Fox Redondo

The members of the famous "Harmony Emperors' Quartet" did their stuff and how—before cameras and mikes, on the big theatre set where Alan Crossland filmed "On with the Show," the first natural color, talking, singing, dancing Warner Bros. Vitaphone picture which will come to the Fox Redondo on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 5, 6 and 7. Much of the dark-toned jazz stuff was especially written for this picture.

Peggy Wood plays the heroine in "Wonder of Women," a vivid European drama which comes to the Fox Redondo for a one day run, Thursday, August 8th.

On Friday and Saturday, August 2 and 3, the Fox Redondo will show Charles "Buddy" Rogers in "River of Romance," an all-talking picture. On Saturday, August 3, Alice White appears in "Broadway Babies."

Fox Hermosa

Marian Nixon, heralded as the "Mary Pickford of the talkies," comes to the Fox Hermosa in "The Rainbow Man," on Friday, August 2. It is said to be one of the really great pictures with really great stars.

Sunday and Monday, August 1 and 5, the Fox Hermosa shows how Clara Bow changes from a dizzy

The Voice of the People

PUT TORRANCE ON MAP To the Editor, Torrance Herald.

"In traveling from Mexico, which is in east Texas, to California, I was impressed with the great undeveloped territory in the West. I thought of the prophecy of Robert E. Lee, in about the year 1850, while camped on the broad plains of West Texas. On one morning he was standing out from the camp his feet apart, hands behind his back and head bent forward. One of his soldiers asked him what he was listening to. He said, 'I am listening to the feet of the millions who are destined to tread their way towards the west.'"

Lee was not mistaken. Millions have already found their way towards the west and there are millions yet to come.

When we started for Torrance we brought a tourist's map of California that seemed to have the name of every little town on it except Torrance. On the way we got other maps but the name Torrance—could not be found. The fact is, we were within five miles of Torrance before we saw the name on the roadside, and before we knew definitely where the town is located.

I was glad to find a live little town and believe Torrance has a great future. I would suggest that the chamber of commerce take steps to put Torrance on the map and that the enterprising business people here put up their business signs along the highways even far beyond other towns. It helps.

This is not intended as an adverse criticism. I have been interested in the chamber of commerce work and know that its work brings development to the city.

Put Torrance on the map.
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