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Bowling Alley Opens Saturday Giant Sweepstakes Is Featured

Saturday evening, September 14, will be the big night for the managers of the Monticello Bowling Alleys, 1958 Carson street. With a giant 5-man team sweepstakes as the opening feature, composed of teams from Long Beach, Compton, Los Angeles, Lynwood, Huntington Park, North Long Beach and Torrance, the alleys will be officially opened.

Many celebrities will be on hand to participate in the ceremony not to mention most of the star bowlers from nearby towns who will try and finish in the money.

It is expected that eight American Legion teams will toe the mark at seven o'clock, with two local Legion teams in their midst, followed by eight more from the various alleys in and around Los Angeles. The third squad will be makeshift—mostly local boys.

There are plenty of good bowlers in Torrance, and Managers Bailey and Bolander invite everyone interested in the game to give it a try. New bowlers will be instructed without extra cost.

Don't forget the date—next Saturday night, at seven.

Close Game Sunday

Whippet Cars Lose to Torrance Team By Narrow Margin of 3-1; Giants Next

Another good ball game was won Sunday afternoon by the newly organized City of Torrance team, which defeated the Whippet Cars, 3-1, making it three in a row. Manager Jack Saunders has gathered a strong hitting and fighting bunch of ball players and that is what it takes to make a

this one will be a honey. The Giants seldom lose a game, no matter how far behind they may be in early innings. They always wake up in time to put on a winning rally.

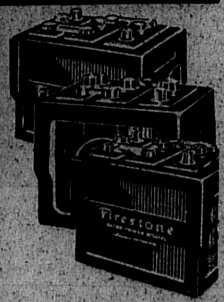
Manager Saunders is trying hard to give the citizens of Torrance a well balanced and winning team, and he will appreciate the presence of one and all at the park. The team will do its part if the rosters will do theirs.

Box score:

WHIPPET		TORRANCE	
AB	R	AB	R
Priddy, 2b	3	0	1
Stewart, c	4	0	0
Bliss, c	4	0	0
Kelley, 3b	4	0	0
Sturtevant, 1b	4	0	0
Olson, rf	4	0	1
Stringer, ss	3	1	3
Lester, lf	3	0	1
Burton, p	3	0	1
Total	32	1	6
TORRANCE		WHIPPET	
AB	R	AB	R
Orosco, cf	3	1	2
Lopez, 2b	4	1	1
Papke, rf	4	0	0
Gordon, 3b	3	1	2
Olson, ss	4	0	1
Petheroff, lf	4	0	0
Wills, 1b	3	0	1
La Rue, 1b	3	0	1
Atwood, 1b	2	0	0
Gerrie, c	3	0	0
Hart, p	4	0	0
Total	32	3	8

Summary: Two base hits Priddy, Lester, Gordon; sacrifice hit, Papke; base on balls off Hart 1, off Burton 5; struck out by Hart 7, by Burton 5; double play Gordon to Lopez to Atwood.

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Smith & Wesson Boys Defeat Colts

Smith & Wesson took the first round of a series of pistol matches held by the members of the police department, who are about evenly divided in opinion as to the merits of the S&W and Colt. The Smith & Wesson team composed of Travoli, Stanger, Evans, Haslam and Calder scored 112 last Saturday to 93 registered by the Colt users, Dolton, Spabeger, Schumacher, Bennett and Ströh.

The next round will be shot Saturday, September 14, and the Colt boys hope to win.

Average scores for September for the leading ten members of the Revolver and Rifle club are:

Eckersley	10	282.10
March	2	259.50
Bennett	2	249.50
DeBra	7	225.43
Travali	1	225.00
Grant	3	223.00
Anderle	3	218.66
Boynton	3	217.33
Schumacher	4	204.25
Peterson	2	193.00

Hill Road Race Draws Champions

Once again bringing the stars of the speed world into Western competition, the 100 Mile Gold Cup Motorcycle Hill Road Race will be held at Ascot Speedway Sunday afternoon, September 22, with champions from all sections of North America.

Windy Lindstrom, Western hill-climb champion, Cordy Milne, national short track title holder for 1934, Roddy Rodenberg, winner of the 200 mile class at Jacksonville, Florida, are to be among the intrepid contestants.

From a spectator's standpoint the event will be perfectly presented, inasmuch as the entire course will be visible from the grandstand as Ascot.

Round Robin Chess Tournament Starts

The Torrance Chess Club has opened the fall season with a new "round robin" tournament in which each member is to play every other member a match of three games. The percentage of games won will determine the membership rating and the eight highest will be selected as the team to represent the club. It is planned to enter a team in the Southern California Chess Association to represent the Torrance Club. The standing of the members to date is as follows. Draw games count a half point for each.

Player	W	L	D	Pct.
Petersen	15	3	833	
Cross	4	2	667	
Faul	13	8	619	
Roslin	8 1/2	5 1/2	607	
McNew	11	8	579	
Haworth	4 1/2	3 1/2	562	
Lenman	7 1/2	9 1/2	441	
Meredith	3	4	423	
Pasco	6	8	423	
Seckler	9 1/2	14 1/2	396	
Halstead	2	4	338	
Fix	2	13	111	

Dove Season Will Open September 21

Dove season officially opens in Southern California District on September 21 to October 31, inclusive. According to word reaching the Touring Department of the National Automobile Club, California State regulations have conflicted with the Federal regulations governing migratory birds. Originally the Federal opening date was October 1, but this has been changed to September 21. Kern County and Northern Districts, dove season opens September 21 for ten days only. Hunting is expected to be good in the vicinity of Lancaster, Beaumont and Cajon Pass.

Forrest Market Wins 22 Straight

Louis Neva, who keeps in training for his work with the Huntington Beach Oilers by pitching for the Forrest Market, at Hawthorne, led the marketers to victory over Bakersfield, on Saturday night, August 31. Louis pitched a one hit game, the only safety being registered in the seventh inning. He struck out 16 men and not a Bakersfield man got past first base. The victory made it 22 straight for the Market team.

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Play-Off Series Starts

Bluebirds Will Meet Hollywood Here for Title Honors of Federal League

All set for the big championship playoff, between Hollywood and the Bluebirds, starting next Tuesday night, says Manager Spud Murphy. The series of three games will be played on the Bluebird field at the Torrance municipal park, next Tuesday, September 17, Friday the 20th and the following Tuesday, September 24.

There will be no game at the local park tomorrow night. Admission to the play-off games will be two-bits.

Contrary to the Hollywood that has been appearing in a nearby newspaper, the San Pedro Medaks are definitely out of the play-off, says Murphy. Hollywood has defeated the Medaks three times this season, most recent defeat being last Tuesday night in what had been advertised as the second game of the play-off. This is all wrong, says Murphy, and the play-off has yet to start. San Pedro and the Birds are tied for second place and in view of the fact that the Shells have trimmed the Medaks three times, and have lost to the Bluebirds twice, the Medaks have conceded the honor to Murphy's men.

Murphy will have a real line-up to offer in the play-off series with big Joe Kasser on the pitcher's mound and Mervyn behind the bat. Infielders will be Mitchell, Hunter, Moon, Landreth, and the outer gardens will be held down by Hal Forney, Milford and probably Anderson. In addition the reserves will be Eldor, Zamperini, Montgomery, the two Jenkins boys, and the new catcher who officiated in the last game against Hollywood when the Shells lost a ten-inning decision.

Hollywood will have as its ace pitcher, Longcor, who has the honor of pitching the only no-hit, no-run game of the year in Southern California. He hurled this classic when he was pitching for the United Artists against Glendale and not a man reached first base. Relief hurler will be Ryan, probably.

Should the Birds win the championship, and it is fairly probable that they will do so, the honor will bring them up against Joe Rodgers' Huntington Beach Oilers, with the ex-Bird Louis Neva on the mound. Louis has been going great this year and will give the Birds the benefit of his utmost, since he will not be over-anxious to lose out to his former teammates. On the other hand, the Birds will be mighty anxious to put Louis in his place, if they can.

ANGELICH WINS
Jerry Angelich, pitching for the San Pedro Knights of Pythias, held the Standard Oilers to five hits and two runs Sunday. A homer by Stamper helped Jerry to win his game 2-2, the first defeat for the Oilers.

McClure Is Rated Best First Sacker

Marcel McClure, first baseman for the Bluebirds last year, was the only Torrance player to be mentioned in connection with the mythical all-time soft ball team selected by adherents of the sport in Long Beach last week. McClure was rated the best first sacker and was given additional praise for his slugging ability. In the clean-up position, McClure helped to win many games last year.

Howard Morning, who also played ball in Torrance several years ago, was given the award as first string pitcher. Strange to say, the much touted Louis Neva was not even mentioned for either first or second teams, although he is considered the best hurler of the present National League, and has the additional ability to hit and field with the best, and can play almost any position.

McLean Will Coach Basketball

Turner McLean, who has been in charge of recreational activities at Prairie Creek, C.C.G. camp, for the past 27 months, has taken his discharge and will be employed by the Recreation and Playground department of the Los Angeles city schools to coach basketball. During his stay at Prairie Creek, McLean has been an ideal leader; says the Big Tree Breeze, taking part in many activities, that brought fame to the camp. He had the boxing team under his tutelage, and brought it from a mere gesture to a championship outfit, placing four out of five entrants as champions or runners-up in the last district tournament.

Lockwood Will Pick the Winners

Dick Lockwood, of the five and dime store, has tossed his chapetau (hat to you) in the ring for the coming season of the master minds of football and will string along with Lewellen, Hinds, Fraser, and Spud Murphy in picking the winners this fall. Are there any others, ambitious to wear the crown as topnotch guesser this season? If so, hand in your name to the sports editor before September 23, for the big push will start on September 26.

Heavyweight Eddie Shea Will Be Seen At Westside Arena Friday

Fight fans of this vicinity are welcoming the return to the squared circle at the Westside Auditorium, 645 West Anaheim street, Long Beach, of Eddie Shea, popular dance-hall sheik and who also is some fighter on the side. Eddie has not been seen in action in Long Beach for many months.

In his workout at the Westside last Saturday, he appeared to be in the pink of condition and the manner in which he hammered his sparring partners around, impressed favorably the 15 or 20 in the group who came in to see Shea. Friday night Shea will be matched with Sailor Swede Donahue, U. S. S. New York, who holds victories over Donny Donstad, All-Navy heavyweight champ, and Sailor Francis Marke, Golden Glove champion. It is no small accomplishment to hold victories over such men as Donstad and Marke. Fight fans are assured plenty of action in this fight.

In the semi-windup, Fittin' Bob Engen, the boy who scored a knock-out victory over U. S. Marine Bordelon last Friday night, is slated to tangle with Sailor Chopper Choate, U. S. S. New York. Choate is one of the leading light heavyweight fighters in the Navy. Last week at the famous Jim Jeffries fight club, he k.o'd the popular Bud Monahan in two rounds. Last Friday Engen pleaded with Commissioner Tom Cox to permit him to fight Sailor Wild Bill Boyd with Ralph Holman was not able to appear. This bout between Engan and Choate promises to be fast and is a main event in itself.

The special event will be a grudge fight between U.S.S. Marine Bordelon, U. S. S. Saratoga and Sailor Speed Bryant, U. S. S. Saratoga. This bout will be another against sailor and a whale of a fight can be expected.

In the preliminaries, Sailor Lennox, U. S. S. Oklahoma, will tangle with Benny Robello of San Pedro; Sailor Oswald, U. S. S. Pensacola, swaps punches with Elmer Lewis of Redondo Beach; Sailor McCormick, U. S. S. Oklahoma, tangles with Willie Hawkins, U. S. S. New York; Sailor Trepanier, U. S. S. Rodale, Beach; Sailor Hippo of the U. S. S. Pensacola, will take his chances with Tex Thornberg, CCC champion. In all there will be nine fights with the curtain-raiser going on at 8:30.

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