

Gaucha Hoopsters Drop First Two League Games

Narbonne B's Are Still Undefeated; C's and D's Untried

Narbonne's varsity has fared no better than the Torrance A's in the first two games of the Marine League basketball season but the Gaucha B's are undefeated.

Coach Wayne Sloss has seen his varsity defeated by El Segundo, 51 to 21, last Thursday, and yesterday in a game played on Inglewood high's court because both Narbonne's and Leuzinger's outdoor fields were ankle deep with rain water, saw Leuzinger humble his Gauchos, 30 to 17. The Gauchos showed considerable improvement in this battle but were outweighed.

After defeating El Segundo's B's last Thursday, the Narbonne junior varsity carved out a Christmas present for themselves Tuesday by handing Leuzinger's B's a 22 to 13 defeat. Coach Sloss's varsity was handed a big setback in the Leuzinger contest when Jewell, Leuzinger center, who suffered a broken nose Monday night, was inserted in the game and bumbled.

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Oilers Hold Lead By Beating Gardena

Completing the 1936 Marine League basketball games, El Segundo's Oilers retained a share of first place in the circuit Tuesday by turning back the challenge of Gardena's five, 27 to 17, in a closely contested game at El Segundo.

Myatt, who hung up 29 points last Thursday against Narbonne, dropped to 11 markers for high point honors in the Oiler game. Gardena's B's won their tilt, 12 to 9.

Deer Crashes Into Shop NEWBERG, Ore. (U.P.)—Henry Barnes was repairing shoes in his shop in this town's business district. A half-grown doe ran thru the room and collided with a plate glass window. He captured the deer.

3 Marine Hoop Teams Undefeated

Torrance, Narbonne and Gardena Varsities Hope for Better Days in '37

With the curtain rung down on 1936 sports activity as result of the Christmas holidays for all students, the Marine league basketball race stands at a three-way tie. San Pedro, El Segundo and Leuzinger are undefeated in Class A competition, while Torrance, Narbonne and Gardena varsities have still to enter the win column.

San Pedro, apparently the strongest quintet in the league, has won over Torrance (44 to 10) and Gardena (35 to 10); El Segundo has victories over Narbonne (61 to 21) and Gardena (27 to 17), and Leuzinger has beaten Narbonne (30 to 17) and Torrance (31 to 17).

The basketball season officially opened a week ago today with the Torrance Tartars running up against Leuzinger's big-ger team. Leuzinger took an early lead and continued scoring throughout the encounter. The fourth period was the most evenly matched of the game, the Tartars adding four points to make a total of 17 and Leuzinger five for a winning score of 31.

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REVOLVER SCORES

Strings	AVG.
Freeman	8 270.25
Eokersley	6 270.83
Stanger	18 265.55
Anderle	7 255.43
DeBra	3 255.33
Bennett	5 254.20
Grait	8 244.70
Travioli	10 234.66
Speheger	3 234.00
Calder	6 228.66
J. Morgan	4 223.00
Strohn	4 215.22
Dolton	9 199.66
Smith	3 182.33
Schumacher	3 166.00
Evans	3 166.00
Not qualified:	
Ashton	2 250.00

Bowling Series Continues Tonight

Soule Steel Climbs Into Third From Cellar

With the exception of the Soule Steel quintet's climb out of the cellar, there were no changes in places last week in the Industrial League bowling series being held each Thursday night at the Monticello Bowling alleys here. Jess Quayle of the Union Ice team bowled the high series with 593 last Thursday.

The Beach League is going strong with the Halverson Olds still leading and Millers Cafe in second place, it is announced. Scores made last week by the Industrial League teams and players were as follows:

Team Results Union Ice, 2522; J. Clark, 547; L. Sommers, 450; C. Quayle, 400; D. Goddard, 527; Jess Quayle, 598.

Fenwick Shoe Shop, 2503; R. Quayle, 487; L. Deiningger, 497; M. L. Fenwick, 435; Al Pennington, 589; E. Schwartz, 495.

Soule Steel, 2500; F. Henderson, 423; L. Boudreaux, 493; S. Henderson, 493; J. Webb, 563; R. Clark, 528.

National Supply, 2493; J. Slegfried, 434; F. Knerr, 478; M. Thorpe, 488; W. Burgener, 483; S. Landreth, 449.

Westinghouse Refrigerator, 2353; F. Kroll, 470; M. Marshall, 487; W. Ritzler, 439; E. Forbes, 490; B. Scott, 527.

Stephens Fountain, 2349; L. Pesce, 444; G. Wilson, 456; B. Fine, 465; T. Stephens, 470; C. Romeo, 484.

Acme Beer, 2318; B. Campisi, 420; L. Cole, 482; E. Brower, 456; H. Campisi, 444; L. Foto, 511.

Torrance Plumbing, 2297; F. Parks, 377; G. Emerson, 415; O. McWhirter, 375; F. Mowry, 475; G. Sullivan, 530.

HOOPER HILITES

Highlights of other Marine League opening basketball games last Thursday:

GARDENA OUTCLASSED Starting with a rush that netted nine points and adding to their score in each succeeding quarter, the San Pedro Pirate varsity humbled Gardena, 35 to 10, at San Pedro. Gardena was held scoreless in the first and third quarters. Settle, Pirate forward, led in scoring, bagging 14 points.

FINAL FLING WINS Kordich, Pirate B forward, rung only one field goal in the lightweight game but it won the contest for San Pedro, 16 to 15. Trailing Gardena, 14 to 15, Kordich received the ball in mid-center, dribbling past the center line and let fly. The final whistle blew as the ball left his hands but his aim was good and the ball swished two points into the Pirate B score column.

By running his total score to 29 for the afternoon, Myatt, El Segundo center, topped all Marine League performers and sent his Oiler varsity to a crashing victory over Narbonne's Gauchos, 61 to 21, at Narbonne's field. Sullivan, forward, scored five tallies to lead Narbonne's hoopsters.

Champion Bucksawer 63 PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (U.P.)—Thomas Welling, 63, is the world's new champion bucksawer. The veteran woodsman cut thru a hard maple log in 54 seconds.

Wild Fling Costly

Lomita Merchants Lose Tight Game To Johnson Brokers; Giants Coming

Until Pitcher Patalano hit Thirdbaseman Norton of the Johnson Brokers with a wild fling in the last inning, the game between the Lomita Merchants and Brokers was a tie that indicated several extra innings of good ball, much to the delight of the several hundred fans at the Torrance park diamond last Sunday.

But Norton took a free walk and then Pazzara, Broker left-fielder, doubled. Norton scored after J. Venable caught Heid-enry's fly into right field and the Brokers won, 4 to 3.

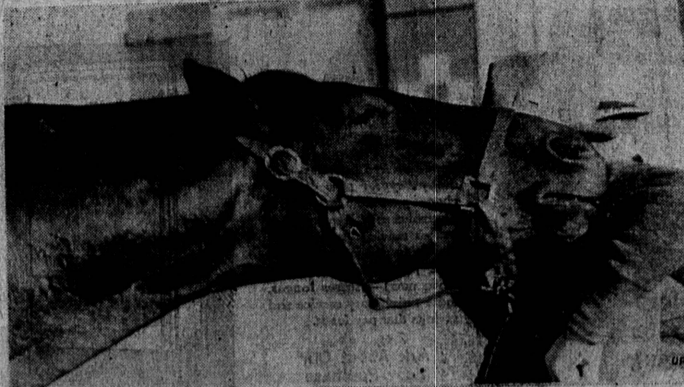
Next Sunday the Los Angeles Colored Giants return to the Torrance diamond for another clash with the Merchants and a big, fat turkey will be presented to some lucky fan in attendance. Manager Walt Morris has scheduled the U. S. S. Tennessee team for his Merchants on Sunday, Dec. 27, which will be another "turkey day."

Malone Breaking In The Johnson Brokers and the Lomitans staged a tight, well-played game which was a tough one for the Merchants to lose. Malone was on the mound for the locals for seven innings and was relieved by Patalano because he is just breaking in after a layoff and didn't want to injure his arm. Malone allowed the Brokers four hits and Patalano was nicked for two bingles. Mangle, Broker hurler, was touched for five Lomita hits. Three errors were chalked up against the

BROKERS				
AB	R	H	E	
M. Johnson, 2b.	4	1	0	
Norton, 3b.	4	1	0	
Pazzara, lf.	4	1	3	
Heidentry, 1b.	4	0	1	
F. Johnson, cf.	5	0	1	
Rotea, c.	2	0	0	
Sherman, rf.	4	0	0	
Thompson, ss.	4	0	0	
Mangle, p.	3	1	1	
Robinson, rf.	1	0	0	
Totals	35	4	6	

MERCHANTS				
AB	R	H	E	
Palica, cf.	3	1	0	
J. Venable, rf.	4	1	1	
League, c.	3	1	0	
Grant, 1b.	3	0	0	
S. Venable, 2b.	3	0	1	
Weddle, ss.	4	0	1	
Markham, 3b.	4	0	2	
Correll, lf.	2	0	0	
Malone, p.	3	0	0	
Patalano, p.	1	0	0	
Hamilton, lf.	1	0	0	
Totals	30	3	5	

Stretch Worth Money



Top Row, gallant winner of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap at Arcadia, Cal., last year, recovers from a sudden illness and tries a few muscles. His fans hope he stretches the same way when the rich race is run this year.

Co-eds Scorn Date Bureau

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Calif. (U.P.)—Stanford University co-eds turned thumbs down

on a proposal for a "dating bureau" to assure them escorts for social events. "Not for me. I'll do my own picking," was the almost universal rejoinder.

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HOOP SEASON JUMPS TO '37

Next Marine League basketball games will be: Thursday, Jan. 7—C and D Leuzinger at Gardena; San Pedro at El Segundo. Friday, Jan. 8—A and B Torrance varsity, B. C. and D's at Narbonne; Gardena at Leuzinger; El Segundo at San Pedro.

Sport Shots By Bob Lowellen

Jesse Owens Buys Big Home for His Parents

Jesse Owens, hero of the Berlin Olympics, has bought a large home in Cleveland for his parents with the first money he has earned since the events. For Cleveland and Emma Owens, Jesse's parents, the new house, of 11 rooms, represents a move into much more comfortable quarters than the humble home they had occupied.

Jesse plans to buy the furniture and all "fixings," too. "I'm really going to make 'mom' comfortable. There'll be about \$2,000 worth of new furniture when I get thru," he grinned when announcement of the purchase was made.

School Sports Build America, Director Says

The wise maxim of the ancient Spartans—"a sound mind in a sound body"—applies equally well to the public schools of 20th Century America, according to Frank McCormick, director of athletics at the University of Minnesota.

He has outlined a three-point physical education program for public schools of today:

1. An interscholastic program of competitive games.
2. Teaching of physical education in the classrooms.
3. A recreation or intramural schedule of sports.

"Has Beens" Star In "World's Best Free Show"

The "world's greatest free show" and a million dollar extravaganza that never loses its appeal—that's the description of central Kentucky's throrbred breeding farms that are a virtual directory of the dominant figures of the turf world.

Unlike any other sport, however, it is "has beens" rather than the reigning kings and queens of the racing strip which attract thousands of tourists to this Blue Grass section annually. The greatest "drawing card" of all the throrbreds now retired to either a life of ease or one of the stud, is Man O' War. The "Horse of the Century," now in his 20th year is at the Faraway Farm. Care befitting a king is lavished on the throrbred that won 20 out of 21 starts during his racing career and netted his owner a total of \$249,465 for the \$5,000 investment he made on him at a yearling sale at Saratoga in 1918.

Cochrane Wasn't So Hot As Budding Ball Player

Mickey Cochrane, who led the Detroit Tigers to World Series fame, wasn't a promising baseball player when he started his career with the Northern New York-Vermont League—believed to be the oldest semi-pro loop in the country. Veteran baseball fans attending a meeting designed to arrange the circuit's 1937 season, recalled that Cochrane, fresh from school to make his northern league debut, was refused a berth with the Plattsburg club.

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