



### Big Fireworks Spectacle At The Coliseum

Los Angeles County Council Will Have Patriotic Show July 4

A gigantic fireworks spectacle, daze devil circus stunts and special acts by Kellogg's thoroughbred Arabian horses will feature the second annual Fourth of July show of the Los Angeles County Council of the American Legion, which will be held Wednesday evening, July 4, in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum.

Because of the vast size of the coliseum it has been possible to make the admission prices for children under 12 years as low as 25 cents. Adults will be admitted to the reserved sections for 50 cents and to reserved seats for 75 cents.

More than \$5000 worth of fireworks, many of them wonderful new set pieces never before shown, will be set off at the coliseum.

### Torrance Athletes Ushers At Coliseum

Louis Zamperini, world's champion miler, and Hubert Luck, Torrance high school 440 ace, will be ushers at the National Collegiate A. A. U. meet to be held at the Coliseum tomorrow and Saturday. The local boys will get a chance to watch the college greats perform, and perhaps will be able to pick up a few points on style in their respective events.

Glen Cunningham, who holds the world's indoor record, and who has recently lowered the outdoor record held by Jules Ladoumergue, will perform in the mile, and according to advance dope expects to set a new mark of about 4:06 or better in this event this week.

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### BIRDS LOSE HOT PITCHERS, BATTLE TO SAINTS TUESDAY

Coates Hands Out Five Hits, No Walks, 11 Strike-outs; Neva Matches Him With Six Hits, 12 Strike-outs, Walks Three; Birds Swamp Admirals Friday

Santa Ana shut out the Bluebirds Tuesday night in one of the tightest battles yet staged in the National Night loop series. Coates pitching for the Saints had perfect control, and allowed only five hits and no walks. Perfect fielding and 11 strike-outs kept the Birds well in hand all the way.

STANDINGS OF THE N. N. L. TEAMS. Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct. Includes Huntington B., Anaheim, Westminster, Olive, TORRANCE, Santa Ana, Fullerton, Long Beach.

### GAMES TO BE PLAYED

THURSDAY: Anaheim at Fullerton. FRIDAY: Fullerton at TORRANCE. Santa Ana at Westminster. Huntington Beach at Long Beach. TUESDAY: TORRANCE at Anaheim. Olive at Fullerton. Long Beach at Santa Ana. Westminster at Huntington Beach. SATURDAY: Huntington Beach, 3; Santa Ana, 2 (postponed game). TUESDAY: Anaheim, 8; Westminster, 7; Huntington Beach, 5; Fullerton, 1. TORRANCE, 0. Olive, 7; Long Beach, 2.

### Honorary Member of Kiwanis Club

During their Monday night meeting, at which Coach Dean Cromwell of the University of Southern California was the speaker, the Torrance Kiwanis Club inducted Louis Zamperini, world's champion high school miler, into membership as an honorary member of the club with full privileges except voting. Louis, his father, A. Zamperini, and brother, Pete Zamperini, and Hubert Luck, were honored guests at this meeting which was one of the most interesting the club has held in many weeks. Coach Crom-

### 'Covered Wagon Days' Starts Today At Redondo Beach; Closes Sunday

'Covered Wagon Days,' which starts today at Redondo Beach and lasts four days, until Sunday, June 24, will be a gala affair with a big parade every day at 2 o'clock, bucking horse exhibition, trick roping, fancy roping, trick riders, short track horse racing and all the thrills of the old western days.

To show how the old-timers dealt with horse thieves and cattle rustlers back in the pioneer times a man will be hanged alive every afternoon of the four days. In the evening a thrilling stage hold-up will be the feature. At 10 o'clock a daring diver will plunge head-first from the top of a 100-foot tower into a six-foot tank of water. Rodeo every afternoon at 3 o'clock, musical entertainment by Jimmie and His Swiftheats of KRKD and the Montana Cowgirls of KEVD. Everybody is invited to come to Redondo Beach during these four days where the management insures a good time for all.

### Big Barracuda Haul Is Reported

HERMOSA BEACH.—One of the largest barracuda catches in the history of this town has been taken from the Olympic fishing barges, I and II, over the past two weeks. Capt. J. M. Andersen, skipper of the vessels, estimates the huge catch to gross several tons. The long slim fish were biting at everything, although the live bait received the most success. If this keeps up, says Andersen, all fishing records for the Olympic will be broken.

### Rotary Defeats Kiwanis Tuesday Night In Annual Baseball Game

For the fifth time in six years, the Rotary Club demonstrated their supremacy at the noble game of indoor baseball over their rivals, the Kiwanis Club, in a comedy game last Tuesday night. Aside from a few errors, natural to a bunch of grown-up boys who haven't had a glove on in months, the game was not so much of a comedy after all, but showed some pretty nifty spangs of real baseball.

### Championship In Track Awarded To The Tartars

Final Rating Shows Torrance Team Half a Point Ahead of Narbonne

In spite of the fact that Narbonne high school won in the finals of the Marine League track season, when they defeated Torrance, 53 1/2 to 52, the Tartars are still No. 1 in the final league ratings, as shown by the lists compiled by Mr. Lopez, in charge of athletics department for the Los Angeles city school board.

Coach Bernard J. Donahue has just received the official rating from this source, which shows that Torrance heads the present league column with eight straight wins for a percentage of 100, which gives the Tartars six points. Narbonne finished in third place with five wins, three defeats, for a percentage of .625, four and one-half points.

In the finals Narbonne by taking first place gets six points making their entire season rating 10.5 points. Torrance placed second for five points, making their season's rating 11 points, consequently the Tartars are still champs in the league. As the schools which win the championship are required to buy their own cups if they want a trophy, Principal A. G. Waidelich is planning to furnish a cup to commemorate the signal success of the Tartar track team this season.

Due to the fact that the old Marine League (now Pacific) and the new West Marine League (now Marine) were not officially dissolved until May in spite of the fact that they held separate contests, the figures as given below are listed as "unofficial," but they are official as far as the board of education athletic department is concerned. The final standing of the teams is as follows:

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, Pts. Includes Torrance (8-0-100-6), Gardena (5-3-625-4.5), Narbonne (5-3-625-4.5), El Segundo (3-5-375-3), N. Long Beach (0-8-0-0).

In the Class B division, Torrance, which had very few athletes in this section, rated last with five defeats for 1.5 points. In Class C, Torrance was fifth in the list, winning two meets, losing 6 for a percentage of .250, points 2. In the final Torrance was last in Class B with one point, making their rating 2.5 for the season. In Class C, Torrance was fourth for a rating of 3 points, total for the season 5 points.

Hot Springs Aids Jail Garden CARSON CITY, Nev. (U.P.)—Hot water from a nearby hot spring is used to heat a hothouse and water plants and shrubbery at the Nevada State Prison here.

### FLUKE HOMER LANDS IN CAR HELPS BELLFLOWER TO 1 RUN

Tommy Bowker's San Pedro Merchants Win Fast Game Sunday; Joe Storti Holds Bellflower to Three Hits; Game Won In Ninth

Manager Tommy Bowker's San Pedro Merchants came through another win over the fast Bellflower team Sunday afternoon, 3-1, to go into a tie for the leadership of the league with the Slav team from San Pedro, the Jadrans, which team will play the Merchants on the Torrance diamond Sunday afternoon, July 1.

Joe Storti pitched a topnotch game for Tommy, letting the Bellflower team down with three hits, one of them a fluke homer which gave them the only run of the game. The homer came in the fourth inning when List hit one to the outfield. The ball came down on a car parked at the edge of the field and went through the top.

There were no ground rules to fit the case, so the score-keeper, credited List with a run, the Chevrolet with an error, and White, right fielder, with a lot of heated language as he struggled to get into the car.

This freak performance made the score, 1-0, in favor of Bellflower.

The local boys were hitting Smith, but up to the eighth their hits were scattered. In this inning Dewey Quigley lifted one to the tying run. In the ninth frame Joe Storti fouled out for the second time. White fanned, and two were gone when McCowan spanked one for a single. Olson, Vegher and Tuerk followed suit, with two outs resulting. Bellflower attempted a rally in their half but it died immediately.

Manager Tommy now has one of the fastest semi-pro teams in Southern California, their victory Sunday being their 22nd in 24 starts.

Most of his team is made up of high school boys from Torrance, Gardena and San Pedro, and these lads are plenty good. With a few veterans like Storti, Olson, Vegher and Crook to give them steadiness, this outfit can take on any team in the semi-pro division in this part of the country and give it a ride.

Torrance fans will be able to see them in action a week from Sunday when they play the Jadrans for the leadership of the Southern California Inter-City League, at the municipal ball park. The Jadrans have a following of about 300 fans who go with them wherever they play, and Tommy hopes that Torrance will turn out in equal numbers to match this big delegation and help the team along by giving it their enthusiastic support.

After July 1 the team will play regularly at home, provided the attendance warrants it, so it is up to the fan to show appreciation of a first class team by turning out to the games.

Box score: BELLFLOWER: Maller, lf. 4 0 1; List, 2b. 4 1 1; Salverson, ss. 4 0 1; Catton, c. 4 0 0; McDowell, 1b. 2 0 0; Lang, 3b. 4 0 0; Arnold, cf. 3 0 0; Brant, cf. 3 0 0; Smith, p. 3 0 0. Totals: 31 1 3.

MERCHANTS: Olson, lf. 4 1 1; Vegher, 3b. 4 2 2; Tuerk, ss. 5 0 3; Crook, 1b. 4 0 1; Kittell, 2b. 3 0 1; Grant, cf. 2 0 0; Storti, p. 4 0 0; White, rf. 4 0 1; McCowan, c. 4 1 1. Totals: 34 3 10.

Summary: Home run—List. Base on balls—Off Smith, 2; off Storti, 2. Struck out—By Smith, 5; by Storti, 9. Double plays—Lang to List to McDowell; Lang to McDowell; Arnold to List.

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Tomorrow night's game between the Bluebirds and Fullerton will be the last home game here until Friday, July 13. Next Thursday the Bird play Olive on their home grounds and there will be a ten-days lay-off before the start of the third quarter. The Birds will play Huntington Beach on Friday the 15th, which will be a hoodoo for somebody.

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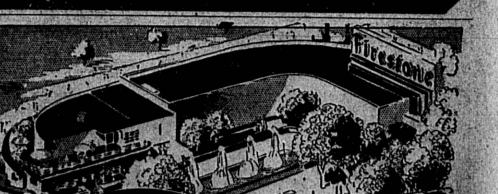
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