

9 Teams in Cage Circuit Here

Play to Start In January At T. H. S. Gym

With nine teams already signed up and several others expected to join the conference, the Merchants' basketball league will start an intensive series of cage games in the high school gymnasium Jan. 4, 1938, according to Johnny Parker, meat merchant at the A. & A. food market, who has rounded up the squads.

Two games are to be played each Tuesday and Thursday nights, starting at 7:15, after the new year starts. Four local firms have agreed to sponsor teams—at \$30 each for uniforms—and the Evening high school gym class, two teams from Redondo and two from Gardena will open the series.

The local quintets will be sponsored by National Home Appliance company, A. & P. food market, National Supply and Paxman's hardware store. Members of the teams will be announced later. The season will be divided into two divisions—with the winners of each playing period for the championship of the league.

Locals Blanked by S. P. Jadrans

For the first time in many months of playing the Torrance-Lomita Merchants were shut out in a baseball game here last Sunday. A five-hit pitching performance by Heck Carroll blanked the local team while his San Pedro Jadrans mates bunched bingles off Ky Patalano in the sixth and ninth innings to give the visitors a 2 to 0 triumph.

The defeat was the fourth for the J-L Merchants in nine S. C. association title playoffs.

The Torrance game was the only one played in the Harbor district last Sunday, other fields being too wet for action. Patalano pitched some good ball but it wasn't good enough. He allowed seven hits, fanned six and walked one.

Pat held the Jadrans scoreless until the sixth when three hits sent home one tally and permitted the other in the final canto when two straight hits accounted for a run.

Loyola Lions Seek Fourth Hockey Title

The crunch of steel on ice is sounding in Los Angeles as Coach Tom Lieb prepares his Loyola university hockey sextette for defense of the Pacific Coast collegiate crown. The Lions have won the Pacific Coast

TARTAR CAGE TEAMS LOSE OPENERS TO EL SEGUNDO

MARINE CAGE SEASON DOPE

MARINE GAMES FRIDAY
TORRANCE at Narbonne
Gardena at El Segundo
San Pedro, bye.

MARINE RESULTS

El Segundo Varsity, 27; Torrance, 13.
El Segundo Bees, 38; Torrance, 23.
El Segundo Cees, 38; Torrance, 17.
El Segundo Dees, 24; Torrance, 10.
Gardena Varsity, 18; Narbonne, 15.
Gardena Bees, 20; Narbonne, 15.

MARINE STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.
San Pedro	1	0
Gardena	1	0
El Segundo	1	0
Torrance	0	1
Narbonne	0	1

—Varsity—

Team	W.	L.
San Pedro	1	0
Gardena	1	0
El Segundo	1	0
Torrance	0	1
Narbonne	0	1

—Class B—

Team	W.	L.
El Segundo	2	0
Gardena	1	0
Torrance	0	1
San Pedro	0	1
Narbonne	0	1

REVOLVER SCORES

Averages to Dec. 12

Name	St.	Av.
Bennett	3	277.33
Eckersley	7	271.42
Medicus	10	269.90
Stanger	2	267.00
Moore	4	266.00
De Bra	3	259.33
Ashton	5	256.80
Travioli	5	255.60
Boynton	11	253.81
Grant	2	251.00
Croan	3	249.75
Maddux	9	249.11
Spehger	3	245.00
Anderle	2	244.00
Van Gorder	2	243.50
Haslam	5	242.60
Schuerman	10	242.00
Brown	3	240.00
Lamphear	11	239.45
Tolson	4	230.75
Sykes	2	225.50
Mrs. Moore	2	221.00
Houdashelt	8	220.12
Perkin	4	205.75
Stroh	2	203.50
Evans	2	197.50

title three years in a row.

Skates are flying two nights a week at the Polar Palace in Hollywood as Lieb drills 11 feet-footed boys whom he hopes can offset the loss of four stars lost by graduation last June.

Huge Hangars To Be Built
MIAMI, Fla. (U.P.)—Miami is soon to have one of the world's largest aircraft hangars.

El Segundo's casaba quintets won all four of their games with Torrance squads Tuesday by decisive margins. The Tartar varsity went down 27 to 13, the Bees lost 38 to 23, the Cees were humbled 38 to 17 and the Bees fell 24 to 10. The games were the first Marine league encounters for Torrance.

The Bee game with El Segundo was the closest at half-time, El Segundo's Ollers holding complete control throughout all of the other games. The Tartar varsity line-up opened with David Powell and Junior Richardson at forward, Don Moser at center, Wilbur Franklin and John Fess at guard, Raymond Massey, a substitute guard, showed up very well when he was inserted.

Merrill opened the Bee game with Nagel and Roy Yancy at forward, Marvin Lee at center and Bill Buckley and Masahara Hata at guard. Substitutes who saw action were Harvey Abramson and Van Ness Bernard, guards; Marion Keating, Melvin Benner and Jean Bordeaux, forwards, and Bill Ritchie, center.

GARDENA AND PIRATES WIN CAGE GAMES

Gardena's varsity basketball team literally poured the ball thru its basket in the closing moments of the game last Friday to defeat Narbonne, 18 to 15. The Gardena Bees also won from the Narbonne Bees, 20 to 15.

San Pedro defeated Inglewood in a practice game last Thursday, 31 to 27 and the Pirate Bees also won, 22 to 15.

TO PLAY TEAMSTERS

Rained out last Sunday, the Torrance Merchants play the Compton Teamsters next Sunday afternoon at the field located a mile north of Compton on Truck boulevard.

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