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### Night School Shows Progress

Work at the Torrance Evening high school began the new year with a good attendance, according to Principal Guy L. Mowry. Most students have returned to classes. Typing is being taught three times weekly now and shop classes are operating from two to three evenings a week with many interesting projects being carried on by the interested men students. The clothing class is stressing millinery this term and the art class is working with leather, copper and clay each Monday and Thursday night. Columbia Steel classes are well-attended and the woman's gym class is open to every woman in the city.

Uses "Manager" Plan  
TOLEDO (U.P.)—A student government system, similar to Toledo's city manager plan, has been installed at the University of Toledo.

Judge on Bench 25 Years  
CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo. (U.P.)—Frank Kelly has completed 25 years of continuous service as circuit judge here.

### 50,000 Jobless Register With State in Week

State department of employment officials estimated more than 50,000 jobless Californians registered for benefit payment under the Unemployment Reserve act by last Monday. That day ended the first week since the act became effective in this state when workers became eligible for payments.

Carl L. Hyde, executive director said however, he did not believe all claims were valid. He believed many ineligible persons registered in the hope of securing work through the service. Waiting period for those applying up to Jan. 3 began on that date. A four weeks waiting period is required by law before any benefits can be paid.

Plane Scouts Sardines  
ALAMEDA, Cal. (U.P.)—Aviation has become a scout for sardine fishing. When the local sardine fleet sails out of the Farallon islands, a scouting plane precedes it, locates the schools of sardines, signals the fleet into action.

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## The Herald's Sport Page

### Undeclared Pirate Five Meets Luckless Tartars Friday Afternoon

One of the worst defeats ever hung on a Tartar varsity basketball team in Marine league competition was administered, to the Torrance quintet last Friday by Gardena. The final score of 48 to 11 indicates the completeness of the Mohicans' victory and the rout of the Tartars. Coach Bert Merrill, who has been badly hampered all season by lack of experienced material, saw his squad almost powerless to combat the Gardena's basket-hooping drives.

Coach Merrill took some consolation out of his Class B's 23-22 win over the Gardena Bees in an overtime game. A foul shot as the gun barked at the end of the regular playing period gave the Tartar Bees three minutes in which to score their victory.

San Pedro continued its march toward a Marine league casaba championship the same day by trouncing the Narbonne Gauchos 22 to 16 and the Pirate Bees followed suit by winning from the Lomita Bees 41 to 28. It was the Pirate varsity's third straight victory of the season. Friday they meet Torrance in the first round at San Pedro. The Pirate Bees have won two and lost one game this season.

Merrill instructed his Torrance varsity to concentrate on stopping Austin Daly, captain

### HOOP HISTORY

**MARINE GAMES FRIDAY**  
Torrance at San Pedro  
Narbonne at El Segundo  
Gardena bye

#### MARINE GAME RESULTS

—Varsity Scores—  
Gardena, 48; Torrance, 11  
San Pedro, 22; Narbonne, 16  
El Segundo, 18; Gardena, 17.

—Class B Scores—  
Torrance, 23; Gardena, 22  
San Pedro, 41; Narbonne, 28  
El Segundo, 27; Gardena, 26

#### MARINE STANDINGS

Team	W	L
San Pedro	3	0
El Segundo	4	1
Narbonne	1	2
Torrance	1	3
Gardena	1	3

Team	W	L
El Segundo	5	0
San Pedro	2	1
Narbonne	1	2
Torrance	1	3
Gardena	1	3

### National Supply Works Plan Meet and Aud Dance

Reservation of the Civic Auditorium for Saturday night, Feb. 12, was made this week by the National Supply Employees' association. A dance will follow an open meeting of the workers' organization which is not affiliated with either A. F. of L. or C. I. O. The association has been holding regular meetings in the Moose hall.

and center of the Pirates, because that youngster tallied 12 points for high score honors in the Narbonne game. Kincannon of the Gauchos was second with seven points.

### Wins \$2,100



JIMMY THOMPSON, shown above, maintained a blistering golf pace to win the Los Angeles Open and \$2,100 first prize Monday with an aggregate score of 273 for 72 holes, 13 under par. The burly shoemaker from Shawnee, Pa., competed against some of the nation's best golfers.

### Field Expansion Scheduled to Start

Work on extending the girls' playground at the high school is expected to get under way late this week or the first of next. The improvement will be completed, it is hoped, in time for the invitational Girls' Athletic association meet March 17.

### Merchants' Hoop Season Starts

First games of the recently formed Torrance Merchants' basketball league were played Tuesday night. At the high school gym Coach Bert Merrill's Tigers defeated the A. & P. squad, 30 to 25 with Merrill taking high score (15) honors. Paxman's Hardware team won from the National Supply, 38 to 19, and Cooper of Paxman's was high point (13) man. At Gardena high school, the Gardena high school, the Gardena Firemen noted out the National Home Appliance quintet, 27 to 26, and Montague, Hammack of National Home and Tommy of Gardena went into a three-way tie for high (8) score.

Tonight the National Home and National Supply teams play at 7:05 and the A. & P. and Paxman's squads mix at 8:05 in the local school gym. At Gardena, the Firemen of that city will play Merrill's Tigers. Next Tuesday night, Jan. 18, the A. & P. will play the National Home and the Tigers oppose the National Supply here, while the Firemen and Paxman's play at Gardena.

### T-L Merchants Win Handily

An exceptionally good game marred by only one bad inning when the Pacific Construction pitcher lost control and allowed the Torrance-Lomita Merchants to score eight runs, resulted in a 11 to 1 victory for Manager Walt Morris' crew here last Sunday. Joe Venable was the outstanding player for the day, getting three hits including a home run, and making two nice field catches.

Hamilton allowed the Constructors eight scattered hits while the T-L Merchants were collecting 15 from Delgado. Next Sunday afternoon the Merchants will meet the White King Giants, who have won six of their last seven games, at the city park diamond.

### Merchants Lose to Tigers, 5-4

A fast and interesting ball game between the Torrance Merchants and the Wilmington Tigers at Wilmington's Skippers field last Sunday was not decided until a right field fly ball in the last inning gave the Tigers a 5 to 4 victory.

Tight fielding was a feature of the game. Elmer "Red" McCahan pitched the full show for the Merchants, allowing but seven hits. Montgomery of the Tigers presented the local team with 11 scattered bingles.

### DeBra Shoots High Score at Range

To Gene DeBra, veteran radio technician, goes the honor of shooting the highest score ever recorded for the Torrance Pistol range. Last Sunday he shot 286 for this record, 94 slow, 95 time and 97 rapid fire.

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