

Bowling Tourney Ending Sunday

Next Sunday night the third annual Southeast District American Bowling Congress tournament will end at the Torrance Bowling academy. The play began last Sunday with a large crowd in the spectator gallery watching the outstanding bowlers of the district compete for valuable prizes and trophies.

There were 87 five-man teams, 88 doubles and 153 singles entries in the tourney. Results of the opening events were:

FIVE-MAN TEAMS	
Air Squadron (March Field)	2931
C. of C. Cafe (L.B.)	2896
Broadway Alleys (L.A.)	2892
Thompsons (Long Beach)	2831
Willowbrook Winery (Comp.)	2827
Colonial Bar (L.B.)	2780
Procter & Gamble (L.B.)	2759
Shell Oil (Long Beach)	2751
Nelson Cafe (L.B.)	2743

SINGLES	
Tom McNeil (Torrance)	685
Pete Hoover (L.B.)	639
Kenneth Noel (Torrance)	632
Kirk Hulme (L.B.)	632

DOUBLES	
Ray Twiss-A. Q. Brown (L.B.)	1173
Ray Sleepy-Art Turner (Torr.)	1162
Blasiola-Altice (L.A.)	1161
Meadore-Bauman (L.A.)	1150

Merchants' Cage League Results

GAMES TONIGHT:
Nat'l Home vs. Merrill's
Paxman's vs. Gardena

GAMES NEXT Tuesday, Feb. 8:
Paxman's vs. Merrill's
A. & P. vs. Nat'l Home
Nat'l Supply at Gardena

RESULTS LAST Thursday:
Gardena 36; Nat'l Home 33
A. & P. 31; Merrill's 20
Paxman's 34; Nat'l Supply 23

SCORES Tuesday Night:
Gardena 43; Merrill's 25
A. & P. 27; Paxman's 18
Nat'l Home 27; Nat'l Supply 25

HOW THEY stand now:

Team	W	L
Gardena	6	1
Paxmans	5	2
Nat'l Home	3	4
Nat'l Supply	3	4
A. & P.	2	5
Merrills	2	5

Merchants Win Over Teamsters

Two southpaw pitchers, Dave Williams and Lefty McGahan held the L. A. Teamsters to two hits last Sunday at Pico field, enabling the Torrance Merchants to chalk up a 5 to 1 victory. Williams was touched for a hit in the three innings he was on the mound and McGahan finished the session with but one more bingle. The Merchants gathered nine hits. Next Sunday the local team will meet the U.S.S. Nevada nine at San Pedro's Trona Field.

Legion Post Now Has 94 Members

Three new members were initiated into Bert S. Crossland American Legion post here Tuesday night. They were Clifford Wardrop, E. Beckman and Neil Webb. The post now has 94 members. Several outside guests were present at the meeting. Plans were made for a large attendance of Legion and Auxiliary members at the pot-luck dinner-dance to be given by the East Los Angeles post Saturday night.

Fancy Work Instruction at Penney Store

Hillman Lee, manager of the J. C. Penney Company store here announced today that Mrs. Clara Selby is now at the store each afternoon offering instruction in "Loomette" work, knitting and crochet work. Mrs. Selby will be glad to help anyone with their knitting problems and demonstrate "Loomette" fancy work without charge.

Marble-Shooters' Tourney Saturday

Rained out last Saturday, the marble-shooting tournament for boys up to and including the sixth grade will be held at the city park Saturday morning, Feb. 5, starting at 11 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded the winners.

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The Herald's Sport Page

Coach Predicts Great Future for Zamperini

Picks Torrance Youth for "Answer to Trojan Track Hopes"

Pistol Club Teams Win 3 Out Of 5

Four pistol matches were shot off last Sunday at the Torrance Revolver range and one in Ventura with members of the local pistol club competing as the Coline-Gas company team. The Torrance marksmen won three of the five events.

The match between Douglas Aircraft sharpshooters and the local club ended in a 1316-1316 tie but because the Torrance gunmen were two points higher over the rapid-fire course they were awarded the contest. By a score of 1326 to 1318 the Torrance club defeated the San Pedro police team and won from the Norwalk sheriff's office squad, 1323 to 1316.

Torrance triggermen lost to the Centinela Springs Revolver association 1303 to 1250 and to the Ventura police department, 1100 to 1135 at the Ventura range.

Pistol Club Scores

Averages to Feb. 1

Name	St.	Av.
Ashton	15	258.42
Beeman, Dr.	8	261.40
Bennett	12	275.00
Brown	10	242.50
Brigham	1	201.00
Boynton	11	252.54
Calder	2	245.50
Colburn	4	201.00
De Bra	12	270.16
Ecklund	1	237.00
Evans	2	199.00
Eckersley	17	269.50
Fields	1	157.00
Freeman	1	273.00
Green	15	258.66
Mrs. Houdasheft	8	143.33
Houdasheft	25	232.08
Haslam	2	200.50
Lamphear	19	229.30
Laux	12	211.16
Mrs. Moore	4	225.15
Moore, R. W.	15	259.00
Medicus	27	270.15
March	10	257.20
Morgan, J.	6	238.16
Maddux	31	260.00
Morgan, H.	1	128.00
Perkin	2	212.00
Peterson	2	224.00
Smith, Sid	1	202.00
Schuerman	35	251.14
Spehger	11	245.01
Stanger	2	261.00
Sykes	3	222.75
Smith, R.	4	241.00
Stewart	3	209.33
Stroh	6	220.48
Travillo	7	259.26
Van Gorder	31	249.12

TO AWARD LETTERS

One hundred and one Narbonne high school athletes will receive letters during an "honors" assembly tomorrow. Fifty-three letters are to be awarded for football and 48 for basketball.

Tartars Close Disastrous Cage Season

Coach Bert Merrill and his Torrance high school basketball team closed the books on their casaba season yesterday afternoon with considerable relief.

The final game of the year was played here with Narbonne winning 27 to 24. The Tartar Bees won 25 to 22.

The Tartars won but one game—lost with Gardena when they were 23 to 24. The Mohicans 23 to 24. The games were lost leaving the Tartars far down in Marine league standings. San Pedro, which won the 1938 championship, handed the local team its two worst defeats—53 to 27 and last Friday, 51 to 15.

Dan Rafalovich, high scoring San Pedro forward, poured 40 markers thru the hoop to pace the Pirates in their crushing victory. The San Pedro lightweights, also title holders, walloped the Tartar Bees 47 to 27 in the preliminary. Coach Merrill has been hampered throughout the season by a woeful lack of material.

Lomitans' Dog Wins Honors

"Duke of Lomita," a seven-months-old Boston Terrier pup owned by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dupske of 2444 West 254th street, won the Al Olmstead gold trophy, a blue and a green ribbon at his first showing last Saturday and Sunday in the specialty dog show of the Pacific Coast Boston Terrier club.

"The Duke" attracted much attention at the event, held at a Los Angeles radio station.

GAS TAX UP

California's gasoline tax for December 1937 amounted to \$4.329.119.19, a gain of 4.71 percent over the same month of 1936.

Bear Shot in Catskills

KINGSTON, N. Y. (U.P.)—A brown bear was shot by hunters on Canape Mountain. It was the first to be killed in the Catskill Mountains in the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

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The Alhambra came here in substitute for the R.K.O. nine which was unable to keep the scheduled engagement. Hamilton allowed the visitors but four hits, struck out 12 and gave but one free walk. Walt Morris's T-L club got eight hits but could not connect with runners on base.

Awaits Decree



His dog is his constant companion these days as Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, baseball star, waits in Reno, Nev., for a divorce decree from his actress-wife, the former June O'Den.

Would Preserve Sloughs For Bird Refuge

Bixby Slough and Nigger Slough should be preserved by the board of supervisors "for the birds to whom they really belong," the county officials were told this week by W. A. Kent of Los Angeles, writing the board as a citizen.

"This is about the only remaining slough in our vicinity that does not belong to a gun club," Kent stated. He said he had counted 43 different specimens of wading and shore birds on a visit to the area one day this winter. The birds either resting or feeding in and around the slough areas. He said he did not count gulls. There were 87 American egrets among the list, he said.

Coach Sanctions "Big Apple" BERKELEY (U.P.)—Coach "Ky" Ebright sanctioned the "Big Apple" at the crew dance on the grounds that it would help keep his men in shape.

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