The Herald's Sport Page

ZAMPERINI RUNNING TWO RACES FRIDAY

Having burned considerable "midnight oil" to successfully gather in some high grades that will permit him to compete on the varsity track team this spring, Louis Zamperini, Torrance Olympic distance runner, will see his first 1938 competition tomorrow.

He will run in an interclass meet at U. S. C.'s Bovard Field, the event starting at 2:30 o'clock.

Zamperini may compete in both the mile and two-mile event. Coach Dean Cromwell will be watching his performance with great interest because he has been quoted as saying that Louis is the Trojans' best potential track star this year.

On Feb. 19 the Torrance marathoner will run in the Occidental handicap at the Eagle Rock institution and on March 5 he will be seen in the Long Beach relays.

Girls Form New Roller Skating Club

During the past week, 30 local girls, led by Miss Marie Kennamer, formed a Roller Skating club. They have incorporated in their by-laws, the rules governing admission as to qualifications, ability to waltz and rek, and to cavort in an upright position.

Members convene once a week at a Long Beach rink at which time both skating and refreshments are to be enjoyed. Once a month they will have a roller skating banquet; the members displaying their agility at dining while in motion.

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Local Club Booked for Four More Navy Games

So impressed were Navy officials with the showing made by the Torrance Merchants last Sunday against the crack U.S.S. Nevada team (the game was a 5 to 5 tie called at the end of the ninth on account of cold and darkness) that they have engaged the local club for the next four Sundays at Navy field, San Pedro.

Next Sunday the Merchants will meet the U. S. S. Tennessee nine which has one of the best semi-pro pitchers in the game in "Heck" Carroll. The Tennesseans will also present the New York Yankee's star twirler, Red Ruffing, who is barn-storming on the coast. Ruffing is slated to pitch two innings against the Torrance team and will play the remainder of the game in the outfield. The game will start at 2 o'clock.

Manager Joe Sandland has developed a top-notch aggregation of players out of the Merchants and they are improving with every game. Last Sunday Lefty McGahan allowed the Nevada team seven hits while his playmates were collecting the same number from the Navy twirler. McGahan will oppose Ruffing and Carroll next Sunday.

Garbage Dumping In Redondo Banned

A local garbage collector who was reported to have been dumping his loads at the Redondo sewer farm was told to discontinue this practice by Redondo officials this week. Apparently the Torrance man was paying some Mexican for the privilege of depositing refuse on the Redondo-owned acreage, according to reports from the beach city.

Neva Now With Angels; Season Opens April 2

When the Pacific Coast league season opens at Wrigley Field, Los Angeles, April 2, local fans will see a familiar face and form in the Angels' line-up. It will be Louis Novikoff, known to many a nightball fan here as Louis Neva, the greatest softball pitcher ever developed.

Neva, who played with the Torrance Bluebirds when that club was meeting the Southland's best nightball teams and emerging with championships, served his rookie-ship with the Ponca City hardball team in Oklahoma. He will go into spring training with the Angels at Ontario, Monday, Feb. 28.

Merchants' Cage League Results

GAMES TONIGHT:

Nat'l Home vs. Paxmans
Nat'l Supply vs. Merrills
A. & P. at Gardena

GAMES NEXT TUESDAY:

A. & P. vs. Merrills
Paxmans vs. Nat'l Supply
Nat'l Home at Gardena

RESULTS TUESDAY:

Paxmans 39; Merrills 17
Nat'l Home 40; A. & P. 25
Gardena 38; Nat'l Supply 29.

RESULTS LAST THURSDAY:

Nat'l Home 44; Merrills 25
Paxmans 25; Gardena 18

HOW THEY STAND:

Team	W	L.
Paxmans	7	2
Gardena	7	2
Nat'l Home	5	4
Nat'l Supply	3	5
A. & P.	2	6
Merrills	2	7

Woman Driver Is Cited After Crash

Miss Leah Robinson, 1518 255th street, was given a court citation for no operator's license following a collision with a truck at Arlington and 233rd street Sunday. No one was injured in the crash but Miss Robinson's car had its right front wheel slightly damaged. The truck was driven by W. F. Shell of Taft.

TORRANCE HIGH LIGHTS . . . by Madalyn Pinkham

FOUR TEACHERS LEAVE . . . Students bade goodbye last week to four teachers: Mrs. Lois Engel, Miss Mignonette Berneger, Miss Margaret McGinty and F. Millman. Miss McGinty left to marry Dr. M. H. Thornburgh of West Plains, Mo. The others have been transferred to other schools.

NEW TEACHERS . . . Miss Jessie Weaver, former teacher at T. H. S., returned to the Commercial department this week to replace Miss Berneger. Mrs. Halatt, is to replace Miss McGinty in the Physical Education department.

NEW PREXYS . . . Midge Higgins officiated as student body president for the last time last Thursday at the Letter-men's aud call when she presented the gavel to her successor, Wilbur Franklin. At the same time, Donald Hitchcock, former junior high president, turned his office over to Helen Thompson.

MUSICAL PROGRAM . . . Monday morning, Miss Audrey Shelley, entertained with selections on the marimba and musical readings.

ALUMNI NEWS . . . Miss Norma Rappaport, former T. H. S. student, now has a regular assignment as a substitute teacher at Virgil high school.

ANNUAL PARTY . . . Last Wednesday evening the Annual staff had a party in the Art room. Many new ideas were suggested, and refreshments were served.

Police Benefit Show Tickets Limited to 1,200

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atre; Will Aubrey, singer featured on N.B.C.; the dancing Janet Sisters, Francis Dexter, banjo artist and acrobatic dancer; "Lasses and Honey," blackface comedians; Bill Passe and Company in "lightning roller skating"; Estis Campbell, whistler and singer for Walt Disney cartoons; Beebo Gray, "the original hill-billy"; and Velma Allen, the Ripley "Believe It or Not" girl.

BUY NEW PIPE

The sum of $203.94 was voted by the city council Tuesday night for the purchase of a quantity of galvanized pipe for the water department to replace a two-inch line between Manuel and Martina streets.

Levy Bringing Scholl Unit Here

Next Tuesday, Feb. 15, the unique truck-trailer combination shown above will be in Torrance at the invitation of the Sam Levy Department store to provide a Dr. Scholl shoe and foot relief demonstration. Every man, woman and child in this city having trouble with their feet or shoes will then have an opportunity of receiving this service without charge.

The Dr. Scholl trailer is a most unusual conveyance. In addition to carrying more than 1,700 pairs of Dr. Scholl's scientific shoes, it houses a complete line of his famed foot comfort appliances and remedies, an X-ray machine, pedo-graph, automatic shoe sizer and other equipment for testing feet and fitting shoes. Factory-trained experts man the truck. Free pedograph prints and complete foot analysis will be made of each visitor's feet while the trailer is in Torrance next Tuesday.

Lending Agencies Get "Go" Signal

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the FHA in Los Angeles, states: "We have not been able to make loans to many sections because there are not proper zoning restrictions. We have been working on this zoning problem with some of the outlying city councils because it is a problem which the municipalities themselves must straighten out."

At the present time the Torrance city council is working out a new city-wide zoning ordinance and the second hearing on this measure, which, when adopted should assure many property owners of FHA approval for building loans, is to be held in the near future.

Aids Group Housing

The FHA has promulgated rules intended to stimulate construction of multi-family and group housing projects which are badly needed here to provide accommodations for locally-employed workers.

One section of the new legislation is designed to promote building of large-scale projects covered by mortgages up to $5,000,000. Another is to encourage building of smaller developments covered by mortgages from $16,000 to $200,000.

The new FHA regulations provide for partial Federal insurance of mortgages not only on multi-family structures, but also on developments consisting of single-family houses.

Releases Allowed

Under these regulations, officials said, it will be possible for developers to obtain blanket mortgage financing, including funds advanced for construction, on groups of single-family houses and then sell them on long-term payment plans or rent them.

The rules permit partial releases from the blanket mortgage as separate properties are sold.

Stewart McDonald, administrator, said his agency will insure mortgages up to 80 percent of the appraised value of projects. In the cast of large-scale developments, the amount of the mortgage may not exceed $1,350 per room, and in the case of smaller developments, it may not exceed $1,150 per room.

Speller Wins on "Misspell"

LORAIN, O. (U.P.)—Glenn Mae Steel won the high school spelling contest. She spelled "misspell" correctly.