

# The Herald's Sport Page

## Banning Holds Casaba Lead

Coach Pete Zamperini's Torrance Tartar basketball team took a double victory Tuesday over the Narbonne quintets when his varsity won 31 to 23 and the Bees crushed the Gaucha lightweights 26 to 20.

El Segundo's Oilers turned in the biggest upset of the Marine League basketball season to date on the same day when they handed the high-scoring Banning Pilots their first defeat of the season, 30 to 23. The Oilers continued to lead the League however, Jack Tweedie, Banning ace, was high scorer with 12 points while Dan Barber and George Rentro each tallied 11 points to lead the victors. El Segundo's Bees, who are leading their League trounced the Banning Bees, 24 to 28.

Taking a lead in the opening period, the San Pedro varsity had no difficulty in stopping Gardena 31 to 23 Tuesday. The Pirates lights, however, were forced to an overtime period to defeat the Gardena Bees, 20 to 18.

**Banning Wins**  
Twenty-four of Banning's 60 points scored on the Torrance varsity last Friday were netted by Jack Tweedie, forward. The Pilots held the Tartars to 38 points. Held in check slightly during the first period, the Banning five out in the final half with a wild scoring spree. It was their sixth straight triumph. Marvin Lee, Torrance's top scoring center, accounted for 13 points.

**Banning (60)** Torrance (38)  
Tweedie (24) F Nagel (9)  
Pritchett (4) C Yancey (8)  
Frey (22) C Lee (13)  
H. Clutter (3) G Buckley (8)  
Fountain (1) G Gross  
Score By Halves  
Banning ..... 27 33 60  
Torrance ..... 22 16 38  
Scoring subs: Banning, W. Clutter (6).

**Pirates Take Gauchos**  
San Pedro's basketball team scored a double victory over Narbonne quintets with the Pirate varsity winning 47 to 23 and the Pedro Bees taking their game to 13 last Friday. Andrew Kordich, Pirate forward, bailed 11 points to share high honors with Jack Henze, center, and Vinko Matulich, forward. The Pirate Bee victory was their sixth straight league win.

**Oilers Beat Gardenaans**  
Topped by Ben Stanton, who accounted for eight points, the El Segundo Oilers defeated Gardena 19 to 17 last Friday. El Segundo also captured the Bee game 25 to 21.

## Sportsmanship Trophy to be Awarded

At a meeting of the Marine League officials with Principal Thomas Elson of the local high school as host, it was decided yesterday to award a suitable trophy to the student body displaying the best sportsmanship as spectators and players during the school year. The award will be made shortly before the end of the term.

A sub-committee of the League met with Principal Elson at a breakfast session to discuss the award. Good conduct by spectator-students in bleachers and by teams on the field will be criteria by which the six schools in the League will be judged.

The English language is spoken by more than 224,000,000 people.

## HOOP HISTORY

Team	Won	Lost
Banning	6	1
El Segundo	5	2
San Pedro	5	3
TORRANCE	4	3
Gardena	1	6
Narbonne	0	7
CLASS B STANDINGS		
San Pedro	7	0
El Segundo	6	1
Narbonne	3	4
Gardena	2	5
Banning	2	5
TORRANCE	1	6

### RESULTS TUESDAY

Class A Games—  
Torrance 31; Narbonne 23  
El Segundo 30; Banning 23  
San Pedro 31; Gardena 23

### Class B Games—

Torrance 69; Narbonne 20  
El Segundo 34; Banning 28  
San Pedro 20; Gardena 18

### GAMES ON FRIDAY

Torrance at San Pedro  
Gardena at Banning  
El Segundo at Narbonne

### GAMES TUESDAY, Jan. 24

El Segundo at Torrance  
Narbonne at Gardena

### Banning at San Pedro

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## Jadrans Even Baseball Series

It took a no-hit game by the San Pedro Jadrans to whip the Torrance-Lomita Merchants 7 to 1 last Sunday at the city park diamond. Credit for the victory went to Bill Johnson, San Pedro baseball star, who fanned five T-L players, walked but one and except for the first inning, when one run was scored on an infield boot, kept the bases clear of local players.

Johnson's hurling, plus a 13-hit attack by his teammates, gave the Jadrans revenge for the recent 4 to 3 trimming handed them by Manager Walt Morris' crew. The "rubber" game of the series will be played within the next few weeks. Next Sunday the Torrance-Lomita team faces the Sunset nine at the city park.

## Clayton Wins Santa Barbara Grid Numeral

Earl Clayton, son of Mrs. Floie Clayton of 1420 1/2 Marcelina was granted his freshman numeral this week as a member of Santa Barbara State College freshman football team. A graduate of Santa Ynez high school, Clayton came out for football at the Gaucha institution and made a name for himself as first string halfback. At present he is playing guard on the frosh basketball squad.

## Girl Times Red Fox

BOSTON (U.P.)—Seven-year-old Gladys Turner has for a pet a red fox, captured only four months ago. So tame is the fox now that Gladys takes it for a daily walk on a leash.

## ENLISTS IN NAVY

James C. Arman of 1660 West 219th street, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy and is now at the San Diego Naval training station.

## Merchants Cage Season Starts

First games in the new Merchants Basketball League were run off Tuesday night at the high school gymnasium and the A. & P. Market and Torrance Merchants' quintets emerged as the initial winners. The A. & P. Market team topped the National Home Appliance cagers, 23 to 19, and the Merchants defeated the Lomita Gauchos, 38 to 26.

The next League games will be played tonight with the A. & P. meeting the Lomitas at 7 o'clock and a team composed of Harbor City Japanese clashing with the Glafio club of Los Angeles at 8 o'clock. Two more games will be run off next Tuesday night, Jan. 24; Torrance Merchants vs. San Pedro's ex-high school stars at 7 and the National Home Appliance five meeting the Ford V-8s of Long Beach at 8.

The series will be run up to March and then a play-off series will be staged between the winners of the two rounds for a valuable trophy award. Lineups for the teams playing last Tuesday night were:

A. & P. Market: Sleeth, Madore and Hack, forwards; Clayton, center; Parker and Powell, guards. National Home Appliance: M. Micanovich, G. Ham-mack and J. Clayton, forwards; Max Coast, center; V. Micanovich and K. Cates, guards. Torrance Merchants: Severin, Balsey and Schuman, forwards; Jaunseum and Mickey Colmer, centers; Zechawa, Olson and Mil Colmer, guards. Lomita Gauchos: Wang and Hamilton, forwards; Gibson, center; Wolverton, Moyin, Watanabe and Cheek, guards.

The latest figures available, 1937, show that the United States cattle population was around 67 million head.

## Takes Office

Justice Bruce Blake, the new chief justice of the Washington State Supreme Court. He is a former Spokane Superior Court judge.

## Local Players Win Over Aviation Nine

At Coast hurled perfect ball in the clinches to help the Dr. Ross ball club of Torrance and Lomita players win from the American Aviation nine 4 to 3 at Inglewood last Sunday. Coast bore down when the Aviators were in scoring distance. Brigant's fielding at shortstop cut short many rallies while Harry Hagerton topped the winners at bat with two hits in three trips to the plate. The Dr. Ross team takes on Arcadia next Sunday.

## Kansas Relays April 31-32

LAWRENCE, Kas. (U.P.)—The Kansas Relays, which annually attract some of the nation's leading track and field stars, will be held this year on April 31 and 22.

## Thousands Hail Bay Trains



Thousands of commuters, eager to save an average half-hour of traveling time each day—but sorry to see the end of slower although colorful ferryboats, jammed the new San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge Terminal in San Francisco. Note Bay Bridge in background, over which the trains cross on a lower deck.

## Tartars to Play 'Real Baseball'

Assured by Los Angeles City school authorities that equipment for the sport would be furnished, Coach Robert Barr announced this week that Torrance high school would resume playing hardball in the Marine league beginning with the first game on March 17.

"For a time it looked highly doubtful if we could put a regulation baseball team in League competition," Barr said. "We had no equipment to speak of and would have to acquire nearly everything a baseball team needs. But the Los Angeles board of education has informed us that we will get the necessary supplies so I'm going ahead and build a ball club for the school."

All schools in the Marine League are expected to go back to hardball this year after several dropped the regulation diamond sport in favor of indoor ball. The baseball season last on the school sport calendar, will end April 21.

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## Tips Tell How To Bore People

CLEVELAND O. (U.P.)—Seven sure ways for wives to bore husband, or any other man, conversationally, have been compiled by Margaret Devereux, author of "Your Life as a Woman" and "How to Make the Most of It."

The seven guaranteed methods of making a man yawn instead of "hanging on your every word," she says, are:

Be ever alert to trip up your male conversational partner and thus be classified as a checker-upper.

Pounce on the topic a man starts to talk about and "run away with the ball." If you employ this tactic you are a topic-smasher.

Always insist on having the last words, which puts you in the better-ender class.

Convince yourself (if you are not convinced already) that other people never have nice things happen to them. This definitely makes you a boaster.

Pattern your conversation along the lines of a lecturer and become a one-man-audience lecturer.

Talk on and on and on—other words, be a self-winder.

But the deadly egotist is the worst of the seven bores—or perhaps he is just all seven at once.

Miss Devereux, when she spoke before a group of Clevelanders on the "Art of Conversation," said that conversation is not a monologue, personal history, or a feat of memory.

"Conversation is a play of degrees, blond Helga Bourne, mind—and let it be fair play," she said.

Flood Medals For Guard HARRISBURG, Pa. (U.P.)—Pennsylvania's National Guardsmen who assisted during the floods of March, 1936, will be decorated with "emergency service medals."

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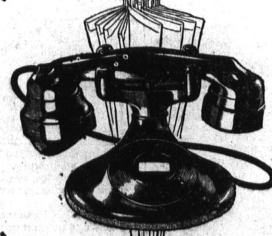
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