

Scouts Plan Picnic for Families, Friends at Banning Park

Lomita Boy Scouts, their parents and members of the family will picnic at Banning Park Sunday. Dinner will be served at 1 o'clock and then there will be games, one of the features being a ball game between the fathers and the Scouts.

Mrs. H. A. Moraine, president of the Mothers' Auxiliary, asks that anyone lacking transportation contact her at 2238 28th street.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be on Sept. 10 at 7:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Jesse Sprout. At the last meeting at the home of Mrs. Etta Woods, 20 mothers turned out and it is hoped to have as good an attendance at this next meeting. Among future activities in addition to the picnic, a bazaar and a dinner are being planned.

Steel Golfers Plan Tourney

Arrangements for the fifth annual Columbia Steel golf tournament, to be held Oct. 6, at Potrero Country club in Inglewood, are being made by a committee of nine, it was learned today. The tourney, which will start at 10 a. m., will be followed by a buffet supper at the clubhouse for all participants, their wives and friends.

The committee is composed of Howell Turner, Harry Croft, Gil Deroun, Eddie Ahlstrom, Ted Jordan, Bill Walton, Norm Dougherty, Cal Miller and Mel Howard. An attractive array of merchandise prizes has been donated by Torrance merchants for presentation to the various winners.

A permanent trophy is to be given the golfer scoring low gross. This award and a larger replica of it, which will be awarded any one winning it three times, will be presented by the Columbia Steel Company.

ENID TAKES TOURNEY
Enid, Okla., won the National Semi-Pro Baseball Tournament at Wichita, Kans., last Sunday, defeating Mt. Pleasant, Tex., 5 to 1, in the final game. The Lockheed Aircraft club from Burbank, California's entry in the tourney, was forced out of the running after losing two

Managers of New Savings Center Market



S. P. Woman Shot at Gravel Pit

Officers were called early Sunday morning to the gravel pit at the end of Pennsylvania avenue where they found Mrs. Julia Montana Acosta, 28, of 229 Oliver street, San Pedro, who had been shot in the head with a rifle. Rushed to Torrance Memorial hospital, Mrs. Acosta lived less than three hours.

According to the story she told officers, Mrs. Acosta, her husband, Jesse R. Acosta, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Navarro of Los Angeles and Antonio Chavez of Watts had gone to the hills to hunt rabbits when the rifle carried by Acosta was accidentally discharged.

No funeral arrangements will be made until the inquest being held at the Gamby Mortuary is concluded.

Bride-to-be Honored at Shower Party by Mrs. L. A. Wilson

Mrs. L. A. Wilson was hostess last Thursday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Winifred Thistle whose marriage to Oscar Ivey will take place Sunday afternoon.

Games and music and the opening of many gaily wrapped parcels preceded the serving of delicious refreshments, the chief attraction of which was an elaborately decorated wedding cake. Those present were Mesdames C. R. Thistle, O. Ivey, Louis Card, Ethan Schmidt, Paul Edwards, C. Greig, A. Perkins, L. Piel, R. Thistle, M. Kerber, Dan Naulty, E. Spence, B. Kilcollins, Henry Sibom, R. McCartney, O. Hendricks, L. Sivard, L. A. Wilson, Misses Betty Lou Powers, Millicent Thistle and Winnifred Thistle.

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WAITING TO SERVE YOU . . . This smiling quintet are in charge of the Torrance Saving Center which opens tomorrow at 1325 Sartori avenue. Left to right: Fred Backus, meat department; Roy Gargano and George Ferrar, grocery department; Jimmy Iwai and Jack Kuda, vegetable department.

With all of the fanfare that has come to be a Southland business custom, the Torrance Saving Center Market at 1325 Sartori avenue will have its formal opening tomorrow. Flood lights will illuminate the front of the market and many demonstrations of new foods will be presented by the owners of the three departments.

The first 50 customers to patronize Saving Center will receive 50 boxes of groceries with the compliments of Roy Gargano and George Ferrar, grocery operators; Fred Backus, meat department owner, and Jimmy Iwai and Jack Kuda, vegetable market managers.

Ferrar is the senior of the five men so far as business experience goes. He has been in the grocery trade for 12 years. All of the Saving Center men are from Long Beach but they intend to make Torrance their home. Two of them have already found living quarters here.

The store has been attractively decorated and equipped with new racks and fixtures. During the opening sale, the market is featuring a large number of special bargains. Saturday there will be entertainment at the market.

Gassers Home from Northern Journey

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gasser have returned from a vacation trip which included taking in all the sights at Treasure Island and visiting in San Francisco, Richmond, Oakland and Berkeley with former Lomitan.

Among the former residents they visited were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kamb and Mrs. Kamb's father, E. A. Tucker. Then they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne, went over to Oakland to see Mrs. Edythe Miller and stopped in Berkeley to visit A. Martinson, George and Florence Martinson.

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Bay Dist. Games in Park Tonight

A double-header hardball contest is slated for tonight at the Torrance City park diamond with Hartwell Aviation opposing Gardena at 7:30 o'clock and Pepsi-Cola meeting the Long Beach Ramblers at 9 o'clock. These are Bay District League games and are seven-inning contests.

Last Thursday night Hartwell and Pepsi-Cola knotted up in a 1 to 1 tie while Gardena defeated the Torrance Papooses, 2 to 1. The revised schedule of Bay District games follows:

Sept. 10—Hartwell Aviation vs. Torrance Papooses, 7:30 p. m. Long Beach Elbees vs. Pepsi-Cola, 9 p. m.

Sept. 12—Gardena vs. L. B. Ramblers; Papooses vs. Elbees.

Sept. 17—Gardena vs. Pepsi-Cola; Elbees vs. Ramblers.

Sept. 19—Papooses vs. Pepsi-Cola.

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No Hit, No Run Game Defeats Papoose Club

Orin Skelth pitched a no hit, no run game Tuesday night at Torrance City park diamond to let the Torrance Papooses down, 8 to 0, in their game with the Long Beach Harbor Refinery nine. Skelth was an All-Southern California high school pitcher in 1938. The Refiners nicknamed Jackson, Hale and Palapa of the Papoose pitching staff for nine hits. Kinnannon caught for the Refiners while Hicks was the local team's backstop.

In the other game of the evening, Hartwell Aviation defeated the Long Beach Union Cardinals, 5 to 4. Hartwell got nine hits off the Cardinal chucker while Bolton and Flaughner of the Aviation staff allowed six scattered bingles.

New Jersey Visitor Leaves for Home After Real Holiday

Miss Ruth Scott, who has been the guest of her brother, Alex MacPhail for several weeks, left Friday for her home in Trenton, New Jersey.

Miss Scott was entertained at a number of affairs during her visit, as well as having the opportunity of seeing many points of interest in Southern California. During her last week here she was a guest at a swimming party at the V. G. Mott home in El Nido, at an evening party at the Wm. Schmidmeyers, and at another given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, and a farewell breakfast by Mrs. MacPhail.

Long Beach Family Moves to Lomita

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Comer and two little daughters of Long Beach have moved to Lomita and are living at 2117 24th street. Mrs. Mary Comer, mother

Cabrillo Beach Scene of Special Events for Harbor Host Festivities

Water ballets, swimming races, diving contests and exhibitions and a championship "paddle-board" water polo tournament are but a few of the events planned for the Water Circus, one of the features of the annual San Pedro Harbor Host Days, opening tomorrow. The circus will be held at Cabrillo Beach each afternoon and evening of the three-day festival.

Members of Millicent Truax's girls swimming troupe have been engaged to present their spectacular ballets and maneuvers. These girls all from the Long Beach Y.W.C.A. enjoy a wide reputation for the exceptional beauty of their performance. In addition Gene Metzger, noted water dare-devil, will thrill the thousands of expected visitors with his exhibition of water sliding behind a fast moving speed boat.

The water ballets will be presented Friday and Saturday nights in the natural setting of Cabrillo Beach. Plans are being made to have the scene lit with gigantic searchlights of many colors which will present a beautiful sight visible for many miles.

Hauge Thanks People of District for His Smashing Win at Polls

With a great sense of gratitude Supervisor Oscar Hauge issued a statement late last week to the people of the Fourth Supervisorial District for the support given to his candidacy for retention in office. According to the Supervisor, the final results proved the remarkable victory to be in the hands of the voters throughout the territory, and the candidate responds with heartfelt gratitude.

The latest figures secured from County Registrar Kerr's records show that Supervisor Hauge received more than 57,000 votes, and finished way ahead of any of his opponents, winning over the field by more than three to one.

In his statement, Supervisor Hauge extended his gratitude for the response of his supporters and, according to the big odds by which he finished out in front of the nine opponents on the ballot, this is highly indicative of a victory Nov. 5.

of Comer, is visiting her sons, Lucian and Clarence, and plans to return to her home in Greenville, Ill., the latter part of September.

Mrs. Comer says she likes California but Illinois is her home and her mother, 97 years old, still lives there, so in spite of cold weather she wants to go back.

Wallace Post Sinks Hole-in-One at P. V.

Feeling particularly good, J. Wallace Post, president of the Torrance National Bank, took a particularly lusty swing with his No. 6 iron at the ball on the tee of the No. 8 hole Sunday morning.

The ball landed about six feet short of the pin and on the second bounce rolled in the hole.

Post had made his first hole-in-one after some 16 years' of playing on the Palos Verdes golf course. The distance was 138 yards.

Witnesses who certified to his particularly accurate drive included Joe Klink of this city, N. Y. Jordahl of Inglewood and Phil Singer of Palos Verdes.

Post will receive a watch fob trophy from the Professional Golfers' Association, a case of ginger ale and other merchandise awards for his hole-in-one.

Hunters "Go" Hollywood On Anniversary

After 40 years of staid married life Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hunter ended up in Hollywood on their anniversary. After seeing the sights, and calling upon their daughter, Mrs. Graham Tinning, they attended "Gone With the Wind" and had dinner at the Brown Derby.

They had a good time and found their mailbox filled with cards of congratulation, in addition to having a number of friends calling in person or by telephone to express good wishes.

But if you ever want a good laugh, get Minnie Hunter to tell you about the "wild" days of her youth when the big time in Minnesota was the annual Welsh "sing." All the Welsh people and their families and friends gathered for these sings from miles around and did the tonsils get aired!

Biegel Family Home From Trip to Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Biegel, Marilyn and Donald, of Harbor City, have returned from a trip to Denver, Colorado, where they visited their son Russell Jr. who is in the auditing department of the General Motors Acceptance Corporation there.

Russell Jr. asked to be remembered to his old friends and schoolmates at Lomita. He is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Webb at 201 East First Ave., Denver and would like to hear from the Gauchos, Jack Hixon, who is entering the Colorado University this fall, will stay with Russell.

Before returning home the Biegel family visited the Grand Canyon, Salt Lake City, Lake Tahoe and the San Francisco Exposition.

INDIANS WIN

With Bartlett and Al DeHoog on the mound, the Torrance-Lomita Indians defeated Pepsi-Cola, 10 to 7, last Sunday afternoon at the Torrance City park diamond.

Marine Football Season Begins On October 18

Two practice games will be played by the Torrance Tartar football team before the Marine League season begins on Oct. 18, it was learned this week from Coach Robert Barr. The Torrance grid mentor said he could "only hope for the best" in regard to a 1940 team, having lost six from his 1939 varsity squad. Barr said that he did not know yet if Torrance will have a Class B team this year.

The schedule follows:
Oct. 4—South Gate at Torrance (practice game).
Oct. 11—Torrance at Jordan (L. A.) practice game.

LEAGUE SCHEDULE
Oct. 18—Torrance at Narbonne. San Pedro at Gardena. Banning bye.
Oct. 25—Torrance at San Pedro. Gardena at Banning. Narbonne bye.
Nov. 1—Banning at San Pedro. Narbonne at Gardena. Torrance bye.
Nov. 7—Gardena at Torrance. Narbonne at Banning. San Pedro bye.
Nov. 15—Banning at Torrance. San Pedro at Narbonne. Gardena bye.

Outlet of Lomita Storm Drain To Be Changed

Change in the location of the outlet of the Lomita storm drain has made it necessary for the county to file a new condemnation suit to obtain the necessary right-of-way.

The new right-of-way will cost an estimated \$240, as against \$356 for the route originally laid out. The location is just east of Vermont avenue.

Wooldridge Writes

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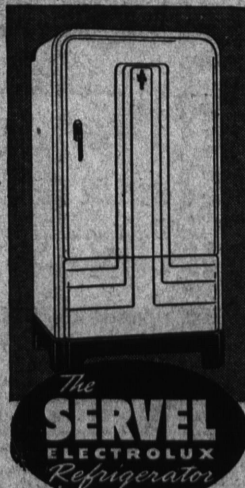
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