

Sports

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October 16, 1947

Ramblers Rap Lomita Park

In a hard fought game played last week at Lomita Park, the Normont Terrace Ramblers defeated Lomita Park 26 to 14.

Normont came to life in the last half and scored four touchdowns to win. Lomita led after scoring in the 2nd quarter on a long pass from Ed Ford to John Ford. Normont bounced back in the 2nd half on a long pass from Forbes to Rudy Leyva, who dodged through the whole Lomita Park team to score. This fired the team and they rolled up three quick touchdowns on two interceptions and a punt return to ice the game.

Normont Terrace: Cole, Wilson, Reubel, Crutcher, Anderson, Forbes, Leyva. Lomita Park: McDaniel, J. Ford, John Ford, E. Dandoy, R. Dandoy.

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Gaucha, Pilot B's Clash Today At Narbonne

Their football fortune resting, to some extent, on the agile throwing arm of fullback Gil Olvera, Coach Harry Hough's Narbonne B's open their 1947 Marine league season against Banning today on the Gauchoville turf. Kickoff time: 3 p.m.

The local B mentor has indicated that he will start the following linemen: H. Duncan (18), left end; Ison (16), left tackle; Lovell (18), left guard; Timms (15), center; LaFontain (23) or Moore (30), right guard; and Garrison (19), right end.

In the Gaucha backfield it will be Bluff (43) or Biller (14) calling plays from the quarterback post; Darst (28), left half; Austin (12), right half; and Olvera (25), fullback.

Like the Narbonne varsity, the B's are undefeated this year, having dumped Riis, 19-6 Friday afternoon in the first game of the season.

Banning B's are also unbeaten having knocked over Bell last week. Olvera connected with two touchdowns Thursday as the B's sank Riis. The first one went 30 yards to Harold Duncan, who scampered 10 more to score.

The second Olvera touchdown came on a line buck by Dick Darst after the B's put on a 65-yard sustained drive.

CANCER RESEARCH

The University of California has started an all-out research program on cancer with more than a million dollars in gifts provided for the purpose.

Kazarian's Field Goal Gives El Camino 9-6 Win

The El Camino Warriors won their first Metropolitan Conference game and their third tilt in a row by upsetting a favored Bakersfield team, 9 to 6, on Les Kazarian's field goal at Bakersfield last Friday night.

Some 300 Blue and Grey rooters made the trip, with the same number expected to go south tonight to see San Diego JC entertain Amby Schindler's boys. The Warriors will open their home season a week from Saturday when they meet Santa Monica City College at the Redondo bowl.

The game opened with Bakersfield receiving, but after two plays they forfeited the ball by fumbling on their own 24. Les Kazarian recovering, Two first downs by Phil Daher and Dick Contreras set up the Warrior touchdown, with Contreras skirting right end from the seven for the score.

After Kazarian's conversion was wide, the score stood 6 to 0 with a see-saw battle lasting until the middle of the second period. The Renegades marched 51 yards with Joe Aguirre connecting with aerials every where he threw them, climaxing the drive with a two yard toss to Halfback Charley Sarver on fourth down for the score.

After changing their pass defense during halftime, the mighty Warriors struck back during the 6 to 8 deadlock to intercept three passes, recover a pair of fumbles, and sew up the thriller on a field goal from the 17.

In the third period it was all Camino with Irv Gustafson intercepting late in the quarter and razing down to the 26. After Irv picked up another 10, three plays netted the locals nothing. Then Quarterback Jerry Witt called for Kazarian to put his toe to work, and the big tackle answered with a beauty, between the uprights.

Bakersfield was in trouble in the final periods as the Warrior line broke through several times to smear Aguirre. Contreras, who did all the punting, got his best kick away late in the game, and while Aguirre was trying to run the ball back, Bob LePorto hit him so hard, the ball squirted away with Bud Ingersoll recovering on the seven. El Camino failed to score, giving the Renegades another chance, but time ran out and the game ended.

El Camino was penalized 12 times for 100 yards, one time losing 35 yards between three plays, but on a third down play Gustafson faked a punt and made the longest run of the game, going 59 yards to the 26.

El Camino (9) Bakersfield (8) Carter (L.E.) Eastbridge (R. Ingersoll) E. Knapp (H. Ingersoll) L.C. Elmer (H. Knapp) J. Clark (McGee) R.C. Elmer (Kazarian) R.T. M. Knapp (Kessler) R.E. B. Berger (Witt) W.O. Sites (Contreras) L.H. Cook (Daher) R.H. Blalock (Peterson) R.H. Blalock

Score by Quarters: El Camino J.C. 6 0 3 0-9 Bakersfield J.C. 0 0 0 0-0

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Tartars Win, 27-7; Seek First Bay League Victory Saturday

Blocking and tackling. And more blocking and tackling.

These were the watchwords of the Torrance practice sessions this week in preparing for the powerful Jordan Panthers in the Tartars' second league game to be played at 8 p.m. Saturday at City College field, Long Beach.

The Jordan team is built around Bud Woodward, a stocky 215-pound bruiser who stands 5 feet, 8 inches tall. Woodward passed for one touchdown and ran over another in the last game when Jordan was upset by Beverly Hills, 24-14. Woodward also kicked both points after touchdowns.

The Panthers are the holders of the mythical championship of Long Beach and are looking to have the Bay league flag again waving now that championship last year. Coached by Ernie Radford, the Jordan Panthers will probably be snarling and looking for raw meat this weekend after taking their unexpected defeat from the Beverly Hills team. Eddie Cole, Torrance mentor, has been drilling the Tartars in the fundamentals, figuring that straight, hard football is the key to his boys taking their first Bay league game.

Cole was pleased with the way his lads performed against Saint Monica and thinks that his squad will be bolstered by the return of Bill Morgan, veteran left half who has been in the grip of the flu bug for more than a week.

With Tom Faren calling plays and running like the powerhouse he is, and Morgan to spell Bob Turner at the left half job, Torrance could surprise all the Woodward fans. Turner turned in a fine job in the Tartars first win last week and much is expected of him against Jordan.

The Tartars are in good shape for the game, with only a few boys bruised from last week's game and Harry Theodosis, second string end, the only real casualty on the squad. Harry hurt his foot in practice before the Saint Monica game and has been on crutches since then.

The same Tartar team that started against the Mariners will trot out on the field Saturday to meet Jordan. And don't sell Torrance short; they're a scrappy bunch of boys. Cole has been concentrating on stopping the mighty Woodward, and if he has been successful, the game is half won.

Probable starting lineups: TORRANCE: Jones, Sullivan, Donatoni, Harris, Forst, Hood, Turner, Dick, Taylor, Faren. JORDAN: Caviness, Tobbutt, Gower, Harrison, Soider, Marcel, Bruton, Hinds, Woodard.

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Midgets Race Tonight

Seven race meets remain on the 1947 night speedway program at Gilmore Stadium where the season will be climaxed with the running of the long awaited eleventh Grand Prix Thanksgiving night, daddy of all midget car features and annually the richest race on the Pacific Coast.

The six races leading up to the Grand Prix promise to rival the Thanksgiving race itself for thrills and excitement. Feature tonight will be the 40-lap Long Beach Sweepstakes. Races start at 8 o'clock, one-lap qualifying at 7 o'clock.

Revolver Scores

Torrance Police Pistol club scores for the week ending October 12, 1947.

Table with 4 columns: Name, Strings, Average. Rows include E. Ashton (271.00), L. Berry (268.50), A. Thompson (256.00).

High Slow Fire 98-Ashton, High Timed Fire 11-Thompson, High Individual Best 90-Berry, High Individual Best 27-Ashton.

Table with 4 columns: Name, Score, % Quarters, Blalock. Rows include J. Brown (281.33), High String (283).

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BOB TURNER 6 Yards at a Crack

more tallies in the second quarter and one in the last. The Mariner touchdown was a repetition of the Torrance touchdown against Redondo, Kenny Mahood pushing the ball over on a quarterback sneak from the Torrance one with barely seconds left in the game.

Tom Faren drew first blood for Torrance by slamming three yards over left tackle in the first period. His return to the game after being out for a week was marked by an improvement in the Tartar blocking. Tom called the plays for the home team doing well at this task also, as the score indicates.

Bob Turner was the big gun for Torrance, scoring the second touchdown with a five-yard buck over right tackle and also scoring the final Tartar TD with a 30-yard jaunt to the end zone after a beautifully timed pass interception in the last period.

Bob turned in the longest run of the game, a 41-yard romp around end, and was the leading ground-gainer as well as scorer for the local lads. He ran up a total of 94 yards in 15 tries for more than half of the Torrance yardage gained on the ground. His average Saturday was 6.26 yards per try, no mean feat in itself.

Milo Goetsch scored the other Torrance tally, hitting the weak left side of the Saint Monica line for five yards. "Milo" also turned in his usual vicious game on defense. Center Eddie Fortin made three out of four attempted place kicks for points after touchdowns, his one failure due to having his kick blocked.

Outstanding in the line for Torrance were Gene Stirling as usual, and Captain Jack Hood, Hood's catch of Dick Rupert's pass was almost good for a score and set up the second Torrance touchdown.

Neither team did much thru the air. Torrance only throwing two with Rupert's toss to Hood good for 21 yards and the second pitch by Dick Turner being intercepted. The boys from up Santa Monica way had a much better record, completing two to their own receivers and four to the Tartars out of ten attempts.

With their first win under their belts, the Tartars will be after their second victory this Saturday night against a tough squad from Long Beach Jordan.

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Score by Quarters: Torrance 6 14 0 2-27 Saint Monica 0 0 0 7-7

Torrance Touchdown: Bob Turner 2; Tom Faren, Goetsch (for Bob Turner) 3 (placement). Saint Monica scoring: Touchdown—Mahood; Conversion—Leonard (pass from Mahood).

Ends—Freston, Webb, Brannum. Avars; tackles—Stephenson, Conon, Carstena, Daniels; Passes: Harry Oefinger, Dominguez, Gene Jones; center—Goetsch; Frank, Kashak, Licht, Rupert, Frank, Farson.

Officials: Referee, Marty Martinielli; Line judge, Tom Hill; Umpire, Carla, Long Beach Poly; Head linesman, Red Montgomery, Long Beach Poly.

STATISTICS: First downs, passing, punting, Total first downs, Yards lost, rushing, Net yards, rushing, Passes attempted, Passes completed, Passes intercepted, Yards gained, passing, Net yards gained, Fumbles recovered, Yards lost, penalties.

Torrance B Team Steamrollers St. Monica, 39-0

The Torrance High School field was the scene of a slaughter last Friday afternoon as the Torrance B football squad went over, around, above, and thru a hapless Saint Monica junior varsity to amass a total of 39 points to none for the visitors.

Marked by brutal blocking and tackling by the Tartar B's, the game's outcome was never once in doubt. Even 10 yards in penalties assessed against the home team, including two scores called back, failed to slow them down.

Leading the Tartar attack was Left Half Boyd Crawford who scored two touchdowns on runs of 12 and 22 yards each, passed to Right End Dave Doherty for a 37-yard score, and made three of the six attempted points after touchdowns.

Bob Snuffer, substitute left half, scored twice on runs of 25 yards each around his right end, and Leroy Swigart, second string full, wound up the afternoon's tallying with a seven-yard romp, also around the right end.

The little Tartars ran up 13 first downs against four for the visitors. Nine of these were made by rushing while two were gained by passing and the other two on penalties. All four Saint Monica first downs were by rushing.

The local lads also excelled in aerials, completing six out of nine tries and having only one intercepted. Saint Monica sought to the air but once, only to have the pass intercepted. The visitors fumbled five times, losing the ball twice.

Coach Cliff Graybehl substituted freely after the first quarter. The starting team made only one appearance in the second half when they ran one series of plays and then retired from the game for good.

Tomorrow, the Torrance B's face a much tougher foe when the Long Beach Jordan B team will show up for a regular Bay league game on the Torrance High field.

Table with 4 columns: Name, Position, Points. Rows include Dean, Bogue, Knappke, Taylor, Egan, Morris, Yorbis, Orsatti, Standridge, Gonsales, Wall, Wilson, Schweizer.

BAY LEAGUE STANDINGS

Table with 5 columns: Team, W, L, Pct, Pts. Rows include Santa Monica, Redondo, Beverly Hills, Inglewood, Torrance, El Segundo, Leuzinger.

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This week's games: TORRANCE at Jordan, Redondo at Santa Monica, Inglewood at Beverly Hills, El Segundo at outcaster, Non-league game.

Narbonne, Banning Open League Grid Wars Today At Wilmington

Narbonne's galloping Gauchos and Banning's peerless Pilots—both widely tabbed as soft touches in the depleted, 4-team Marine circuit—will remove the wrapping from the 1947 league football parcel today at Wilmington. Kickoff time: 3 p.m.

Far from exhilarated despite the Wash- charges donated the Wash- ington High reserves, Narbonne Coach Sheldon Loughborough this week reiterated: "I still say today's game is the battle for the cellar."

Out in Pilot territory, where Coach Vincent Carrese is probably talking along much the same lines, the meagre information at hand might bear the Banning coach out. For the Pilots dropped a hair raiser to Bell Friday, 7-6.

While Loughborough was calling a blue note out Narbonne way and Carrese was gathering his team together after the Bell defeat, things were moving toward a crescendo in the thriving cities of San Pedro and Gardena, who are reputedly sporting the teams to watch.

The two titans meet head on head today in Gardena in a contest which many "experts" have selected as one of the league's deciding games.

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Early flights of ducks foretell good shooting during the migratory wildfowl season which opens Tuesday, the bureau of game conservation, California Division of Fish and Game, reports.

The season runs from Oct. 21, to Nov. 3, it will reopen Dec. 23 and close again Jan. 5. The limit is four ducks and eight in possession.

Many ducks, with Sprig predominating, already are resting on South San Francisco Bay and sizeable flocks have arrived at the Suisun and Los Banos refuges, Tule Lake, and some parts of Imperial Valley.

The arrival of a flight of approximately 150,000 Sprig was reported from Imperial Valley last week.

Reports from over the state indicate that ducks, in varying numbers, are congregating wherever there is water.

A few early geese also are arriving, with a fairly heavy concentration already on hand at Tule Lake.

BEARS, HARBOR HILLS FIGHT TO STALEMATE

In a game marred by fumbles and other miscues, the Normont Terrace Bears and Harbor Hills last week fought to a 0-0 standstill on the Terrace turf.

Minus the services of Ed Hutchinson, who had suffered a sprained hip earlier in the season, the Bears lacked scoring punch.

The Bears were led by D. Cole, T. Eggleston, J. Moore, and J. Hammond.

line coach Walter Kuns would probably come forth with the following line: Jack Garbrant, left end; Ralph Collins, left tackle; Ed Hansen, left guard; Alfred Dudley, center; Forrest Bell, right guard; Bob Scales, right tackle; and Duane Parsons, right end. Average weight: 172 pounds.

All-Marine looper Bill Stits, a sophomore who totes 180 pounds and most of the Gaucha offense, will hit 'em and heavy 'em from the starting fullback slot.

Jack Allen, newly converted from center, will start at left half in a surprise move. Right half, the flanker position in Loughborough's system, will go to fast starting Bill Miller, the Gaucha's most effective broken field threat. Calling the plays will be Bill Kelley, from quarterback.

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Table with 4 columns: Name, Position, Points. Rows include PEDRO, CRISA, MILLER, MARKS, GARR, HIGH, KATOPER.

Table with 4 columns: Name, Position, Points. Rows include PATERSON, SCHLAGEL, WHITTE, TAKAHASHI, HARPER, EARLEY, BARMAN, HARRIS, HERNANDEZ, CHARLES.

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