



"CHIEF" BILL WEST
Famed Indian Muscularian.

Indian Star To Appear at Benefit Game

"Chief" Bill West, former All-American football and Olympic star, will be one of the top drawing features of the Torrance-Lomita Optimist Clubs' sponsored Donkey Baseball game July 16.

The Cherokee Indian, cousin of Will Rogers and well known motion picture actor, will be on hand to please both the kids and the grown-ups when the game gets underway at 8 p. m.

West, who will appear in "full Indian dress" is one of the few football players to return to the

BICYCLE RETURNED

Police last Thursday returned the stolen bicycle of Jules Andrie, 2425 West 22nd street, after they found it in a lot on Sepulveda boulevard.

The bicycle was stolen the night before from in front of the Torrance Bowling alley, police reports indicated.

grid following an absence of 20 years, according to Howard J. Percy, publicity chairman for the game. The actor may be remembered for his fetes on the grid when he played for the University of California in 1929, where he performed almost a quarter of a century before.

Profits from the benefit game will be used to promote boys work in the Torrance-Lomita area, said Percy.

Ruth Oriani, Cousin in Riding Mishap

Ruth Oriani, 18, possibly saved her own life last Saturday, thanks to her expert horsemanship while her cousin, Alfred Oriani, 20, suffered a possible broken thigh—his horse being killed in the double runaway.

Ruth, who last September rescued a baby from drowning in a tar pit, and her cousin were horseback riding in an open field near Avalon Village when a car back-fired and frightened their horses.

The horses raced out of control toward a drainage ditch, 10 feet deep and 20 feet wide. At the edge of the ditch, Ruth brought her horse to a skidding stop. Oriani's plunged over. The horse's neck was broken and Oriani's thigh injured in the fall. He also suffered a fractured arm.

Oriani was taken to Harbor General Hospital.

His condition is reported as satisfactory. They both reside at 1565 West 22nd street.

Ruth, who works at Roger's Drive in Harbor City, was returning from a parade in Wilmington when the accident occurred.

Veteran of Two Wars Recovering

Raymond G. Tomkins, of Palm Springs, and long-time Torrance resident, under treatment and observation at Norco Hospital, Corona, where he was entered almost a month ago, is making a satisfactory recovery. Tomkins, who served with the United States Navy in World War I and II, was joined in service by his three sons in the last war.

COLORADO VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. William Lightenberg and Frances Ann, of 1310 Manuel avenue returned Sunday from two weeks' vacation in Boulder, Colo., where they visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Poe.

BAD RISKS

Midget auto race drivers can not buy insurance.



"OFF TO FIESTA DAYS . . . Sally Ann Masury, left, and Beverly Husted, two Redondo Beach beauties, don western garb reminiscent of the Gold Rush Days and head out for El Redondo '49er Fiesta and Centennial Days slated for July 19 through July 24. The donkey, Murgetroyd, seems a shade smug . . . and why not, with western garb like that. Highlight of the city-wide celebration is the Third Annual Fiesta Parade and Barbecue set for July 24.

Redondo to Celebrate with Five Day Fiesta

Redondo Beach citizens are looking forward to the third annual revival of their Spanish festival coupled this year with the California State Centennial.

A five-day celebration will start Tuesday, July 19th, and wind up the following Sunday.

Kickoff event for the celebration will be a coronation ball in honor of the El Redondo '49er Fiesta Queen. The ball will feature the music of Spade Cooley and his band.

Aquatic events will be staged on Friday evening and Saturday morning. Lifeguards and water ski performers will put on thrilling aquatic exhibitions.

Quartet Visits Honolulu Over Fourth of July

It is a nice place to spend the Fourth, agreed four local residents as they stepped ashore in Honolulu from a naval vessel on a Reserve cruise to the Hawaiian Islands, last week.

The foursome includes William L. Johnston, 2126 Middlebrook Road; David J. Dougherty, 1534 West 204th street; Leo I. Wagner, 20520 South Elliott avenue; and Walter R. West, 2034 Reynolds Drive.

The Navy provided them with a tour of the island and a big hula show at the Recreation Center at Pearl Harbor. All ships were in full dress for the holiday and Honolulu celebrated Independence Day like any other American city.

The Naval Reservists from Torrance left Long Beach, California, with 1000 other Reservists on June 25 aboard three destroyers and will return on July 14. While in Honolulu, the Reservists have been visiting the famous beach at Waikiki, Royal Hawaiian Hotel, Iolani Palace, the museums, gardens,

Pacific Hills New Home Tract To Open Soon

Formal opening of the first unit of Pacific Hills, the K. Sande Senness development at Newton and Madison streets, is set for the week-end of July 16 and 17, the builder-developer announced.

The initial unit features 59 two and three-bedroom homes for G.I.'s, with prices starting at \$7900.

To be offered under straight G. I. financing, there will be no down payment to veterans, Senness said.

Senness, who has a long-range construction program mapped out for the improvement of the historic Weston Ranch, announced that purchase of stoves and refrigerators with the homes is optional.

Now in his 11th year as a builder, Senness has constructed more than 3500 single-family homes and rental units under his banner of "Homes of Tomorrow" throughout Southern California.

Immediately prior to undertaking his current construction program, Senness completed a building program of several hundred homes in Hawthorne, Inglewood, and Manhattan Beach.

SMALL LAD HURT IN CAR, TRUCK CRASH

A small boy, Jay Osterberg, aged 5, of Inglewood, was injured in a crash Thursday morning when the small Crosley Station Wagon in which he was riding with his mother crashed with a milk truck at 235th street and Pennsylvania avenue.

Carlos DeLeon, 33, of 1123 257th street, was listed as being the driver of the truck.

NEUTRAL COLORS

Georgetown University's colors—Blue and Grey—stem from Civil War days. The university, observing strict neutrality, selected the colors to honor students who left school to join both Confederate and Union armed forces.

RECORD

A Dodger fan in Brooklyn has the names of all current Brooklyn ball players tattooed on his arm.

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