



YOUR TURN . . . Ron Anderson, right, front line, hurler for the Torrance Junior Legion ball club, hands horsehide to Bob Clifford, who made his pitching debut in the Redondo game Saturday.

# Pro Ball Beckons Local Gridders

## LEGION NINE STILL LOOKS FOR VICTORY

Torrance's Junior Legion baseball nine played a pair of league games over the holiday week end, but the only fireworks came off the bats of opposing players as the locals were dumped by Redondo on Saturday, 6-3, and by Samuel Thomas Post of Long Beach the next day, 8-2.

## Bluebirds Face Aztecs On Sunday

The Gardena Aztecs move into Torrance Park Sunday at 2 p.m. for a Harbor League game with the hometown Bluebirds, who currently are leading the loop by a full game.

## Seven Hopefuls Set for Practice

Seven football stars from this area are priming themselves for flings with four National Football League elevens, as the 1955 pro football practice sessions begin this month.

## Cubs Stretch Lead; Austin Swats 5 Homers

Scoring a 5-3 win over the Yankees Sunday with the aid of Mike Czarzkie's two homers, the Cubs moved out to take a one-game lead in National Little League action over the holiday week end.

## Bruins Still Holding North Torrance Lead

The Bears took the Indians, 10-3, in North Torrance Little League play over the week end. Still holding down first place in the four-team league are the Bruins. The Indians and Bears are tied for second place, while the Trojans have the cellar all to themselves.

## RUTH LEAGUE TO RAFFLE VEHICLE

Torrance Babe Ruth League backers will be given a chance to win a station wagon at a drawing to be held Saturday in conjunction with the Pancake Breakfast at Roth's.

## Clifford, Grieshaber Pitch

Redondo outhit Torrance in registering the Saturday victory. John Beattie bested Torrance's Bob Clifford and Ray Grieshaber on the mound.

## Super-powered CRA hotrod

A wide variety of engines power the cars—Offenhausers, Cadillacs, Chryslers, Mercurys, DeSotos, Fords, Chevrolets and Hudsons.

## Two Forfeits In Loop Play

Both the Rotary and Optimist teams picked up forfeit victories Tuesday night in the Service Club softball league at Torrance Park.

## Alondra Swimmers Schedule Meets

Swimmers representing Alondra Park Playground have scheduled two meets this month, the first of which has been set for July 15 at Will Rogers Playground pool.

## TORRANCE BLUEBIRDS 1955 BATTING, PITCHING MARKS

Table with columns for player name, G, AB, R, H, 2B, 3B, HR, BB, SB, RBI, PCT. Includes batting averages for Tom Vanderpool, Swayne Johnson, Larry Roy, etc. and pitching averages for Strong, Vanderpool, Schlarb, Robinson, Bishop.

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## Both Veterans

Stits and Held are both veterans with the Lions, while Robertson is a rookie candidate for the squad. All three report to Coach Buddy Parker's eleven on Aug. 1.

## Braves Rebound

Austin homered again but the Braves took revenge as they edged the Cards, 3-2, on Independence Day. Each team got only two hits, but three Card errors spelled the difference.

Advertisement for Swimming and Diving Lessons at Hollywood Club Riviera Swimming Pool. Includes pricing of \$15.00 for 10 lessons and contact information: 201 Paseo de la Playa - Redondo Beach, FR. 5-2441.

Advertisement for 'Eat with Charley' at Daniel's Cafe, 1625 Cabrillo Ave. Features the slogan 'JUST PLAIN HUNGRY?' and 'Eat with Charley'.

Large advertisement for Ford '55 Six cylinder business 2 door for \$1759. Includes an image of the car and the text 'Come in for the best deal of your life!' and 'OSCAR MAPLES, INC. YOUR FORD DEALER'.

Table titled 'KEGLING' showing Monday Mens Handicap and Wednesday Mixed Foursome results with team names and scores.