

HOOVER TOO MUCH FOR TARTAR ELEVEN; SMITH SCAMPERS 90 YARDS FOR TALLY

Glendale Crew Topples Locals In Opener, 31-7

Torrance High's bid for success in its first grid encounter of the season fell 25 points short Friday night here as the Tartars went down before a five touchdown deluge by Glendale Hoover, 31-7. Hoover took advantage of every break and capitalized on a number of penalties to turn the game into a rout. In defeat, however, the locals showed they could put together a dangerous offense that might mean much trouble for future opponents.

Fullback Skip Smith carried the brunt of the Tartar offense, carrying the ball on almost 75 per cent of the plays. Starting halfbacks John Gomez and Craig Edman took the pigskin through the line only four times between them as quarterback Bill Meacham kept plugging Smith, who couldn't be stopped.

In fact Captain Smith scored the only Tartar tee-dee. After the Hooverites had tallied their final six-point, Skip gathered in the kick off on his own 10 yard marker, blasted up the middle, then cut to the right side lines and went all the way for the tally. He also kicked the extra point, with Meacham holding.

Center Gary Haynes attempted extra point kick wide to the left. A comedy of errors followed the kick off. After the Tartars failed to gain in three running smashes, second string quarterback Charley Valencia dropped back to punt but the kick was smothered by the crashing Hoover linemen. Glendale then had the ball, first and 10, on the Tartar 15.

On the second offensive play, Hoover QB Bob Bell fumbled and Torrancia recovered. Fullback Smith bulled up the middle for the big yards, but on second down, the locals fumbled and Hoover recovered on the 20.

Tartar end Tony Ward smashed into a fourth down pile up and recovered a Hoover fumble that gave the locals the ball on their own 20. After three plays brought nothing to the Tartars, Valencia was rushed again during a kicking situation, but managed to boot a line drive shot on the run that was fumbled by a Hoover receiver and recovered by Torrancia on their own 28 yard line.

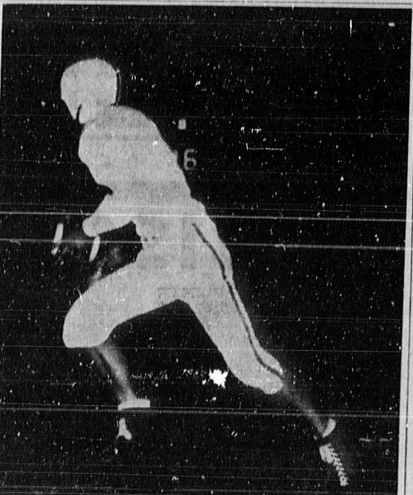
On the first scrimmage play, Meacham came up lame after cutting back through right tackle on a four yard gain. Valencia, who is in his first season as a QB, replaced the injured signal caller. Hoover came right back after receiving another Valencia punt to score. Highlight of the drive was a 46 yard pass play, from Bell to end Don DeLuca. Dick Foushee, big fullback, bulled over from the one to give the visitors a 12-0 lead.

Haynes' kick was good this time. Score: Hoover, 13, Torrancia, 0. Time ran out in the first half with no more scoring, as the outmanned Tartars stiffened their defense and contained the swift Hoover backs.

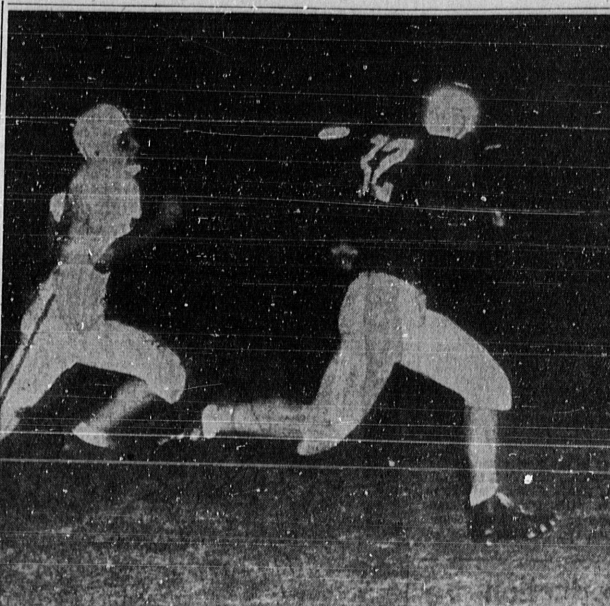
The Tartars exchanged down series with the Hooverites after the second half kick off. With Meacham at the helm again, the locals went for two straight first downs with Smith's delayed burst up the middle for 15 yards being the big play. Meacham's third down pass straight down the middle was deflected and finally intercepted by Hoover's Hank Repscha. Repscha returned five yards to the Torrancia 40 and in four plays the visitors were in pay dirt again. Cassidy took a pitchout for 20 yards, then quarterback Bell faked a hand off and ran 15 yards on a naked reverse to the five. Foushee then drove over in two straight cracks up the middle.

Haynes tried his luck again at booting the extra point, but the ball went wide. Score: Hoover, 19; Torrancia, 0.

Foushee's Turn Next With a spectacular run was next in line. After the kick off, the Tartars failed to gain and Valencia punted to the Hoover fullback, who took the ball on his own 25 and went all the way to the one foot line where he was pulled down from behind by Edman. Bell finished up the drive on the next play, registering the visitor's fourth TD on a sneak. Haynes' kick



AROUND END... Bob Bell, Glendale Hoover quarterback, scoots around left end for good gain in Friday game with Torrancia eleven. Bell, a converted end, scored one touchdown, while guiding team to victory over locals.



AWAY HE GOES... Skip Smith, Tartar fullback, pulls away from last defender in 90-yard touchdown gallop Friday night on THS field. Smith had just received kick off following final Glendale Hoover score. He went up the middle, then to the sidelines where he outran Hoover defenders. Smith scored only Tartar touchdown in 31-7 loss to Glendale team in season opener.

SPORTS

Four SEPT. 26, 1955 TORRANCE HERALD

KEGLING

This Week's Trout Plant

Ross Hood posted a top individual game of 202 Thursday to take game honors in the Men's Recreation League. Hood also had the best series, putting together a three-game total of 520.

This week the following Southern California lakes and streams are scheduled to be restocked with catchable-size rainbow trout by the Department of Fish and Game:

- | Thursday Recreation | W | L |
|---------------------|------|---|
| Mayfair Creamery | 6 | 2 |
| Elks 1 | 6 | 2 |
| Elks 2 | 6 | 2 |
| Legion 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Lions 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Legion 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Lions 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Elks 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Moose | 1 | 3 |
| THG—Legion 1 | 935 | |
| THG—Legion 1 | 2568 | |
| IHG—Ross Hood | 202 | |
| IHS—Ross Hood | 520 | |
- Los Angeles County—Crystal Lake, Big Rock Creek, Lower Big Tujunga Creek, East Fork San Gabriel River, West Fork San Gabriel River, San Bernardino County—Arrowhead Lake, Big Bear Lake, Green Valley Lake, Gregory Lake, North Fork Lytle Creek, Middle Fork Lytle Creek, Rainbow Lake on upper Deep Creek.
- Riverside County—Fulmer Lake, Hemet Lake.
- Ventura County—Santa Paula Creek.
- NOTE: Because of heavy sitting resulting from a summer cloudburst, the main Santa Ana River has been deleted from the trout planting program for the remainder of this season.

- #### Thursday Women's Handicap
- | Team | W | L |
|-----------------------|------|---|
| Team 5 | 6 | 2 |
| Bickar Electric | 6 | 2 |
| Team 7 | 4 | 4 |
| Team 8 | 4 | 4 |
| Team 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Team 3 | 4 | 4 |
| Liberty Appliance | 4 | 4 |
| LeMar Beauty Shop | 2 | 6 |
| Team 6 | 2 | 6 |
| THG—Bickar Electric | 874 | |
| THS—Liberty Appliance | 2515 | |
| IHG—Betty Rogers | 44 | |
| IHS—Betty Rogers | 166 | |
- #### Safeway Fivesome
- | Store | W | L |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| Store 190 | 7 | 1 |
| Team 6 | 6 | 2 |
| Team 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Team 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Team 5 | 4 1/2 | 3 1/2 |
| Team 2 | 4 | 5 |
| Team 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Team 7 | 2 | 6 |
| Team 4 | 1 1/2 | 6 1/2 |
| THG—Team 5 | 701 | |
| THS—Team 5 | 2057 | |
| IHG—(Men) Bob Williams | 192 | |
| IHG—(Women) | | |
| M. Spradling | 175 | |
| THS—(Men) Bob Dillon | 477 | |
| IHS—(Women) | | |
| Marie Fears | 398 | |
- #### Wednesday Fivesome
- | Team | W | L |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| Team 8 | 5 | 3 |
| Nannay Cleaners | 5 | 3 |
| Team 2 | 5 | 3 |
| Family Store | 5 | 3 |
| Team 5 | 4 | 4 |
| Team 4 | 3 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Bombers | 2 1/2 | 5 1/2 |
| Team 7 | 2 | 6 |
| THG—Team 2 | 1034 | |
| THS—Team 2 | 2773 | |
| TRG—(Men) Furguivelle | 199 | |
| IHG—(Women) | | |
| A. Keifert | 175 | |
| IHS—(Men) Jack Ballard | 563 | |
| IHS—(Women) | | |
| A. Keifert | 452 | |

Saxons Drill Hard for Grid Opener Friday

North High Saxon Coach Cliff Graybehl took a slightly optimistic outlook for his brand new ball club after a rugged two hour scrim Thursday night on the THS field.

Graybehl and assistant Bill Esslings were enthused over the pin-point passing of Ray Graishaber and Bob Walker from the tailback position. Both threaded the needle consistently, but were aided by the glue-fingered catching of end Gene Daimler.

Daimler, a slight 5'8" and 140 pounds has shown remarkable ability to hold onto the ball, Graybehl said.

Other stand outs included Linemen Bill Reeves, Rob Allen, Jim Whitley and Bill Warren and backs Jimmy Powers and Doug Irvine.

GRAJEDA IS SPARK PLUG OF BEE II

Letterman Rob Grajeda has been pacing the Tartarbee eleven in practices to date, Coach Dave Dana said Friday. Grajeda, who supplied the extra point that gave the 1954 Bees a slim win over Samohi and the Bay League title, is running at right halfback on the squad. Dana and his assistant, Herb Solomon, are both high on the speedy back.

Dana said his first squad rang up nine tee-dees in a full scale scrim Thursday. Grajeda, quarterback Mike Babbitt and George Boscon spark plugged the attack.

Grajeda has kicked 15 consecutive extra points in practice sessions. Dana continued. Dana and Solomon are particularly high also on the squad's quarterbacking fortunes. Both Babbitt and Larry Denning have been pitching the ball well and should see a lot of action, the coaches said.

The Tartarbee's mentor spent Friday night at Long Beach, where he scouted the Long Beach Wilson Bees, first foe for the THS Bees. The locals host Wilson Thursday at 2:30 p.m. on the local field.

Zamperini to Speak Tonight

Lou Zamperini, former Torrance High and SC Trojan track ace, will return to his old home area tonight when he appears before the Optimist Club here to speak on combating juvenile delinquency.

The dinner meeting is scheduled to start at 7 p.m. Zamperini was one of the greatest milers in track history, setting running marks right and left in an illustrious career. He set the interscholastic high school mile mark of 4:21.2 in 1934 and that standard stood until 1949 when it was finally broken by an Anderson, Ind., prep,er, John Strayton.

While attending SC, Lou toured the mile distance in 4:33.3 in June, 1938 at Minneapolis, Minn., for an NCAA mark.

Zamperini was a prisoner of the Japanese during World War II. An Air Force bombardier, he was shot down while flying near the Marshall Islands, and spent 47 days on a raft before being fished out by the enemy.

He now is a resident of North Hollywood and is active in the fight to curb juvenile delinquency.

HOME OWNERS
Of all the U. S. families with incomes of about \$7500 per year, more than 70 per cent own their homes.

CAMERA COSTS
U. S. amateur photographers spend \$400 million a year.

CALL FA 8-9864
Sun. 5 P.M.—Men's 4sum

WED. 2 P.M.—Women's Handicap
TRIO SCRATCH TUESDAY

Saxonbees Meet Jordan

Lack of experience still is plaguing the North High Bee eleven, which continues drills this week for its opening game Thursday at Long Beach Jordan.

Coach Del Nuzum was joined recently by an assistant, Herb Blue, former math teacher at THS who is teaching the same subject at the new high school. Blue saw action as a guard and tackle at Baylor University. He also has coached at San Angelo High School, San Angelo, Tex.

Robert Romero and Roy Westerman have been leading the candidates for the open tailback spot. Nuzum said, Sheldon Martin is the only 11e stand out, where he has been making good progress at center.

Another goodie is Bruce Stinger, a junior, who covets at wingback for the Saxonbees.

ECC SCORES LATE TO TIE WITH CUBS

El Camino's Warriors had to rally for a TD in the final period Friday night to gain a tie with Los Angeles City College in a non-conference tilt on the Cub's turf.

Jerry Nicholson and Bob Bass scored the Warriors' touchdowns, with the latter tallying the final six-point, Bob Schoolcraft kicked both extra points.

The locals travel to Long Beach Wilson, Friday night, for their second game of the term. It will be a practice tussle, slated to start at 8 p.m.

Hoover 6 7 12 6-31
Torrance 0 0 0 7-7

Scoring—Hoover: TD, Cassidy; Foushee, 2, Bell, Kyle. Conversion—Haynes. Torrancia: TD, Smith. Conversion—Smith.

SUN - MON - TUES.
A Show to Delight the Hearts of All Kids, 2 to 99

A DISNEY-RAMA
6 Walt Disney Masterpieces

"Peter Pan"
"Stormy the Thoroughbred"
(with an inferiority complex)

"Alaskan Eskimo"
"3 Little Pigs"

and 2 DISNEY CARTOONS

ENTERTAINING GUESTS
OR BUSINESS ASSOCIATES?
or
JUST SEEKING SUPERB FOOD
NOW YOU MAY

ENJOY THE FINEST DINING ROOM SERVICE
IN THE

JAMAICA INN
OF THE
HOLLYWOOD RIVIERA CLUB
201 PASEO DE LA PLAYA

SERVICE
10:30 A.M.
TO
9:30 P.M.

PHONE FR 5-2441
FOR RESERVATIONS

TLM
* B.Y.P.S. *
* B.Y.P.S. *
TLM