Tappa Keggas Can Nab First Half Title With Win Only one West Coast Stor Pitch League team, the Ei Monte Hawks, has a mathemi tical change of gaining a tie Monte Manger, will hurl one the former antry to clinch the half championship. Tirst-half play ends tomory needing a double win over the South Torrance club coupled loss by the Keggas to Haw thorne to gain the deatter. The KEGS need only one win against the strong Haw that the defending championship. Tirst-half play ends tomory south Torrance club coupled loss by the Keggas to Haw thorne to gain the deatter. The Strikt Standings. The Kegas is week and will be seeing two wins to regain a half standings. The Strikt Standings. The Strikt Standings. The Strikt Standings and former minor league the second place spot in the first-half standings. The Strikt Standings. The Strikt Standings and Standings. The Strikt Standings and Standings. The Strikt Standings and Standi

row night with the Hawks seeking two wins to regain a second place spot in the first league win, the Gardena Bulls half standings. It is standings. Since losing their openers to the league leaders, El Monte has come on strong with sit to rescuive wins and hopes to make it eight straight at the expense of the Knight Owls was at Torrance Park. at Torrance Park. department.

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Keen Tops Ascot Field Tomorrow

Neil Keen of Pasadena takes spotlight tomorrow night at Ascot Park when he faces the redhot field astride his own BSA machine, the two-wheeler that carried him to the 1961 championship with an all-time

Keen, who has had his trou bles trying to adapt his riding style to a different make of bike, now rates among the fa-vorites in the 15-lap expert class main event.

The 135-pound 29-year-old Crown City rider last year set a win streak Ascot record of 11 streaght victories. The streak included the eight-mile

ALSO EXPECTED to show streak included the eight-mile inational AMA championship, a title he defends late next chased Prince of Plenty home, Neil McCarthy's Royal Attack and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sternberger's Doc Jocoy. Royal Attack's runner-up effort was his best showing since taking the Santa Anita Derby last winter. Doc Jocoy, who won the

Santa Anita Derby last white: Doc Jocoy, who won the California Derby and defeated Royal Attack in winning the Isan Felipe Handicap at Arca-dia, also turned in a strong Hammer, Lakewood, and Al Hammer, Lakewoo Gunter, Alhambra. performance in his first start in over a month. Howard Keck's Pirate Cove,

FOUR of them have won main events this year.

Clyde Lifch of San Gabriel continues to to dominate the amateur division. His chief contenders are Russ Bacarella, Los Angles; Homer Stapps, San Gabriel; and Elliott Schultz, South Gate. Schultz only recently returned to racing after recovering from in-juries suffered last summer when he rode on top of the east crash wall for 100 feet before tumbling.

DICK GUGLIELMANA of Garden Grove remains the rider to beat in the novice division

came through with 13 strike i faiph Olea nuried the indians outs to give the Tordondo Lit-tie League Tigers a 7 to 0 vic tory over the Braves and knock the loser's out of first place. Tremendous defensive play by Donnie Cowden and Greg Cather eided the control humans to a 6-4 decision. The Indians countered the home run power of Dennis Gibson and Joe Sav-age for the losers with a cir-cuit clout by Steve Hill. Chucker Dan Stern and his sonst of the White Soy Racing, uner the personal di-rection of J. C. Agajanian, be-gins at 8:30 p.m., qualifying at 7 p.m.

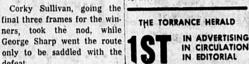
Pony Managers

up to boost the White Sox over the Cubs, 6-1. Stern gave up only three hits, and Horna-**Meet Saturday** day accounted for five of the

six Pale Hose runs with two doubles. Corky Arneson also clubbed a pair of two-baggers A meeting of all managers, coaches, and parents of the North Torrance Pony League has been called by league president Russ Pausch.

MIKE MAHAFFEY belted a single, two doubles and a homer as the Senators shaded Arlington and 190th St., is MIKE MAHAFFEY belted a the Dodgers, 8 to 7. Craig perhaps the most important of Lane kent the Dodgers in the the dodgers in the sear. Lane kept the Dodgers in the fight with a pair of doubles

All persons interested in the future of the league are urged to attend.





Charles McCabe, Esquire

In the days before life grew spacious in our fair land, and sleeping on a Sealy became sleeping on a cloud, ballplayers sacked two to a bunk on the road. Maybe even three, at times. Depending on the owner's day at the track. Or the sales of his beer.

Two such buddies on the Philadelphia Athletics team of 1902 were Rube Waddell, a pitcher, and Ossee Schreckengost, a catcher who later mercifully truncated his handle to Schreck. Both loved firewater and baseball and got along pretty good.

But there was a rift in the lute. Waddell, a lefthanded thrower, ate animal crackers in bed. This bruised Schreck's peace of mind. He went to Connie Mack, the team manager, and said he wouldn't sign for 1903 unless a clause was inserted in Rube's contract asking that he cease and desist from the immoderate consumption of animal crackers in bed.

"I don't mind most animal crackers," Schreck said, "but those with horns are killing my back."

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George Edward Harrison Reed Winchester Reuben Waddell, of Bradford, Pa. (1876-1914) was a Goya in the gallery of baseball's eccentrics. And that, my hearties, is saying something.

He drank whiskey as if it were ditch water, worked as a bartender when broke, played marbles with children, and chased after fire engines, sometimes in the uniform of a drum major. He was the greatest drawing-card in baseball.

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More than anyone else he is responsible for the widely held baseball view that left-handed pitchers are a bare remove from the loony bin. A view, incidentally, that finds some confirmation in the facts. You could look it up.

Rube often stuffed a hot dog in his hip pocket before going on the pitcher's mound. When the game got tough, he would hack off a bite or two.

He is said to have been the only man in baseball history who threw a mustard spitball. A spitball, for those who came in late, is a curve pitched by moistening the side of the baseball with spit.

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When his team was at bat, Rube often strolledacross the street in Philly for a short beer and a game of pool. During Florida's spring training, he liked to wrestle alligators.

Like other famed athletes of those days, he picked up walking-around money by acting. He was chief attraction of a number called "The Stain of Guilt." Rube's role required that he throw the villain off the stage.

After it opened at Chicago's Alhambra Theater, a reviewer said: "The stain of guilt for this play will have to rest partly upon the man who wrote it and partly upon whoever hired Waddell."

Rube beat up the manager of the company for saying he should be carrying a hod instead of acting. The next day, at Dayton, Ohio, he was horsing around with one of the actors, and shot the lad through the hand. Immediately he visited a rival theater, which featured an animal act. He climbed into the cage with a lion, and was bitten.

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He reported to Connie Mack in the middle of the 1902 season. He lost his first start, but after that pitched like nobody ever had or has in baseball. He started 27 games and completed 26. He won 23 games in a half season, and was almost personally responsible for the A's winning the pennant.

When the team got back to Philly, pretty girls on bicycles were waving banners, "RUBE DID IT!" He was an early and easy choice for the baseball Hall of Fame

Connie Mack, who worried about Rube 'because Rube wouldn't, must have been a miracle of patience. "Rube is not as black as he is painted," he once said. "but he will never be mistaken for one of Raphael's cherubims."

When Rube died in 1914. an old Chronicle clipping reported, in the language of the time, that he was a

Lions Strip Attracts **Strong Drag Field**

One of the strongest fields of fuel and gas dragsters to compete this year, will line up Saturday night at Lions Drag Strip in Long Beach. Last Saturday night's upset winner, Don Hampton, has to to particular the strong strong to the strong strong strong to the strong strong

winner, Don Hampton, has to be rated as the man to beat in the fuel eliminator event, even though the will be up against top rated Tom McEwen and Leland Kolb. In order for Hampton to re-peat, he will also have to get by- Steve Porter who has

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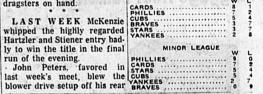
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metwerst in a for a many on to tee by- Steve Porter who has turned in top speed and fast est time in practice before the last two meets, but was beaten when it came time for racing. McEWEN'S Pontiac - pow-ered dragster has the most po-tential; however, the freckle-faced red head is having his troubles making the car han-dle right. McEwen is still lead-ing the driver standings with five wins; however, Kolb is Just one win behind with four. In the gas eliminator event, In the gas eliminator event, The Long Beach Strip is a non-profit Lions Club charity

At the halfway point in the National Little League season, Just one win behind with four. In the gas eliminator event. Dave McKenzie looks like a cinch to make it three in a row, even though there will be several of the country's gas dragsters on hand.





Hartzler and Stiener entry bad-

y to win the title in the final

GETTING READY ... Skipper Frank (kneeling), kid's TV favorite, brings attention to the American Legion Fire-works Spectacular set for the Collseum on July 4 by lighting a giant firecracker. Looking on are the three fireworks Princesses (left to right), Lyn Collins, Jackie Carmichael and Janice Weaver.

Tigers Maintain Top Spot In Pacific American Loop

ning streak alive.

Trio Dominate

Three teams, the Dodgers,

Tigers and Pirates came up

Tordena Play

With a 4 to 1 win over the had run out, the Athletics and Indians on Sunday, the Pacific American Babe Ruth League Tigers maintained first place and kept their five game win-

THE INDIANS moved into the third slot with an 11-1 vic-tory over the Orioles. Trailing the Indians are the Athletics,

ning streak allve. Keeping pace with the lead-ers, the Red Sox dug deeper into second place with a 13-7 win over the Braves and a 6-4 decision over the Yankees. In a game called after eight into second place with a las-7 into second place with a innings because playing time

IN A recent game when Mat-thew followed Marty to the plate, the pitcher took a long look and finally yelled down to the catcher, "Hey, what's going on here?! I just struck that guy out!" Both boys play for the Tig-ers.

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Competition in three-year old thoroughbred ranks at Holywood Park will reach its highest point so far this sea-son on Saturday in the \$30,000 added Argonaut Stakes at a mile and one-sixteenth. The Argonaut will bring the battle. The Argonaut Stakes Argonaut Stakes at a mile and one-sixteenth. added Argonaut Stakes at a ing the battle. mile and one-sixteenth. The Argonaut will bring to-gether one of the greatest bands of three-year-olds in the Inglewood track's history, with

Hollywood Park Features

Argonaut Stakes Sat.

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poul

placed as the even-money choice. Wallet Lifter toured the mile in 1:35 in making hisfirst trip around two turns in his brief career. SIR RIBOT fourth in the

Kentucky Derby and winner of the California Derby Trial, is expected to be much tougher after his first outing over the Hollypark strip. Howard Reck's Finale Cott, surprise second to Wallet Lift-er at 27-1; Ralph Lowe's Drill Site, conqueror of the Ells-

Tremendous defensive play by Donnie Cowden and Greg Keister aided the control huri-ing of Butterfield as he al-lowed but two walks. The big bats for the Tigers were Bruce MacEachern with a single and a double, good for three runs and Buttrfield's two two double.

GAINING his second win of

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two-run double.

Prince of Plenty was timed in 1:34 3/5 in winning the Will Rogers second division. His time was only a fifth of a bonair Stakes, and Full Regalsecond off the world's record ia, a middle distance winner for a three-year-old at the dis-tance, first set in 1957 by the are other probable starters.

Tigers Rap Braves

As Butterfield Stars

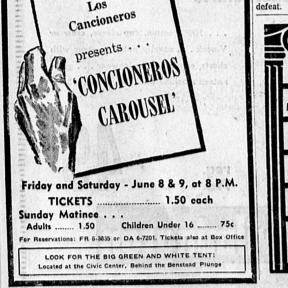
Fireballing Greg Butterfield the season over the Yankees,

for the winners.

and a four-bagger.

defeat.

came through with 13 strike- Ralph Olea hurled the Indians



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with a pair of wins in Todena Colt League play the past week. The Dodgers shutout the Angels, 13 to 0 and proceeded to do the same to the Senators by a 4-0 margin. The Tigers rolled by the Angels, 9 to 3 and eased past the Senators, tim of "the white plague" or tuberculosis. 11'5 In 1923, his grave was discovered in Mission Burial rk in San Antonio. It was marked by a wooden THE PALMS adboard. The report added, "from which the mous name has almost been effaced by time.' 4 to 3. In a crucial, the Pirates took the measure of the Tigers, 7 to 6, and came back to sneak by the Angels, 4 to 3. In oth-er action, the Braves took a 3-1 RISS' FAMILY OPEN 1925 W. Carson Restuarant NOW FA 8-2424 lecision from the Senators. THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL . THIS WEEK'S or Full Course TURKEY DINNER or ROAST SIRLOIN OF BEEF, Salad, Soup, Vegetables, Choice of Potatoes, Bread and Butter, Ico Crean or Sherbet. Beverage, Coffee. Child Portion 1/2 Price THE ORIGINAL 7 DAYS folynesian NOW \$1 00 The Island Aires THE ONLY AUTHENTI SOUTH PACIFIC RESTAURANT CANTONESE FOOD TO GO - Phone DA 4-9292 FRONTIER 8-1247 DANCING CRISS BREAKFAST SERVED ANYTIME HOURS: 7 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. DAILY CORNER 164th and VERMONT - GARDENA 2 MILES SOUTH OF REDONDO BEACH ON PACIFIC COAST HWY + TORRANCE

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