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Tomorrow night the Dodgers take on the Pittsburgh Pirates for the first time this year. The only ball club they haven't tangled with at home or



away. Whenever the steel men.come to town there's always a group of gay blades seated behind first base who's primary motive for coming is to heckle Pirate first baseman, Dick Stuart. They do it for kicks and because the ex-Hollywood Star is so sensitive. Last year Stuart told this corner that he wished he'd play second whenever his team came to the Coliseum. The "why" was obvious but I asked anyway and got the following growling reply: "so I

wouldn't be able to hear those boobs up there."

GOLF CHAMP

Earlier last week the Dodgers entertained the Reds om Cincinnati and on hand to jest with his ole team mates was Don Newcombe, The tall



"ROBIE"

righthander asked little Maury Wills who was the present Dodger golf champ. Little Maury stood on his toes and faced "Newk" with the proudest smile and answered, "I am!" Big Don manuvered his eye balls down and guiped: "that's because I'm no longer with the club!" NOT JACKIE

Branch Rickey was the first

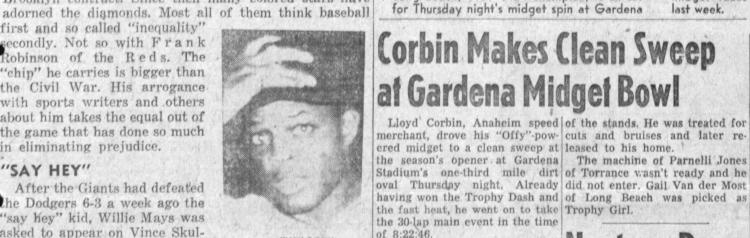
prexy to introduce colored baseball players to major league play with the signing of Jackie Robinson to a Brooklyn contract. Since then many colored stars have

first and so called "inequality" secondly. Not so with Frank Robinson of the Reds. The "chip" he carries is bigger than the Civil War. His arrogance. with sports writers and others about him takes the equal out of the game that has done so much

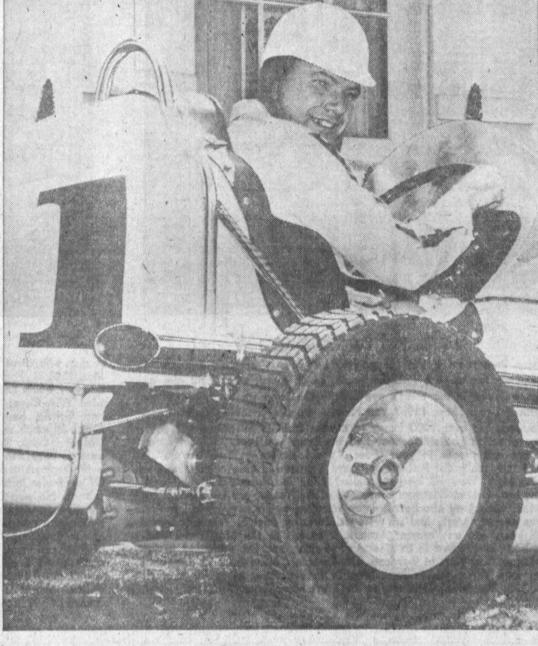
"SAY HEY"

After the Giants had defeated The Dodgers 6-3 a week ago the "say hey" kid, Willie Mays was asked to appear on Vince Skully's scoreboard broadcast by ra-

in eliminating prejudice.







ROLLS THURSDAY - Don Staudinger of Long Beach, 1959 URA champion, is all set for Thursday night's midget spin at Gardena

stadium, Western Ave. and 139th St. The midget races opened at the local saucer last week.

50 Car Derby **Corbin Makes Clean Sweep**

Bob Goddard, Malibu, will be looking for main event win number four tonight at the Gardena Stadium, when he goes into batthe season's opener at Gardena Stadium's one-third mile dirt of Torrance wasn't ready and he Derby races at the Western Ave.

> Goddard who has lost only one in point standings, as he now nolds down sixth position, behind

North Edges Redondo 5-4 North High just squeaked by

Redondo 5 to 4 to stay in contention for tse championship of hte Bay League Thursday atfernoon. All of the winners' runs were scored in the first. frame and Coach Bob Shoup 'sweated it out' as he saw Hubert, Kehoe and Hogue stop Redondo just short of putting across the tying run in the last stanza.

North High has two more games left on the schedule and must win one of the two to at least tie for the league title.

Leuzinger will be the guest hete Tuesday and then North High must travel to Marine Field to face Santa Monica on Thursday. Should North High take the league crown it will be the first time in 14 years that a Torrance team has won a major league championship which is a Triple A ball laurel. South High copped the bunting last year in the Crescent league but that was Double A ball.

Shoup said that he would start his Ace Twirler Kehoe on the mound Tuesday against Leuzinger.

"But you can never tell in a gall game," he said, "what is going to happen. If we beat Leuzinger we will be 'up' for Santa Monica. Should we lose to Leuzinger we still will have a chance

to tie by beating Santa Monica.' North High is on top of the heap with a 9-3 record followed school, after his stellar perby Santa Monica and Mira Costa, formance in the Optimist each with 8-4 records. track meet. Mortenson broke

BOWLER HITS 'SOUR APPLE' FOURTH TIME

League Meeting Gerry Lloyd, who rolls in Set Wednesday the Ladies' Wednesday Night Handicap League at Palos Verdes Bowl, holds the distinction of winning the 'sour apple" four times this season. She left the 5-7-10 pins stand-

Bowl owner Harry Sternfield has already presented her with three exclusive "sour apple" awards and is preparing for the fourth presentation.



Mortenson Breaks Record Optimist Club Track Meet

North High will get a new track start this fall when John Mortenson of Phillip Magruder elementary school enrolls.

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In the recent 11th annual track meet sponsored by the Optimist Club and opened to all Torrance youngsters, Mortenson broke a four-year record in the 440-yard dash event.

Timedl at 58.2 seconds, the run clipped 4.8 seconds off the existing record.

Young Mortenson is the envy of all his neighborhood playmates. Each day now will see him on the track to keep in shape for any future meets and to be in shape when he matriculates at North High.

Weheran in **Five Hitter**

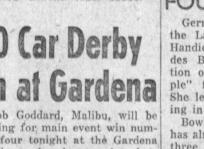
Weheran pitched fine ball for South High Thursday and his mates chalked up 7 runs for him while he held Culver City to a loner for a 7-1 victory in a Pioneer League game.

Five its were yeilded by Wehern and he whiffed two batters. With the score knotted 1-1 in the sixth inning, his teammates Final plans for the opening of burst out with five runs to put

the Torrance Babe Ruth Baseball the game 'on ice.' League on May 14 will be made Game by innings: Wednesday, 8 p.m. at Steelwork- South High100 005-1 ers' hall. Bill Korchensky, presi- Culver City 000 100-0 dent, will preside.

First games besides a pre- More than 62,000,000 persons game ceremony will start Satur- visited the National Parks durday at Babe Ruth Field, Western ing 1959, said the Automobile Ave. and Del Amo Blvd. Club of Southern California.

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dio commentator Jerry Doggett. Willie, realizing that McCovey had done all the damage to the Dodgers was ried the late Billy Vukovich and quick to answer: "what for?" just in time for a Press also 1952 Indianapolis winner photographer to snap a picture of his expression of a new Johnny Parsons to many hard Mays saying.

KID LOVERS

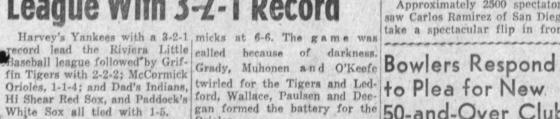
KID LOVERS When Councilman George Vico asked Carl Furillo, Sandy Koufax, Joe Pignatano, and Chuck Essegian whether they would appear at the Torrance Baseball Day whether they would appear at the Torrance Baseball Day Parade, which was a huge success yesterday, this corner of the pack when the checkered more attraction than any other Beach; Jerry Dodds, El Monte; advent of Little, Pony, and Babe Ruth Leagues, the de-mand for Dodger appearances has been great. To my as-tonishment the formation of the big so-night at the Gardena race plant. Following Corbin across the tonishment the foursome all agreed to attend. My hat's off to George Vico and his great love for kids. In reality Vico should be called "the people's choice." He proved it Covina. to the thousands of kids yesterday.

Yankees Lead Riviera Little League With 3-2-1 Record

Harvey's Yankees with a 3-2-1, micks at 6-6. The White Sox all tied with 1-5.

Grady, with 3; Steve Ledford, ger team.

Lance Wenhan who led the homers. Griffin's Tigers tied McCor-



White Sox all tied with 1-5. Home run hitters are Brian Orioles. Ledford hit a homer with the Steve Parker and John O. Wal- ball going into a car going north plea for bowlers to join her 50- June 17-26 and is an integral lace, each with 2. All are mem-bers of Defending Champion Ti-Fred Seaholm of the Orioles has been fine, she told a reporter water spectacular. smacked a grand slammer. for the Torrance Press. She said:

"I have received telephone Yankees blanked the Red Sox, minor league in 1959 with home 11 to 0. McMonigle, Boden and calls to the article which appear-runs is now a Major League Van Husen formed the winners' ed in Thursday's Press. Any per-Yankee. He has poled three battery and Lotz, Thompson and son over 50 years of a age should Vojtecky the Red Sox battery. attend Saturday night's meeting White Sox whipped the at Palos Verdes Bowl, starting

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hardt Offie, will be well re Ten major rides and six chil-

fought victories in the past and is still going like Gang Busters. Corbin is one of Southern Cal- part of the 1960 Neptune Days dard in the main event. When Councilman George Vico asked Carl Furillo, ifornia's most promising throttle Marinarama Carnival, according Other pilots who will see ac-

Lloyd' Corbin, Anaheim speed of the stands. He was treated for

ered midget to a clean sweep at leased to his home.

His mount, the famous Gear-

Following Corbin across the staged by the K-K Show of Shows. Wilmington.

Covina. The 15-lap semi-main went to Chuck Lowery of Alhambra, fol-lowed by Grayson Harmon, La Mirada and Jim Devitt Cali-

Mirada and Jim Devitt, Cali-Dick Berry of Covina set fast entrance will be two Ferris time for the evening with 15:72. Approximately 2500 exected for the with 15:72. Mix-Up, Fly-O-Plane and Barrel Approximately 2500 spectators saw Carlos Ramirez of San Diego saw Carlos Ramirez of San Diego take a spectacular flip in front roll, live ponies, tanks, junior

mix-up and toy cars.

Asher and McRae went on to explain that the show will be open 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. weekdays; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturdays; and 12 noon to 10 p.m. Sundays. The 1960 Neptune Days Carni-Respond to Mrs. Ruth Caudle's val will run for the full 10 days

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such hot pilots as. Howard Wal ton, Hawthorne; Dite Wall, Los Angeles: Roger Hazher, Wilm ington; Al Cooper, Paramount and Don Donavin, Long Beach. dren's rides will be featured as All five will be out to stop God-

As a special attraction for

youngsters, several famous TV personalities will be on hand, including Dick Lane.

> MISSED BY 'WASHOUT Although Manuel Soto failed in getting a "perfecto" in the final game while rolling with the Tuesday's Men's 550 Trio at Palos Verdes Bowl, he had one consolation. He picked up a "washout' in the first frame. Then it was bang, bang, bang for the next 11 frames for 290

total. Soto's initial fracas was a poor 150. He came back .in the next two games with 212 in each. His grand total was

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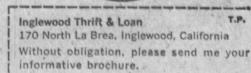
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