Mike Callas

FOUR OF A KIND BETTER THAN A PENNANT

Less than a year ago, Bob Scheffing and John Holland of the Chicago Cubs were accused by the Windy City press corps of being "house dealers" when it was learned that held in Rome, Italy, but track than 8200 athletes comfort-Scheffing, then Cub manager, was allowing the players to indulge in games of chance. Poker, while on long hops in who think they will be complage has some 14 dining halls, South with a 7-2 record,

If you recall. Scheffing was indignant about the story. ies, such as a broken and rooms, postal and telephone urday, and bested Gardena ox-skipper of Wrigley's team stated that poker playing crumbling Colosseum, have facilities, barbers and hair-"atter than curling up with a good book."

a few days ago. Las Vegas fever rolled its way into Modern Rome is ready, fices an infirmary, etc. the Clant camp. Only this time the manager, Tom Sheehan, Honored with the privilege Roads and streets in the bombed Redondo 11-2, behind made like the press of Chicago. The gambling boys from of entertaining the world's 1960 Olympic V11age are the brilliant pitching of Tom San Francisco were caught going after aces, straights and finest athletes, Rome has named after former Olympic Richardson, and the 'two flushes without Tom's permission.

Dauces Wild

The interim manager stated in Philadelphia that at In preparation for the zation. It seats 100,000 spec- at the hands of South 1-0, least "half a dozen or more" of his players got together for games, Rome spent 70 mil- tators and provides dressing behind the great hurling of mames of chance which sometimes lasted all night. The only lion dollars for the finest room facilities for up to 1500 Bob Werehan who allowed lifference between Scheffing and his hired hands and Shee- modern facilities, and to du- athletes at a time. han's Giants is that the latter played their games in a hotel. plicate these installations in Stadio Dei Marmi is a sec-

Try and shake that imagination of yours loose a bit, the United States would cost ondary stadium that will pri-time against Southpaw Rich-Concentrate. Gat away from reality, Transport yourself to upwards of 200 million. Concentrate. Gat away from reality. Transport yourself to one of the Giant players' hotel rooms. Sort of an unwanted been built in a beautiful area use of athletes, the beautiful lies. eavesdropper. Maybe you imagined the following conversa-

much money right away? Can't you realize we don't all make of some 50,000 square meters, blocks. your kind of dough?

WILLIE: Put up or shut up.

JIM, WILLIE II, and DON: Deal man, I'm in.

MIKE: Oh, all right. But if I lose you guys will have to trust me until I get my "World Series" share.

In between hands the players discuss the hits, pitches, errors, and all the preceding events of the day before. They even go so far as to station a young but rookie pitcher outside the door to tin them off if Sheehan comes walking in his sleep in their direction.

Along about 6 a.m. the conversation gets spirited once again. It seems as if most of the loot is ending up in one

WILLIE II: You're the luckiest guy I've ever played with! Don't you ever draw anything but three or four of a

MIKE: Look, Pop, if you don't like the way I play the game tell the ol' man to trade you.

WILLIE: You must know all the cards' back-side, sonny boy. Slow down that fast shuffle so I can follow your hands better.

JIM: I'm out. He's too lucky for me. I've lost that raise Horace gave me earlier in the year. ROOKIE COP: Hey, fellas! Break it up! Here comes

Sheehan!

Cards disappear, money is quickly stashed away. Most of the players go through the door connecting to an adjacent room. Being the biggest winner and not able to move as quick as the seasoned veterans, Mike is nipped by the ol'

SHEEHAN: So! I'm trying to show Stoneham that are can win the pennant with you guys and I find you playing poker all night, Come on, Mike, give the names of the other guys that were playing with you!

Money Better Than Starting

MIKE: (Making a quick appraisal of his winnings before he answers Sheehan) Honest, Tom, we weren't up all night. Some of the fellas got up early and decided to play a few hands before breakfast. Just a few bucks anyway, what's the harm?

SHEEHAN: That doesn't look like a couple of bucks you're putting in your pockets, kid! Come on! Who were they? So help me if you don't talk I'll make you a relief

MIKE: Guess you better, Tom. I'm not squealing. How much is the fine?

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gone all out in an effort to greats. make a favorable impression The main Olympic Stadium Jim Armstrong. on its summer visitors.

just outside of Rome. The marble structure can accomvillage lies near the site modate 10,000 fans on 10 WILLIE: Ante \$500, fellas. Five card draw, deuces wild. where most of the action tiers or rows of seats, chis-MIKE: Why do you want to start a game with that will take place, on an acreage eled out of huge marble to start Jerry McLean catch-



SEA COP Pat Nelson likes to tell boat enthusiasts that its National Safe Boating Week 'til Saturday, July 9. Of course Pat likes all you men to maneuver your ships safely even after the week is over. 40 million Americans will spend this summer

Legion Crucial-Torrance, South Clash Saturday By John Whitacre

With possibly the Bay battle Saturday at Torrance

peting in dilapidated facilit- as well as stores, recreation defeated Lomita 6-5 last Satdressing services, tourist of Torrance was idle Saturday, but on the Sabbath day they home runs of first baseman

is the ultimate in moderni- Torrance's only loss was only two hits, Werehan will again be on the mound, this marily serve the track ath- ardson the leading pitcher in

> Ozzie Grimes manager of ing, Richardson hurling, Armstrong first base, Terry Greason at second and rounding out the infield at short and third will be Jack Golphnee and Eleazar Ybarra.

> In the outer gardens will be, Bob Clark in left, Joe Montgomery in center and either Rick Jacobs or Jim Carrico in right.

> Starting lineup for South, is Mike Czarske catching, Werehan pitching, Joe Austin first base, Rick Gomez at second, and Mike Andrews and Larry Anderson rounding out the infield.

Perry, and in center Forest Hunt, while Bob Berry will start in right field.

Line Scores

July 2. Lomita Beurden and Jacks; An-eight event program. drews, Spellman 6, and Top drivers entered are,

Red'do 101 000 000-2 8 2 let; Howard Walton, Hawardson and McLean.

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Legion Standings

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Hawthorne	4
El Segundo	. 3
Lomita	2
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Saturday's Schedule

El Segundo (King 2-3) at Redondo (Horne 2-4). Lomita (Beuten 1-3)

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star appeared Saturday. Shortly after, Chris went out to lead the Harbor City Braves to victory over the Cubs. His two out double with a pair of runners on base drove in the winning run in the last inning.

In left field will be Doug Destruction Derby Set for Sunday at Gardena Oval

Three drivers are favored cos" boys headed by Howard to take top honors in Sunday Walton. Also, the "Brown slated to get under way at 8 evenings gigantic Destruc-will go up against the "Span-p.m., it will be over by 10 will go up against the "Span-p.m. to let fans return home tion Derby at Gardena Stad- ish" team headed by Ike at an early hour for the 100 001 011-5 15 3 ium, where over sixty auto- Valdez. 100 300 02x-6 11 1 mobiles will do battle in an

Millard, last weeks main event winner from Lynwood, driving a Chevro-Torr. 222 000 32x-11 10 2 thorne, last years champion Horne and Proctor; Richard currently leading in rdson and McLean. Malibu, winner of five main

Werehan, Thomas 9, and petition from such favorites as, Dite Wall, Lancaster: Roger Hazher, Torrance: Dor Donavin, Long Beach; Lamarr Anderson, Manhattan Beach: Orvill Allen, Monrovia; Harry Nobel. Long 4 Beach; Ike Valdez, El Monte; 5 Woody Pridgitt, Los Angeles; 6 Frank Rose, Long Beach; 6 Jerry Dobbs, El Monte; and

7 Bob Goddard, Malibu. An added event on this weeks program will be spec-Torrance (Richardson 5-0) ial team races, with ten cars South Torrance (Werehan taking part. Five. from each side will do battle until one team has victoriously demol-ished its opponents. This at week three team races will be featured as an added attraction. The "Malibu Ites"

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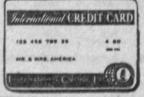
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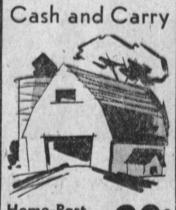
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