

Beavers Climb Up To First Division Alongside Seattle

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Let's skip the Pacific Coast League leaders for the moment and turn a deserved spotlight on the Portland Beavers.

They're the lads who now have entered the royal chamber of the first division; just barely, it's true, but there they are. The Beavers by beating Hollywood, 11-2, for the third straight this week, hoisted themselves into a tie for fourth place with Seattle, each having played 200 ball.

The Beavers have won 34 out of 50 games since they last lost

a series. They've won six and tied two series.

Helpless Hollywood fell last night before Liska, pitching his first game since Aug. 7. He held the Stars to five hits. His mates assembled 14 blows off three Stars pitchers. Davis' homer with two out in the ninth gave Hollywood its runs.

The league leaders, San Francisco, split with Sacramento, the Seals winning the first, 3-1, on Dempsey's 11-strikeout pitching, his 12th win, and losing the second, 5-0. Freitas held the Seals to eight hits in the nightcap.

This split and Oakland's 9-1 win over Seattle left the Oaks only three games behind San Francisco. Scarsella homered with a man on in the first and Etten whacked a three-run roundtripper in Oakland's six-run eighth inning. It was Etten's 28th homer.

Los Angeles accumulated 13 hits, including homers by Ostrowski, Albers and Malone, to trounce San Diego, 7-3. The Angels now are in third place by seven games.

John Cabot discovered Newfoundland five years after Columbus made his first voyage to the West Indies.

Umpqua Chiefs Post 6-3 Victory Over Gold Beach

The Umpqua Chiefs not only won the ball game by a decisive 6-3 score, but engaged in, and won a debate with the opposing Gold Beach team in a long drawn-out affair at Finlay Field last night.

Much time was consumed when the invading Beachcombers, spearheaded by their catcher, got in a long-winded squabble with Umpqua Al Flegel over a called strike which retired the side with Hawkins remaining on third.

The Chiefs started out hot with a run in each of the first and second innings, but Flegel's decision "robbed" Hawkins of the opportunity to put the Beachcombers in the running.

The sixth inning proved to be the decisive one when the Gold Beach nine went ahead for a 3-2 lead. Hawkins lined out a double. Gardner then singled, putting Hawkins across the plate to tie up the ball game. The next man up struck out, retiring the side.

Not to be outdone, the Chiefs started out their half of the sixth with George Sanders pounding out a hard grounder past the opposing first baseman. Then little Del Hoff homered, chasing Sanders across the plate ahead of him to give the Chiefs a one-run lead. Two more runs in the next two frames put the game on ice.

The Sanders brothers, George and Virg, put on quite a hitting exhibition for the fans. Virg collected two doubles and a single in five trips to the plate and George doubled and singled in four times at bat. Between the two of them, they accounted for exactly half of the Chief's hits. Virg Sanders also staged his customary base running show by stealing home in the last of the eighth inning for the final Roseburg run of the game.

Summary:

Gold Beach--	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McLeod, cf	4	0	2	2	0	1
Polmer, ss	4	0	0	2	0	0
Barrett, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Hawkins, c	3	1	1	0	0	0
Gardner, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Jullie, 1b	0	0	0	10	2	0
Aston, p	4	1	1	1	0	1
Pendrick, lf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Wallace, 2b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Totals	34	3	6	24	9	4

Roseburg--	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
V. Sanders, lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Shapron, 2b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Scherner, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Cummings, 1b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Kotnick, rf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Montgomery, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Huggins, c	1	1	1	1	2	2
G. Sanders, ss	4	1	2	2	2	0
Hoff, p	3	0	1	0	0	1
Hess, p	2	0	1	0	0	1
Hamilton, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	6	10	27	9	3

Lineup changes. Kell ran for Huggins in 4th. Hamilton replaced Hess in 5th. Montgomery replaced Kotnick in 6th. Runs batted in: Gardner, Aston, Cummings, G. Sanders, Hess, Hoff 2 Home runs. Hoff, Triple, Cummings, Doubles, Hawkins, G. Sanders, V. Sanders 2 Sacrifices hit Barrett, Stolen bases, McLeod, Wallace, Huggins, V. Sanders. Strikeouts, by Aston 5, Hess 2, Hamilton 6, Wallace, 4, Aston 5, Hess 2, Hamilton 1. Hit by pitcher, Hoff by Aston. Earned runs, Gold Beach 3, Roseburg 5. Left on bases, Gold Beach 3, Roseburg 11.

Gold Beach--

Runs	3
Hits	6
Errors	4
Roseburg--	
Runs	6
Hits	10
Errors	3

Batteries: Hess, Hamilton and Huggins, Kell, Aston and Hawkins.
Umpires: Flegel, plate, Evans, bases.

Spanish War Vets Name First Ex-Marine as Head

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—(AP)—The United Spanish War Veterans today installed a former marine as their national commander for the first time in the organization's 50-year history. Charles R. Barefoot, 64, a Toledo, Ohio, lawyer, took office at the Golden Anniversary encampment of the veterans. He served with the Marines during the Phil-

ippines insurrection from 1899 to 1902.

The organization, with 72,000 members, includes veterans of the insurrection and the Boxer Rebellion in China as well as the Spanish War.

Forty-eight of the previous 49 national commanders have been Army men. Only one represented the Navy.

National Cemetery At Portland Proposed

SALEM, Ore., (AP)—The Department of the Army will ask congress to appropriate funds to create a national cemetery in Portland, State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott was advised by President Truman today.

Scott, on behalf of the State Board of Control, offered to give 205 acres of state-owned land in Portland to the federal government. The offer was made when President Truman visited here last June.

The lands adjoin Lincoln Memorial Cemetery in Portland.

Yugoslavs Wail About Treatment At Olympic Games

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Yugoslavia Olympic team has arrived home from London full of complaints that it had a hard time getting a square deal in the recent games.

In an official communique the Yugoslavs said Olympic officials failed to raise their flag when they won the hammer throw. The flag was raised, they said, only after the team had protested strongly.

The Yugoslavs declared they had to fight resolutely against "many reactionary methods" at the games. Many officials, they said, had made wrong proposals and decisions under the excuse of "non-political sport."

"During competitions," the communique said, "one could often notice that individual results were achieved by earlier agreements or other underground methods which had nothing in common with the spirit of sport."

They also complained that teams from Romania, Bulgaria and Albania did not attend and had thus "weakened joint representations of delegates of the Soviet Union and peoples' democracies."

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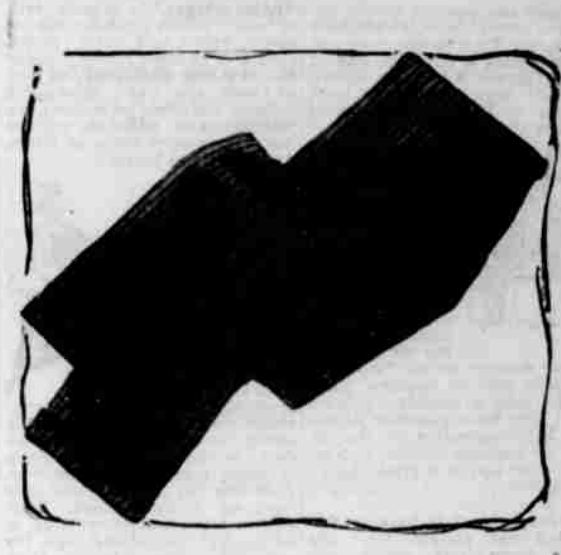
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