

Squirts Win Second Half League Title

Errors Costly For Plywood; Score 7 To 3

Teams Play Again, For District Tourney Entry; Veterans Defeat Elks

	W	L	Pct.
Schermer Squirts	5	1	.833
Umpqua Plywood	4	2	.666
Roseburg Elks	3	3	.500
V. F. W.	1	5	.167

Umpqua Plywood errors cost them in the final City league softball game played at Finlay field last night.

The Schermer Squirts helped themselves to four runs on as many Plywood miscues, to win, 7-3, after a fast seven innings that saw the lead favor first one team then the other.

The win gave the Squirts the second half championship and the right to meet Plywood, first half winners, in a three-game playoff to decide the Roseburg representative to the district tournament.

A fair sized softball crowd saw both teams battle for the lead in a low-scoring seven-inning pitchers' battle.

Swede Yang, Squirts' hurler, held the Plywood players to five hits, while his rival, Roy Baughman, allowed seven bingles.

The Squirts fielded the ball perfectly, while four Plywood bobbles figured prominently in the way the game turned out.

Pin Laurance, Squirts' lead-off hitter, scored the first run of the game. He smacked out a triple then tallied on a fielder's choice, but Plywood matched the run with one of their own in the bottom half of the first. J. White, issued a base on balls, came home on a wild pitch by Yang.

In the second, Squirts failed to score, but Plywood sneaked ahead when Long, who walked, scored on a three-base blow by Baughman.

Fred Schermer's aggregation

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SPORTS

Umpqua Chiefs Will Battle Medford's Craters Tonight

Roseburg Umpqua Chiefs play Medford's Craters tonight at Finlay field in an exhibition game set for 8:30 o'clock.

The fifth meeting for the two clubs, Roseburg is expected to win this one in easy fashion, having defeated the Craters four times earlier this season.

knotted the count in the third, when he tallied on successive blows by Scotty Moore and Hal Edgar, while in the fourth, R. Nichols crossed the plate after getting to first on a Plywood miscue.

The millworkers neutralized the lead in the fifth, on a run by White, who singled and scored on Charlie Hopkins' similar blow.

Squirts went ahead for good in the sixth, with W. Dage, who was hit by a pitched ball, scored on a single by Pin Laurance.

Schermer's squad was gifted with three more runs in the seventh, when three Plywood fielding bobbles were turned into Squirts runs. Bill Shapiro knocked in the final Squirts tally with a single that scored Ralph Sandstedt.

Veterans "Skunk" Elks

In the other league game, Veterans of Foreign Wars paced Roseburg Elks 11-1 at the end of the fifth inning and the game was adjudged a "skunk" in favor of the Vets.

Elks held a one-run lead going into the third, but the Veterans bore down on Pitcher Tom Johnson after that, getting eight blows.

The first game of the playoff series between Squirts and Plywood is scheduled for 7:30 Thursday night at Finlay field. On the following Monday, the second game will be played.

	R	H	E
Linescore:	003	26	11
V. F. W.	100	10	1
Elks	100	10	1
Gausnell and Seitz; Johnson and Seafarth.			
	R	H	E
Squirts	101	101	3
Plywood	110	110	9
Yang and F. Schermer; Baughman and Marsters.			

Hoop skirts once were supported by whalebone, which was expensive.

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Slaughter Big Gun As Cards Defeat Cincy

Slugger Hits 2 Homers! Dodgers Maintain Tie In Race By Edging Giants

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sportswriter

Enos Slaughter, the St. Louis Cardinals' "ball player's ball player," is a living proof that baseball experts are a funny race.

In pre-season polls, the majority of scribes ignored St. Louis as a pennant threat because the Cards "were too old." Thus, without saying so, they pointed the finger at Slaughter, who, at 33, was the oldest regular on the club.

Today, these same experts predict that the Cards will win the National league flag. Why? Because of the presence of this same Enos Slaughter.

Slaughter's current batting average of .331 is exceeded only by Jackie Robinson's .364.

Enos enjoyed one of his biggest "days" last night when he walloped two home runs and drove in six runs to lead the Cards to a 9-3 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

The Redbirds needed the triumph to maintain their first place tie with Brooklyn, as the Dodgers already had nipped the New York Giants, 2-1.

Those were the only games played in the majors.

Walks Aid Cardinals

Slaughter's one-man foray enabled Howie Pollet to register his 15th victory although he was touched up for a dozen hits. The Cards could get only five safeties off loser Kent Peterson and three successors, but took advantage of seven bases on balls.

Four straight walks in the fourth forced a Cardinal run across and left the bases loaded. Egos promptly unloaded them with his second four-bagger of the game and 10th of the season.

Slaughter hit his first homer in the third with Nippy Jones aboard.

Newsome Muls 4-Hitter

Big Don Newsome pitched one of his best games of the year in subduing the Giants with four hits, for his 11th victory. The Giant Negro righthander had a three-hit shutout until the ninth when Whitey Lockman sent his first serve over the right field screen to spoil the shutout.

Jackie Robinson was the big gun for the Dodgers. He slashed his 13th homer in the second and set the stage for the winning run in the eighth with a single that sent Carl Furillo to third. With his bases loaded and two out, loser Dave Koslo walked pinch hitter Bruce Edwards to force Furillo over the plate.

Reliance's Lone Run In Ninth Defeats Reedsport

PORTLAND, Aug. 9.—(P)—Reliance and Albina play a semi-final game tonight for the right to go against Banks in the state semi-pro baseball championship game tomorrow.

Both of the Portland teams won last night to oust the defending champions of Albany and Reedsport from the series.

Bob Signer pitched one-hit ball for nine innings before Reliance scored against Reedsport to win, 1 to 0. The Portland Albina Fuel team dumped Albany, 8 to 0, with six of the runs in one inning.

Banks had vaulted to the final Sunday night by posting a fifth straight win to keep its record unmarred in the double elimination series.

Vet All-Stars Wallop Lions At Myrtle Creek

Veterans hospital All-Stars launched a first-inning attack against Myrtle Creek Lions to win, 10-4, after seven innings of Twilight league action at Myrtle Creek last night.

Aided by nine Lions' errors, the All-Stars encountered no trouble staying ahead of their opponents.

All-Star pitcher D. Edward held the civic organization to six scattered hits, while Lions' hurler H. Barnes gave up eight blows.

The hospital men garnered four hits in the initial inning, including singles by pitcher Edward, T. Anthony and F. Lloyd, while A. Russell's RBI count of three stood the Stars in good stead.

The All-Stars continued to tap Barnes for a hit in each of the last four innings, while Lions' hits were bunched in the first, fourth and last two innings.

Errors were costly and five All-Star runs were scored that way. Edward, the winning pitcher, struck out eight, while allowing three walks. Barnes fanned seven; gave up two walks.

Left fielder T. Anthony's three-for-four batting mark was the best for the All-Stars, while Rutter's two-for-three was outstanding for the Lions.

Linescore:

	R	H	E
Myrtle Cr.	100	210	0-4
All-Stars	403	102	x-10
F. Barnes and H. Barnes; D. Edward and H. Clifford; Umpires—Tommy Worthington, plate; Berry, bases.			

Prizes Awarded Boys In Pitching To 'Wooden Face'

Lee Borgbortd walked off with first prize for the Y. M. C. A. sponsored "Old Wooden Face" tournament Saturday by edging David Cordon after both boys posted seven strikes in ten pitches.

"Y" secretary Marlen Yoder said today.

A banana split from the Ice Creamery went to the winner and young Cordon was awarded three candy bars from the Snack Bar.

Joe Levine, Leroy Sargent, Keith Eddy and Charles Berrell pitched five strikes in ten attempts to tie for third place and Sargent received two soft drinks from Adair's Associated station in the playoff. Fourth prize of one candy bar from the Snack Bar went to Levine. All competitors were given a stick of gum from the Snack Bar for their efforts.

A softball work-up game concluded the morning's activities.

"Old Wooden Face" tournaments will continue at 10 a.m. on the next three Saturdays, according to Yoder, with a championship round slated for Aug. 27. He said first and second place winners may compete in other tournaments but are not eligible for prizes.

In a normal year, nearly three million tons of sheet steel are used in making tin plate for cans.

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Dom DiMaggio Crowds Brother Joe For Bat Honors

BOSTON, Aug. 9.—(P)—He's creeping up on the batting streak of brother Joe.

Dom, the little professor who in 1941 hit the Yankee's big Joe

Charles Favored To Beat Lesnevich

By JACK HAND.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—(P)—Edward Charles, heavyweight champion in 47 of 48 states, will try to win over a skeptical New York in his first NBA title defense tomorrow night against battle-scarred Gus Lesnevich at Yankee stadium.

This is the big one for the lean Negro from Cincinnati, who hasn't been overly impressive in his showings here and who still is denied recognition by the New York Athletic commission.

An emphatic triumph over the former light heavyweight titleholder from Cliffside Park, N. J., might change some minds.

Charles is a 5 to 18 favorite over battle-scarred Gus, the former light heavyweight champ. Lesnevich is bordering on 35. He has been fighting for pay since 1934 and has been stopped three times, by Freddie Steele, Lee Oma and Bruce Woodcock.

The Sox open a three-game series against the league-leading New York Yankees tonight.

Dom is hitting .362 against brother Joe's club in 12 games with 20 hits in 51 times at bat. This season Dom has rapped a half dozen homers and two of them have been against the Yanks.

Dom began his streak June 29. In the stretch he has gone to bat 143 times, scored 35 runs and hit 51 times for a gaudy .357 average.

Among his hits have been 11 doubles, a triple and three homers. Little Dom is pressuring brother Joe.



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