

Pelicans Come Nearer Pennant In 16-11 Win Over Butte Falls On Local Diamond

League Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brookings	9	1	.900
Butte Falls	7	3	.700
Glendale **	6	3	.666
Cave Junction	5	3	.625
Eagle Point *	5	5	.500
Merlin	1	9	.100
Rogue River *	0	9	.000

(*) does not include game of July 31.

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By scoring in every inning, and by being able to withstand all Butte Falls attempts to keep in the game, Sunday, the Brookings Pelicans came a step closer to the pennant in Rogue River Valley league, Sunday, by beating the highly-touted visitors, 16 to 11, in about the wierdest game played this season, despite opinions to the contrary.

Reason for this statement on the part of this writer may be recalled by the extremes with which the game progressed. Any number of sparkling fielding attempts were made, and on the other hand the game was a comedy of errors.

Wind Hampered Fielders

While the wind, Sunday afternoon was not violent in the widest stretch of imagination, it did hamper fielders, especially on fly balls for many misjudged flies went for hits which would ordinarily have been caught. Three home runs were chalked up by both teams. Under ordinary circumstances, these might not have gone for more than doubles.

Butte Falls Wanted Game

It was evident at the very outset that Butte Falls expected to duplicate their previous win over Brookings. After the first man went out on a ground ball to the infield, a walk and a hit batter put a man on third and he came in on an infield out. Brookings made sure that Butte Falls realized they were in a ball game by pushing over three in the first inning. Matson popped out, then Spangler singled, stole second, Westbrook walked and was driven in by Hanscams double. After Desjardin fanned, Ackley drove in Hanscam.

Butte Falls went ahead in the top of the second on a wild pitch after the first man walked and three successive singles to score three. Brookings, again showed Butte Falls by going ahead, when Nelson and Westbrook walked advanced on a sacrifice, and scored on on Spanglers second hit.

Butte Falls were blanked in the third and fourth, while the Pelicans added four more, never to be seriously threatened again.

In the fifth, after two were out, two walks and a two-base hit gave Butte Falls a brace of runs. Almost the same thing happened in the sixth inning, after two were out, a 2-base hit, and three successive singles added a pair more.

In the fifth and sixth Brookings added a run each inning, each by home runs, one by Matson and the other by Hanscam. In the seventh after two were out, and one had scored, Salvage replaced Westbrook and put out the fire without any ado. Brookings put a pair more in their score column that inning and three more in the eighth.

After blanking Butte Falls in

the eighth, Salvage was on his way to duplicate the job in the ninth. While two men were on and two were out, a batter hit a sharp grounder to Salvage, which hit him in the chest. He lost the ball, and in the shuffle, two runs crossed the plate. The last man fanned.

Player	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Butte Falls	41	11	14	24	8	7
D. Steph'n, ss	5	0	2	1	2	1
West cf	6	2	3	2	0	1
Baker, p	6	0	1	1	1	0
Tungate, c	4	0	1	8	0	0
Ellis, rf, 3b	4	1	0	0	0	0
O. Steph'n, 2b	0	3	0	3	4	0
O'Donnell, 3b,ss	5	1	2	0	0	0
Tygart, lf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Rogers, 1b	5	2	2	7	1	3
Berg, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0

Player	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Brookings	42	16	16	27	15	2
Matson, ss	5	3	3	0	4	0
Spangler, 2b	5	0	4	3	1	0
R. West'k, 3,rf	6	1	0	0	1	0
Hanscam, cf	5	3	4	1	0	2
Desjardin, c	3	1	0	5	0	0
Ackley, 1b	4	1	2	14	2	0
Putnam, rf	5	1	0	1	0	0
Nelson, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Eagles, 3b	2	2	1	2	1	0
H. West'b, p	2	2	1	0	6	0
Salvage, p	2	2	1	0	0	0

Scoring by innings:

Butte Falls	.....	130	021	202	—11
Brookings	.....	323	111	23x	—16

Summary: Runs batted in: D. Stephenson 5, West, Baker, O'Donnell 2, Tygart, Rogers, Matson 3, Spangler 2, Hanscam 3, Ackley 3, Westbrook 3; 2-base hits: West, Tungate, Hanscam; 3-base hits, Rogers; Home runs: West, Matson, Hanscam; Sacrifice: Desjardin; stolen bases: Ellis 2, O'Donnell, Tygart, R. Westbrook, Ackley, Eagles; Left on bases: Butte Falls 10; Brookings 8; Bases on balls: off Westbrook

5, off Salvage 1; off Baker 5: strikeouts: Westbrook 3, Salvage 1, Baker 8; Earned Runs: off Westbrook 9; off Salvage 2; off Baker 11; 9 runs, 11 hits off Westbrook in 6 2/3 innings; 2 runs, 3 hits off Salvage in 2 1/3 innings. Umpires: Craig and Abbott. Time 3 hours and 5 minutes.

Batting Averages

Player	ab	h	Pct.
Matson	71	41	.577
Eagles	2	1	.500
Hanscam	60	28	.467
Mendenhall	33	15	.429
Ackley	48	20	.417
H. Westbrook	27	11	.407
Spangler	59	21	.356
Desjardin	48	16	.333
Swearingen	6	2	.333
Putnam	55	14	.255
R. Westbrook	41	9	.219
Nelson	42	9	.214
Salvage	20	4	.200
Team Average, 13 games	.....	373	

At Cave Junction Next Sunday

The Pelicans will travel to the lair of Cave Junction, Sunday, to play the second and return game with that group, which they had no particular trouble downing in the first half of the season. The following Sunday, Rogue River is due here for their first appearance on the local diamond. Rogue River has yet to win one of its league games. The Rogue River game will close the league season, according to Pete Lesmeister.

Crescent City Merchants Due

After close of the season for the Southern Oregon League, of

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which Crescent City Merchants make up a team, will match strength against the Pelicans in a two-best-out-of-three series. A game will be played at Crescent City, with the second at Brookings. The third game, if necessary, will be played at Crescent City. The Merchants, as far as their league play is concerned, had a poor season. The Pelicans have a desire to beat them.

New HDA Visited Area Last Saturday

Mrs. Lillian Zumpfe was hostess at a pot luck luncheon held at her home, Saturday, August 6, for Chetco Home Extension unit officers, their agent and 4-H leaders.

Originally planned as a beach affair, the meeting was held in-

doors because of the weather.

Extension and 4-H work were discussed with the new agent, Dorothy Newton.

Attending were Mrs. Lillian Zumpfe, unit Chairman; Mrs. Lillian Weideman, vice-chairman; Mrs. Marjorie Moore, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Elsie Schultz, a guest of Mrs. Moore; Mrs. Polly Clendenin and Mrs. Dorothy Lockland, 4-H leaders; Mrs. Grace Yelton, county committee member, Miss Dorothy Newton, home demonstration agent, and Mrs. Aldene Aho, retiring home demonstration agent.

The local Odd Fellows lodge is staging another dance Saturday night at their hall, to help raise funds for paraphernalia. Advertising has been placed around the community.

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