

BEAVERS SPLIT TWIN BILL, Now Out of Cellar

The Brookings Beavers edged the Bandon Millers 3 to 2 in the second game of a Southwestern Oregon league doubleheader here Sunday and thus gained an even split, the Millers having taken the opener by a 7 to 2 score.

The nightcap was a thriller all the way. Beaver shortstop Bob Selsor made his first mound start a very creditable showing and a winning one by holding the Millers to 4 hits, evenly divided in the 1st and 7th innings, good for single runs in those frames. Selsor's pitching opponent was Bud Guldborg, ex-Coast leaguer and just reporting to Bandon from Vancouver, B. C. of the W-I league. Guldborg also allowed the Beavers 4 hits but these were all bunched in the 2nd inning as singles by Jay Dean, Bob Selsor and Kenny Kimura and a double by Ritchie Price netted the three runs.

Jim Nierman started for Brookings in the first game and pitched hitless ball the first three innings. The Millers, however, ganged up on him for 6 runs in the 4th on a walk and 5 singles, several of the scratch variety, to put the game on ice. Nierman settled down and allowed only an unearned run the rest of the way. The Beavers were meanwhile facing Lefty Cal McIrvin, ex-Portland Beaver and last year's top pitcher in the Western-International. McIrvin allowed 7 hits, 3 by Jim Barrett and singles by Kimura, Burdell, Dean and new Beaver catcher Bob "Tiger" Smith, good for lone tallies in the 6th and 7th.

The Beavers make their final home appearance of the season here next Sunday afternoon in a doubleheader against the Coquille Loggers. The Brookings club will be on the road the final two weeks of the season for trips to North Bend and Drain. Coquille has a greatly improved team over last year and whacked the Beavers twice earlier in the season. The Beavers are now determined to even the year's series here Sunday.

Short scores:
Bandon 000 610 000—7 9 3
Brookings 000 001 100—2 7 1
McIrvin and Burgher; Nierman and Smith.
Bandon 10 000 1—2 4 2
Brookings 030 000 *—3 4 2
Guldborg and Jarvis; Selsor and Smith.

BEAVER BATS

	AB	H	Pct.
Price	61	24	.393
Dean	43	14	.326
Lowman	34	11	.324
Burdell	64	18	.281
Selsor	19	5	.263
Nierman	16	4	.250
Matson	4	1	.250

the way. Beaver shortstop Bob

Barrett	56	13	.232
Kimura	57	13	.228
Smith	5	1	.200
Coleman	11	1	.091
B. Western	11	1	.091
Chapman	24	2	.083
Team Av.	529	131	.247

SECOND HALF SWO STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Drain	5	1	.833
Coquille	4	2	.666
Roseburg	5	3	.625
CB-NB	4	4	.500
Brookings	2	4	.333
Bandon	2	4	.333
Medford	2	6	.250

Weekend Results

Bandon 7-2; Brookings 2-3
CB-NB 5-1; Roseburg 1-8
Medford 8-3; Coquille 9-4.

Next Weekend

Coquille at Brookings
Medford at Bandon
Roseburg at Drain.

Yocona Sent To Astoria

The Coast Guard Cutter Yocona has been assigned to search-and-rescue duty off the coasts of Washington and Oregon, her transfer to be effective on or about the 15th of August, 1953.

Working out of Eureka, Calif., up to now, the 213 foot ocean-going tug will be exchanging home ports with the smaller Cutter Balsam of Astoria, Oregon.

The change is being made in order to provide adequate coverage of the Washington-Oregon coastal area by a vessel equipped to handle assistance cases of any size. The limited capabilities of the Balsam, which at times proved to be unsuitable for the task at hand, prompted the change calculated to give more effectiveness to the Coast Guard's rescue work.

The Yocona, believed to be one of the largest tugs in the United States, is powered by a 3,000 h.p. diesel electric plant capable of driving her twin screws at a top speed of 14.5 knots. She can make a 10,000 mile trip with a maximum tow and carries a normal complement of 50 officers and men.

Seattle was visited by the Yocona in September of 1951 when she delivered a personnel barge to the Coast Guard at Pier 70.

New Head For Vet Aid Program

Raymond E. Petty of Salem has been appointed educational officer for the State Department of Veterans' Affairs, to be in charge of administering the Oregon World War II and Korean veterans' state educational assistance program. He succeeds Edward T. Taggart, who has been transferred to the Department's home and farm loan division.

The educational aid program which he heads has paid out state benefits to 6,352 veterans of World War II and Korea. There is no deadline for using the benefit, which pays \$50 a month to qualified war veterans studying full time as college undergraduates, or \$35 a month maximum for other classroom studies in accredited private and public schools, vocational, business and technical institutions, and the like.

To qualify, a veteran must have been an Oregon resident for at least one year immediately prior to his service in World War II or Korea. He may draw benefits for as many months as he spent on active duty, provided he served for six months or more during the war periods. He is limited to 36 months of benefits. Veterans of service since June 25, 1950, must have earned the Korean service medal to qualify. Veterans may apply through their local county service officers, or in the Portland or Salem offices of the state veterans' department.

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Sundquist Car Wrecked

Clarence Sundquist of Harbor was crowded off the road south of Harbor near the Harvey place on Highway 101, after midnight Saturday night, when he was returning home. In order to avert being hit he took to the ditch, damaging his 1953 Hudson to the

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extent of seven hundred dollars. Mr. Sundquist was not seriously injured.

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