Beavers Down Hollywood Twice To Chalk Up 8th Straight Win

Adams, Lynn Hurl Winners

Rocco's 9th Inning Homer Saves Opener

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30—(AP)—Mickey Rocco homered in the ninth inning of the first game to lift Portland to a 5 to 4 win over Hollywood and the Beavers then capped it with a 7 to 2 second game victory. The sweep of the day's doubleheader gave Portland eight straight wins in the nine game Pacific coast league series here.

Rocco's big blow over the right field wall in the last inning of the first game drove in the tieing run and his was the winning score. There was one out at the time and the recoup was almost a duplicate of last night's final inning Beaver win.

Luis Marquez had opened the inning with a pinch hit grounder to shortstop, but Hollywood's Johnny O'Neil bobbled and Marquez was safe. Eddie Basinski then popped out on an attempted sacrifice and then Rocco came up. He slammed the second pitch by relief hurler Ken Lehman to end the game.

Hollywood had a three run rally in the seventh to come from behind.

The first three batters—Chuck Stevens, Frank Kelleher and Murray Franklin—singled to load the sacks. Then Portland Pitcher Bob Drilling settled down. Catcher Mike Sandlock flied out and Jimmy Baxes was fanned. But pinch hitter John Antonello singled to drive in two runners and Ed Sauer did the same to bat in Franklin.

Earlier in the first game, Frank Austin doubled in two Portland runs in the second inning. Holly wood scored once in the fourth and the Beavers in the fifth on a double and a single.

Red Lynn allowed but three Star hits in the seven inning second game while Portland batters reached three Hollywood pitchers for ten blows.

In the first inning assault, Leo Thomas and Johnny Rucker singled and Joe Brovia doubled them home. Fenton Mole then his his second home run since joining the Beavers midway in the series.

In Seattle, Oakland swept a doubleheader from the Seattle Rainiers, 12-5 and 3-2, to stretch its league lead to nine games. The twin setback dumped Seattle to fifth place and gave the Oakes the series 5-4.

The San Diego Padres trimmed Los Angeles twice in the Angels' park, 11-7 and 5-4, to sweep the series 5-2.

(First game):

Hollywood	AB	H	O	A	Portland	AB	H	O	A
Sauer,cf	4	1	4	0	Thomas,3b	4	2	0	2
Handly,2b	5	1	3	0	Rucker,cf	3	0	6	0
Gorman,rf	4	1	4	0	Basinski,2b	5	1	3	5
Stevens,1b	3	1	4	0	Rocco,1b	3	1	10	1
Kellehr,lf	4	2	2	1	Brovia,rf	4	1	0	0
Frnklin,ss	3	1	1	1	Mole,lf	3	0	0	0
Sandlok,c	4	0	7	0	Gladd,c	3	2	4	0
Boxes,3b	4	0	0	3	Austin,ss	2	2	3	5
Salveson,p	1	0	0	1	Drilling,p	3	0	1	1
aConatsr	1	1	0	0	Fleming,p	0	0	0	0
Karpel,p	0	0	0	1	xBarr	1	0	0	0
bAntonllo	1	1	0	0	Adams,p	0	0	0	0
Lehman,p	1	0	0	0	yMarquez	1	0	0	0
O'Neil,ss	1	1	0	0					
Totals	36	10	x25	7	Totals	32	9	27	14

a—Singled for Salveson in 6th.
b—Singled for Karpel in 7th.
x—One out when winning run scored.
z—Flied out for Fleming in 8th.
y—Reached first on error for Rucker in 9th.

Hollywood	000 100 300—4
Portland	020 010 002—5

Winning pitcher: Adams. Losing pitcher: Lehman.

Pitcher	Ip	Ab	R	H	Er	Bb	So
Drilling	6⅔	27	4	8	4	1	1
Fleming	1⅔	6	0	2	0	0	1
Adams	1	3	0	0	0	1	0
Salveson	5	19	3	6	3	4	4
Karpel	1	3	0	1	0	1	0
Lehman	2⅓	10	2	2	1	1	1

E — O'Neil, RBI — Austin 2, Gorman, Brovia, Antonello 2, Sauer, Rocco 2. 2B — Austin, Borman. 3B — Handley. HR — Rocco. SB — Sauer; SH — Rucker, Austin. DP — Austin to Basinski to Rocco. LOB — Hollywood 7, Portland 10. Umps — Orr, Runge, Young and Gordon. T — 2:01.

They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo

Baseball Exile Receives Ovation

Fred Merkle, ex-Giant, Returns to Polo Grounds

NEW YORK, July 30—(AP)Fred Merkle, after 23 years of self-imposed exile from baseball, came back to the Polo Grounds today and received one of the biggest ovations ever given a Giant hero.

Merkle, one of a host of former New York Giant and St. Louis Cardinal stars invited to attend the first old timers day ever staged here, hardly knew what to expect as he strode to the batter's box to accept a gift.

The crowd of some 40,000 didn't leave him in doubt long. It cheered to the echo for the one-time star first baseman for John McGraw. It matched the greetings given to two other Giant stars of top magnitude master—Mel Ott and King Carl Hubbell.

Ott and Hubbel, who gave Giant fans plenty of baseball during their heyday in the 1925-40 era, played prominent roles again as the 1933 edition of the Giants and the Cardinals of the "Gas House Gang" days met in a three-inning contest preceding the regular game between New York and St. Louis. The old Giants won 2-1.

Licensed radio sets in Japan totaled 8,640,798 at the end of March, indicating that 53.5 per cent of Japan's homes have radio receivers.

Hollywood	AB	H	O	A	Portland	AB	H	O	A
Handly,2b	2	0	2	4	Thomas,3b	3	2	2	3
Stevens,1b	2	0	9	1	Rcker,cf,lf	3	1	2	0
Antnllo,cf	3	1	1	0	Bsnski(2b	4	1	1	1
Gorman,rf	3	0	0	0	Rocco,1b	2	1	7	1
Kellher,lf	3	2	1	0	Brovia,rf	3	1	1	0
Frnklin,ss	2	0	3	3	Mole,lf	2	1	2	0
Baxes,3b	2	0	0	2	Ritchey,c	3	0	4	0
Dapper,c	3	0	2	0	Austin,ss	3	1	1	0
Mltzbrgr,p	0	0	0	0	Lynn,p	3	2	1	2
Mndrff,p	1	0	0	0	Marquez,cf	0	0	0	0
aHicks	1	0	0	0	Barr,rf	0	0	0	0
Anthony,p	0	0	0	1					
Totals	22	3	18	11	Totals	26	10	21	7

a—Grounded out for Mondorff in 5th.

Hollywood	000 200 0—2
Portland	400 030 x—7

Losing pitcher: Maltzberger.

Pitcher	Ip	Ab	R	H	Er	Bb	So
Lynn	7	22	2	3	2	3	4
Maltzberger	⅔	6	4	4	4	0	1
Mondorff	3⅓	11	0	3	0	3	1
Anthony	2	9	3	3	3	1	0

E — None. RBI — Brovia 3, Moe 2, Kelleher 2, Austin 2. 2B — Brovia, Antonello, Austin. HR — Mole, Kelleher. SH — Stevens. DP — Franklin to Handley to Stevens; Thomas to Rocco. LOB — Hollywood 3, Portland 5. Umps — Runge, Young, Gordon and Orr. Time — 1:31. Att. — 10,595.

Junior Ball Playoff Set

The battle for the 1950 Salem Junior baseball "C" league title opens tonight on Olinger field at 6 o'clock. Tied for first place at the end of regular play last week, the Keizer Drive-Inns and Warner Motors clubs will go at in in a best two-of-three clash for the coveted title. Both teams finished regular play with six wins and one loss.

The only loss taken by the Inns came at the hands of the Warners, 6-5, week before last as George Covey bested Gary Keppinger in the pitching duel. Those two are apt to be the nominees for mound chores in tonight's opener, although the Inns may lead with Vince Matt. The Warners only loss during the season came at the start, an 11-5 pasting by the Odd Fellows Lodgers.

Second game of the playoff is set for Wednesday night and the third for Friday if necessary.

Aussies Up Tennis Lead

MEXICO CITY, July 30—(AP)—Australia increased her tennis victory over Mexico to 4-1 today in the closing matches of the American zone Davis cup finals.

The powerful Aussie team already had clinched the victory yesterday by winning three straight matches.

In today's play, Mexican singles champion Gustavo Palafox won the only Mexican point by defeating Ken McGregor, 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 3-6, 6-3.

Frank Sedgman, Australian champion, came from behind to edge out veteran Mexican cup player Armando Vega, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2.

PCL Line Scores:

(First game):
Sacramento ..... 000 010 000— 1 7 1
San Francisco ..... 000 001 03x— 4 8 0
Surkont and Raimondi; Llen and Orteig.

Sacramento ..... 000 110 0— 2 10 1
San Francisco ..... 002 110 x— 4 10 0
Evans and Steiner; Perez and Partee.

(First game):
San Diego ..... 022 032 110—11 13 0
Los Angeles ..... 110 001 202— 7 16 0
Kraus, Jurisich (9) and Moore; Muncrief, Kush (6), McDaniels (7), Gables (9) and Cash.

San Diego 300 020 0 5 4 1
Los Angeles ..... 200 101 0— 4 9 0
Olsen and Kerr; Besse, Mallory (7) and Cash.

(First game):
Oakland ..... 202 030 320—12 17 3
Seattle ..... 220 000 001— 5 10 2
Groth, Gassaway (1), Harrist (2) and Nable; Schanz, Gerheauser (5), Bickhaus (3) and Salkeld, Warren (2).

Oakland ..... 000 002 01— 3 8 0
Seattle ..... 100 100 00— 2 5 2
Gettel, Thompson (5), Behrman (7) and Malone; Fletcher and Salkeld.

Softy Leaders Face Battles

The make or break point for leading clubs in the City Softball circuit is at hand. With but two more weeks of play on the regular schedule, and three teams in a virtual tie for the loop lead, the Leslie action is expected to be on the hot and heavy side from here in.

The Salem Supper Clubbers, slumping badly of late, face a toughie tonight in the 9 o'clock rassle in Bob Knight and the Papermakers. The Clubbers and Campbell Rock Wool are tied for the lead with 10-3 marks, half a game up on the Golden Pheasants with 10-4.

Tonight's 8 o'clocker sends Randle Oilers against 12th Street Merchants. The Wools play South Commercial Businessmen Tuesday night, and then the Supper Clubbers Thursday night. The Pheasants have a 12th Merchants game Thursday also.

Industrial action calls for one game tonight, according to the schedule. In the league leading Maple Dairy plays second place Teamsters Union, a natural at 7 o'clock.

Leading City league player statistics, brought up to date by Statisticians Jim Dimit and Fred Minifi:

	AB	H	RBI	Pct
Hiebert, P-M	30	10	3	.333
Nelson, SSC	27	9	8	.333
McCaffery, CRW	33	10	9	.303
Carrow, P-M	30	9	4	.300
Joe Breeze, SSC	38	11	11	.289
Alley, G-P	39	11	8	.282
McMorris, P-M	42	11	6	.262
Wickert, SSC	43	11	5	.256
DeBow, G-P	39	10	4	.256
Maddy, P-M	45	11	2	.244
Carver, 12th	21	5	1	.238
Hendrie, SSC	38	9	8	.237
Wenger, G-P	39	9	6	.231
Barnholdt, SCB	30	7	3	.233
Maerz, R-O	30	7	3	.233
Vandervort, P-M	40	9	7	.225
Blanton, SSC	45	10	5	.222
Warren, P-M	27	6	3	.222
Caruth, SCB	32	7	5	.219
Henery, SSC	49	10	3	.204

Brooks Downs Halsey Nine

HALSEY, July 30 —(Special)—Brooks combined six hits with 15 walks here today to down Halsey 12-4 in a Santiam Valley league game.

Brooks' hurler, Joe Alexander held Halsey to one hit and no eraned runs and batted in his share of the winning runs with a double and a single in two times at the dish. He also whiffed 10 batters.

Brooks	004 602 0—12 6 4
Halsey	020 200 0— 4 1 2

Alexander and Akers; Fitzpatrick, Falk (4), Fitzpatrick (6) and Vennice.

Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. What was the first electrical household appliance invented?
2. Which continent has the largest population, and which the smallest?
3. Which was the first Presidential occupant of the White House?
4. Which responds more quickly to stimuli, the eye or ear?
5. Which is the most poisonous snake in the world?

ANSWERS

1. The electric iron.
2. Asia and Australia.
3. John Adams, in 1800.
4. The eye.
5. The king cobra of India.

Rollin' Along

by Jerry Stone

(Continued from page 8)

cient artillery to cut a foe to pieces. Speed will be the big factor. Joe's one hope is to land that knock-out wallop very early in the proceedings . . . . .

Easter Hits 'Em Low

They say of Cleveland's Luke Easter that he is one of the few wallopers in history who can make a pitcher duck a home run clout. Occasionally Larrupin' Luke will hit one which takes off on a low line toward the mound—so low in fact that the hurler is going to hit dirt fast. Then the twisting scorcher will start climbing up and into the wild blue yonder . . . . With 21 over-the-wall blows to date—which puts him only eight behind the major leader, Al Rosen of Cleveland—Easter might yet come out as the top homer smacker when the final day of the season arrives . . . . .

Silverton Does Well

Many favorable comments have arisen over the handling of the State Semi-Pro tourney at Silverton. No getting around it, this little town to the east of us has a habit of succeeding in baseball where others fail. That Silverton-Mt. Angel area over there is literally a hot-bed of baseball interest. Proportionately speaking, that interest is as high as you'll find anywhere . . . . .

If you want a tourney bad enough—well, make your own. That is what a dozen youthful linksters did recently and out popped the City Junior meet. The youths chipped in for trophies and chances are the tourney will now be an annual affair . . . . . Added to the annual Howard Wicklund - sponsored Junior meet, the golfin' kids hereabouts have had a busy summer . . . . . Only little over a month until the ponies start dashin' at the Lone Oak track so, mamma, if pappy is slow in coming forth with the dough for those nylons and that new headpiece you oughta know why . . . . . In her last four games Yakima's league - leading Bears (not including Sunday's games) totalled 50 runs and 66 hits. Not hard to see why they're heading the parade . . . . .

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