

Pries Clings To Bat Lead In WIL Race

Victoria third baseman Don Pries and a .384 batting average clung to the lead in the Western International League's hitting derby at the finish of three weeks of play.

Wenatchee's Walt Pockey led in total bases with 42 and in doubles with eight. Vic Buccola, Tri-City and Jake Helmuth of Lewiston, along with Chuck Abernathy of Victoria shared the runs batted in lead with 18 each.

Yakima's Jerry Zuvella and Vancouver's John Ritchey topped the three base hits with three each. Victoria's Cece Garriott led in runs scored with 23, Pries and Yakima's Bill Andring had most hits, 28, and Helmuth topped the circuit swatters with three.

Manager Bill Brenner of Lewiston topped the pitching column with a perfect 4-0 record. Statistics:

TEAM BATTING				
Team	AB	R	H	HR
Victoria	632	181	30	4
Lewiston	668	181	30	4
Vancouver	568	153	32	8
Wenatchee	611	151	24	3
Yakima	717	180	30	4
Lewiston	14	513	26	38
Spokane	649	159	24	2
Tri-City	681	160	28	3

TEAM FIELDING				
Team	Dp	Po	A	E
Spokane	27	555	23	37
Tri-City	19	551	24	30
Vancouver	17	430	206	24
Dokane	22	333	194	28
Lewiston	14	513	26	38
Wenatchee	19	504	225	37
Yakima	25	521	245	41
Victoria	18	477	96	40

INDIVIDUAL BATTING				
Player	AB	R	H	HR
Pries, Vic	73	28	6	0
Finger, Yak	67	25	4	2
Garriott, Vic	60	22	6	2
Duretto, Van	60	22	6	2
Smith, Lew	55	20	3	2
Akins, Wen	55	20	3	2
Pockey, Wen	47	27	8	2
Pere, Lew	42	25	5	0
Wahby, Sal	40	23	3	1
Helmuth, Lew	38	23	3	1
Rickey, Van	37	23	3	1
Locke, Van	35	23	3	1
H. Jelima, Wen	30	24	4	0
Malmberg, Yak	30	26	6	1
Moniz, Vi	27	25	7	0
Moran, Lew	25	18	2	1
Lodigian, Yak	25	18	2	1
Nelson, Sal	24	2	0	0
Chauhan, TC	24	2	0	0
Andring, Yak	23	2	0	0
West, Van	23	2	0	0
Abernathy, Vic	22	2	0	0
Monroe, Wen	12	12	2	0
Budin, Wen	12	12	2	0
Tanwell, Sal	12	12	2	0
Mead, Lew	7	4	1	0
McCormack, Wn	6	17	4	2
Schmidt, Sal	6	17	4	2
Toussina, Yak	6	17	4	2
Donaire, Sp	6	17	4	2
Brown, Yak	6	17	4	2

PITCHERS				
Player	W	L	IP	Bb
Brenner, Lew	4	0	39	36
Chauhan, TC	3	0	37	30
Wahby, Sal	2	0	22	18
Guldburg, Van	2	0	22	18
McLavin, Vic	2	0	18	14
McFar, Wen	1	0	14	14
Therney, Wen	1	0	14	14
Dials, Yak	1	0	13	12
Wright, Yak	1	0	12	12
Osborne, Wen	1	0	11	11
Tanwell, Sal	1	0	10	10
Paine, TC	1	0	5	6
Whitely, Van	1	0	5	6
Humphill, Sal	1	0	4	4
Chase, Sp	4	1	28	26
Robert, Sp	4	1	25	16
Lotma, Vic	3	1	25	21
Bonnie, TC	3	1	32	27
Locke, Van	3	1	30	31
Thompson, Yak	3	1	30	31
Head, Vic	3	1	24	20
Schnupp, Sp	3	1	22	18
DeGeorge, Sal	3	2	42	45
McNulty, Sal	3	2	41	44
Collins, Sal	3	2	41	44

OSC Regains ND Lead With Duck Victory

EUGENE (AP) - Bailey Brem's five hit pitching and timely long wallpops by Dwane Heibig and John Thomas gave Oregon State a 3-1 victory over Oregon here Monday.

The win put Oregon State back on top of the Northern Division baseball standings in its see-saw battle with Oregon. OSC now has nine victories and five defeats, while Oregon has an 8-4 record.

The winners got only one hit off Bill Mays, Oregon's starting pitcher. But that was Heibig's homer in the seventh inning for the first run of the game.

Don Siegmund replaced Mays in the eighth and gave up two tallies. Pete Goodbrod walked and Danny Johnston reached first when first baseman Phil Settecase dropped a throw on his sacrifice bunt. Goodbrod and Johnston advanced on Jay Dean's sacrifice, and both scored when Thomas drilled a double to right center.

Oregon's lone run came in the ninth inning on a pinch-hit homer by Earl Averill Jr. It was Averill's fourth home run of the league season.

The two teams meet again Friday and Saturday.

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Oregon . . . 000 000 001-1 5 3

Brem and Thomas; Mays, Siegmund (8) and R. Bottler.

Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. What large island of 840,000 square miles, with the exception of a narrow coastal strip, is covered with a coat of ice?

2. What does "par avion" mean on a envelope?

3. What common bird's flying muscles weigh as much as all other parts of the bird together?

4. What is a sabbatical year?

5. What Englishman wrote the most famous diary?

ANSWERS

1. Greenland.

2. By airmail.

3. The pigeon.

4. A leave of absence granted every seven years.

5. Samuel Pepys (1633-1703).

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McClarney Pitches, Lewis Hits . . . Bearcats Down Portland In Baseball Final 10-4

Willamette's Bearcats buttoned up their baseball season Monday on the Bush Field with a 10-4 conquest of the Portland U Pilots, a clash which was a scoreless deadlock until the Cats batted in the fifth inning.

In the fifth the WU's batted across six runs, five of same accounted for by circuit swats off the bats of Dick Browner and Dave Perlman. Browner belted his homer over the center field fence with two runners aboard, and after another runner had reached base Perlman cracked out his blow over the same fence.

It was easy from there for the Methodists who also scored twice in the seventh when Denny Elasser delivered a two-run single. Lewis used four freshmen pitchers in the game, Dave Gray, Vern Vannice, Ben Holt and Andy George in that order. Vannice was the winner.

Portland Coach Art McClarney took over the pitching chores in the eighth frame for the Pilots and was touched for one run as a bit of mirth was inserted into the final clash of the season.

Bearcat Lewis batted during the eighth and drove a long fly to the outfield.

For their season the Bearcats won 13 games and lost seven, winning their last seven straight. They finished in a tie for second place in the Northwest Conference standings, one game behind the champion Whitman Missionaries.

Portland (4)		(10) Willamette	
Player	IP	Player	IP
Lulich	4 1/2	Sheld	8 0/0
Borglund	3 2/3	Girod	6 2/3
Dorson	4 2/3	Browner	4 3/3
Pero	1 1/3	Browner	4 3/3
Sattler	1 0/0	Markac	2 0/0
Bartel	4 1/2	Brown	3 2/3
Clark	2 0/0	Perlman	3 2/3
Faler	0 2/3	Holt	1 0/0
Penny	2 0/1	Vannice	1 0/0
Lulich	3 0/0	Haugen	4 2/3
Glenn	2 0/0	Elasser	2 1/3
Beck	1 0/1	Hande	2 0/0
Morehead	2 1/3	Orzakar	1 0/0
McClary	0 0/0	Bates	1 0/0
		George	1 1/0

Totals 34 8 24 13
Portland . . . 000 001 210-4 8 2
Willamette . . . 000 072 011-10 16

Pitcher: Holt, George. Hit by pitcher: Lulich, Elasser, Holt, Clark. Left on bases: Portland 14, Willamette 14.

Home runs: Browner, Perlman. Two-base hits: Brown, Torson, Bartel. Runs batted in: Lulich, Sattler, Bartel, Clark, Shield, Elasser, Girod, Knopf, Browner, Perlman. Sacrifice hits: Clark, Stuber, Haugen, Shield, Brown. Umpires: Beal and Johnson. Time: 2:10.

Glazed tiles came into general use in Europe during the second half of the 12th Century.

Scorer Takes a Beating Figuring a No-Hit Game

By WHITNEY MARTIN
NEW YORK (AP)—The tension on a pitcher with a no-hit game in sight must be positively agonizing, but there is another guy in the ball park who is undergoing a similar strain, and can't do a thing about it.

He's the official scorer sitting up there in the press coop stewing in his own juice, praying fervently that if a hit does come, it will be a rebound which will leave no question as to its legitimacy.

The pitcher's tension is relieved somewhat by his own activity. Every game is a potential no-hitter, and for that reason one of the cardinal rules of scoring is to be certain the first hit off either pitcher in a game should leave no question as to its authenticity.

Nothing could be tougher on a pitcher or cause a scorer greater regret than to have an early blow called a hit when it could have been called either way, and to have that hit the only hit of the game off the pitcher.

We had personal experience with a near no-hitter. It was many years ago when we were official scorer for Western League games in Omaha.

The game in question only went seven innings, for some forgotten reason, and the only hit off a pitcher—whose name also is forgotten—should not have been a hit at all.

It was a towering fly directly in front of the mound. The pitcher, and the catcher, and third baseman and the first baseman gathered in a huddle and while they were bowing to each other with a "you take it" the ball dropped untouched among them.

That evening two or three players came up to the office each believing that he be given an error on the play.

Any no-hitter has its thrills, although some are more spectacular than others. When Bill Bevens had a no-hitter going for the Yankees against the Dodgers with only one out to go in the 1947 World Series much of the edge was taken off the performance because he was so wild the bases always were cluttered up with Brooklyns and probably many in the crowd didn't realize they were watching a potential no-hitter.

Allie Reynolds' second no-hitter last year probably packed as much tension as any no-hitter could pack inasmuch as the final man to face him was the best hitter in baseball, unless you want to argue a little about Stan Musial's claim to that honor.

With two outs in the ninth Ted Williams came to the plate, and Reynolds must have had to rebuff a strong temptation to throw four straight balls over his head and take a chance on the next hitter.

But Allie pitched to him, and what's more, really had to get Ted out twice. A high foul directly behind the plate found Yogi Berra circling around under the ball like he intended to surround it. He finally lunged, and missed.

Allie had it to do all over again, and he forced Teddy boy to pop up another out which this time Yogi mitted for keeps. A guy trying for a no-hitter doesn't usually have to give a hitter such as Williams two chances to spoil it.

Anyway, the next time a no-hitter is pitched, give a thought to the official scorer. He's the guy who really sweats it out.

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