

# Collins Cools Eskimos, 2-1 Stars' Beard Ties Coast Record as Beavers Beaten

## Salem, Edmonton Play Again Tonight; Hemphill to Hurl

By CHRIS KOWITZ, JR.  
Lanky left-hander Bob Collins pitched a brilliant four-hitter at Waters park last night as the Salem Senators broke into the Western International win column, defeating Edmonton 2-1.

The two teams resume their series at 8:15 tonight, with Jack Hemphill scheduled to pitch for Salem.

Collins kept the Eskimos four hits effectively scattered last night. They all come in separate innings. The lone Edmonton run was set up by a walk and a wild pitch in the fourth. Except for that, only one Edmonton runner got beyond second base, and that was on an error in the fifth.

Salem, meanwhile, had a hard time getting to the pitching of John Conant, former Spokane pitcher who moved to Edmonton during the winter trading season.

Conant retired the Senators in order for the first four innings. Connie Perez, first batter up in the Salem half of the fifth, finally broke the ice with a ground single to center. Les Witherspoon followed with a single to right, sending Perez to third, and the shivering audience (we hesitate to call it a crowd) of 305 persons finally had something to hop it up about. But Salem failed to score that inning.

Don Taylor filed out to short center field and Ray Stratton struck out. Witherspoon stole second, Conant intentionally walked Bob Nelson, then Collins popped up to Edmonton manager Bob Sturgeon at second base to end the threat.

Feres and Witherspoon also led off the Salem seventh with singles, and this time it paid off. Feres scored the first Solon run by coming home from third on a ground-out by Stratton.

The winning Salem run in the eighth was scored by Dick Sabatini on a wild pitch. Ironically, Conant had intentionally moved Sabatini to third base a few seconds earlier.

Sabatini had led off the inning with a single. After manager Hugh Luby and Gene Tansell had gone down, Perez singled, sending Sabatini to second. Sturgeon told Conant to purposely walk Witherspoon. That sent Sabatini to third, and put him in position

### WIL Standings

(By The Associated Press)

Club	W	L	Pct.
Edmonton	1	1	.500
Salem	2	0	1.000
Spokane	1	1	.500
Tri-City	1	1	.500
Victoria	1	1	.500
Yakima	1	1	.500

to score on the ensuing wild pitch.

Edmonton's run in the fourth came on a walk to Andy Skurski, a wild pitch, an infield single by Dick Morgan, and a fielder's choice off the bat of Sturgeon.

(By The Associated Press)  
The Lewiston Broncos took over as Western International Baseball League pace-setters Tuesday night.

The Broncos, previously tied

with Victoria and Calgary at the top of the standings, earned exclusive rights to first place by shading Wenatchee 2-1 in the season-opener at Lewiston.

Victoria fell half a game behind the Broncos after losing 5-2 at Yakima. And Calgary, beaten 4-2 by the Tri-City Braves at Kennewick dropped to a third-place tie with the Braves.

The Spokane Indians and Vancouver Capilanos meanwhile posted their initial 1953 victories.

Spokane dropped the Capilanos 4-2 in the first game of a twin bill at Vancouver, but lost the nightcap 4-3.

Wenatchee's Rick Betele limited Lewiston to three hits but wildness cost him the game. His nine walks included the two-in-a-row that gave the Broncos the winning run in the fourth inning. Lewiston's Russ Butler was reached for only five safeties.

Another pitcher, Danny (The Lion) Rios, was effective at the plate as well as on the mound as Yakima hit the win column in the Bears' first game at home.

Rios, former Mexican League hurler playing in the WIL under a special ruling by minor league Chief George Trautman, scattered eight hits and backed the performance by hitting a home run and a double. Yakima scored four runs in the first inning. Rios' homer in the sixth was an unneeded insurance tally.

The first inning was the big one for Tri-City in the game at Kennewick. The Braves scored their four runs off former teammate Joe Orrell who gave up two walks and three singles before he was relieved by Bill Stites. Calgary scored one run in the eighth on Jim Mellinger's single behind two walks. Some weird base-running ended a Calgary rally in the ninth after one runner crossed the plate.

A rookie playing his first year of professional baseball started for Spokane in the doubleheader at Vancouver. Bill Holland hit six-for-seven in the two contests. He hit a homer in the first game and his bases-loaded double in the first inning gave the Indians all their runs in the nightcap.

# Stars' Beard Ties Coast Record as Beavers Beaten

Hollywood (AP)—Terrible Ted Beard nailed two homers and two singles in four times at bat last night, driving in five runs to lead Hollywood to a 9-2 victory over the Portland Beavers at Gilmore field.

Beard's four hits tied the Pacific Coast League record of 12 consecutive hits set by Mickey Heath of Hollywood in 1930.

Mel Queen, Hollywood hurler, went the full nine making it his first win against three losses. Larry Ward of the Beavers was knocked out of the box in the second inning and took the loss.

After one run in the first on Tom Saffell's dash home on Lee Walls' pop fly to right field, the Stars scored five in the second frame.

It started with Gene Handley's single. Eddie Malone tripled followed by a one-bagger by Queen. At this point Dick Walbel replaced Ward. But Walbel pitched into a single by Saffell and then a homer by Beard.

Hollywood chalked up another run in the fourth when Saffell walked, went to third on Beard's single and home on another pop fly by Walls. Then in the sixth, Saffell singled again and was homered in by Beard.

A sparse crowd of 1,630 watched the shutout.

Hollywood will start Jim Walsh (1-2) tonight against Lyman Linde (3-1).

### PCL STANDINGS

(By The Associated Press)

Club	W	L	Pct.
Hollywood	10	0	1.000
Portland	1	1	.500
San Diego	1	1	.500
Seattle	1	1	.500
Stockton	1	1	.500
Visalia	1	1	.500

# Weathervane Comes to Frisco This Weekend

San Francisco, (AP)—Many of the nation's top golfers, both professional and amateurs, were on the entry list today, the third leg of the \$17,000 Weathervane cross-country golf tournament to be played here Saturday and Sunday.

Among the simon-pures were national junior champion Mickey Wright of La Jolla, Calif.; Barbara Romack, of Sacramento, Calif., former state amateur queen; Mrs. R.

# Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)  
Los Angeles—Al Cruz, 155, Los Angeles, stopped Jorge Manjarres, 135, San Diego, 4-0.

San Antonio, Tex.—Jimmy Martinez, 154, Glendale, 154, 61, Paul, 10.

Stockton, Calif.—Tommy Manolis, 134, Los Angeles, knocked out Gene Morris, 133, Lone Beach, Calif., 5.

Brooklyn (Highwood) Grove—Arthur Pender, 128, New Orleans, outpointed Georgia Dunn, 124, Hartford, 10.

Houston, Tex.—Joe Pagan, 126, San Antonio, outpointed Joe Vasquez, 127, Houston, 8.

H. Gamble, former top amateur in Illinois, and Mrs. Carol Bowman, runner-up for the Trans-Mississippi crown.

# SPORTS

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## Szasz Defeats Shred, Earns Shot at McShain

Al Szasz earned the right to meet world's champion Danny McShain at the Salem armory May 12, by defeating Don Kindred in the main event of last night's professional wrestling card at the armory.

Szasz was scheduled to have wrestled Eric Pederson in the main event, but Pederson was unable to compete because of a knee injury.

Szasz won the third and deciding fall last night on a spectacular note when he caught Kindred in mid-air and flipped him onto the mat for a pin. Kindred has been bouncing Szasz around quite freely up until the dramatic finish.

Tommy Martindale defeated Ralph Alexander, Angelo Poffo defeated Glen Detton and Buck Weaver downed Danny O'Rourke in preliminary matches.

## Leslie Scores Nine Runs in One Inning, Wins 11-4

Lou DeLorette's Leslie Rockets scored nine runs in the fourth inning and went on to down West Salem 11-4 at Leslie Tuesday. Parrish plays Leslie Friday at Salem.

West Salem, coached by Bill Hanauka, jumped into a 2-0 lead in the top of the first while the Rockets scored one, although getting three hits to one for West Salem. West Salem added one in the second to give them a 3-1 lead but Leslie once again narrowed the lead down to one run in their half of inning.

Then came the big fourth inning in which the Rockets scored nine runs on five hits. The hits were by Ron Wooley, Bruce Patterson, Roger Carda, Darrell Ponsford and Bill Jones.

The Giants finished out their scoring in the fifth and last inning with two runs. Dale Jones went all the way for Leslie and got the win. McCormack, Davis, and Johnson pitched for West Salem. McCormack takes the loss.

Leslie's Roger Carda was the game's big hitter with three singles in four trips to the plate. Other Leslie players who got more than one hit were

## Three Oregon College Games Halted by Rain

(By United Press)  
Rainy weather put the damper on three Oregon college baseball games yesterday.

A Northern division doubleheader between Oregon State and Washington at Corvallis was cancelled because of the cloudy weather.

At Eugene, a non-conference game between Oregon and Portland university was rained out.

Rain also forced postponement of a scheduled contest between Willamette and Portland State. The game will be made up in a doubleheader at Portland May 6.

## Rain Postpones WSC-Idaho Game

Moscow, Ida. (AP)—A Northern Division baseball game between Washington State and Idaho postponed yesterday because of rain will be played as part of a doubleheader when the two teams meet here May 16.

Italy has several battalions of infantry which march at a run.

## Chuck Davey 4-1 Favorite

Detroit, (AP)—Chuck Davey is a 4 to 1 favorite to whip Sammy Guillani Wednesday night in the first of his fight-a-month campaign to squeeze back into the welterweight title picture.

The Lansing, Mich., school teacher is expected to jab, stab and dance past his younger, brawling opponent in their nationally televised 10-round.

Dale Jones, Jerry Carleton, and Bob Beals, Smith of West Salem also had two.

West Salem ..... 210 03-5 4 4  
Leslie ..... 110 9-11 3 3  
McCormack, Davis (4), Johnson (4) and Davis, McCormack (4); Jones and Ponsford.

### The Box Score

Edmonton (1)	(2) Salem
Thomas 4 0 0	18th St. 4 0 0
Kesler 4 0 0	Luby 2 0 0
Skralec 3 0 0	Tansell 4 0 0
Vilouski 4 1 0	Perez 2 0 0
Morgan 2 2 0	Witherspoon 2 1 0
Sturgeon 2 0 0	Taylor 1 0 0
Herman 1 0 0	Stratton 1 0 0
Campbell 4 1 2	Nelson 1 0 0
Conant 2 0 0	Collins 2 0 0
W-Weaver 1 0 0	

Totals Ed 4-24-7 Totals Sal 5-27-8  
2-Grounded out for Conant in 9th.  
Edmonton ..... 000 100 000-1 4 0  
Salem ..... 2 2 0 11-3 10 2  
Pitching: Ed—Collins, 2 1/3; Conant, 2 1/3; Weaver, 1 0 0.  
Left on base—Edmonton 9, Salem 7.  
Errors—Perez, Nelson, 23th-Campbell, Morgan, 23th-Stratton, Stratton, Sturgeon, 23th—Kanehl, Witherspoon, Time—1:24. Ump—Klar and Yubase. All—300.

### First game:

Spokane	110 110 0-4 10 0
Vancouver	000 000 0-3 4 0
Palm, Desautels, and Sheeta; Hedges, Gumberson, McKay, and Leubers.	

### Second game:

Spokane	000 000 000-2 2 1
Vancouver	000 002 101-4 2 2
New, Franke & Cordell 7, and Triandros; Gulobers, Fletcher, and Lundberg.	

### Calgary:

Calgary	000 000 011-3 3 0
Tri-City	400 000 00-4 2 0
Orrell, Stites 1, Levenson 7 and Brickner; Tanner, Dobson 7 and Pesut.	

### Wenatchee:

Wenatchee	000 000 100-1 2 4
Lewiston	100 100 00-3 2 2
Wetzel and Standford; Butler and Neal.	

### Victoria:

Victoria	100 000 001-2 2 1
Yakima	001 000 00-3 10 2
Wianski, Walker 7, and Bross, Martin 6; Rios and Day.	

## Scio Men Fined For Chumming

Albany—Two Scio men were each fined \$75 in district court by Judge Wendel Tompkins when they pleaded guilty to chumming at Indian Prairie lake April 19.

"Chumming," explained Judge Tompkins, is the term used to describe the offense of feeding fish to induce them to assemble where the fisherman can the more easily catch them.

The arrest of the pair was effected by state police officers. The accused men were Medie Luther Bynum and Alvy Christopher Fleming.

### TIDE TABLE

Tides for Tillamook, Oregon—April, 1953  
(Compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.)

High Waters	Low Waters
1:21 p.m. 4.8	6:34 p.m. 2.3
12:18 a.m. 4.5	7:30 p.m. 2.5
2:08 p.m. 4.7	8:23 p.m. 2.7

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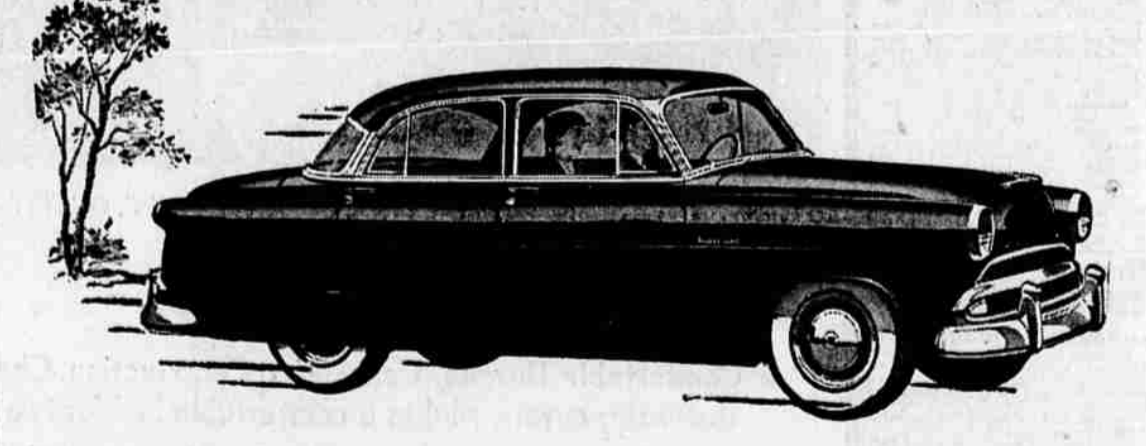
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