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Coquille Active Remains Undefeated As Softballers Resume League Play

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(League Reporter)

The Coquille Active club won their sixth game Tuesday evening, July 12th, by downing the Myrtle Point Veneer club 5 to 3. It was a pitchers duel between Bellmore of the Veneer club and C. Allord of the Active club with Allord coming out on top. The Active Club didn't get their winning margin until the fifth inning on three singles. After two were out F. Adams singled, followed by another by H. Roberts and then Johnson drove out the third single and on the play to the plate to get Roberts, Johnson tried for second and was out to end the scoring for the Active Club. In the seventh the M. P. Veneer tried to get back into the game when Williams as first up drove a ball down the first base line for a home run. G. Kern then popped out for the first out and Blum followed with a single. At this point Allord got the next two batters on fly outs to end the game. Allord allowed three runs on seven hits and walked none while Bellmore allowed 8 runs on five hits and walked six batters.

M. P. Veneer				
Pos.	AB	R	H	
Schrag	6	3	0	1
Taylor	10	3	1	1
Owen	5	3	0	1
Williams	7	3	1	1
G. Kern	3	2	1	1
Kilen	3	1	0	0
Blum	2	3	0	2
Bellmore	1	3	0	0
T. Kern	4	3	0	0
Davis	8	2	0	0
Totals	29	3	7	

Coquille Active Club				
Pos.	AB	R	H	
Mason	6	3	0	1
Newton	4	4	0	0
Kreick	5	3	1	1
C. Allord	1	3	0	0
F. Adams	10	1	2	1
H. Roberts	7	1	1	1
Farmer	7	2	1	1
Johnson	3	3	0	1
Auer	8	2	0	1
Neufeldt	9	1	0	0
Totals	63	24	8	10

Newton Captures Legion Bat Honors

Jimmy Newton, veteran center-fielder of the Coquille Junior American Legion baseball team, topped all batting averages of his team-mates for the 1949 season by

more than fifty points as he set up a record of .416 in six league games.

Johnny Knight, another veteran of the Legion team, placed second in the season's standings with a husky .364.

Following is a complete summary of the Coquille team's 1940 averages:

Player	AB	R	H	Pct.
Newton, cf	24	8	10	.416
Knight, ss	22	1	8	.364
Wilson, ss	6	3	2	.333
Bradford, rf	3	1	1	.333
Oerding, c	24	7	6	.250
Howe, 3b	25	1	6	.240
Duncan, 2b	17	3	4	.235
Lidley, rf	13	1	3	.230
Jeub, 1b	27	5	6	.222
Schweinfurt, rf	8	1	1	.125
Ward, p	18	0	2	.111
Simpson, lf	22	4	2	.090

Coquille Juniors Win Final Game; Defeat N. B. 8-4

Coquille's baseball representatives in the 1949 Junior American Legion race completed the season's work last week when they defeated the North Bend boys at Fortier Field 8-4.

The victory was a special welcome-home on the part of the Coquille nine for their manager and coach, Jess Barton, Jr., who returned from the Veteran's hospital in Portland just in time for the game.

Coquille scored one run in the second inning, two in the third, four in the fifth and the final one in the eighth.

North Bend tallied one in the first, one in the second and two in the eighth.

Johnny Knight relieved Bob Ward on the mound for Coquille in the eighth inning and quelled an uprising of North Benders to put the game on ice for the local boys.

The Lineups:				
Coquille	AB	R	H	PO
Simpson, lf	5	0	1	0
Knight, ss	4	1	2	5
Jeub, 1b	4	1	1	8
Oerding, c	3	2	0	6
Newton, cf	5	2	4	2
Bradford, rf	2	1	1	2
Howe, 3b	3	1	1	2
Duncan, 2b	3	1	1	2
Ward, p	4	0	0	0
Schweinfurt, rf	2	0	0	0

N. B. Sluggers Top S. W. League Race

The North Bend Merchants, undefeated in the first half of the 1949 Southwestern Oregon Baseball league race, also topped all other teams in the league in the hitting department.

The Merchants, with fifty-three hits in one hundred and eighty-nine times at the plate, are, however, closely followed by Reedsport and Bandon. Reedsport has accumulated forty-eight hits on one hundred and seventy-three chances while Bandon has forty-seven on one hundred and seventy-four.

Following is a complete list of the team averages and the records of the top twenty hitters in the league.

Team Averages	AB	H	%
North Bend	189	53	.280
Reedsport	173	48	.277
Bandon	174	47	.270
Coquille	167	42	.251
Powers	175	36	.206
Coos Bay	166	31	.187

Top 20 Hitters			
AB	H	Pct.	
Mansker, Reedsport	20	12	.600
Goodbrod, Bandon	7	4	.571
McIntee, Coquille	18	10	.556
Ariett, North Bend	20	11	.550
Brewer, Coquille	17	8	.471
Smith, Bandon	16	7	.438
Matasuski, No. Bend	16	6	.429
Schivens, No. Bend	18	7	.389
Owens, Bandon	8	3	.375
D. Young, No. Bend	17	6	.353
Severson, Reedsport	20	7	.350
Samson, Coos Bay	20	7	.350
Goddard, Bandon	20	7	.350
Fassett, Coquille	18	6	.333
Haines, Reedsport	16	5	.313
Michelson, Bandon	12	4	.333
McKenna, N. B. & C. B.	9	3	.333
Forkner, Coquille	19	6	.316
Bafaro, Powers	20	6	.300
Baird, Bandon	20	6	.300

Playground Plans Larger Program

Each week during the summer months, Coquille's youngsters have the opportunity of taking part in one of the most comprehensive play



HAPPY MOMENT, Beulah Bondi, Buri Ives and sweet Luana Patten are justifiably proud of young Bobby Discoll's aim to win a County Fair prize for his black ram in Walt Disney's combination live action and cartoon feature in color by Technicolor, "So Dear to My Heart," in which they share featured honors with Harry Carey at the Roxy theatre Thurs., Fri., and Sat.

ground programs to be found in any part of the State, according to word received from Everett Peery, director of the Community building play-park in Coquille.

Regular activities such as handball, croquet, badminton, horse-shoes and games for the little fellows are augmented by regular sessions of baseball, tennis, golf, handcraft, music, and dramatics.

"It is our intention," stated Peery "to teach the youngsters sports and hobbies that they will be able to use all through their lives, not just sports they can participate in while they are in the process of growing up."

"Such sports as golf, and tennis and an understanding of music and dramatics will prove not only highly entertaining to the youngsters but give added interest to each of them in later years."

Although it is necessary to take those interested in such sports as golf, tennis and baseball away from the Community building playground for these sports, Peery makes it clear that the park is open at all times from Monday through Friday, and a separate program under the direction of Mrs. Peery is available for all those youngsters who do not wish to participate in the added sports.

Following is the weekly schedule of activities.

BASEBALL—10 A. M. each day except Tuesday at Fortier Field. (Anyone interested may participate.)

HANDBALL—10 A. M. Tuesday, Community building.

GOLF—1 P. M., Coquille Valley Country club.

HANDCRAFT—(older boys) 1 P. M. Monday and Wednesday, Community building.

(Older girls) 3 P. M. Monday and Wednesday.

(Boys and girls, 7 to 9 years) 2 P. M. Monday and Wednesday.

TENNIS—1 P. M. Thursday and 1 to 3 P. M. Friday.

MUSIC—3 P. M. Friday.

DRAMATICS—2 P. M. Thursday.

Coquille Loggers Defeat Powers 10-2

The Coquille Loggers started the second half of the 1949 season with an impressive 10-2 victory over

the Powers AC club Sunday afternoon, July 10th, at Powers.

The Loggers had complete control of the game at all times, with "Cocky" Brewer keeping the Powers hits so well scattered that the down-country boys never were able to mount a major offensive.

Powers did capitalize on a walk, a stolen base and a two-base hit by Astin in the fourth to bring home a run, but with one out already in the bag, Brewer proceeded to retire the side on two straight strike-outs.

The final Powers runs came in the ninth inning on a single by Astin and a triple by Deaver.

Coquille scored two runs in the second on a double by Fassett, a single and a stolen base by Bob Douglas and a long sacrifice fly by Deb Sutphin.

The Loggers scored two more in the fifth on singles by Sutphin, Dave Douglas, Brewer and Forkner, and the final rally came in the seventh when the Loggers collected five runs on two hits, two walks, two errors and two stolen bases.

The tenth run for Coquille came in the ninth inning on a walk, a stolen base and a single by Joe Marchand.

The Lineups:

Coquille				
AB	R	H	PO	A
D. Douglas, 1b	3	1	2	8
Forkner, ss	4	2	2	3
Marchand, lf	5	0	3	0
Fassett, 2b	4	1	1	3
McIntee, 3b	3	0	0	0
B. Douglas, cf	3	1	1	0
Sutphin, rf	1	1	2	0
Hawkins, c	3	1	0	10
Brewer, p	3	2	2	0
Johnson, 2b	1	0	0	1
Coleman, 3b	1	0	0	1
Salisbury, rf	2	1	0	0
Totals	33	10	12	27

Powers				
AB	R	H	PO	A
Barrett, 3b	4	0	1	0
Herman, 2b	4	0	0	4
Bushnell, ss	4	0	0	3
Simpson, c	3	1	1	6
Astin, lf	4	1	2	0
Deaver, cf	4	0	1	3
Rolfe, 1b	4	0	1	7
Grove, rf	4	0	0	4
Rowe, p	2	0	0	0
Grove, p	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	6	27

Dorothy Wersh Given Shower

Miss Dorothy Wersh, bride-elect of the month, was complimented on Tuesday evening when a kitchen shower was given in her honor by members of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority. Sixteen members of the club attended the affair which was held at the home of Miss Wersh's sister, Mrs. Margaret Wylie.

The planet Neptune is 30 times farther from the sun than is the earth, and is probably colder than 330 degrees below zero, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Failure of a husband to sew his wife's clothes is grounds for divorce among some African natives, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Legion Picnic Set For Sunday, July 17

La Verne park at Fairview Sunday, July 17, will be the scene of the American Legion picnic. Starting at 10:30 a. m. food, refreshment, games, and lots of fun are planned. The Coquille Post, No. 36, will furnish coffee, cream, sugar, hot dogs, and soft drinks.

Hostess To Club

Mrs. Alex Mackey was hostess on Thursday when she entertained members of the Lafalot club at an evening party. Attending the affair were Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Will Myers, Mrs. Millie Waters, Mrs. Edna Rakestraw, Mrs. Aurora Willard, Mrs. Minnie Clinton, Mrs. Huldah Ellingson, Mr. Laura Brandon, Mrs. Josh Ruble, Mrs. Ida Sydnam of Portland.

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