

Sentinel

COQUILLE, OREGON

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Phil Steinberg Blasts Double In 9th Hit Breaks Up SWO League Tilt As Coquille Defeats North Bend 5-4

In a thrilling Frank Merriwell finish, Phil Steinberg, Logger third baseman, blasted a double in the bottom half of the ninth inning to send two runners across the plate and defeat North Bend 5-4 in a Southwestern Oregon baseball game at Fortier Field Sunday afternoon. The victory placed Bill Fortier's battling Coquille nine firmly on top in the 1950 pennant scramble.

North Bend started the scoring with a run in the top half of the first inning. Buz Arlitt and Joe Sugura teamed up to tally that one when Arlitt singled and Sugura followed with a double.

Coquille's first tally came in the third, the result of a walk and a stolen base for Goodman plus an infield single by catcher Tommy Hawkins and a hard hit single by Don White.

The second Logger run crossed the plate in the fourth. With two away, Herns smashed a blistering triple, then brought in the run with a stolen base. Goodman then walked and stole second. Tommy Hawkins proceeded to get second hit of the afternoon, but Goodman was held at third. Both runners died on base when Don White flew out to second.

Trailing by one run but still very much in the ball game, North Bend came into the fifth inning determined to even the count. Scrivens, first ran to face White, flew out to Al Forker. Winders drew a walk, and Paul Lusby cracked out a hard double to score Winders. Arlitt then caught hold of an outside corner ball for a single to score Lusby. Sugura flew out to centerfield and Markowski struck out to retire the side with two runs scored on two hits, making the score 3-2 in favor of North Bend.

North Bend stretched their lead by one more run in the seventh when Scrivens drew a base-on-balls and went to second as Winders drew a free trip to first when a balk was called against White. Lusby then flew out to deep left-field, and Winders scored on the throw-in.

Still behind by two runs, the Loggers came to bat in the last half of the ninth after being blanked for four straight innings.

Lead-off man Dave Douglas connected for a single but was thrown

out attempting to go to second. Joe Marchand reached first when Buz Arlitt bobbled the ball and went to second as Al Forkner was safe at first on a fielder's choice that failed to work. Bob Stewart drove in the first run of the inning with a hard hit single and then Phil Steinberg broke up the game with his terrific double that scored Forkner and Stewart.

Don White, pitching smooth ball all the way, allowed five hits and three walks while striking out seven North Benders.

Scrivens, also pitching excellent ball, was charged with nine hits and four walks, but struck out four.

Coquille	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Douglas, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Marchand, rf	5	1	0	3	0	0
Forkner, ss	4	1	1	2	2	1
Stewart, 2b	5	1	1	4	2	0
Steinberg, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Herns, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Goodman, lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Hawkins, c	4	0	3	7	1	0
White, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	35	5	9	27	8	1

North Bend	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Winders, ss	4	1	0	1	4	1
Lusby, 2b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Arlitt, 1b	4	1	2	10	0	1
Sugura, c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Markowski, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Webb, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Krafve, lf	3	0	1	4	0	0
Holland, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Scrivens, p	3	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	4	5	25	11	2

Loggers Top SWOL Bandon Close 2nd

SWO League Standings	Won	Lost	%
Coquille	6	1	.858
Bandon	5	2	.715
Reedsport	4	2	.687
North Bend	3	4	.429
Powers	2	4	.334
Coos Bay	0	7	.000

By virtue of winning a double header with Coos Bay last Sunday, the Bandon Millers crept one-half game closer to the league-leading Loggers of Coquille but still remain a full game out of first place.

Coquille kept the number one spot with a thrilling ninth inning win over North Bend at Coquille, 5-4. The loss dropped North Bend below the five hundred mark with three wins and four losses.

Bandon's twin wins came easily. Both were five inning games and both count in league standings. Scores were 13-1 and 15-1.

Up Reedsport way, the invading Powers nine nearly upset the pennant-chasing Douglas county team. Powers led 3-2 going into the bottom half of the eighth, but Reedsport staged a three-hit rally that, coupled with two walks and two Powers errors, brought five Reedsport runs across the plate and wound up the game 7-3.

SPORTS



PLAYGROUND AND COACH—Here's

Fabian Nelson, Co-

quille high school in-

tramural physical edu-

cation director, and this

summer doing a bang-

up job of running the

Summer city recrea-

tional program. His

most recent program is

the starting of Teen-

Age football which has

a big turnout and more

coming.

(Sentinel Photo)



LET'S TALK FISHING...



Every year it comes, the first steelhead of the summer at the Rogue and it makes news up and down the city streets, the byways, and the trailways. This year City Attorney Tallant Greenough got the first reported steelhead of the season, and so it isn't going to be long before more of them are waiting for you.

Reports from Winchester bay keep coming in, and the fame of the place is spreading until it is going to be just as notable as the Rogue river. In fact, some ardent fishermen like the Governor of Nevada claim it's the "Poor Man's Paradise for Fishing."

Chief of Police Athel Dudley has a reputation for veracity. In fact, he is said to be one of the most honest men in town... as police chiefs should be. But, he can tell a story of a tiny Cascade lake that makes Baron Munchausen's tales pale into anemic shadows. Says the Chief: "One night I drove into this Davis lake and what happened! Well I got out my fly pole to try this lake, and whango, here came a big red-side. Sure I lost him, and I lost a lot more that evening, but when I was through I had three big 21-inchers... and that ain't so bad for a country boy." Anyhow, Chief Dudley likes his Davis lake redside fishing so well that he's going over there next week-end.

Just came in: Report from Winchester Bay that a party of Coquille fishermen caught 12 salmon there Tuesday.

FISHING DOPE

Loon lake said to be good for bass, mornings, evenings.

Tennille fair for trout... always good for perch.

Coquille, a few salmon being taken below Prosper in evenings in tide changes.

Croft lake fair catches trout on troll.

Teen-Age Football Tops This week For Summer Playground Recreation

It isn't football season but some of Coquille's teen agers are starting to get in shape through the media of Coquille's Summer Playground.

According to the word received from Playground Director Fabian Nelson, a six man football league has been formed with four teams participating and two rounds to be played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday each week. Contestants wear no equipment and blocking and tackling is barred. A great deal of enthusiasm has been shown so far. If more boys are interested

and would like to come down to the playground and get on a team the league can be expanded for the second half.

Playground Horseshoe Champ has been crowned in a hotly contested tournament. Little Gary Morris edged out James Bradford 22 to 20 and 21 to 17 to take top honors in the ringer game.

The boys were no match for 10 year old "Butch" Harris as she ran away in the annual croquet tournament. Butch showed unusual skill in dominating play throughout the tournament.

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New York Giants Want Players

DALLAS—Mickey Shader, western scout for the New York Giants National league baseball club, has issued a call for diamond talent to report to a tryout camp in this little Willamette Valley city on August 4 and 5.

With Hughie Day, another Giant scout, Shader will look over prospects for the Giants as he conducts the camp "in major league style."

All players eligible to sign professional contracts may attend without charge, although each must pay his own expenses and bring his own uniform.

Shader points out that the camp will be strictly a hunt for talent and is not a baseball school, although much instruction will be given. Sessions will be held rain or shine, and on the concluding day, pick of the prospects will meet a top semi-pro outfit of this area in a nine-inning game.

Kermit Merson has resigned as assistant manager of the Coos-Curry Electric cooperative, the resignation to become effective on August 25. Merson will return to Washington to take a position which he formerly held with the Rural Electrical Administration.

Something new in neon window signs is being installed this week at Chuck's Flower Basket. The lights made from orchid colored tubing are the last touch in the effective redecoration of the flower shop.

Back in her office at the court house is county school superintendent Martha Mulkey Purdy who has been on vacation. After visiting relatives in California, Mrs. Purdy spent some time in Portland.



Divot Digging

Wednesday, July 19th the usual Ladies Day had a pretty good turnout but mostly all from Myrtle Point. Winners were Mrs. Mary Gage and Mrs. Chet Noyes both from Myrtle Point. Wednesday, July 26th will be Ladies Day again. All ladies are welcome to participate. Prizes given for different winners and events.

July 20th was even a larger success than the last one a week ago putting the course in very good shape. A large crowd of golfers turned and really gave the course a new look. Another work nite is expected in the near future.

Sunday, July 23rd, Coquille Valley Country Club entertained the West-Most Golf Course of Bandon and Coquille. Coquille took top honors by gaining 23 points to Bandon's 13.

Sunday, August 6th The West-Most Golf Course of Bandon will entertain the Coquille Valley Country Club. All golfers are urged to go to Bandon and keep up our record.

Sunday, July 30, there will be a One Club tournament at the Coquille Valley golf course. Each golfer will choose one club which he must use for the full nine holes. Prizes will be given to winners. Everybody welcome to participate. Tee-off time 10 a. m.

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