

TUESDAY, JULY 22, 1952

Harkers Island, Mill Creek Split

Mill Creek divided a twin bill with Harkers Island at Straits Sunday in Saltwater league play. Harkers Island edged out Mill Creek 5-4 in the first game.

The Islanders got 4 runs in the first on 4 hits, with the help of 2 walks and an error. Mill Creek came back with 2 runs in the third and 2 in the fourth.

With two out in the seventh J. Guthrie and C. Gaskill hit safety. An intentional pass and an error by Roy McCain enabled Guthrie to score the tie-breaking run.

Walter Thomas was the winning pitcher. He allowed 3 hits and fanned 9. Lloyd Culpepper, who came in to relieve West Taylor in the fourth, got credited with the loss.

Mill Creek came back to avenge their defeat 8-0 in the first game by blasting 8 runs off of losing pitcher, Frank Moore, in the first three innings, to allow them to coast to an easy victory.

Lloyd Culpepper, after relieving in the first game, also pitched the second and was never in trouble. Ralph Lawrence, who relieved Moore in the third, allowed only one hit and fanned 11 in the four remaining innings.

Culpepper allowed Harkers Island 5 safeties and fanned 7. Mill Creek got 11 hits and 12 strikeouts.

Ben Wade Gets 10th Win Sunday

Pittsburgh (AP) — The battling Brooklyn Dodgers made it a three-game cleanup on the Pittsburgh Pirates Sunday, putting together 13 hits — three of them homers — for an 8-5 triumph.

George Shuba, the Youngstown, O., boy who plays as sub outfielder for the pennant hunting Dodgers, was honored by his town-folk before the game then went out and blasted a two-run circuit clout in the third inning, his fourth this year.

Jackie Robinson led off the eighth with a home run. Andy Pafko followed him at the plate and also hit out of the Forbes Field park. It was Jackie's 10th and Andy's 13th for the season.

Tony Bartirome drove in three of the Pirate runs with a pair of singles. Joe Garagiola and Bob Del Greco also had a pair, each driving in a run as the Bucs collected a dozen safeties.

Ben Wade was the winning pitcher, chalking up his 10th success but he needed the rescue work of Joe Black over the last two and a third innings. Pirate Murray Dickson lost his 15th.

Score by innings:
Brooklyn 013 100 030—8
Pittsburgh 000 010 220—5

Saltwater Scores

Atlantic 4, Beaufort 3.
Atlantic 7, Beaufort 6.
Harkers Island 5, Mill Creek 4.
Mill Creek 8, Harkers Island 0.