

# Beaufort Posts 3-2 Win Tuesday Over Eagles at Morehead City

The Seadogs traveled the two miles from Beaufort to Morehead City Tuesday afternoon to try their first Coastal Plains competition and returned to Seadog land with a 3-2 win.

It was the third baseball win of the year for the Beaufort diamond dusters against two setbacks. The Eagles have a 1-3 record, and they stand at .500 in the conference. They won over Jones Central, a conference foe, last week.

It all happened in the first inning for the Seadogs. Clem Woodard received a free trip to first on balls. Wayne Merrill was safe at first on a fielder's choice, and Woodard was safe at second.

Then the stage was set for the Seadogs' leftfielder, Leslie Croom, to do his damage for the day. The Beaufort outfielder sent a John Lee pitch to the top of the Morehead gym and over for a home run.

Donald Yeager came in for Lee and the side was retired.

With a 3-0 lead going into the bottom of the sixth inning, the Seadogs didn't care if the rain that had been threatening all afternoon did come.

The Eagles came alive in the last half of the sixth frame and sent two singles into left field. Beaufort coach James Fodrie saw fit to give Woodard a chance on the mound, taking out John Way.

Another base hit and Bernard Leary crossed the plate to give the Eagles a chance to get back into the ball game.

Beaufort didn't score in the top half of the last frame and the Eagles started another rally when Yeager got a base hit and Danny McQueen connected for a double to put Morehead City only one run behind.

With the tying run on second, Leary committed what coach Charlie Goss called a mental error when he swung on a 3-0 pitch and popped up an easy out to the infield.

"Bernard usually plays heads-up baseball," the Morehead coach said. "I think he was over-anxious to get a hit and just didn't think about the situation."

The Seadogs played their second conference game yesterday afternoon in a home game. They took on the diamond efforts of Jones Central.

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Beaufort	AB	R	H
Hassell, 3b	2	0	1
Woodard, 2b	3	1	1
Merrill, cf	3	1	0
Croom, lf	3	1	1
Crooms, J., rf	3	0	1
Way, 1b	3	0	0
Bertham, ss	3	0	1
House, c	3	0	0
Way, J., p	2	0	0
Temple, 2b	0	0	0

Morehead City	AB	R	H
Kemp, 3b	3	0	0
McQueen, cf	4	0	1
Leary, ss	4	1	1
Smith, c	3	0	1
Lee, p	2	0	0
Cjapsadl, 1b	2	0	0
Ingling, 1b	1	0	0
Barnum, lf	3	0	0
Brown, rf	3	0	1
Yeager, 2b	3	1	1

## Trenton Downs Monarchs 9-3

The W. S. King Monarchs lost their third game of the season Wednesday to Trenton 9-3.

The Monarchs jumped to an early 2-1 lead in the third inning that held until the next frame when they errored several times, allowing the visitors to take the lead.

William Tootle went the distance for the Monarchs, allowing 10 hits, including a home run by William Bryant of Trenton.

Carl Bryant was the winning pitcher as he allowed the Monarchs only six hits.

W. S. King played Bayboro yesterday afternoon here.

Alton Hester, who is the regular catcher for the Monarchs, saw mound duty. William Fenderson took Hester's duties behind the plate. The game was not over by press time.

Trenton, 9	AB	R	H
Howard, 2b	1	0	1
Strayhorn, 2b	1	0	0
Stang, ss	4	3	3
Morris, cf	5	0	2
Bryant, 3b	4	3	1
Strayhorn, 1b	4	1	0
Quinn, 1b	1	0	0
Simmons, c	4	1	1