

# Davis' 5 Singles Features 16-Hit Beaufort Attack

## Piner Pitches Steady 6-Hit Ball to Post Victory Over Dauray, McCabe

Runs, hits, and errors galore. That's what fans saw Saturday night as Beaufort, coming up with two big innings, smashed out an 18-7 win over Newport under the Beaufort aces.

The run-hungry charges of Charles Hassell tallied five times in the first off starter and loser Jack Dauray, and added 11 more runs in the eighth to sew up the game but good.

Jimmy Piner toed the rubber throughout the three-hour-and-10-minute run marathon, pitching steady six-hit ball, fanning nine chiefly on sharp-breaking curves, and walking seven. Only two Newport hitters—both former Midway Parkers—Jim Rudasies and F. C. Stanley, were able to solve his curve and fastball assortments with any degree of consistency. Catcher Stanley banged out a double and two singles in four trips to the plate, while Rudasies had a single and a triple in four tries.

But there was no stopping Beaufort batters, who waded through the offerings of Dauray and Harold McCabe in the eighth for 16 hits. Lefthanded-swinging Elvin Davis had a field day at the plate, leading his teammates in almost all departments, collecting five singles in six times at bat, scoring five times, and knocking in a run. Right behind was catcher Reggie Bay, who rapped out a triple and two singles in five at bats while driving in four runs—high for the night.

Smooth-fielding first baseman Sonny Russell also garnered 2-4 and scored three times, with Dick Cahill coming through with 2-5, plating two tallies.

### Dauray Defeated

Righthander Dauray, another ex-Midway Park player, was nicked for 12 hits in seven-and-one-third innings, fanned nine with a good fastball, and issued three passes. But he received poor support on the field—10 errors dampening his spirits considerably. Young fastballer McCabe, taking over in the eighth with one out, gave up the remaining four hits until Manager Wayne Benton the same inning threw one ball to Cahill, who fled to leftfield to end the 11-run jam-boree.

Beaufort started things off with a bang by scoring five runs in the first inning. Jim Fodrie received a life when Tom Cofe misplayed his hopper to short—the fleet leadoff man sliding into second safely. Davis then drove in the first run with a single out over second, and Russell followed with a single to left.

New third baseman Harry Handley kept the rally alive with a poke into left sending in Davis, and Cahill walked to load the bases. Bay then lifted a high popper to short which McCabe misjudged—the ball bouncing a foot in front of his out-

stretched glove. Two more runs were in.

Newport came back in the fourth with gusto, however, tallying six runs on a walk to Benton, his stolen base, a long RBI triple by Rudasies high over Sadler's head in left, a past ball, Stanley's two bagger to deep centerfield, a walk to Henry Sermons, consecutive errors by Cahill and Price, and Buckshot Haskett's RBI grounder thru the box.

### Stanley Singles

They added another run in the fifth on another walk to Benton (he collected three in a row), Rudasies' base hit to left, and Stanley's long fly to right-center. From then on Piner was invincible giving up but one other safety—Stanley's third hit.

Newport, 7	Ab.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Stillway, 2b-ss	5	1	0	1	1	2
Lockey, rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Haskett, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	1
McCabe, ss-lf-p	3	0	0	3	0	3
Benton, cf-p	2	2	0	0	0	0
Rudasies, lf-2b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Morton, lf	1	0	0	1	0	1
Stanley, c	4	1	3	9	1	1
Sermons, 1b	2	1	0	5	1	1
Dauray, p	2	0	0	2	2	1

Totals	33	7	6	24	5	10
Beaufort, 18	Ab.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Fodrie, rf	3	3	1	1	0	0
Price, ss	6	1	1	3	5	1
Davis, cf	6	5	5	3	0	0
Russell, 1b	4	3	2	10	0	0
Sadler, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hassell, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Handley, 3b	6	2	1	1	1	0
Cahill, 2b	5	2	2	0	2	1
Bay, c	5	1	3	9	0	0
Piner, p	5	0	0	0	1	0

Totals 46 18 16 27 9 2  
 RBI: Bay 4, Cahill 2, Davis, Fodrie, Handley, Russell, Price, Rudasies, Haskett, Stanley; 2B: Stanley; 3B: Fodrie; HR: Price; SB: Piner, Davis, Fodrie, Benton; DP: Cahill-Price-Russell, Dauray - Sermons; hits off Piner 6 in 9, Dauray 12 in 7 1/3, McCabe 4 in 1/3, Benton 0 in 1/3; SO: Piner 9, Dauray 9; BOB: Piner 7, Dauray 3, McCabe 1; WP: Dauray, Piner; PB: Bay; winning pitcher: Piner; losing pitcher: Dauray; umpires: Privett, May; time: 3:10.

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