

Coast Guard Scores Double Victory at Newport Sunday

The Coast Guard nine swept both ends of a doubleheader from MTRG 20 in county league action Sunday afternoon. The Guardsmen, playing on their home field at Newport, scored a 6-1 victory in the opener and took the nightcap by a 5-4 margin.

In the first game the Coast Guard scored two quick runs in the first inning and coasted in for the win. Julius Taylor poled a triple to the new school building with a man on base. When the MTRG outfielder tried to throw the ball back to the infield, he hit the overhang of the building and Taylor scored from third on the error.

The winners added one run in the second inning and three in the fourth. The Marines scored their lone tally in the sixth.

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for the losers with two for two. The Marines got to winning pitcher Culpepper for seven hits. The Coast Guard scored their runs on only four hits.

Each team connected for 10 hits in the second game. The Marines took the lead in the first inning and held it until the bottom of the last inning. They scored two runs in the first and two more in the fourth. The Coast Guard crossed the plate once in the first and once in the fifth.

In the bottom of the seventh the Guardsmen rallied for three runs to wrap up the victory.

Earl Taylor was the leading batter for the winners with two hits in three trips to the plate. One of his hits was a triple. Robert Carey, the Marines' playing manager, connected for a double in two turns at bat. Jursew hit three for four for the Marines.