

MTRG Trips Salter Path 9-5 In Second Game of Twin Bill

Salter Path and MTRG split a twin bill at the main post field, Cherry Point, Sunday afternoon. Salter Path took the opener by a 10-9 margin. The Marines came back in the nightcap to cop a 9-5 verdict.

Mel Adcox gained his seventh victory against one loss in the first game. The Salter Path lefty gave up nine runs on seven hits in six innings. He was relieved in the sixth by Dan Harkie. Dean Crewse went the distance for the losers, giving up 14 hits.

Salter Path got to Crewse for five runs in the first inning and added three more in the second. They scored single runs in the third and fifth innings.

The Marines scored two in the first, three in the fourth and four in the sixth. Harkie put out the Marine rally before they could push the tying run across in the sixth.

Leading batter for the winners was Eugene Haskett. The first baseman collected three singles in four trips to the plate and scored one run. George Lewis and Abrom Willis hit safely twice in four trips up, and Harold Bass got two for five.

Jack Goodrow and Duke Eiduke led the losers at the platter. Each had two for four. Crewse got one for two and scored two runs.

Pete Catania held Salter Path to eight hits and five runs in the second game. His teammates got to Jarvis Guthrie for five hits in the three and a third innings he pitched. He gave up seven walks and had poor backing in the field. Salter Path fielders committed seven errors during the game.

Jack Goodrow topped the Marine batters with three hits in three trips to the plate. He scored twice. "Tex" Southard got two for three and Crewse collected two hits in four turns at bat.

Catania settled down after a shaky first inning to pitch a good ball game. He gave up four runs in the first frame and then held the losers to one run in the fourth inning for the rest of the game.

Wade Willis and Eugene Haskett led the Salter Pathers at the plate. Each got two hits in four trips.