Havelock Stops Beaufort Twice, 7-2, 6-2: M.C. Beats Newport To Tie for Lead

Havelock punched out two wins over Beaufort in Tidewater games this weekend, dropping Beaufort in the cellar with none and four and taking third place in league standings with three and one. Their only loss was to Jacksonville in their opener last week.

After losing the first game Saturday, 7-2, Beaufort behind Wes Taylor on the mound came back strong Sunday to command a 3 run lead at one stage of the contest, only to have Havelock come back in the late innings to forge ahead 6-4. Beaufort rallied in their half of the ninth when Tracy Hooper doubled into left center, scoring McIntosh who had singled. However, with two out, C. Hassell, pinch hitter who had singled successfuly in the eighth, grounded out to first base, leaving Hooper, the tieing run stranded in third.

Taylor Fans 12

Allowing 10 hits, W. Taylor struck out 12, seven of them coming in the first three innings. F. Taylor, pitching for Havelock gave up 12 hits and struck out five.

G. Hassell, Beaufort third baseman pulled the old hidden ball trick in the fourth inning. Victim was Lockey, lefthanded swinger, who has a knack of pulling his hits into left field. Lockey got on with a triple, one of his two hits off Taylor, bringing a man in each time. Blevins also tripled and singled for Havelock.

R. Hassell, with three singles for 5 times at bat, led Beaufort, along with T. Hooper, who doubled and singled, his double coming in the ninth in Beaufort's rally.

Scoring:

	R	H
Havelock 000 102 210	6	10
Beauofrt 002 200 001	5	12

PLAY BY PLAY:

First Inning:

West Taylor pitching for Beaufort. Gerol went down swinging. Hodges looked at a third strike. Lockey skied high to shortstop G. Hassell. No runs, no hits, nobody left.

Fred Taylor pitching for Havelock. G. Hassell singled into second and took second on an error. Stewart grounded out, third to first. R. Hassell singled through third base, sending G. Hassell to third. R. Hassell stole second. McIntosh went down swinging. Hooper struck out. No runs, two hits, two left on base.

Second Inning:

Blevins struck out. Brzygodzine flied out to second baseman Langsdale. Clellan struck out but catcher McIntosh dropped the ball, Clellan making first. Clellan was picked off first MacIntosh to Hooper. No runs, no hits, nobody left.

Hooper singled into deep center. Gillikin sacrificed to third, Hooper taking second. Langsdale walked on four pitches. Wes Taylor was safe on a bad throw from the shortstop, filling the bases. G. Hassell popped up to short, who threw to third, nabbing Hooper. No runs, one hit three stranded.

Havelock Stops Beaufort Twice, 7-2, 6-2: M.C. Beats Newport To Tie for Lead

Third Inning:

Bratton beat out a slow roller to third for Havelock's first hit. Kohlbecker struck out, Bratton stealing on the pitch. F. Taylor looked at a third strike. Gerol cut and missed, for W. Taylor's seventh strikeout. No runs, no hits, nobody left.

Stewart flied out to short. R. Hassell was safe on an error by the first baseman, who dropped the throw. McIntosh singled past first. Hassell going to third. Caught between first and second on the throw-in, McIntosh made second on the run-down, Hassell holding third. A. B. Hooper singled to shoort, Hassel scoring. McIntosh taking third. Hooper stole second T. Hooper flied out to left. McIntosh scoring after the catch. Gillikin flied out to deep center. Two runs, two hits, one left.

Fourth Inning:

Hodges beat out a bunt down third base. Hodges stole second. Hodges stole third. Lockey tripled over the left fielder's head, scoring Hodges and going into third standing up. Lockey was tagged out on the hidden ball trick. Blevins grounded out, second to first. Bzygodzine popped up to third. One run, two hits, nobody left.

Beaufort Takes 4 to 1 Lead

Langdale walked for the second time. Taylor sacrificed down third base, Langdale taking second. G. Hassell popped up to second base. Stewart beat out a hit to short, sending Langdale to third. Stewart stole second on the throw home, the Havelock shortstop making a nice try on the hit. McIntosh grounded out, pitcher to first. Two runs, two hits, one left.

Fifth Inning:

Preston Mason caught warm-up for W. Taylor. Clellan went to first after being hit by a pitched ball. Bratton struck out, Clellan caught trying for second. Kohlbecker went out on a nice play, first to the pitcher, who beat Kohlbecker to the bag. No runs, no hits, nobody left.

Hooper popped up to short. T. Hooper singled sharply through third. Gillikin lined a single into left, Hooper stopping at second. The first aid kit was brought to fix up pitcher Fred Taylor's foot. Langdale struck out, Gillikin picked off first base after the play. No runs, two hits, two left.

Sixth Inning:

Taylor reached first through an error, stole second and went to third on a bad throw. Gerol grounded out to W. Taylor, F. Taylor holding third. Hodges looked at a third strike. Lockey singled into left, scoring Taylor. Blevins tripled into right, scoring Lockey. Wright flied out to deep center. Two runs, two hits, one left.

W. Taylor was safe on an infield bad throw. G. Hassell flied out to center. Stewart struck out. R. Hassel singled on a grounder to third too hot to handle. McIntosh flied deep to center. No runs, one hit, two left.

Havelock Forges Ahead

Seventh Inning:

Anderson batting for Clellan. Anderson reached first on an infield error. Bratton sacrificed to the pitcher, sending Anderson to second. Kohlbecker singled to center, scoring Anderson, and taking second on the throw in to the plate. Taylor grounded out, short to first, Kohlbecker taking third. Murowski pitch hit for Gerol, and singled safely into left field, scoring Kohlbecker and sending Havelock ahead for the first time. Hodges lopped up an easy infield single behind the pitcher. Lockey popped up to second base. Two Runs, three hits, one left.

Havelock Stops Beaufort Twice, 7-2, 6-2: M.C. Beats Newport To Tie for Lead

Eighth Inning:

Blevins singled. Blevins stole second. Wright grounded out, third to first. Anderson struck out. Bratton singled into left field. Kohlhecker hit a hard ball down third base, scoring Blevins, and sending Bratton to third. Turner grounded out short to first. One run, two hits, two left.

C. Hassel pinch hit for Langdale, singled into short right. West Taylor bunted safely past the pitcher, C. Hassel taking second. G. Hassel grounded out to first, C. Hassell taking third, W. Taylor taking second. Stewart looked at a third strike. R. Hassell popped up to short. No runs, one hit, two left.

Ninth Inning:

Murowski looked at a third strike. Hodges went down swinging. Lockey singled through the box. Blevins dropped a single into left center. Wright grounded out, short to first. No runs, two hits, two left.

Beaufort Rally Falls

McIntosh singled into left center field. A. B. Hooper lined out to short, and McIntosh went to second on a bad throw to first. T. Hooper doubled into left center, scoring McIntosh to make it 6-5. Gillikin grounded out, T. Hooper going to third. C. Hassel swung at two pitches and grounded out to the first baseman, unassisted. One run, two hits, one left.

Webb Fans 17 as Morehead Takes Two From Newport To Tie for League Lead

Setting a new Tidewater strike-out record Saturday afternoon at Wade Field, James Webb of Morehead City whiffed 17 Newport players and allowed only 4 hits, as Morehead walked over Newport 13-1.

In Sunday's game at Newport Morehead kept alive its defeatless record by pushing over one run in the ninth to make it 6-5, after Newport came back with a 4-run eighth inning splurge to tie up the ball game.

Walking only one man, Webb's shutout and no-hitter in the 17 strike out game was spoiled in the seventh inning when Newport bunched 2 of its 4 hits to score. Merrill was the only batter to make good against Webb, getting 2 for 4.

Blast Hill From Hill

Morehead clinched the game from the start, pacing across 8 runs as they pasted W. S. Hill off the mound. Big noise in the batting attack was center fielder Jack Gardner, who got 3 for 5. Saddler boomed a triple for Morehead, while Webb, Stillway, and Gardner also connected for extra bases.

In Sunday's game, played at Newport, the home team had Morehead plumb worried when they got hot in the eighth, tieing up the ball game at 5-5. Webb held them to no further damage by striking out four of the last five batters, after Styron had come on in the eighth for Wade.

First Game	R	H	E
Newport .... 000 000 100—	1	4	9
Newport .... 000 000 100—	1	4	9
Morehead .. 801 200 02x—	13	12	0

Winning pitcher Webb; Losing pitcher Hill.

Second Game	R	H	E
Morehead ...... 200 003 001—	6	6	2
Newport .... 100 000 040—	5	5	3

Winning pitcher Webb; Losing pitcher Aycock.

Havelock Stops Beaufort Twice, 7-2, 6-2: M.C. Beats Newport To Tie for Lead

Morehead Plays Beaufort In League Weekend Game

Games scheduled for Tidewater League play this weekend are: Saturday, Morehead City at Beaufort, Swansboro at Marshallberg, H.I.—Straits at Jacksonville, and Havelock at Newport; Sunday, Beaufort at Morehead City, Marshallberg at Swansboro, Jacksonville at H.I.—Straits, and Newport at Havelock.

:: Standings ::

	W	L
Morehead City	4	0
Swansboro	4	0
Havelock	3	1
Harkers-Straits	2	2
Marshallberg	1	3
Newport	1	3
Jacksonville	1	3
Beaufort	0	4

Smyrna to Play Newport In Crucial County Game

Smyrna high school's baseball team will play Newport Friday at Smyrna field and Wednesday at Newport in two games which may divide the county championship.

Smyrna has won 6 and lost 2 to head the league, but two losses to Newport will put Newport at 5 won and 2 lost while Smyrna will then have a record of 6 and 4. Standings are as follows:

	W	L
Smyrna	6	2
Newport	3	2
Morehead City	2	2
Beaufort	2	3
Atlantic	0	2