Jones Central, Conference Foe, Defeats Seadogs 4-3

By JACK NEAL

The Beaufort Seadogs went down to defeat at the hands of the Jones Central Rockets 4-3 Thursday afternoon, even though they held the lead at the top of the seventh. The contest was a conference game.

The game, played on the Seadog diamond, was scoreless until the fifth inning. In that frame Walter House opened things up with a two-base hit. Bertram followed him to the plate and was safe on an error by the first baseman. Hassell got a base on balls, to load the bases.

Richard Stanley, the next batsman, sacrificed and House scored. Leslie Croom then popped up to the infield and Bertram scored. The next hitter, Jeffrey Croom, got a single and batted in another run.

The Seadogs held a 3-2 lead in the top of the seventh when the Rockets came to bat. Price went to base on a single. Cannon was hit by a pitch and Provost went to first to run for Cannon. Budd, the next hitter, was safe on an error, and two men crossed the plate on the error.

In all, Beaufort committed three errors in the seventh inning.

Beaufort got six hits. Top hitter was Hassell with 2 for 3. Clem Woodard, who went the distance on the mound, struck out four men.

Smith got two strike-outs for Jones Central. Heath, who came on in the sixth, got three strike-outs. He had 1 for 1 at the plate. The Rockets got six hits, all singles. Price also had a perfect day, three hits for three at bats.

Beaufort	AB	R	H
Hassell, 3b	3	1	2
Woodard, p	4	0	0
Stanley, ss	3	0	0
L. Croom, lf	4	0	1
J. Croom, 2b	4	0	1
Temple, rf	3	0	0
Way, 1b	3	0	0
House, c	3	1	1
Pake, cf	1	0	0
Bertram, cf	2	1	0

Jones Central	AB	R	H
Price, 2b	3	1	3
Smith, p	4	0	0
Cannon, 3b	2	0	0
Provost, 3b	0	1	0
R. Smith, ss	4	0	1
Budd, 1b	4	1	0
Andrews, lf	4	0	0
White, cf	1	1	0
Heath, p	1	0	1
Phillips, rf	2	0	0
Kinsey, c	3	0	1