## 1928 - LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

The Mission Reds extend their winning streak to 14 with a 6-1, 8-5, sweep of the Los Angeles Angels in a Pacific Coast League doubleheader. The second game is called after five innings so the homestanding Angels can catch an evening train.

Reds' right-hander Ernie Nevers picks up the victory in the first game, scattering eight hits over nine innings.

In parts of three major league seasons (1926-1928) with the St. Louis Browns, the ex-Stanford All-American football player is 6-12 with a 4.64 ERA. Nevers will finish the 1928 season with the Reds 14-11 with a 4.37 ERA.



1928 Mission Reds

## **WEBSTER WINS LAKE REGION**

Defeat Roslyn in Crucial Battle of Series 5 to 1; Have Large Crowd

1930 - ROSLYN, SOUTH DAKOTA Before a disappointed crowd estimated in excess of 1,000. Webster beats two-time defending champion Roslyn 5-1 to capture LEAGUE FLAG the Lake Region League title in the second game of a best of three series. Webster's

Lance Smith allows nine hits but is noted for

his pitching with Roslyn runners on base.

Meanwhile down the road 31.3 miles south, prospects for Britton High School's upcoming football season are "fair" as only four lettermen return for practice.

## 1938 - PALESTINE, TEXAS

Owners of the Palestine Pals of the eight-team East Texas (C) League announce that they are planning a series of "winter entertainments" in hopes of erasing club indebtedness. Coming off a lackluster season where the team, under the direction of three different managers, finished 60-79 and in seventh place. Officials hope to raise several hundred dollars to ease or erase the debt altogether.

## 1938 - HENDERSON, TEXAS

The Tyler Trojans remain intact after threatening to strike prior to Friday's third game of the East Texas League championship playoff with the Henderson Oilers. Eight members of the team declare a strike shortly before the game at Henderson as a protest against an "alleged" nonpayment of a bonus. The "Tyler 8" eventually change their mind and reports to the field 30 minutes before first pitch.

League president C.P. Mosley telephones minor league czar Judge W.G. Branham who explains that any player who strikes, or refuses to play the remainder of the series with Henderson, will face a banishment of three to ten years from organized baseball.

Branham also tells Mosley that he is sending a representative to be present at all of the remaining games as a result of complaints by Tyler business manager and part-owner Bob Dashiell that "some of his players were laying down of the field.

The chastised Tyler nine returns to field and captures the league title beating the Oilers four games to three.

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