August 19, 1909 Double Dip Duty...

Lynchburg ace Walter Moser pitches a pair of complete games as the Shoemakers deal Norfolk's pennant chances a severe setback sweeping a Virginia State (C) League doubleheader from the home standing Tars 3-to-1 and 5-3 ... the twin bill loss drops Norfolk to 2 1/2 games behind first-place and eventual champion Roanoke.

One of five major league players born in Concord, North Carolina, Moser allows only two hits and strikes out four in opener and 11 bits with five



in opener and 11 hits with five strikeouts in the second game.

The 28-year-old right hander will go 20-18 for Lynchburg in

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| Lynchburg, 3-5; Narfolk, 1-3. |
| Special to The Washington Post. |
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| shuttered Norfolk's pennant hoper this |
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| hit for three runs in the fourth inning of the first same. Moser yielded but two |
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| Norfolk in the stati tining of the second |
| same and Moser was again sent in to do the pitching He was hit freely in this game, but kept the ills scattered |
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1909 ... a consistent winner in the minor leagues, Moser is 120-90 in six minor league seasons with five different teams ... his best season comes in 1910 when he is 31-20 with a 1.83 in 442 innings pitched for the Oakland Oaks of the Pacific Coast (A) League.

The September 20, 1910 edition of the *Spokane Press* describes Moser's pitching style:

"Moser has speed, change of pace and an assortment of curves that have fooled the best of the Coast League batsmen. In addition to this he fields his position splendidly and is a fair hitter."

Moser is never able to duplicate his minor league success at the major league level ... pitching for the Philadelphia Phillies (1906), Boston Red Sox (1911) and St. Louis Browns (1911), Moser is winless in seven decisions with a 4.58 ERA.