

Kiwanis And Herald Win LL Victories

A 6-1 thriller and a lop-sided 16-1 contest wound up Brownsville Little League play here Friday and Saturday.

The Kiwanis team, pace-setters in the East Brownsville circuit, were hard-pressed to edge out Mercury, 6-5 on Friday afternoon. The winners picked up the deciding margin when they counted twice in the sixth inning to break up a 4-4 deadlock. Mercury came back with one run in their half of the final frame but were still one tally short.

In a Saturday afternoon game, the Brownsville Herald scored in every inning except the first to gain their top-heavy victory over First National Bank. F. Solis gave up only one hit for the winners.

The Herald started their scoring spree with two runs in the second and added five in the third, two in the fourth, one in the fifth and six more in the sixth. They got a total of 12 hits off the combined offerings of Scotty Persons and Bobby Teran.

The East league standings now show Kiwanis on top with six wins and no losses in second half play. Herald is second with a record of five wins and two losses, Mercury is third with two and five and First National last with no wins in six outings.

The season winds up this week with Herald going against Mercury in the week's first game on Monday afternoon. Kiwanis and First National will play two four-inning games on Wednesday and Herald plays Kiwanis on Friday. A game between First National and Mercury rounds out the schedule on Saturday.

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