

Benders Open at Terre Haute Today---Take Final From Muskegon 15 to 3

GET EIGHT RUNS IN THE EIGHTH

Compton Driven from Mound and Wachtel Walloped—Bowman Wins Game.

By Ed J. Murray.

There was some sweet music dashed up to the fans at Springbrook park yesterday afternoon. It was the ring of the single, the blow of the double, and the bang of the home run, and when the final tune had been played the count stood South Bend 15, Muskegon 3.

Everybody on the home club hit safely at least one time except Tannehill, but it was only an act of robbery that kept Lee from getting in the column. He cracked one back of second base and Brubaker scooped it up w^hile on the run and got his man at first.

The visitors took the jump by scoring one run in the first but Koehler tied it in the locals' half with a blow over the fence. Abe Bowman delivered in great style in the second when he got a home run with two men on and gave the Benders the runs needed to win.

Bowman Allows Three Hits.

Bowman was on the mound for the locals and while he held the enemy to three safe blows he would have lost the game if the Benders hadn't done better than they did in the first game with the Reds. Abe fanned seven, allowed one walk and hit one batsman. Compton was driven from the mound in the fourth after Hensling got his home run and Wachtel finished.

O'Day first up, got a walk and went to third when Dowling hit to center field. Fisher was an infield out, but O'Day counted when Koehler grabbed Coeleskie's grounder and hurled high home. Abe proceeded to fan McNeil and Stanley.

It was one, two, three in the second but in the third O'Day cracked a double to center and took third when Dowling flew to Collins. Fisher hit to Bowman and died at first for Abe had no chance to get the man at home. Wachtel, the second man to bat in the eighth inning, was the next Red to get on, but he didn't linger on the paths long as his drive went out of the park. McNeil was hit in the ninth, but Stanley ended it by flying out to Bashong.

Bowman Scores Three.

Koehler's home run in the first tied the count. In the second Hensling beat out a drive that Brubaker hurried to first. Reilly cracked one to left field for two bases. Tannehill was out on a grounder to Fisher. Beall hit to Fisher and Hensling was tagged out sliding into the plate. Bowman then cracked one over the fence for three runs. Bashong hit to Fisher.

Not a Bender got on in the third, but in the fourth Hensling opened with a drive over the right field wall and Compton got the sign "de-ert the mound." Wachtel took up the hurling duties and Beall was the only gent to get a safe blow that frame.

Bashong tapped back of second in the fifth and made it count for two bases. Koehler hit a short fly to left and Al never got away from second as it looked as if the ball would be caught. Collins did a death tap and then Donnelly cracked a fly at Stanley. Bashong counted, but Koehler was tagged out trying to reach third after about three of the Reds got assists.

In the sixth only three men faced Wachtel. In the seventh the locals got four hits and a sacrifice fly, but counted only one run. Beall opened with a blow to center. Bowman laid one down and had it beat when Fisher tried for Beall at second. Bashong tapped a bunt toward third and beat the throw. Koehler's try to Stanley scored Beall, but Bowman remained on second. Collins hit between first and second, but no runs counted. Donnelly tapped to Fisher and Bowman was nailed at the plate and Donnelly caught at first.

The big round was the eighth when the locals counted eight times. Here is how it happened:

Eights Runs Are Scored.

Hensling got a life when Brubaker booted his drive. Reilly hit a grounder towards left. Tannehill singled and Wachtel booted the ball, although he had a chance to get Hensling at third. Beall was hit, which forced in the first run. Bowman hit to Fisher and Reilly was out at home. Bashong drove one that Harris couldn't handle and Tannehill counted. Koehler sent one to Harris and the third baseman picked up the ball, but hurried wide at the plate and Beall counted.

Collins hit to right and Bowman and Bashong counted. Collins going to second and Koehler to third. Donnelly hit to right and scored two men. He stole second. Hensling walked and Donnelly was out trying to steal third. On the hit and run Reilly drove through the infield to right field and Hensling went on around to third. Reilly was caught off first. He headed for second and Hensling scored when Fisher threw poorly to second. Reilly kept on going for third, but Brubaker recovered the ball in time to nail him going into the bag.

YOUTH IS SIGNED.

BOSTON, June 17.—Harold Crisp, an 18-year-old pitcher of the Needham high school team, signed a contract Friday to play with the Philadelphia Americans. The boy is said to have struck out 75 opposing batters in four successive games.

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	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
South Bend	5	2	3	1	0	0
Bashong, cf	4	2	2	0	4	1
Koehler, 2b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Collins, 3b	4	1	2	0	0	0
Donnelly, c	4	1	2	0	0	0
Hensling, ss	4	3	2	0	0	0
Reilly, lf	5	1	3	0	0	0
Tannehill, ss	3	1	0	0	0	0
Beall, 1b	3	2	16	0	0	0
Bowman, p	4	2	2	6	7	0
Totals	57	15	27	15	4	1
Muskegon	AB. R. H. PO. A. E.					
O'Day, rf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Dowling, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Fisher, lf	4	0	0	9	1	0
Compton, p	5	0	0	0	0	0
McNeil, c	3	0	0	4	3	1
Stanley, cf	4	0	0	3	1	0
Brubaker, ss	3	0	0	1	4	1
Wachtel, p	2	1	0	0	3	1
Totals	31	3	24	15	4	1
Score By Innings						
South Bend	120 110 18*-15					
Muskegon	101 100 010—3					
Summary						

LEAGUE STANDINGS

CENTRAL LEAGUE						
Dayton	33	16	767			
Grand Rapids	27	17	624			
Evansville	22	21	521			
Springfield	21	20	527			
Terre Haute	18	25	419			
Wheeling	18	25	419			
South Bend	13	26	395			
Muskegon	16	28	364			

NATIONAL LEAGUE						
Brooklyn	28	16	629			
Philadelphia	27	19	587			
New York	24	21	532			
Chicago	26	490				
Boston	23	25	480			
Cincinnati	22	27	438			
Pittsburgh	21	27	438			
St. Louis	21	31	404			

AMERICAN LEAGUE						
Cleveland	32	19	627			
Detroit	28	23	549			
Washington	27	23	521			
New York	26	25	510			
Boston	26	25	490			
Chicago	24	21	439			
St. Paul	18	25	419			
Minneapolis	18	25	419			
Toledo	18	24	406			
St. Paul	18	25	419			
Milwaukee	15	24	396			

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION						
Indianapolis	29	18	617			
Louisville	29	19	591			
Kansas City	30	21	588			
Minneapolis	24	22	522			
St. Paul	24	22	522			
Columbus	24	22	522			
St. Paul	24	22	522			
Memphis	24	22	522			
St. Paul	24	22	522			
Manufacturers League	24	22	522			
St. Paul	24	22	522			
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FRIDAY'S RESULTS.						
Central League.						
South Bend 15, Muskegon 3.						
Evansville 4; Wheeling 1.						
(valued in eighth.)						
National League.						
Pittsburgh 0, Boston 2.						
American League.						
Boston 4; Chicago 5.						
Philadelphia 3; Detroit 2.						
American Association.						
Indianapolis 2; St. Paul 8.						