

TIGERS SHOW REAL CLASS WITH GIANTS

By Peter. ~

If you weren't fortunate enough to attend yesterday's opening game between the Chicago Colored Giants and the Tacoma Tigers, don't fail to get out to the old ball field today. For you've already missed as nice a game as one would expect to see, and you can't afford to miss any more.

The Tigers lost, but with a fair break of luck yesterday, they would have held their own against those husky colored gentlemen.

It was a 5 to 3 finish, but the Tacoma lads tied up the score in the eighth, 3 to 3, and only let the brunettes score in the 10th when the old Jinx settled on McIvor's good left arm, and refused to let him continue his mid-season form.

It was a splendid game. The Tigers were outmatched in weight, speed and hitting ability, but the Tacoma infield work and

battery control could hardly be improved on.

Fireworks started in the very first inning. A single and double by Hill and Santop, star sluggers for the Giants, brought two tallies. Johnson, Tacoma's heavy hitting outfielder, singled, was advanced when Hiester walked, and scored on Hutchinson's error. In the third Hiester slipped across the bag while the Giants were busy thinking about an attempted double play at first, but the Giants also made another run.

In the eighth Wilson walked, Hogan sacrificed and Wilson scored when Barber dropped a peg to first. That tied the score. The winning runs came in the 10th, when McIvor, tired and a little nervous, dropped Barber's liner, and allowed Hill to single and Duncan to double. Barber slipped on third, while running to the base, twisted his ankle, and was carried off the field, Petway taking his place.

The Tacoma team fielded better than the Giants, and were entitled to a victory. It was the little jinx demon of hard luck more than any other feature, that cost them the game.

The score:

THE BOX SCORE

Giants.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Barber, 1b .	5	0	0	16	1	1
Petway, 1b .	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hill, lf	4	3	4	0	0	0
Duncan, cf ..	4	1	1	4	0	0
Santop, c ...	5	0	2	1	0	1
Hutchinson .	5	0	1	3	4	3
McMair, rf .	5	0	0	1	0	0
Francis, 3b .	3	0	0	0	3	0
Bauchman 2b	3	0	0	4	4	0
Whitworth, p	4	0	0	1	6	0

Totals . . . 38 5 8 30 18 5

Tigers.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, lf .	5	1	1	2	1	0
Hiestor, 3b .	4	1	1	0	6	0
Wilson, rf ..	3	1	0	2	0	0
Hogan, cf ..	5	0	0	1	0	0
Butler, ss ..	4	0	0	5	3	0
Boeckel, 2b .	5	0	1	0	2	0
Stokke, 1b ..	4	0	0	16	1	0
Stevens, c ..	4	0	2	4	1	0
McIvor, p ..	4	0	1	0	4	2

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Giants	20	10	0000	0000	2	5
Tacoma	10	10	0000	1000	0	3

Summary: Stolen bases—Hill, Johnson. Double plays—Whitworth to Barber; Hutchinson to Bauchman to Barber. Two-base hits—Duncan, Santon. Sacrifice hits — Santon, McIvor, Hogan, Boeckel. Struck out—By McIvor 3. Bases on balls—Off McIvor 4; off Whitworth 4. Wild pitch—McIvor. Time of game—1:54. Umpire—Mike Lynch.

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