

# HAGERMAN MOWED STARS' CLUBBERS

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Alma Hurler Complete Puzzle  
for Detroiters, Striking Out  
Fifteen Men.

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## VISITORS GET THREE HITS

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Friday Game Saw Republics Defeat-  
ed, As Gatewood Held Truckers  
In Check.

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An even split in the fifth and sixth games still leaves the Republic Trucks and the Detroit All Stars with horns locked in the state title series, putting the honors of the state all up to the seventh game to

be played in Detroit at a later date. Hagerman won a brilliant pitcher's battle on Thursday from Holland by a 3 to 1 score, but on Friday Gatewood held the Trucks safe, while Sherlow and Foster were pounded for an 8 to 1 victory.

The Thursday game was a wonderful hurlers battle with Rip Hagerman having a big edge on Holland, although the teams were credited with three hits each. The blows taken by the Stars were all singles, while the three hits taken by the Alma clouters were a double, a triple and a home run.

The Stars came to Alma with a determination to cop off both games and the state honors by making it four out of six games. They loaded up with hitters, Brown and Harper of the Kansas City Monrachs, and Torrenti of the American Giants of Chicago, the latter considered as the Ty Cobb of colored baseball.

In spite of the importation of these three fence busters the Stars were helpless against Hagerman, who struckout fifteen men. Six of the strikeouts came against the "big three" that were brought in to pound

Rip around the lot.

A piece of baseball luck in the ninth inning, gave the Stars their run, and robbed Hagerman of a well deserved shutout. Brown got a base on balls with two men down. He attempted to steal second and Boyle pegged to get him, and technically is credited with an error, as the ball went far into center field, because of the failure of the infield to cover second on the play. Brown kept right on or third and scored, when Chouinard tripped and fell, while attempting to recover the ball. It was the only opportunity that a Detroiter passed second base.

The Republics broke the ice in the fourth inning. Tooley doubled and was sacrificed to third by Hunter. Chouinard laid a bunt down to Wesley, who booted the ball, Tooley scoring. Dunckle flied to right and Hill doubled Chouinard off first.

In the seventh the final runs counted. Hunter grounded out. Chouinard flied out. After having two strikes on him, Dunckle teased Holland into a base on balls. Loney got two strikes, and then lammed



one through the infield and far into left for a home run, a poor return of the ball aiding him in making the circuit.

Oakes tripled in the eighth but was stranded when Tooley struckout.

### FIRST GAME

	AB	R	H	O	A
Warfield, 2nd .....	4	0	0	2	0
P. Hill, rf .....	4	0	1	3	1
Torrenti, cf .....	4	0	0	2	0
Wesley, 1st .....	4	0	1	11	0
Brown, c .....	3	1	1	5	1
Riggins, ss .....	2	0	0	0	3
Harper, lf .....	3	0	0	0	0
Longware, 3rd .....	3	0	0	1	3
Holland, p .....	3	0	0	0	4
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Total .....	30	1	3	24	12

### REPUBLICS

Oakes, lf .....	4	0	1	2	0
Tooley, 2nd .....	4	1	1	3	2
Hunter, rf .....	1	0	0	2	0
Chouinard, cf .....	3	0	0	0	0
Dunckle, 1st .....	2	1	0	5	0
Loney, 3rd .....	2	1	1	0	0
McElligott, ss .....	3	0	0	0	2
Boyle, c .....	3	0	0	15	1
Hagerman, p .....	3	0	0	0	3
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Total .....	25	3	3	27	8

All Stars .....000 000 001—1 3 1  
Republic .....000 100 20x—3 3 4

3 base hits—Oakes. 2 base hits—  
Tooley. Homerun—Loney. Struck  
out—By Hagerman 15, Holland 4.  
Base on balls—Off Hagerman 2, off  
Holland 3. Double plays—P. Hill to  
Wesley. Earned runs—Republic 1,  
Stars 0.

Friday's game at the start looked  
like another hurler's battle, as Sher-  
low and Gatewood were apparently  
in fine form when the first innings  
were under way. In the fourth,  
however, Sherlow was hit hard, and  
the Republic chances went a glim-  
mering.

Torrenti, the famous colored fence  
buster opened the fourth with a  
smash to right. Wesley laid a bunt  
down to Sherlow and all hands were  
safe. Brown was out on an at-  
tempted bunt on the third strike.  
Harper leaned against one for two  
bases, scoring Torrenti and Wesley.  
Riggins slapped one to left for two  
sacks, scoring Harper. Longware  
was safe on Loney's error, Riggins  
counting. Warfield singled to left  
and Longware cashed in the fifth  
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run. Pete Hill grounded out, ending the inning, as Gatewood had previously struckout.

Torrenti opened the fifth inning with a triple to left, and Sherlow sought the bench, Foster going to the mound. Wesley flied to McElligott. Brown singled to left, Torrenti scoring. Brown stole second and went to third, when the ball got away. He teased a peg to third out of Foster, and then shot for home, beating the throw from Loney to Mejdell.

In the sixth the final Star run hit the plate. Longware singled to right and stole second. He took third on Gatewood's infield out, and scored on Warfield's long fly to Chouinard in center.

During the next three innings Foster kept the visitors puzzled, one lone hit being all that was taken from his delivery, this being a bunt that Brown beat out in the seventh.

The Republics had a great scoring chance in the opening inning, but a wonderful play by Wesley at first killed the chances. With two down Hunter was hit. Chouinard singled to right. Dunckle got a base on balls, filling the sacks. Loney slammed a hot one to short, and Hesley dug into the ground, seemingly to get the throw from Rig-

gins, which had Loney beaten by inches.

From this time on until the ninth the Republics found Gatewood a complete puzzle. In the ninth Hunter pasted one to right for three sacks. Chouinard hit to right, and Hunter scored. Dunckle hit to third and bumped into a double play, that cleaned up the sacks. Loney singled. McElligott leaned against one for what apparently was a three base hit right over third sack, but Green, watching an attempted steal at second did not get a square look at it, and called it a foul. McElligott returned to the plate, but his best was a fly that ended the game.

**SECOND GAME**

Warfield, 2nd	4	0	1	3	5
P. Hill, lf	4	0	0	0	0
C. Hill, lf	1	0	0	1	0
Torrenti, cf	5	2	3	0	0
Wesley, 1st	4	1	1	17	0
Brown, c	4	1	2	5	6
Harper, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Riggins, ss	4	1	2	0	3
Longware, 3rd	4	2	1	1	3
Gatewood, p	4	0	0	0	1
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Total	38	8	11	27	17

**REPUBLICS**

Oakes, lf	4	0	0	3	0
Tooley, 2nd	3	0	1	1	2
Hunter, rf	2	1	1	0	0
Chouinard, cf	3	0	2	3	0
Dunckle, 1st	3	0	0	9	1
Loney, 3rd	4	0	1	0	1
McElligott, ss	4	0	1	1	3
Miedell, c	3	0	0	8	0
Sherlow, p	1	0	1	1	1
Foster, p	2	0	0	0	2
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Total	29	1	7*	26	10

\*One out in 4th for trying to bunt 3rd strike.



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Republic	.....000	000	001—1	7	2

3 base hits—Torrenti, Hunter. 2  
base hits—Harper, Riggins, Sherlow.  
Struckout—By Sherlow 3, Foster 4;  
Gatewood 6. Base on balls—Gate-  
wood 3. Double play—Longware to  
Warfield to Wesley.

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