

**A. B. C.'s PLAYING WINNING BALL****Defeat Indianapolis Specials in an Interesting Game.**

The A. B. C.'s met the Indianapolis Specials last Sunday at the Northwestern Park and worsted them in an interesting battle that resulted in 4 to 3.

The features were not so plentiful as they have been in the other games, although there were a few rather exciting times. One of these was when the white lads made their first score. Up until the seventh inning the Specials had not scored, and a very natural thing since the A. B. C.'s play a stronger game. This run was made on an error, but none the less creditable to the Specials, since the runner took a chance of running over the A. B. C. catcher. He took this chance and won.

Then again in the ninth the Specials scored twice owing to errors on the part of the A. B. C.'s.

The playing of the Specials was steady; that of the A. B. C.'s was confident. Whitehouse for the visitors pitched a good ball; regular as a clock.

Joe Scotland, "Old Forty-Five," as he is called, distinguished himself in center. He caught most beautifully, "eating up" everything that came his way.

Sapho and Watts were the battery in the eighth and ninth. They were received with cheers. A bad play or so came very nearly costing them their reputation. The main error was in the field, but the fans don't care anything about that. Everything is charged up to the pitcher and catcher.

Manager Taylor announced that the game next Sunday would be with the team of Peru, Ind. A close, exciting game is expected. This is the team that beat the T. T.'s in a game last Sunday.

The attendance on last Sunday was big, and the crowd was good natured and appreciative. The Specials came in for applause when they did anything worth while.

The ladies are increasing in their attendance. Taylor has signs all over the place demanding respect for them. Bad language and betting are cut out. Score:

Special.	AB	H	O	A	E
Willford, ss	4	0	3	2	0
Kraft, 2b	4	0	0	0	0
Lambert, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Emmet, lf	3	1	1	1	0
Burke, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, c	3	0	2	1	1
Lentz, 1	4	1	7	0	0
Dorems, 3	4	2	1	1	0
Whitehouse, p	4	1	1	3	0
Totals	34	5	24	9	1
A. B. C.	AB	H	O	A	E
Turner, 1	3	1	9	0	0
Seldem, 2	4	1	1	3	1
Shively, lf	3	1	0	0	0
J. Taylor, 3	3	2	1	5	0
Scotland, cf	3	1	3	0	0
Hutchinson, s	3	0	3	2	1
Powell, c	3	1	8	1	1
Watts, c	0	0	1	0	1
Jeffries, rf	3	1	1	0	0
S. Taylor, p	0	0	0	0	1
Johnson, p	1	0	0	1	0
Bartlett, p	0	0	0	0	0
*C. Taylor	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	8	27	12	5

\*Batted for Powell in the seventh.  
Specials 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—3  
A. B. C.'s 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4  
Innings pitched—By S. Taylor, 3; by Johnson, 4; by Bartlett, 2. Left on bases—A. B. C.'s, 2; Specials, 5. Base hits—Off S. Taylor, 1; off Whitehouse, 8; off Johnson, 3; off Bartlett, 1. Struck out—By S. Taylor, 1; by Whitehouse, 8; by Johnson 6; by Bartlett, 1. Two-base hits—Shively, J. Taylor, Mitchell, Doremus, Emmett. Three-base hit—Jeffries. Double plays—J. Taylor to Seldem to Turner; Willford (unassisted); Whitehouse to Lentz. Stolen bases—Scotland, Emmett, Lentz, Doremus. Passed ball—Mitchell. Umpire—Puryear. Time—1:54. Attendance—800.

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