

A. B. C's GO DOWN—AMERICAN GIANTS WIN, SCORE 9 TO 5.

Although the A. B. C's outbatted the American Giants of Chicago yesterday at Northwestern Park, Bowser's club lost, 9 to 5. Seven of the local club's ten hits were for extra bases, Scotland's home run being one of the longest of the season. Score:

A. B. C.	AB	H.	R.	A	E
Moore, cf.	4	0	0	0	1
Brown, 2b	4	0	0	0	0
J. Taylor, 3b	4	1	0	0	0
B. Taylor, 1b	5	3	1	2	2
Shively, lf	5	3	0	0	0
Hutchinson, s.	5	1	0	1	0
Powell, c.	4	0	0	0	0
Scotland, cf.	5	1	3	0	0
Johnson, p.	3	2	0	1	1
Totals	36	10	27	16	4
Giants	AB	H.	R.	A	E
Barber, lf	4	1	1	1	0
Hill, cf.	5	1	1	0	0
Duncan, rf	5	0	2	0	0
Lloyd, s.	4	2	0	1	2
Monroe, 2b	5	0	0	1	0
Gaus, lf	4	1	0	0	0
Jenkins, p.	1	0	0	3	0
Francis, 3b	3	1	1	1	0
Watts, c.	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	38	9	5	13	2
Giants	0 0 3 1 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 2				
A. B. C.	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 3 5 10 1				

Two-base hits—J. Taylor, B. Taylor, Shively, Johnson, Hill. Three-base hit—Johnson. Home runs—Scotland. Stolen bases—J. Taylor, B. Taylor, Scotland, Lloyd, Barber. Hit by pitcher—By Johnson, 1; by Jenkins, 1; by Moore, 1. Double plays—Hutchinson to B. Taylor to J. Taylor. Struck out—By Johnson, 3; by Jenkins, 6. Bases on balls—off Johnson, 4; off Jenkins, 5.

RUBE FOSTER KNOCKED OUT.

A. B. C. Club Wins Its Second Victory Over Giants.

The A. B. Company made it two out of three from the American Giants of Chicago Wednesday at Northwestern Park, defeating the Windy City Club 5 to 2, and knocking Rube Foster out of the box. Burch for the local club pitched excellent ball. The first man to bat in the first inning for both clubs knocked home runs. Score:

Giants	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
A. B. C's	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	—5

Two-base hits—Hutchinson, 2; Duncan, Lloyd. Three-base hit—B. Taylor. Home runs—Shively, Gordon, Barber. Stolen bases—B. Taylor. Innings pitched—By Foster, 5; by Gans, 3. Hits—Off Foster, 6; off Gans, 2; off Burch, 7. Struck out—By Foster, 4; by Gans, 2; by Burch, 4. Bases on balls—Off Foster, 3; off Gans, 1; off Burch, 1.

UNION GIANTS SLAM DECATUR BROWNS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—(Special)—For the second time this season the Giants of Springfield, Ill., trimmed the Decatur

Browns, of the same state. Portam, pitching, and his pal, Leslie Jones, catching, were too foxy for the visitors. Portam with thirteen strikeouts to his credit would have scored another shut-out, but for Henrichson's bone-head play at third base, which marred the game. Several changes on the Giants' team would strengthen the club very much. Manager Mitchell, take notice. Attendance, 700. Score by innings:

	r.	b.	e.							
Deatur B.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1	13
Union Giants	0	1	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	—

* Johnson hit one over the leftfield fence for a home run.

THE K. C. COLTS DEFEAT A FAST WHITE AGGREGATION.

Special to The Freeman:
 The K. C. Colts defeated the B. Flood's, the fastest white team in the city, last Sunday at Association Park, in a well played game, 3 to 2, making their seventh straight victory. The Colts are the only semi-pro colored team in Kansas City that have a park and would like to hear from all fast teams wishing games in Kansas City. We have the following open dates: 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th of August, and with these Sunday dates we can give you any week-day date you want.

Yours,
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PUEBLO, COL.

Special to The Freeman.

With ten straight victories to their credit, the Rocky Mountain Giants, champion colored team of Colorado, are finding it hard to schedule games with teams about the state. The Giants have played eleven games this season out of which one has been affixed to the lost column of their standing. The team has not been seen in

action for the past three weeks, according to Billy Monroe, manager and owner of the team. The twirling of his southpaw, Douglass, is credited with the majority of the games won. Douglass has appeared in eight performances so far this season and has only lost one game. The one lost was with the Grove Outlaws, and it was over the eleven-inning route. Walker, the other slab artist, has appeared on the rubber in three battles and has won all three.

RUBE FOSTER'S NEW LOUISVILLE WHITE SOX VICTORIOUS.

Win From Cuban Giants, Score Being
5 to 4.

(By J. H. Wright.)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 27.—With a brass band furnishing music for the occasion, before a crowd of about two thousand fans, Rube Foster's new im-

ported White Sox made good, with the bugs by trimming the Easterners, scoring four runs in the last half of the eighth inning. Handsome Pounell's hitting and Barber's play around second featured. On account of a gloomy day Manager Foster selected Wickware to heave the pill on account of his speed, but not being in form, was relieved by T. Johnson in the sixth inning. Brown for the Giants pitched shut out ball until the eighth, when he weakened. The Giants started scoring in the first, Matthew, first up, doubles and scored on Kindle's single. Gordon struck out, but Pannell doubled over the fence, Kindle going to third, he scoring on Barber's poor relay to C. Johnson. The Giants made another in the second on A. Johnson's single, and Brown's double. The Sox seemed good for a score in the second, when James opened with a single, but Manager Foster selected himself to run for him. I wonder why? I wonder why? The band started playing get out and get under. The "Rube" feeling good tangoed down the lawn and proceeded to act accordingly. He got out all right, for failing to get under Browns' quick throw, amid laughter and applause. The inning ended with Dunbar flying out. The Giants added their final score in the fifth.

Pannell Triples to Score Board.

Matthew, first up, struck out. Kindle doubled and it looked bad when Gordon struck out. But old "Handsome" Pan-

well tripled, scoring Kindle. Reese closed the round by grounding out Barber to Cooper. Pitcher Wickware gave way to Johnson in the sixth, who pitched well until the ninth, when things got critical and Manager Foster called on Moore, who proved a lifesaver. Brown had been pitching an airtight ball game, and the Sox had failed to get a man past second base.

Wenkens in the Eighth.

Brown weakened in the eighth, and our folks copped the grapes. When the eighth opened the bugs reared up on their hind legs and commenced to bark at the new manager, not being used to being shut out, and they told him so, which got the Rube's goat, and just to show them that he had brought down a real live human ball club instead of a bunch of old relics, told his boys they must score. Buckner, first up, walked; James doubled him to third. Briscoe batting for Bennett walked, filling the bags. Cooper hit to Matthew, who being so anxious for a double play, fumbled Buckner's hit and James scored. Briscoe was forced out at second, but Cooper was safe at first. Cooper swiped second. T. Johnson was hit by a pitched ball. Dunbar tripled, scoring Cooper and Johnson. C. Johnson hit a long sacrifice fly, scoring Dunbar with what proved to be the winning run.

The Giants threatened to tie the score in the ninth and would have done it but for the fine generalship of old foxy Rube. A. Johnson opened the ninth with a clean single. Manager Smith wishing to help his boys along, batted for Moore and slapped the horsehide over the fence and Johnson went to third.

"Old Fox" Busy—Up to Old Tricks.

Manager Foster did the unexpected, as usual, by calling in Moore to save the day, with the count two and three on Matthew. Manager Foster went out, he talked to the umpire, he talked to the catcher, and he talked to the pitcher; turned around, and viewed the multitude, and when he was through talking and stalling for time, Moore had perfect control and retired the side without a hit or run, and the Sox had grabbed the old ball game right out of the fire. Score:

C. H.	AB.	BI.	PO.	A.
Matthews, 2b	5	1	1	2
Kindle, 3b	5	2	2	2
Gordon, lf	4	0	3	0
Pannell, c	4	3	4	2
Reese, rf	4	1	3	0
Williams, 1b	4	1	7	0
Meade, ss	4	0	1	2
A. Johnson, cf	3	2	3	0
E. Brown, p	3	1	0	0
*Smith	1	1	0	0
Totals	37	12	24	9
W. Sox	AB.	BI.	PO.	A.
Dunbar, lf	4	1	0	0
C. Johnson, c	4	2	11	1
Barber, ss	3	2	2	0
Eryor, 3b	4	0	1	0
Buckner, rf	3	0	1	0
James, 2b	4	2	0	3
Bennet, cf	2	0	0	0
Bigsbee, cf	1	0	1	0
Cooper, 1b	3	0	11	0
Wickware, p	1	0	0	0
L. Johnson, p	1	0	0	0
Moore, p	0	0	0	0
xFoster	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	7	27	10
Batted for E. Brown in ninth.				
xRan for James.				
Cuban Giants	2	1	0	0
White Sox	0	0	0	5

Two-base hits—Matthews, 2; Pannell, E. Brown, Kindly, Barber, Reese, James, Smith. Three-base hits—Pannell, Dunbar. Sacrifice hit—Pryor. Sacrifice fly—C. Johnson. Stolen bases—Dunbar, Pannell, A. Johnson, 2; Cooper. Double play—Buckner to C. Johnson. Struck out—By Wickware, 2; by Moore, 1; by E. Brown, 1. Base on balls—Off E. Brown, 5. Hit by pitched ball—Wickware by Brown; A. Johnson by Wickware; L. Johnson by Brown. Hits—Off Wickware, 8 in 5 innings; off L. Johnson, 4 in 3 innings; off Moore, none in 1 inning.

Wickware had plenty of speed and struck out ten men while pitching.

Dunbar and Muckner are two old noted eastern players and noted for heavy slugging.

In Kindly, Mead and Williams the Giants have a fast infield.

Brown, of the Giants, with a little more experience, will be a crack pitcher.

Shortstop Barber started badly on account of having been playing first for two seasons, but soon hit his stride and his fielding and throwing were a feature.

The band enlivened things with some catchy music which seemed to please the ladies, who were togged up in the latest style.

"Handsome" Pannell was the hitting demon of the day.

Pryor, third baseman of the Sox, is said to have the best arm in the game. Some "whip."

Rube Foster still remains the peer of all colored managers. A snick fan in the bleachers asked the "Rube": "Mister, aint you de champion manager of de world?" Rube, being modest, said: "Naw, boy,

now: don't you let any one hear you
say that."

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