

HOUSE OF DAVID WINS ABBREVIATED GAME 3-0

A sudden downpour of rain that assumed the proportions of a cloudburst halted the baseball game here yesterday afternoon between the House of David and Cambridge at the end of the sixth inning after the long-whiskered aggregation had assumed a lead of 3 to 0.

Both teams earned a total of four hits each in the six frames, and the visitors had three errors chalked up against them to one for Cambridge, but the winners took advantage of a double and a single, a walk and an error in the third inning to chase home the only three tallies of the game.

The visitors made a poor start in the first inning when Cambridge filled the bases with one out as a result of two errors by the long-whiskered, third-baseman, and a walk. The visitors, however, luckily escaped being scored upon by a hair-line decision on home plate and a fly out.

Outside of the two big innings for the two teams, neither side was able to do much with the offerings of the opposing hurler, Donaldson doling out hits in Scotch fashion, and the House of David pitcher being equally cautious about granting safeties. Donaldson, however, had the advantage in strikeouts with four to his credit in the five innings he toiled, against only one for Nive, in the sixth inning.

Rube Chell went in for Donaldson in the sixth frame, and pitched excellent ball during his short stay before the storm broke. The Cambridge team, which boasted one of the best lineups ever seen in action here, was improving as the game progressed, and evidences were many that the locals would have scored several runs before the regular allowance of nine innings would have been played.

One of the largest crowds that ever attended a baseball game here was present in spite of the intermittent showers during the entire day, and it is estimated that approximately 2,000 persons were jammed into all parts of the grandstands and the grounds.

Game played August 1, 1928 at Cambridge, MN