

**LOCALS AND ALL NATIONS SPLIT FAST DOUBLE BILL*****Donaldson Shuts Out  
Bismarck Ball Tossers  
in Sensational Game*****By "GILL"**

In one of the most sensational baseball exhibitions ever played on the local diamond, the All Nation nine defeated the local ball tossers Sunday afternoon 1 to 0. The game was a pitcher's battle from start to finish and was thrilling from the time the umpire called "play ball" until the last batter was out.

Rain made the diamond slow but, despite this detriment to baseball of first-class calibre, both teams put up one of the best contests witnessed in the Capital City for some period of time. The weatherman was in an evil frame of mind again Sunday, as he was Saturday evening, and dished up a dark and cloudy day that made it easier for the slab artists and hard for the hitters.

Eleven hundred fans showed their contempt for said weatherman by scoffing at the threatening storm and witnessing the fast double card. The grand stand was filled and the bleachers jammed. Over a hundred automobiles filled with enthusiastic followers of the game also attended and aided in the long innovation accorded both aggregations for the class of ball staged.

The noted colored twirler, Donaldson, was on the mound for the All Nations and it is due to his stellar work that a win was recorded for the visitors. With all due respect to the colored heaver, it must be said that he is "some" pitcher. He had everything on the ol' pill, his curves breaking beautifully and his fast one cutting the plate like a knife.

Christianson did the heaving for the locals and was also in fine form. The big boy pitched a great game and held down the heavy visiting clouters to five hits in seven innings. It was not due to any fault of his that the All Nations got away with the game and if it had not been for an error in the fifth it is likely that he would be still serving them up to the boys of all variety of nationalities for approval.

The visiting club had a shade the better of the first game with Donald-



son in the box, but in every other department were equalled and in some cases outclassed. The colored heaver was too much for "Dolly" Elder and his crew of swatters and held them down to two hits, one being for three sacks, however.

Peacock was there as usual with his old speed and pep while Elder at short had lots of vim. All of the men appearing on the diamond played great ball and it would be difficult to select any individual stars.

### **The Game.**

The first four innings were uneventful, both heavers going good and refusing to give the other team the advantage in any way. The fifth was the jinx for the husky manager and

his speed demons. Crowe led off and knocked an easy one to Kirk, who juggled the sphere and the runner wound up at second. Donaldson sacrificed and Crowe went to third, Donaldson being thorwn out at the initial sack. Wilkus was out on a pop to Vivian, but Steno proved the undoing of the locals when he slammed one to

left for a safety, Crowe scoring the only run for the game. Hernaedez went out on a drive to Christy and the excitement was over.

The crowd went wild when Frankenhoff connected for three sacks in this inning. It looked as though the score would be tied with ease with Frankie on third and no one down but Vivian, Kirk and Flannigan went out in rapid succession and the hopes of the bugs was blasted.

In the sixth Bismarck again had Donaldson in a hole and it looked again as though it would be easy to tie the score, if not get one the best of the argument. Peacock hit past third and Christy sacrificed and was safe on Blneko's error. Collins followed his predecessor's example but was out at first, Peacock going to third and Christy to second. Elder sacrificed and was safe, Peacock being thrown out at the plate. Shanley walked and the bases were choked but Frankie failed to connect and it was all over.

The seventh was uneventful for either team, the visiting club being awarded the decision, it having been decided at the start that each contest would go but seven frames owing to the darkness and threatening rain.



### The Box Score.

ALL NATIONS—	AB	R	H	PO	E	A
Stena, cf .....	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hernaedez, 1b .....	3	0	1	4	0	0
Mendez, ss .....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, 3b .....	3	0	0	1	0	0
Coleman, c .....	3	0	1	13	0	1
Blnekoi, 2b .....	3	0	0	1	1	2
Crowe, rf .....	3	1	2	2	0	0
Donaldson, p .....	3	0	0	0	0	1
Wilkus, lf .....	3	0	0	0	0	0

Total .....	27	1	5	21	1	4
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BISMARCK—	AB	R	H	PO	E	A
Collins, cf .....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Elder, ss .....	2	0	0	0	0	1
Shanley, 2b .....	2	0	0	0	0	5
Frankenhoff, 1b .....	3	0	1	13	0	0
Vivian, 3b .....	3	0	0	1	0	4
Kirk, rf .....	3	0	0	1	1	0
Flannigan, lf .....	3	0	0	2	0	0
Peacock, c .....	2	0	1	4	0	0
Christianson, p .....	1	0	0	0	0	2

Total .....	21	0	2	21	1	12
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Struck Out—By Donaldson, 12; by Christy, 3. Walks—Off Donaldson, 1; off Christy, 1.

Three-base Hits—Frankenhoff. Two-base Hits—Hernaedez and Crowe. Sacrifice Knocks—Donaldson, Elder, Collins and Christy. Stolen Bases—Steno, Coleman and Crowe.

# **Capital City Clouters Hit Wilkus Hard and Cop Second Game 6-1**

By "GILL"

The second game of the double bill was equally as fast as the first but Wilkus, throwing for the visitors, proved easy for Manager Kirk's pill-busters and they won in a walk by a 6 to 1 count. Both teams used the same men as they had in the previous contest, the All Nations sending Donaldson to the outfield and placing Wilkus on the mound while the locals went right ahead with their same personnel and played better ball each successive inning.

Christy again was the shining light. The big boy was going so good at the conclusion of the first tilt that after a five minute rest he went in and started things going again. He pitched even better ball this game than he did in the first and proved himself a great slab artist by allowing but three hits. In the two games he allowed but eight safeties, which is quite a record at that.

Flannigan was the sensation in this match. The husky left gardener accepted two hard chances and grabbed,



both. In the sixth frame he ran to the foul line and speared a tough one while going on high. It was a great catch and hearty applause greeted his efforts.

Mendez, at short for the All Nations, showed a deal of speed in this game and copped a couple of smashes to deep short and made perfect throws to first.

Both nines played airtight ball the first three innings but in the fourth Bismarck took the lead when they put over their first tally for eleven frames. Shanley clouted one to deep center for a three sacker but was thrown out at the plate when Vivian batted an easy one to Evans at third. While working on Shanley, trying to corner him between third and home, Vivian romped around the bases and finally ended up at third. Manager Kirk came to bat and redeemed himself by cracking out a base hit that scored Vivian. The husky advisor of the locals went even further and stole second but succeeding hitters failed to get him any closer to scoring.

In the fifth Bismarck made it 3-0 by scoring two more. Peacock went out on a fly to first and Christy was out on a grounder to second base. With two down the locals again proved that there is always hope and Col- lions connected for a single and Eld- er advanced him to third by a drive

to right. "Dolly" stole second and Shanley put over the old base knock that scored two. He was caught going to second and the excitement subsided.

Steno scored for the visitors in the sixth after a desperate argument with the umpire on a close decision at second.

The locals came back strong in their turn at bat in this frame and slipped over three. Kirk was hit by a pitched ball and went to second on Flannigan's single. Peacock connected for another single that sent Kirk in and Flannigan ambled along after him when Crowe heaved a wild one on a return shot. Christy singled and Peacock scored the third.

The locals had no difficulty in finding Wilkus in this match and seemed able to hit at will. In all eight safeties were secured off the southpaw's delivery.



# **With the Scorekeeper**

<b>All Nations</b>	<b>AB.</b>	<b>R.</b>	<b>H.</b>	<b>P.</b>	<b>A.</b>	<b>E.</b>
Steno, lf. ....	4	1	1	1	0	0
Hernaedez, 1b ....	4	0	1	7	0	0
Mendez, ss. ....	4	0	0	0	2	0
Evans, 3b. ....	3	0	0	1	1	0
Coleman, c. ....	3	0	0	5	1	0
Blnekoi, 2b. ....	2	0	1	2	2	1
Crowe, cf. ....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson, rf ....	2	0	0	1	0	0
Wilkus, p. ....	2	0	0	1	1	0

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<b>Totals</b> .....	25	1	3	18	7	1
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<b>Bismarck</b>	<b>AB.</b>	<b>R.</b>	<b>H.</b>	<b>P.</b>	<b>A.</b>	<b>E.</b>
Collins, cf. ....	3	1	1	0	0	0
Elder, ss. ....	2	1	1	1	2	0
Shanley, 2b. ....	3	0	2	2	5	1
Frankenhoff, 1b. ...	3	0	0	12	0	0
Vivian, 3b. ....	3	1	0	0	1	1
Kirk, rf. ....	2	1	1	2	0	0
Flannigan, lf. ....	3	1	1	2	0	0
Peacock, c. ....	3	1	1	2	0	0
Christy, p. ....	3	0	1	0	3	0

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<b>Totals</b> .....	25	6	8	21	11	2
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Struck out—By Wilkus, 3; by Christy, 2; hit by pitched ball—Wilkus, 1.

Three base hits—Shanley; two-base hits—Blnekoi; sacrifice hits—Crowe and Elder; stolen bases—Steno, Hernaedez, Collins, Kirk and Elder. Double plays—Shanley to Elder to Frankenhoff.

# LOOKING 'EM OVER

Steno, outer gardner fo rthe All Nations, is almost as great a little lead off man as Joe Collins. Steno is a demon on the bases and also hits the pill hard.

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Quiet, sedate, Tom Shanley actually got all riled up Sunday over a couple of close decisions at second. It was the first time the fans have ever seen Tom peeved and honest to goodness he pointed his finger at the umps and told him he was rotten. W'at d'ya know about that?

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Donaldson proved everything that he was cracked up to be as a pitcher. The colored boy had lots of smoke on the ol' Spaulding and he had the biggest curve seen in these parts for some time. It is said he had a shade the better of the locals. Probably meaning in color.

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Mendez, at short forthe visitors, even had a shade on Donaldson (again



in color) but just the same he had some whip to first and fielded everything that came his way nicely.

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Flannigan's work in left field was a revelation and joy to the hearts of the baseball bugs. He pulled one down in the second game that made him ramble to the foul line and it was some catch. At least Jack Allen says it was, and Buleave Me, he knows.

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The sonorous voice of the umpire could be heard even above the din and confusion. It is thought the umps may have been impersonating a bloodhound for an Uncle Tom's Cabin show.

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Joe Collins again proved that it's never too late to make a fresh start by starting the ball a rollin' in the fifth with two down by connecting for a single and his team-mates came to his assistance nobly and when the dust rolled away,—no it was too wet to be dusty,—Bismarck had piled up two more tallies.

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Donaldson was also there with the big stick Sunday, in addition to his stellar work in the box, and connect-

ed for a couple of nice ones. From the crowd—"He's got one weakness, Watermelon."

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There was almost a riot when Manager Kirk dropped one in the first game that gave the visitors a win, but he came back in the second match and drove in a run, stole a base and scored one himself.

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Christy's work was great and the fans are with him from now on. The big boy went through both games and was still there at the finish of his fourteenth inning on mound duty.

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You gotta hand int to Peacock. Harry backs up his heaver nicely and uses his noodle every minute. Besides he tries for everything where it looks as though there's a possible chance and he on his toes at all times.

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Goldie claims he's a jinx on the coaching lines. He was there for ten frames and not a Bismarck runner got past third. Taylor took pity on the Capital City's star hurler and replaced him. From then on Bismarck had no difficulty in slipping runs over. It has been moved and seconded that if Taylor can do as well that he be placed on the coaching lines from now on.

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