

STOCKYARDS BEAT NEGRO TEAM, 8-3

HIT HARD TO WIN OPENING
GAME OF SEASON AT
BROADWAY.

TOO COLD FOR CROWD

The Sioux City Stockyards will have a heavy hitting baseball team this year if nothing else. That much was demonstrated Sunday when the Stockyards team took a decision, 8 to 3, from the Colored House of David team in the first game of the season at Broadway park.

The contest was witnessed by a crowd of between 200 and 300, which would have been doubled had the day been warm. As it was, most of the crowd spent its time in stamping its collective feet and blowing on its hands, although the game was well played throughout. Owing to the weather, however, the contest was called at the end of the seventh inning.

The Colored House of David forced the play from the first inning when Hilton singled and stole second. Boldredge fanned, and Jones walked but a fast double play halted the hitting spree when Hancock grounded to Olk.

Olk, Cleveland, and Collins went out in 1, 2, 3, order in the Stockyards half of the inning.

The Negro team drew first blood in the second. With one down, Everett singled and went to second on Wright's sacrifice and then stole third. Sullivan walked and on an attempted double steal, Cather Long of the Stockyards threw the ball into center field, allowing Everett to score.

The Stockyards got into action in their half of the inning when Silcott sent a screaming liner along the rightfield foul line for three bases. Huffman singled to left, scoring Silcott. Crouch singled, putting Huffman on third. Banks struck out but Long hit a fly to short left field which the Negro shortstop dropped, allowing Huffman to score. Crotty fanned, but Olk singled to right, scoring Crouch. Long attempted to make third on the play but was touched out.

Two more runs came in the third. Cleveland opened with a triple to the right field foul line and Collins walked. Silcott singled to center scoring Cleveland and putting Collins on second. Huffman hit into a double play which erased Silcott along with himself. He put Collins on third base. He scored on Crouch's single.

John Donaldson entered the game in the fourth inning but he came to bat first in the fifth and opened the inning for the colored team by beating out a bunt for a hit. Hilton walked. Boldredge flied to center, advancing Donaldson. Hilton stole second. Jones singled to right scoring both runners. A fast double play ended the scoring.

Huffman walked in the fifth for the Stockyards, and scored on Crouch's triple to center but the Skipper was out when he tried to stretch the hit to a home run.

Schroeder walked in the sixth, went to third on Collins single and scored ahead of the latter on Sillcott's second triple to right.

That was all of the scoring. Stegman finished in the box for the Stockyards and was not scored on.

John Donaldson, veteran hurler of the colored team, pitched three innings and showed all of his old stuff. In addition, he crossed up the Stockyards infield with his bunt in the fifth inning.

The fielding of both teams was good, considering the early date.

The score:
COLORED HOUSE OF DAVID.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hilton, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Boldredge, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Jones, rf	3	0	1	1	1	0
Hancock, c	3	0	1	6	2	0
Street, cf	3	0	0	3	1	0
Everett, ss	3	1	1	3	1	2
Wright, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Sullivan, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
*Freeman	1	0	1	0	0	0
Young, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson, p	2	1	1	0	0	0

Totals24 3 7 18 8 2

SIoux CITY STOCKYARDS.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Olk, ss	4	0	1	0	2	0
Cleveland, 3b	4	1	1	2	4	0
Collins, cf	3	2	1	3	0	0
Silcott, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0
Huffman, 1b	3	2	1	8	0	0
Crouch, rf	3	1	3	1	0	0
Banks, 2b	2	0	0	3	2	0
Watson, 2b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Long, c	3	0	0	3	1	1
Crotty, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schroeder, p	1	1	1	0	2	0
Stegman, p	0	0	0	0	0	0

Totals29 8 12 21 11 1

*Batted for Sullivan in seventh.

Score by innings: R

C. H. of D.	0	1	0	0	2	0	—3
Stock Yards	0	3	2	0	1	2	*—8

SUMMARY.

Three-base hits—Cleveland, Silcott 2, Crouch. Two-base hit—Schroeder. Sacrifice hit—Wright. Stolen bases—Hilton 2, Everett,

Sullivan. Double plays—Everett to Sullivan, Olk to Banks to Huffman; Cleveland to Banks to Huffman. Struck out—By Young, 2; by Donaldson, 2; by Crotty, 2. Bases on balls—Off Young, 1; off Donaldson, 2; off Crotty, 3; off Schroeder, 1. Runs and hits—Off Crotty, 1 and 3 in 3 innings; off Schroeder, 2 and 2 in 3 innings; off Stegman, 0 and 2 in 1 inning; off Young, 5 and 7 in 3 innings; off Donaldson, 3 and 5 in 3 innings. Winning pitcher—Crotty. Losing pitcher—Young. Left on bases—Stockyards, 6; C. H. of D., 6. Earned runs—Stockyards, 5; C. H. of D., 3. Time of game—1:26.

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