

THE DONALDSON NETWORK

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| Date | Location | Win | Loss | Tie | Strikeouts | No K Total Known |
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| Sept 12, 1912 | Estherville, IA | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 0 |

Lehigh (IA) Valley Argus September 12, 1912 p1 c6;

Forest City (IA) Summit September 19, 1912 p1 c1;

Roland (IA) Record September 19, 1912 p1 c2

The baseball tournament terminated Thursday afternoon, when Lehigh and Estherville winners on the two previous days, played the final game, the score being as follows:

Estherville 6 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1-9 Lehigh 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0-3

The game did not pan out as expected as the regular Lehigh catcher had to leave on Wednesday to attend to school duties. He was offered \$75 to remain and catch the game, as Donaldson, Lehigh's famous colored south paw could not let loose on his speed, as the two substitute catchers were entirely too weak to hold his speedy-ones, and this gave the Estherville bunch a good chance to get in all the good work they could which they proceeded to do in the first inning, when they touched the score up to 6. This looked rather bad for a starter. but Donaldson held them down to singles after that. Only once did Donaldson turn loose on speed and than fanned three straight, but the

catcher could not hold him so he resorted to slow drops and curves, and held Estherville down as best he could under those conditions. He struck out fifteen anyhow. Estherville was in fine condition and the support given the pitcher was all that could be expected, he was a good tosser and quite speedy and did not let more than two men walk. There was considerable hooting at times from the crowd in the grand stand at some of the decisions of the umpire, but it is rather difficult for a person so far away to give as accurate a decision as a person only a few feet away, and taking it all in all his decisions were fair and unbiased, although a few people seemed to think he was unfair: however we will give them the benefit of the doubt. The crowd Thursday was about as large as the total of the two previous days and the grand stand filled to overflowing. One noticeable thing was the large number of out of town people present. Barring the rain on the first day the weather was most favorable and all who attended seemed well pleased with the games.