CLASS D, BLUE RIDGE LEAGUE

Thursday, August 24, 1916

Martinsburg Mountaineers (48-38) vs. Gettysburg Ponies (32-49) at Nixon Field, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

Game 1 3:00 pm -													
Martinsburg	AB	\boldsymbol{R}	H	BI	PO	\boldsymbol{A}	Gettysburg	AB	\boldsymbol{R}	\boldsymbol{H}	RBI	PO	\boldsymbol{A}
S. Long 3b	5	1	1	1	0	5	I. Bigler 3b	5	0	1	0	4	5
K. Dean 2b	5	0	1	0	3	2	A. Boyne 1b	3	0	0	0	12	2
L. Percy rf	5	0	3	2	0	0	A. Herman 2b	4	1	1	0	5	1
G. Rawlings 1f	5	0	1	0	4	0	I. Plank rf	5	0	0	0	1	0
J. Bates ss	5	0	0	0	1	6	A. Koehler c	5	1	1	0	6	0
W. Morris cf	5	2	3	0	4	0	Stein If	4	1	1	0	1	0
L. Blue 1b	4	1	1	0	15	0	D. Hart 3b	4	1	2	1	0	5
G. Johnson c	4	1	2	1	3	0	P. Sherman p	4	0	1	1	0	3
A. Clarke p	3	0	0	0	0	2	Kelly cf	4	0	1	0	1	0
¹ L. Hiner ph	1	0	0	0	0	0							
M. Goodwin p	0	0	0	1	0	0							
TOTALS	42	5	12	5	30	15	TOTALS	38	4	8	2	30	16

¹ L. Hiner batted for Clarke in the ninth inning.

Martinsburg Gettysburg Errors - Dean, Bates 2, Bigler, Herman, Hart.

LOB - Martinsburg 7, Gettysburg 5.

DP - Gettysburg 1 (Herman to Bigler to Boyne)

Doubles - Percy.

Triples - none

Home Runs - none.

Sacrifice Hit - Herman. Stolen Bases - Bigler, Herman. Sacrifice Fly - none. Caught stealing -

Bases on Balls - Boyne 2, Blue, Johnson, Goodwin..

Strikeouts - unavailable.

Pitching	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
Alan "Lefty" Clarke	8	8	4	2	2	0	
Marvin Goodwin W	2	0	0	0	0	2	
Paul Sherman L note - First Base on Errors -	10	12	5	3	3	3	
HBP - none.			WP - 1	none.			PB - none.
Umpire - Cross			Time:	1:35			Attendance

Notes - From The Martinsburg Journal, "Closing Up On the Maroons."

A four-run rally by Martinsburg tied the score in the ninth inning, and won the game with a run in the 10th, to rally past Gettysburg, 5 to 4 in the first game of a doubleheader at Nixon Field on Thursday afternoon.

Paul Sherman and "Lefty" Clarke dueled through eight innings, with Gettysburg holding a 4 to 0 lead, but Sherman faltered in the ninth, and timely hitting by the Mountaineers resulted in four runs to tie the game and force extra innings. Marvin Goodwin came in relief in the ninth, and shut down the Ponies to earn the victory in relief.

The Ponies scored on a run in the first. With one out "Pete" Bigler singled and Herman reached on a base hit. Both were successful on a double steal, putting runners in scoring position, but Bigler was forced out at home on Ira Plank's fielder's choice. Herman scored when Katsey Dean's throw to first on Koehler's grounder went wide on the error.

Gettysburg scored three runs in the fourth off Clarke. Singles by Art Koehler, Stein, and Hart brought in one run. Sherman added to his day with a single to right to bring home another run. An error by Johnny Bates brought home the Ponies third run.

The ninth inning started with "Country" Morris reaching on his second of three base hits of the game. Lu Blue reached on an error by third baseman Hart, putting runners in scoring position. "Stuffy" Johnson followed with a single, to score Morris, but pinch hitter "Dutch" Hiner fouled out. "Short" Long singled bring home Blue, but "Katsey" Dean fanned. Lee Percy doubled to bring across Johnson and Long to knot the score at 4 to 4.

In the tenth, John Bates went out, but Morris got his third single. Blue received a free pass, and Johnson singled to load the bases. Goodwin took four wide ones off Sherman, and forced Morris across the plate with the winning run to give Martinsburg a 5 to 4 come from behind victory.

Other BRL contests – Chambersburg 3, Hanover 1 (g1); Hanover 5, Chambersburg 2 (g2); Frederick 2, Hagerstown 0. © Boys of the Blue Ridge, 2005.

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Game 2 5:15 pm -													
Martinsburg	AB	\boldsymbol{R}	\boldsymbol{H}	BI	PO	\boldsymbol{A}	Gettysburg	AB	\boldsymbol{R}	Н	RBI	PO	\boldsymbol{A}
S. Long 3b	4	1	1	0	4	3	I. Bigler 3b	1	1	0	0	2	2
K. Dean 2b	4	2	1	0	1	0	A. Boyne 1b	2	0	0	0	8	0
L. Percy rf	2	1	1	1	0	0	A. Herman 2b	3	0	0	0	0	2
G. Rawlings 1f	3	1	1	1	2	0	I. Plank rf	3	1	0	0	2	0
J. Bates ss	4	2	2	0	0	2	Stein If	3	0	0	0	0	0
W. Morris cf	3	1	2	4	0	0	A. Koehler c	3	0	2	1	5	1
L. Blue 1b	4	0	2	1	10	0	D. Hart 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
G. Johnson c	4	0	1	0	4	0	J. Baker p	1	0	0	0	0	1
F. Colley p	3	0	0	0	0	4	J. Mumford p	2	1	1	0	0	1
							Kelly cf	3	0	0	0	4	0
TOTALS	31	8	11	7	21	9	TOTALS	24	3	3	1	21	7

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Home Runs - none.

Caught stealing -

Sacrifice Fly - Rawlings.

Errors - Bates 2, Bigler, Koehler, Kelly.

LOB - Martinsburg 7, Gettysburg 5.

DP - Martinsburg 1 (Rawlings to Blue).

PB - none.

Doubles -Morris 2, Bates, Blue, Koehler.

Triples - Koehler.

Sacrifice Hits - Boyne, Percy 2.

Stolen Bases - Morris, Blue.

Bases on Balls - Bigler 2, Morris.

Strikeouts - unavailable.

Pitching Frank Colley W	IP 7	Н 3	R 3	ER 0	BB 1	SO 3	
Joe Baker L	2 2/3	5	5	2	0	1	
John Mumford	4 1/3	6	3	3	2	4	
note - First Base on Errors -							
HBP - by Colley (Bigler)				WP -	none.		PB - nor
Umpire - Cross			Time	1:45			Attendance

Notes - From The Martinsburg Journal, "Closing Up On the Maroons."

Martinsburg again rallied from behind to take the second game of the doubleheader at Nixon Field, defeating Gettysburg, 8 to 3 on Thursday evening. Frank Colley withstood a rough first inning to hold the Ponies to just three hits on three runs to earn the complete game victory for the Mountaineers. Joe Baker started for the Ponies, but was roughed up, and didn't last past the third inning, before being relieved by Johnny Mumford.

The Ponies scored two runs in the first inning when "Pete" Bigler reached on a free pass from Colley. Gus Boyne sacrificed Bigler to second, and he took third on Herman's infield out. A throwing error by John Bates on Ira Plank's grounder allowed Bigler to score, and the runner to take second. Art Koehler's double to deep center resulted in Plank scoring to give Gettysburg a 2 to 0 lead.

Martinsburg came back to tie the score in the second on a double by Bates, a double by "Country" Morris, and another double by Lu Blue. The Mountaineers added three more tallies in the third, Short Long singled, and Katsey Dean reached on Koehler's throwing error, when the Ponies catcher tried to force out Long at second. Lee Percy laid down a suicide squeeze bunt to bring home Long, and Reggie Rawlings brought home Dean on a sacrifice fly. Percy, who was safe on the fielder's choice that scored Dean, came home on an error by outfielder Kelly.

The Mountaineers added three insurance runs in the seventh on singles by Dean, Rawlings and Bates, and a bases loaded double by Morris, to give Martinsburg eight runs in the game.

Gettysburg scored another run in the fifth on John Mumford's base hit, a walk to Bigler, and a throwing error by Bates. Other BRL contests - Chambersburg 3, Hanover 1 (g1); Hanover 5, Chambersburg 2 (g2); Frederick 2, Hagerstown 0.