Single With Two Gone In Tenth Scores Deciding Run In 4-3 Hamilton Victory

Hams Come From Behind Twice To Beat Bakermen and Gain Lead Once More

Froman's Texas Leaguer Scores Winning Run in Tenth Inning.

HERE TOMORROW

Seventh Game, If Necessary, Will Be Played in Hamilton.

Special to The Advertiser.

Hamilton, Sept. 20. — While the largest crowd of three years worked itself into a state of frenzy, creating a pandemonium that was never rivalled even in the championship series of 1922, the Clippers turned the tables on the London Tecumsehs here on Saturday. On Friday it was the Tecs who fought viciously to come from behind and even the series, and on Saturday the Wetzel crew refused to go down under the same sort of battle by the visitors. They came on to overcome a one-run lead in the seventh and again in the ninth, finally winning by a belated rally in the tenth. The score was 4 to 3.

President Halligan tossed the coin to decide where the seventh game of the series will be played if it should become necessary. President Carroll won the toss, and the game will be played here. The sixth game will be played in London, Tuesday.

To "Chief" Froman fell the honor of breaking up the duel that had been bitterly contested in every one of the previous innings. Heroes were made at every turn, and the chill wind that wrapped the field and stands in the first touch of fall passed unnoticed as the Chadwicklan gladiators feinted and fought with all the pent-up enthusiasm resultant from the head-long dash through two series of the Mint schedule and the season-long rivalry between the two Canadian clubs, which will make the series the greatest in the history of the league.

It was Froman, who previously had been held in complete subjection by Yonkers Bill Coogan, who came through with the blow that meant victory. With two men out and the score tied at three all and Bashang on second base, there as the result of a surprise bunt that caught the London infield off guard and a sacrifice by Roper, Froman went after two strikes before he lifted a sharp breaking curve in center field to send Bashang clattering across the plate with the winning tally. It was a Texan leaguer that fell just right between the scurrying infielders and the madly-racing Klein, who came from deep center in a desperate dash to save the game.

Coogan Good.

With the Londoners playing sterling ball behind him, Coogan had held the locals helpless before his bewildering delivery for seven long innings. The chirps had been helped to a lone tally in the third by laxity of the Hamilton outfield, and Yonkers Bill appeared unbeatable as he mowed the Clippers down almost in order. His release of the situation in the seventh, when the Wetzel crew scored twice, was occasioned when an error started the inning and paved the way for the locals' rally. It was a hard blow, but Coogan showed all the courage of a champion and "hung in" till his mates shot over two runs on Wernke in the ninth and appeared sure winners. Here again Bill was outfucked, for pinch hitter Judd rammed a long drive to the uttermost confines of Stimpson's territory and drove in the tieing run. Wernke disappeared from the battle when a pinch hitter swang for him in this inning, and Judd set the Tecs down in the tenth, but Coogan was still in the battle, and Froman's winning hit was not so much the result of any deficiency in Coogan's pitching as a real "break" for the winners.

Both Coogan and Wernke had staged a worthy duel for eight innings. Wernke should have held the Tecs scoreless, and Coogan was just as deserving. Both hurled in a way that spoke volumes for their ability, and the largest crowd at Scott park in three years was never still. Everything was attempted by either team. Legitimate baseball, embracing all the inside strategy of the game, was varied temptingly by surprise plays that were counteracted by sensational spurts of defensive fighting that drew cheer after cheer or left the crowd silent and suppressed. Time and again the heavy charges and broadsides of offence caromed off the flinty resistance of the athletes who were battling for perhaps the last title the Michigan-Ontario league would be privileged to confer.

Infield Switched.

London appeared at a disadvantage with Baker and Vermilyea switched about, owing to an injury to the mite manager's arm, but at no time did the inner defence show signs of weakness. Vermilyea's lone error started trouble for Coogan in the seventh, but it was forgivable, for the fleet infielder had made a great stop of a hard-hit ball and threw high to Cross in a desperate attempt to get the runner. Browern's error, the only other charged to the Tecs, was given when he momentarily fumbled a hard-hit drive and allowed a Hamilton runner to advance another base.

Vermilyea's error was discounted by his work in the third, when London scored their first run. Whitey had led off with a double to deep left center, and after Coogan had sacrificed him to third, he waited until Sandquist had rolled out to Riley and then scored on Baker's long single to left, which should have been a two-base knock. That was all the scoring until the seventh, in spite of the fact that both teams had men on bases in the meantime and extended the opposition to the utmost to keep the runs out at different times.

Vermilyea's high throw to Cross started the Clippers in the seventh, for the error gave Froman a life. Gleich tried the hit-and-run, but popped to Baker, and then Froman stole second. McCrea's hit to deep short was too difficult for Vermilyea to handle, and Froman went to third. Then Lopez came through with a single to right that tied the score, but McCrea was caught off second base on Brower's quick return. Riley singled over third, sending Lopez to the right light corner, and Wernke did the rest with a hard single just beyond Cross' reach.

Cross Gets Homer.

It was "Slicker" Cross who raised the cheers of London fans in the ninth, when he lifted the first pitched ball over the right field fence to tie the score. Brower then singled to left, and was forced at second by Klein. Kernan singled to right, Klein stopping at second, and the bases were loaded when Wernke stopped Vermilyea's drive, but couldn't pick the ball up in time to make a play. Coogan rolled easily to Lopez, scoring Klein, but going out at first himself.

One run down, the locals appeared beaten, especially when Gleich and McCrea went out. Lopez, however, singled just out of Baker's reach, and Judd, battling for Riley, doubled to the fence near the left field line, scoring Lopez and knotting the count again. Bashang's bunt, Roper's sacrifice and Froman's single wound up the great battle in the tenth, after Judd had walked Baker and Cross in London's half and then disposed of Stimpson and Brower, the latter hitting into a double play.

First Inning.

London—Lopez showed smart work in passing Sandquist's bunt and letting it roll foul. Sandy then grounded to Froman, and was safe when Froman failed to touch the bag. Froman got an error. On the hit and run, Baker was thrown out by Riley, Sandquist going to second. Stimpson crashed a drive to the flagpole in center that Neitzke pulled down only after a long run. Sandquist went to third. Cross tapped one to Wernke and was out at first.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 1 ERROR.

Hamilton—Bashang whipped a single through the box. Kernan's fast throw got Bashang stealing, Vermilyea taking the out. Roper fanned, the last two strikes being high balls that he cut vainly at. Cross made the out on Neitzke unassisted.

NO RUNS, 1 HIT, 0 ERRORS.

Second Inning.

London—Brower went out swinging. The London players gathered about Umpire Griffin and protested that Brower had merely ducked away from the ball, but the umpire ruled that the player had taken a "cut." Klein walked with the count three and one. Kernan's roller bounced off Wernke's hand to Roper, who got Kernan at first. Froman's throw to Lopez caught Klein trying to go to third. It was a double play.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Froman drew Coogan's first pass. The hit and run failed when Gleich skied to Stimpson. Froman was caught stealing, Kernan to Vermilyea. The latter threw out McCrea.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Third Inning.

London—Vermilyea led off with a double to the left field fence, the ball rolling between Bashang and Neitzke. Coogan sacrificed, Wernke to Riley, who covered first. Sandquist's best was a roller to Riley, on which Vermilyea was held on third. Baker lifted a long single beyond Bashang's reach, and Vermilyea scored. Riley threw out Stimpson.

ONE RUN, 2 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Vermilyea went back into left field for Lopez's lift. Baker had to go out to get Riley's high fly. Wernke skied to Stimpson.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Fourth Inning.

London—Cross fanned. Gleich ran down Brower's skier. Klein popped to Roper.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Bashang lined out to Stimpson. Baker and Cross retired Roper. Neitzke lined hard to Brower.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Fifth Inning.

London—Kernan got a base on balls. Vermilyea popped to Froman, Kernan holding first. Coogan skied to Neitzke. Sandquist also walked. Baber fouled to McCrea.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Froman rifted a terrific liner at Vermilyea, the London shortstop making a hard catch. Gleich struck out. McCrea lifted a two-base rap down the left field line to the fence. Lopez walked. Riley struck out.

NO RUNS, 1 HIT, 0 ERRORS.

Sixth Inning.

London—Stimpson doubled between Bashang and Neitzke, the ball rolling to the fence. Cross lifted to Neitzke near the center field fence. Froman took Brower's rap and made the out himself, Stimpson going to third. Froman repeated his previous play on Klein.

NO RUNS, 1 HIT, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Wernke rolled out to Baker. Klein was under Bashang's lift. Roper drew a walk. Neitzke went out to Brower in short right.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Seventh Inning.

London—Kernan went out swinging. Roper and Froman combined in a neat play to get Vermilyea by a step. Gleich came in for Coogan's rap.

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TWO RUNS, 4 HITS, 2 ERRORS.

Eighth Inning.

London—Riley picked off Sandquist's hard-hit grounder and tossed him out. Riley went over to his left and made another nice stop to retire Baker. Neitzke captured Stimpson's high drive.

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Ninth Inning.

London—Cross hit the first pitched ball over the right field fence to tie the score. It was a high lift that barely cleared the wall. Brower singled to left. Klein forced Brower at second. Lopez to Roper. Kernan singled to right, Klein stopping at second. Wernke stopped Vermilyea's hot shot, but couldn't pick the ball up to make an easy force at third and the bases were filled. Coogan shot a slow roller to Lopez, who got the batter, but Klein scored on the play, giving the lead to the Tecs. Sandquist grounded to Froman.

TWO RUNS, 4 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Cross took care of Gleich by himself. Vermilyea threw out McCrea. Lopez singled to Baker, back of second. Judd batted for Riley. Judd lifted a long double that Stimpson barely reached after a sensational try, and Lopez scored all the way from first to tie the score. Carmen batted for Wernke. Carmen struck out.

ONE RUN, 2 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Tenth Inning.

London—Judd went to the mound for Hamilton. Duckworth went to third, and Lopez to second. Stimpson flied to Bashang. Cross walked. Brower hit into a double play. Judd to Lopez to Froman.

NO RUNS, 0 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

Hamilton—Bashang beat out a bunt down the third base line. Roper sacrificed him to second. Sandquist to Baker, who covered first. Neitzke popped to Cross. Froman dropped a Texas Leaguer in center to score Bashang with the winning run.

ONE RUN, 2 HITS, 0 ERRORS.

HARROWING

London—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Sandquist, 3b.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Baker, 2b.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Stimpson, c.f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Cross, 1b.	4	1	1	9	0	0
Brower, r.f.	4	0	1	2	1	1
Klein, c.f.	3	1	0	4	0	0
Kernan, c.	3	0	1	4	2	0
Vermilyea, s.s.	4	1	2	5	2	1
Coogan, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	3	7	x29	10	2

x Two out when winning run scored.

Hamilton—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bashang, l.f.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Roper, 3b.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Neitzke, c.f.	5	0	0	4	0	0
Froman, 1b.	4	1	1	14	1	1
Gleich, r.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
McCrea, c.	4	0	2	4	0	0
Lopez, 3b., 2b.	3	2	2	2	2	0
Riley, 2b.	3	0	1	1	5	0
Duckworth, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wernke, p.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Judd, p.	1	0	1	0	1	0
xCarmen	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	10	30	14	1

x Batted for Wernke in ninth.

Score by innings:

London	001 000 002 0—3
Hamilton	000 000 201 1—4

Summary:

Left on bases—London 8, Hamilton 7.

Double-plays—Wernke to Roper to Froman to Lopez; Judd to Lopez to Froman.

Sacrifice hits—Coogan, Roper.

Stolen bases—Froman.

Two-base hits—Vermilyea, Stimpson, McCrea, Judd.

Home runs—Cross.

Struck out—By Coogan 3, by Wernke 3.

Bases on balls—Off Coogan 3, off Wernke 3, off Judd 2.

Hits—Off Wernke, 7 in 9 innings, 3 runs.

Umpires—Griffin and Ward.

Winning pitcher—Judd.

Time of game—1:50.

Attendance—3,594.

CHATHAM'S BIG ENTRY IN TRACK AND FIELD MEET.

Chatham public schools sent the largest outside entry to the track and field meet staged at the University of Western Ontario oval Saturday, and made a splendid showing. McKeogh public school team won the relay race and Leonard Hardy won the 75 yard junior public school sprint. The above group shows the Chatham team and some of the teachers who accompanied them.

Wallaceburg Gains Edge In Intermediate Playoff

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, Sept. 20.—Before a fairly large crowd and in beautiful summer weather, the Wallaceburg lacrosse fans were treated to one of the hardest-fought battles ever staged here, on Saturday, when the first game of the Hamilton-Wallaceburg intermediate O.A.L.A. semi-finals resulted in a 6—2 win for the home team. It is expected the return game will be played at Hamilton Saturday.

While numerous penalties were the order of the day, and these were evenly divided, there were but few meted out for undue roughness. These included a 10-minutes' rest for Gowdie at the close of the third period, when he laid out McLean, who, however, was able to return the last period, although minus three teeth, only to be temporarily laid down a few minutes later by Guy Smith, who also received marching orders. Although a marked man throughout, the long Wallaceburg war horse took the battle gamely, and was loudly applauded by the spectators upon taking the field after receiving medical treatment. The whole local team played as one man, and put the Tigers to one of their severest tests in their lacrosse history.

The only score of the first period came at 19 minutes, when, after a fine clearance by O'Brien, McLean obtained possession and scored. Wallaceburg increased its lead in the second period, Van Avery scoring. One minute from the start of the third period, pretty combination by O'Brien, Smith and McLean saw the last named score, and three minutes later, McClure obtained from a rebound, and opened the Tigers' count. Shortly after, McGee transferred to McLean, who scored, followed one minute later by Guy Smith, who banged one past Murdock from far out. Shortly after the start of the last stanza, Mulroy intercepted well from McPherson and sent to Smith, who transferred to Wickens to score. The last goal came after pretty combination by the Wallaceburg home, which resulted in McDougall beating Gow with a fast shot.

The line-ups:

Hamilton—Gow, goal; Shuart, point; Gowdie, cover; Burnside, first defence; Gannon, second defence; Degray, center; Copperthwaite, first home; McPherson, second home; Thomas, inside; McClure, outside; Guy Smith and Dextas, spares.

Wallaceburg—Murdock, goal; McGee, point; Boyle, cover; O'Brien, first defence; McGill, second defence; Mulroy, center; McLean, first home; Wickens, second home; S. Smith, inside; Lawson, outside; McDougall, Van Avery and Stonehouse, spares.

Referees—J. Collins, Toronto, Toots Harirson, Mimico.

INGERSOLL OUSTED FROM O. B. A. A. RACE

Bridgeburg Scores 6-2 in Second Game of Home-and-Home Series.

Special to The Advertiser.

Ingersoll, Sept. 20.—Bridgeburg defeated the locals 6—2 Saturday, in the second home-and-home games in the third round of the intermediate O. B. A. A. play-off.

The visitors displayed fine hitting and fielding ability, while Benner, on the mound, was puzzling at all times. The locals went strong up to the sixth. In the fourth they were leading 2 to 0. Bridgeburg counted in the fifth, and the locals were blanked. In the sixth inning, the visitors began to nick Meyers' offerings more freely, which, coupled with errors, netted them three runs. This inning virtually spelt disaster for the home crew. Marshall replaced Meyers in the eighth, and held Bridgeburg hitless, although two runs were scored in the eighth.

There was a magnificent setting for a home-town victory Saturday. The crowd was by far the largest of the season, numbering close to 2,500. The citizens' band headed a parade to Victoria park, but the celebration aspect was premature. Although defeated, the locals have covered themselves with glory this season, and their triumphal march into the third round of the semi-finals has developed an interest that should mean better things for next season.

The box score:

Ingersoll—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Weir, cf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Henderson, c.	4	1	0	8	4	0
Pascoe, ss.	4	0	0	1	5	2
Meyers, p. rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, 2b.	4	1	1	2	1	0
Marshall, rf. p.	4	0	2	2	0	1
Sherwin, 3b.	4	0	2	1	2	1
Hovey, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Daniels, lf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
xJ. Shewin	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	27	10	4

x—Batted for Hovey in ninth.

Bridgeburg—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brown, 2b.	5	1	1	5	2	2
Hall, c.	5	0	1	9	2	1
Young, 3b.	5	1	3	3	2	0
Russell, lf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Atwood, cf.	4	2	0	0	0	0
Towers, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Houck, 3b.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Graham, 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	1
Benner, p.	4	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	38	6	8	27	11	4

Score by innings:

Bridgeburg	000 013 020—6
Ingersoll	100 100 000—2

Summary: Stolen bases—Henderson. Two-base hit—Towers, Graham. Struck out—By Benner 10, by Meyers 8, by Marshall 4. Bases on balls—Off Benner 1. Hit by pitcher—By Benner 1 (Weir). Sacrifice hit—Houck. Innings pitched—By Meyers, 7 1-3, by Marshall, 1 2-3.

Umpires—Kress, Galt, on bases; Kennedy, Woodstock, plate.

MANUFACTURERS BEAT STRATFORD INDIANS 17-11

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Sept. 20.—In the first of a three-game series to decide the championship of the Dufferin park senior baseball league, the Manufacturers sprang a surprise here Saturday when they trounced the Indians, 17 to 11. The Indians, composed of Stratford's senior O. H. A. players, finished the regular season in first place. The Manufacturers finished third, but in the play-offs eliminated the Apprentices, who finished second.

Despite the fact that they went into the fray minus Remi Durand, their heaving star, who brought them from last place to third in five weeks, winning all but one game, the Manufacturers were full of fight. Durand is now attending St. Peter's Seminary, London, and was unable to come here for the game.

Score by ininngs:

Manufacturers	202 100 273—17
Indians	330 102 002—11

Batteries — Robertson, Burling and Norfolk; Elliott, Fox and Griffin.

Umpires—McKenzie and Miller.

VIC FOLEY DEFENDS TITLE AGAINST BILLY MASCOT

Canadian Press Despatch.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 19. — Vic Foley of Vancouver, Canadian bantamweight, successfully defended his title against Billy Mascot of Portland last night by scoring a technical knockout in the seventh round of a scheduled ten-round bout. Mascot's seconds threw up the sponge to save their man further punishment.

GRIEVES IS LEADING WOODSTOCK BATTER

Oxford Club Closes Most Successful Season Since Organization.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, Sept. 20.—With its closing match at Stratford yesterday, the Oxford cricket club closed the most successful season it has had since its organization four years ago. During the season, 17 games were played, of which 9 were won, 6 lost and 2 drawn. The following are the club averages for the season, including both league and first-class exhibition games. The club prizes for bowling, batting and fielding will be based only upon league matches.

Bowling.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Ave.
Brown	16.3	4	341	8	4.25
Grieves	92	21	182	39	4.66
Tilford	149.1	23	343	69	4.97
Harrington	27.5	4	73	11	7.09
Newell	14	0	41	5	8.20

Batting.

	Inn.	H.O.	T.R.	H.S.	Ave.
Grieves	19	1	133	39	9.39
Harrington	12	1	94	25	8.55
Ransome	18	3	107	49	7.17
Jackson	11	1	70	34	7.00
Hood	13	1	66	15	5.50
Lownsbrough	9	0	49	17	5.33
Morton	17	1	31	23	5.20
Tilford	18	6	69	17	4.92
Thompson	8	0	38	14	4.75
Newell	7	0	28	11	4.00
Nurcombe	17	1	60	21	3.85
Peel	19	1	69	15	3.83
Mountney	12	1	38	11	3.45
Brown	6	0	17	11	2.83

Catches.

Harrington 9, Nurcombe 9, Hood 8, Tilford 7, Clowes 3, Peel 7, Jackson 6, Grieves 5, Ransome 3, Lownsbrough 3, Newell 2, Brown, Mountney, Riste and Thompson 1 each.

SOCCER CLUB DENIES SMUGGLING CHARGE

Officials of New York Giants Football Club Deny Attempt To Break Immigration Law.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Sept. 19.—Officials of the New York Giants soccer football club deny complicity in an alleged attempt to smuggle four Montreal players across the border, in defiance of the United States immigration laws. Harry Desrochers, described as manager of the soccer Giants, is reported to be held at the border on this charge.

The quartet of Montrealers, McKenzie Martyn, Robert Campbell, William Campbell and Patrick McKiernan, according to a report printed by the New York World today, were detained at Plattsburg by immigration officials, and Desrochers, who was driving the car in which they were travelling, was arrested on charges of violating the immigration laws.

SARNIA SENIOR WOSSA HOPES RUN HIGH AGAIN

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, Sept. 20.—Despite the loss of Brown, Vanhorne, Kennedy, Hillman, Ewener and other stars of last year's team, the Sarnia collegiate seniors, several times W.O.S.S.A. football champions, are taking on the appearance of being a formidable squad for the coming season. Several of last year's juniors look like certain starters this season. Southern, on the half line, and Doc Strain, the speedster of the juniors, last season, look good. Strain is trying for an end for the half line. He is about the fastest man on the squad, his only drawback being lack of weight.

REDS ARE BLANKED 3 TO 0 BY PHILLIES

Giants Beat Cubs 6-2 in Farewell Game in Chicago.

Associated Press Despatch.

Cincinnati, Sept. 20 — Philadelphia closed its season at Redland field today by winning the last game, 3 to 0, against the Reds. The locals got only three hits off Carlson.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	200 000 001	3	9	0
Cincinnati	000 000 000	0	3	3

Carlson and Wilson; Luque and Hargrave.

GIANTS BEAT SOX.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—New York bade farewell to Chicago today after taking two of the three-game series, the final game by 5 to 2. The batting of Meusel was a big factor in the Giant victory. He cracked out four hits in five times up, one of the blows being a homer and another a two-base hit, which sent two runs home.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
New York	110 000 310	6	15	1
Chicago	000 002 000	2	11	1

Fitzsimmons and Snyder; Bush, Jones and Gonzales.

CARDS WIN AGAIN.

Associated Press Despatch.

St. Louis, Sept. 20.—The Cardinals made a clean sweep of the series with Brooklyn, and firmly entrenched themselves in fourth place by winning today's game, 8 to 4. Duster Mails twirled the victory, which was easy, the Cardinals leading all the way.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	000 020 200	4	8	3
St. Louis	210 310 01x	8	13	0

Petty, Cantrell, Brown, Osborne and Hargraves; Mails and Warwick.

TORONTO JUVENILES DEFEAT GUELPH 4-3

First Game of Finals For Ontario Title Is Great Battle.

Special to The Advertiser.

Guelph, Sept. 20.—Guelph Nationals and Toronto McCormicks battled ten innings before the Toronto lads won a 4 to 3 verdict in the first of the juvenile O. B. A. A. finals here Saturday.

After trailing McCormicks by two runs the Guelph team opened a sensational rally in the ninth and threatened to grab a last-minute victory, but with the score tied and only one batter out, Howie settled down and retired the side before any further damage resulted. The game which was a pitching duel between Howie and Forrester, was one of the snappiest juvenile engagements seen in Guelph in years, and there was little to choose between the two outfits. Toronto took the lead by shoving across the first run in the second and added two more by playing a bunting game in the fifth, but after that they were able to do little with the offerings of Forrester until the tenth, when with two men out and Braithwaite on third, O'Donnell hit to Kostal, the Guelph shortstop making a bad throw to first and allowing Braithwaite to romp home with the winning counter.

Reinhart and Kostal were the leading hitters for Guelph, while Cooney was the only Toronto player to get more than one safety off Forrester.

The return game will be played at Toronto Saturday.

The box score:

Toronto—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Braithwaite, c.f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Baker, 3b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Jennings, l.f.	4	1	1	3	0	0
O'Donnell, 2b.	5	0	1	6	2	0
Nicholls, c.f.	4	0	0	3	1	0
Benson, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paul, r.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Cooney, s.s.	4	0	2	3	2	1
Jardine, 1b.	4	0	1	9	0	2
Howie, p.	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	38	4	8	29	9	3

Guelph—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Green, 2b.	5	0	0	1	4	0
McGee, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Rough, l.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reinhart, c.f.	5	0	2	2	0	0
Forrester, p.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Cain, r.f.	5	0	0	0	0	0
Lemont, 3b.	4	1	1	0	2	0
Kostal, s.s.	4	1	2	2	3	2
Gray, c.	3	0	1	9	2	0
Fox, 1b.	4	0	1	15	1	1
Totals	39	3	8	30	16	4

Score by innings:

		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	010 020 000 1—4	8	3	
Guelph	000 001 002 0—3	8	4	

Summary: Two-base hit—Howie. Stolen bases—McGee, Forrester 2, Lamont, Kostal 2. Sacrifice flies—Nicholls, Gray. Struck out—By Howie 2, by Forrester 6. Bases on balls—Off Howie 1. Hit by pitcher—By Forrester (Jennings, Baker). Double plays—Kostal to Green to Fox. Passed ball—Gray. Balk—Howie. Left on bases—Toronto 6, Guelph 8. Umpire—Oliver, Galt. Time of game—2 hours.

Catcher Bengough and First Baseman Gehrig, chasing a foul from the bat of Pitcher Zahniser of the Red Sox recently, got their hands on it at the same time and the ball wasn't dropped. Bengough's mitt being the larger, he got credit for the putout.

For the first time in his long baseball career, John "Shano" Collins, former White Sox and Red Sox outfielder and pinch hitter, now Pittsfield, Mass., manager, was given the "gate" by an umpire. That occurred in a game against Hartford, Aug. 27. The fans became so aroused that Umpire Breslin and his partner, Summers, required protection as they left the field.

LONDON SENIORS TURN BACK FALLS IN FIRST COMBAT 5-3

Bova's Wildness in Opening Frame Set Stage For Locals' Fortunate Lead.

LOCALS SNAPPY

The London seniors took another step toward the senior provincial finals by defeating Niagara Falls' nine at Tecumseh park Saturday, by a score of 5 to 3. The general impression was this would be but a short step, but the locals had to wear their seven-league boots to step over the Niagara Falls representatives, who not only overcame a faltering start, but steadied down and played nearly as smart baseball as the locals.

A big crowd saw the combat, and when the locals grabbed a three-run lead in the first inning, settled down to see some long and lusty swatting with perhaps a burlesque finish. Up until the sixth inning the visitors were hitting with abandon if not timeliness, but as their defensive work grew more polished, their offensive fell off and Down was able to hold them to one lone hit in the last four innings.

Bova started off poorly with the muscle-bound delivery and offerings that looked like a football coming up to the plate. He kept making the ball look smaller and increasing the speed and allowed the Londoners but four scattered hits in the last four innings.

Good Defensive.

The teams both played nice defensive ball, but two errors being credited, and neither of these figured in any of the tallying. The London infield perhaps made the more spectacular plays, one after another of the inner works providing thrills. Armstrong at the danger sack, accepted eight chances without a slip and at least three of them were hard ones in which he had to play the ball perfectly and then cut the runner down with a perfect throw.

On the day's play the locals seemed to have a little edge at every point on the field, and the fans have every confidence that they'll be in the finals by Wednesday.

Frankie Ward, sterling little shortstop of the local team, was presented with a travelling bag just before the start of the game by K. of C. admirers. Ed. Ryan, grand knight of the London council, made the address, while the fans applauded this tribute to the player whom, it is claimed by many, is largely to be credited with the reversal of form shown by the Londoners in their last dash for honors.

The Niagara Falls team confirmed the reports of their hitting power by slamming Down for two clean singles in the first frame, but Hank got through scathless.

Bova's wildness in the first inning probably cost the Falls crew a chance at going into overtime as the game turned out. He walked both Isaacs and Armstrong. Reilly dumped a single into center field, scoring Isaacs, and Doherty's line single to left swept two more runs over. Silverstein forced Doherty but was picked off at second attempting to steal, and McWaine grounded out to the box.

Falls Come Back.

Singles by Preston, Arscott and Whalen all in succession counted in Niagara Falls' one run in their half. Arscott being nabbed going into the plate on Filmore's perfect peg after Whalen's single had bounced over Silverstein's head.

Ward opened the second with a slice toward third, on which he got a safety. Down singled to center, and Armstrong counted in Ward with a double to left.

The Falls team showed good defensive ability in the next three rounds, and refused to be stampede, though the Londoners got two men down to second on raids, and in the fifth Doherty, after singling, went to third on a sacrifice and infield out, but languished there for lack of a hit.

In the Falls' fifth a walk proved the start of trouble. Armstrong had retired Newton on a nice play and bullet-like peg, and then C. Heximer was handed Down's first and only free pass of the game. Cherrie forced Heximer at second. Ward's both feet slipped out from in under him as he came in for the smash, but, sitting down, he fielded the ball and whipped a fast toss over to the bag. Cherrie segred when Geisenhoff crashed a triple far out over Silverstein's head, and was himself tallied in a moment later when Armstrong only succeeded in knocking down D. Heximer's stinging drive. D. Heximer went to second on a passed ball, and he was the last Falls man to reach that station, except Cherrie when he die doubled past third in the seventh for the only blow the visitors got from here on.

Reilly opened the seventh with a single, which proved to be the Londoners' only real bid to fatten up their one-run lead. Doherty laid down a nice sacrifice, and Silverstein was walked. McWaine forced him at second. Reilly taking third. On a delayed double steal, Reilly did not start for the plate until Newton was stroking the ball and about to return it to Bova, and his move seemed to freeze up the visiting infield. He was almost home before the throw was on its way.

The box-score:

Niagara Falls.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Newton, 2b.	5	0	0	3	4	0
C. Heximer, c.f.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Cherrie, c.	4	1	2	5	1	0
Geisenhoff, 1b.	4	1	2	9	1	0
D. Heximer, s.s.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Preston, r.f.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Arscott, l.f.	4	0	1	1	0	1
Whalen, 3b.	4	0	1	0	2	0
Bova, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	36	3	9	24	12	1

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