

AMERICAN GIANTS DEFEAT THE MEMPHIS RED SOX 3 GAMES IN ROW: LOSE AT BIRMINGHAM

MEMPHIS, TENN., June 21. — The American Giants of Chicago eked out a 3 to 2 victory over the Memphis Red Sox in a pretty hurling duel in which the youthful Powell bested the veteran Bell.

The latter allowing ten hits, while the former could only be reached for five safeties. The visitors bunched five bingles in the fourth stanza for a two-run lead. But could do little with Bell. Offerings thereafter until the ninth frame when a muffed fly and two singles gave them the winning tally.

Memphis tied the count in the eighth when "Cuccoo" Dials slammed one of Powell's twisters against the fence in right-center and by some fast stepping beat the relay to the plate for a home run.

Thompson of the visitors and Owens of the home club were the defensive stars of the game, while Dials and Jim Brown led their respective club with the willow.



Bell

GIANTS				MEMPHIS				
	AB.	R.	H.P.		AB.	R.	H.P.	
Gardner cf.	4	1	1	2	Ward rf.	3	0	0
Russ c.	4	1	1	5	Green lb.	3	1	1
W. Davis rf.	4	0	1	1	Brown c.	2	0	0
Thompson lf.	4	1	1	4	Rogers lf.	3	0	0
J. Brown lb.	4	0	3	6	Lowe 3b.	3	0	1
Williams ss.	4	0	1	4	Owens ss.	4	0	0
Jeffries 2b.	4	0	1	0	Laurent 2b.	3	0	0
S. Davis 2b.	2	0	0	2	Dials cf.	3	1	3
Powell p.	3	0	1	0	Bell p.	3	0	0
Totals...	33	5	10	27	Totals...	27	2	5

American Giants 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1-3
Memphis 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0-2

Two-base hits—Dials, J. Brown. Home runs—Dials. Double plays—Laurent to Green; Russ to Williams. Innings pitched—By Powell, 9 with 2 runs, 5 hits; by Bell, 9 with 3 runs, 10 hits. Bases on balls—Off Powell, 5. Struck out—By Powell, 7; by Bell, 3.

Memphis, Tenn., June 22.—In a weird slugging match that lasted two hours and 15 minutes the American Giants sent the Red Sox down in defeat by the score of 11 to 9 at Lewis park.

The Giants broke the ice in the initial round when they jumped on Boone's offerings to score two runs. But the Sox came back in their half with a five-run rally that drove Gay to the shower. From this point the battle rocked along smoothly until the fatal eighth when the Chicagoans piled up seven tallies off Boone and Dean.

Memphis counted four times in their half of the eighth to give the visitors a scare and might have tied the count but for some lop-sided base running.

The Sox presented a revamped line-up due to the injury of Ward. Green going to right field and Glass attempting to play the initial sack to the discontent of the Red Sox patrons.

Seven heavens saw service during the combat, the Giants using four and the Sox three. Gardner of the Giants furnished the fielding feature of the game when he raced back against the fence in right-center to take Glass' long fly that would have gone for a triple.

GIANTS				MEMPHIS				
	AB.	R.	H.P.		AB.	R.	H.P.	
Gardner cf.	5	2	2	4	Green rf.	4	1	3
Russ c.	5	1	2	7	Glass lb.	5	1	1
W. Davis rf.	4	1	1	2	Brown c.	3	1	2
Thompson lf.	4	0	0	2	Rogers lf.	4	2	1
J. Brown lb.	5	2	2	3	Lowe 3b.	5	1	1
Williams ss.	5	2	2	3	Owens ss.	4	2	2
Jeffries 2b.	4	1	1	0	Laurent 2b.	4	0	3
S. Davis 2b.	5	1	1	0	Dials cf.	4	1	1
Gay p.	0	0	0	0	Boone p.	3	0	1
Marshall p.	2	0	2	0	Dean p.	1	0	0
Murray c.	1	1	1	0	Bell p.	0	0	0
Foster p.	0	0	0	0				
Holsey p.	1	0	0	0				
Totals	41	11	14	27	Totals	37	9	15

American Giants 2 0 0 1 0 0 1 7 0-11
Memphis 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0-9

Two-base hits—Gardner, Rogers, Dials. Three-base hits—Russ, Glass. Home run—J. Brown. Double plays—Williams to Brown; Davis to Williams to Brown. Innings pitched—By Gay, 0 with 4 runs, 4 hits; by Marshall, 7 with 0 runs, 6 hits; by Foster, 0 with 2 runs, 1 hit; by Holsey, 2 with 3 runs, 4 hits; by Boone, 7 with 5 runs, 7 hits; by Dean, 1 with 6 runs, 7 hits; by Bell, 1 with 0 runs, 0 hits. Bases on balls—off Boone, 2; off Marshall, 1; off Holsey, 1. Struck out—By Marshall, 2; by Bell, 1; by Boone, 2.

Memphis, Tenn., June 23. — The American Giants made it three games out of four by splitting a double-header with the Red Sox, thereby capping the series.

The Chicago outfit won the first game by the score of 3 to 2. The Red Sox were completely at the mercy of Foster, who fanned ten and held the locals to five scattered bingles. Dean of Memphis also pitched a good game, but bunched hits resulted in his downfall. Gardner, Chicago center gardener, starred afield and at bat. J. Brown, Williams and Lowe also batted well, each tangling out two hits.

Chicago was first to score when Gardner scored on W. Davis' sacrifice fly. In the third, Memphis pushed across two scores, due to hits by Dials and Brown, a base on balls and an error. The visitors came back strong in the fourth and made two tallies, due to sacrifice hits by Williams and Thompson and singles by J. Brown and W. Davis. In the eighth, singles by Brown and Williams along with a sacrifice by S. Davis resulted in a score and put the game on ice for the American Giants.

GIANTS				MEMPHIS			
	AB.	R.	H.P.		AB.	R.	H.P.
Gardner cf.	3	1	2	Green lb.	2	1	0
Russ c.	3	0	0	Olsen 2b.	3	0	0
W. Davis rf.	4	1	1	Brown c.	4	0	1
Thompson lf.	3	0	0	Rogers rf.	3	0	1
J. Brown lb.	4	1	2	Owens ss.	3	0	0
Williams ss.	3	0	2	Lowe 3b.	4	0	2
Jeffries 2b.	4	0	1	Laurent cf.	4	0	0
S. Davis 2b.	3	0	0	Dials lf.	3	1	1
Foster p.	3	0	0	Dean p.	4	0	0
Murray c.	2	0	1	Ward lf.	1	0	0
Totals	32	3	9	Totals	31	2	5

American Giants 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0-3
Memphis 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-2

Two-base hit—L. Brown. Stolen base—Gardner. Double plays—Foster to J. Brown. Innings pitched—By Foster, 9 with 2 runs, 5 hits; by Dean, 9 with 3 runs, 9 hits. Bases on balls—off Foster, 3; off Dean, 2. Struck out—By Foster, 10; by Dean, 4.

The nightcap was a pitching duel between Glass and Marshall, with Glass yielding only three hits, two of which were smashed out by Russ, who got a homer and a triple. The Red Sox won the game in the third, due to a base on balls to Green and Rogers and successive singles by

Owens and Lowe. The final score was 3 to 2 in favor of Memphis.

SECOND GAME									
GIANTS					MEMPHIS				
	AB.	R.	H.	P.		AB.	R.	H.	P.
Gardner cf.	3	1	0	2	Green lb.	1	1	0	0
Russ c.	3	1	2	2	Ward 2b.	2	0	0	2
W. Davis rf.	3	0	0	1	L. Brown c.	2	0	1	3
Thompson lf.	3	0	0	0	O Rogers rf.	2	1	0	1
J. Brown lb.	2	0	0	0	O Owens ss.	2	1	2	2
Williams ss.	3	0	1	1	Lowe 3b.	3	0	1	3
Jeffries 2b.	1	0	0	0	Laurent 2b.	3	0	1	2
S. Davis 2b.	2	0	0	3	Dials cf.	1	0	0	2
Gay p.	0	0	0	0	Glass p.	2	0	0	0
Marshall p.	2	0	0	0					
Murray c.	1	0	0	0					
Totals	23	2	3	18	Totals	19	3	5	21

American Giants 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-3
Memphis 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0-3

Two-base hit—Laurent. Three-base hit—Russ. Home run—Russ. Double play—Davis to J. Brown. Stolen base—Green. Bases on balls—off Marshall, 4; off Glass, 1. Struck out—By Glass, 1; by Marshall, 1.