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All-Stars Drop Close

North Lawrence Stars Defeat University Team in a Thriller

One, 5-6

By Dave Shirk

Doctor Allen's all-stars made up of members of the Summer Session softball league lost a tough game Thursday night to the North Lawrence all-star team by a score of 5 to 6, the winning run being made in the last half of the extra inning by Clarence Douglass, K. U.'s candidate for All-American fullback in 1937, when he clouted one out of the park for a home run.

The capacity crowd witnessed one of the most exciting games that has been played in the Woodlawn park this year, and when the game was over everybody gave both teams a great hand in their appreciation of a real combat.

The Summer Session all-stars drew first bats and went down in a 1-2-3 order, all being thrown out at first. The North Lawrence team followed the school boys in the same fashion, all flying out. In the first half of the second inning Emch went down swinging, bringing up Olander, who got a base on balls. Barker followed Olander, only to strike out to Harwood's fast pitching.

Wilkerson Scores Two

With two outs Senter got on first by a walk, advancing Olander to second. Casida followed Senter. He also drew a charity base. Joe Wilkerson came to bat with bases loaded to knock a hot one, which was called an error on the North Lawrence team, and brought in two runs to put Allen's team in the lead by a count of 2 to nothing. After scoring two runs Casida tried to reach home on a wild pitch only to be tagged out to retire the sides.

In the last of the second we find the North Lawrence boys going down in 1-2-3 order, all flying out to the infield. The third inning we find no change in score. Allen got on first by a walk and Keeler sacrificed to advance Allen to second. With one down and Bobby Allen on second Hayes and Johnny Hocesvar popped to Higgins on third and Douglass on first to retire the side.

In the last of the third Maiden of the North Lawrence league scored one run to set the count 2-1 in favor of Allen's boys. Both teams went down in the fourth without a change in the score. In the first of the fifth the University boys retired without a run. The North Lawrence team cut loose in the last of the fifth to take the lead by scoring 3 runs, which gave them the advantage by a score of 4 to 2.

Home Run Ties Game

The sixth inning both teams went down in the 1-2-3 order, leaving the score 4 to 2 in favor of the North Lawrence team which began to look like the final score in the first of the seventh, when the school boys had two men on, with two down. But to the surprise of the opponents and the fans Joe Wilderson placed the ball out of the park for a home run scoring three runs to give the Session team the lead by a score of 5 to 4. The North Lawrence team wouldn't give up, so in the last of the seventh Gufler, the catcher, for the North Lawrence team, scored a run to tie

the count and send the game into an extra inning.

In the first half of the extra inning the University all-stars were held scoreless. When the North Lawrence team came to bat we find Clarence Douglass as first batter (batting over .600 in the North Lawrence league) to face Hocesvar. On the first pitched ball "Doug" contacted it for a long, high, center field drive for a four-bagger to end the game with the final count of 5 to 6.

The battery for the North Lawrence team was Harwood and Gufler. For Doctor Allen's stars we have Johnny Hocesvar and Joe Wilkerson pitching, and Senter doing duty behind the plate.

The box score:

K. U. ALL-STARS (5)

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Keeler, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reade, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hayes, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Emch, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Olander, lf	4	1	0	4	0	0
Barker, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Senter, c	2	2	0	3	0	0
Casida, rs	2	1	1	2	0	0
Wilkerson, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Hocesvar, p	2	0	0	0	2	0

Totals 31 5 2*21 10 1

*No outs when winning run scored.

NO. LAWRENCE ALL-STARS (6)

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gufler, c	2	2	1	6	0	0
Ireland, rs	4	0	2	1	0	0
Evans, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Stoland, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Douglass, 1b	4	1	1	7	0	1
Higgins, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	0
McClure, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	1
W. Harwood, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
N. Harwood, 2b	1	2	0	2	3	0
Maiden, ss	1	2	0	2	3	0
Boggs, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Combest, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0

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