June 16, 1886

Intoxicated & Blacklisted

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Atlanta Atlantas center fielder Henry Moore is blacklisted by the Southern (B) Association after he is accused by Atlanta manager Blondie Purcell of being intoxicated during a game with the Chattanooga Lookouts.

Moore strikes out every time he comes to bat and makes several misplays in the field. In the seventh inning, Purcell reprimands Moore for his play where the inebriated one leaves the field and announces he is quitting the game.

Moore's departure leaves the Atlantas with only eight men in the field and Chattanooga manager Charlie Levis demands that Moore come back and finish the game, which he refuses to do. Umpire Brennan then orders Purcell to replace Moore in the field which he does with Jim Conway. Levis protests the appearance of Conway, so Purcell removes his substitute and says he will finish the game with only eight players.

Levis then protests Atlanta's playing with only eight players but Brennan settles matters by ordering the game to be continued with eight Atlantas in the field. Levis decides to protest the game, which is later denied by league officials.

ATLANTA—	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cline, ss	3	3	1	0	1
Purcell, l. f.	3	3	1	0	0
Lyons, 3b	0	2	0	2	0
Moore, c. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Lynch, 1b	2	2	7	0	1
Stricker, 2b	3	3	1	1	0
Williams, r. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Gunson, c	1	1	8	0	1
Shaffer, p	1	1	2	4	0
Total	12	15	21	7	3
CHATTANOOGA—	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Graham, c f	0	0	1	0	0
Dickerson l f	0	0	0	0	0
Cross, s. s.	0	1	2	3	1
Kent, r. f.	0	0	1	0	1
Cullin, 3b	1	0	1	0	1
Arundel, c	1	1	7	1	0
Levis, 1b	0	0	5	0	0
Peak, 2b	0	0	3	6	1
Shreve, p	0	0	1	2	0
Total	2	2	21	11	4

The score of to-day's game by innings follows:

Atlanta............ 0 5 2 2 1 1 1—12
Chattanooga....... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0— 2

Summary: Earned runs—Atlanta, 6. Two-base hits—Purcell, 1; Lynch, 2; Stricker, 2. Home runs—Purcell, 2. Left on bases—Atlantas, 3; Chattanoogas, 4. Double plays—Cross, Peak and Levis. Struck out—By Shaffer, 8; Shreve, 7. Bases on called balls—By Shaffer, 2; Shreve, 1. Passed balls—Arundel, 1. Wild pitches—Shaffer, 2. Time of game—1 hour 51 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Brennan.