

Base Ball Games Played in Greater New York City Region. 1861-1864

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Acronyms:

Jr. (between team name and community) = junior club
1 (between team name and community) = first nine
2 (between team name and community) = second nine
M (between team name and community) = muffin nine

BDE = Brooklyn Daily Eagle
BE&KCD = Brooklyn Eagle, and Kings County Democrat
NDA = Newark Daily Advertiser
NYC = New York Clipper
NYDT = New-York Daily Times
NYH = New York Herald
NYMN = New York Morning News
NYSM = New York Sunday Mercury
NYT = New-York Times
PSOT = Porter's Spirit of the Times
SG = State Gazette [Trenton, N.J.]
SOT = The Spirit of the Times
TS = The True Sun
WSOT = Wilkes' Spirit of the Times

BBC = Base Ball Club
TBI = The Baseball Index

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Date of Game	City/Town Playing Field	Outcome	Sources
1861			
3 Apr (Wed)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	Lightweights Heavyweights (Star BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Base Ball Season,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 78 (3 Apr 1861), p. 3, col. 1
13 Apr (Sat)	Bedford Enterprise grounds	Light Weights Heavy Weights (scheduled Enterprise BBC intra-club game)	(1) “City News and Gossip: Base Ball,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 86 (12 Apr 1861), p. 3, col. 1
9 May	Brooklyn Excelsior grounds at the foot of Court St.	Pearsall’s side 24 Young’s side 18 (Excelsior BBC intra-club game) (<i>WSOT</i> : “... a quite lively game, in which members of the Atlantic, Charter Oak, Star and Independent Clubs participated. The score below records only the names of nine players on a side, and of only five innings. Other players joined in as some left, and more innings were played, but it was only a regular game up to the close of five	(1) “Opening Day of the Excelsior Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] May 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (2) “Opening Day of the Excelsior Club,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 12 (25 May 1861), p. 180, col. 3

		innings.”)	
21 May (Tue)	Greenpoint, L.I. Manor House grounds	Liebenrood’s side 23 Brown’s side 15 (Eckford BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Eckford Base Ball Club,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 13 (1 Jun 1861), p. 196, col. 2
22 May (Wed)	Mattano grounds at the corner of 5th Ave. & Bergen St.	Niagara Jr. (Brooklyn) 32 Matano Jr. (Brooklyn) 9 (7 innings) (<i>NYC</i> : “There were some two or three hundred spectators on the ground, but the contest was not of a character to attract a large crowd.”) (<i>WSOT</i> : “Considerable interest was manifested in this trial, and a very fair audience gathered upon the grounds to witness it.” [organizational information follows box score])	(1) “Matano vs. Niagara,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Niagara vs. Mattano,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 13 (1 Jun 1861), p. 196, cols. 2-3
28 May (Tue)	Greenpoint, L.I. Eckford grounds at the Manor House	First Nine 28 The Field 21 (5 innings) (Eckford BBC intra-club game) (<i>WSOT</i> : “It was a game of “The Field” vs. the “First Nine,” the latter allowing their opponents six outs after two innings had been played.”)	(1) “Eckford Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford Base Ball Club,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3

30 May (Thu)	Irvington, N.J. Irvington grounds	Irvington (Irvington) 40 Baltic (Belleville, Essex County, N.J.) 26 (<i>WSOT</i> : “The Irvington Club was organized Oct. 8th, 1860; all new men at the game.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: [untitled paragraph],” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3
4 Jun (Tue)	Irvington, N.J.	Eureka (Newark) 28 Irvington (Irvington) 10	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eureka vs. Irvington,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: [untitled paragraph],” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 16 (22 Jun 1861), p. 245, col. 1
5 Jun (Wed)	Bedford Atlantic grounds	Eckford (Brooklyn) 52 Enterprise (Brooklyn) 19 (<i>WSOT</i> (2): “The Myrtle and Fulton Avenue cars carry passengers to the grounds for the trifling fare of five cents, leaving Fulton Ferry every few minutes.”) (<i>WSOT</i> (3): “Being the first important match of the season it was gratifying to observe so many spectators gathered to witness the sport, numbering as they did quite two thousand persons. / The Eckford Club is well known to base ball circles throughout the country	(1) “City News and Gossip: Base Ball,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 133 (6 Jun 1861), p. 3, col. 1 (2) “Base Ball: First Base Ball Match of the Season—Eckford vs. Enterprise,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 14 (8 Jun 1861), p. 213, col. 3 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford vs. Enterprise,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, cols. 2-3 (4) “Eckford vs. Enterprise—First Grand Match of the Season,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx]

	<p>as one of the best playing and most successful clubs ever formed. Although they have been many years organized, their contests have been a series of triumphs, and their reverses have been, like angels' visits, few and far between. As an illustration of this remark, it is only necessary to look at the club's splendid rosewood trophy case, containing some fifty balls, emblems of their prowess and skill. / The Enterprise Club was, until a season or two, in the ranks of the Junior associations, among whom they maintained a 'front seat' as a body of A 1 players. Since their <i>debut</i> as one of the Seniors they have won many gallant victories, and steadily added to their reputation. / ... / Of the Enterprise players, all done well at times in batting, but their fielding was far behind their standard of last season, and it plainly evinced a lack of practice. ... / ... At the conclusion of the game the Enterprise members generously entertained the Eckford Club with a collation at Wild's Hotel, which was arranged in a manner characteristic of that club's</p>	<p>(5) Peverelly, p. 74 [Eckford = 53 runs] (6) Wright, pp. 57 & 58</p>
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		reputation for hospitality.”)	
6 Jun (Thu)	South Brooklyn Gotham grounds at 14th St. & 3rd Ave.	Gotham Zouave (postponed, due to severe rain)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Postponements,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3
6 Jun (Thu)	Fordham, Westchester County	Active (NY) Rose Hill (Fordham) (postponed, due to severe rain)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Postponements,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3
7 Jun (Fri)	61st St.	Seventh Section Freshman 24 Sixth Section Introductory 4 (5 innings) (Free Academy intra-school game) (<i>WSOT</i> : “... a match ... between the Sixth Section Introductory and the Seventh Section Freshmen, the latter playing seven against the former’s full nine.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Base Ball at the Free Academy,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 16 (22 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3
8 Jun (Sat)	Hoboken	Eckford (Brooklyn) 18 Mutual (NY) 10	(1) Peverelly, p. 74 (2) Wright, pp. 57 & 57
13 Jun (Thu)	Fordham, Westchester County Rose Hill grounds	Active (NY) 40 Rose Hill (Fordham) 26 (<i>WSOT</i> : “At the conclusion of the game both clubs adjourned to the spacious dining hall of St. John’s College, where they participated in a bountiful collation, illustrating the	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Active of New York, vs. Rose Hill of Fordham,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 16 (22 Jun 1861), p. 245, col. 1

		hospitality of the members of the Rose Hill Club.”)	
15 Jun (Sat)	Mattano grounds on Gates Avenue	Niagara (Brooklyn) Mattano (Brooklyn) (scheduled return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Niagara vs. Mattano,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 15 (15 Jun 1861), p. 228, col. 3 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3
15 Jun (Sat)	Niagara grounds	Niagara 64 Pocahontas 11 (7 innings)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Niagara vs. Pocahontas,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 16 (22 Jun 1861), p. 245, col. 1
17 Jun (Mon)	?	Pearce’s side 37 Smith’s side 32 (Atlantic BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Atlantic Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx]
22 Jun (Sat)	Resolute grounds on Lee & Bedford avenues, near Rutledge St.	Resolute (Brooklyn) 23 Mystic (Yorktown) 12 (7 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : “The game was played ... in the presence of a large number of persons. ... the pitcher of the M.’s (Aury) was struck by a ball in the face in the third innings and was obliged to give up playing.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic vs. Resolute,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 17 (29 Jun 1861), p. 261, col. 3 (2) “Resolute of Brooklyn vs. Mystic of Yorkville,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx]

		(<i>NYC</i> : “The game was not a very interesting one, or very well played. ... There was no kind of order preserved around the scorer’s desk by the Resolutes, who were sadly negligent in this respect; but to make up for it they hospitably entertained their guests at the close of the game.”)	
26 Jun (Wed)	Hamilton grounds on the corner of Grand and Gates Ave.	Enterprise (Bedford) 38 Hamilton (Brooklyn) 27 (<i>WSOT</i> (1): “The Enterprise boys chafe a little from the defeat which they received from the Eckfords on the 5th inst., and they appear determined to regain any laurels which they may have lost on that occasion, although we do not deem they lost an iota of their fairly-won reputation in sustaining a reverse from such an organization as the Eckfords are admitted to possess.”) (<i>NYC</i> : “There were a large number of spectators on the ground, in spite of the ominous appearance of the weather, which foreboded a heavy rain; none fell, however, the afternoon turning out to be one very favorable for play.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Hamilton vs. Enterprise,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 16 (22 Jun 1861), p. 245, col. 2 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Hamilton,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, cols. 1-2 (4) “Hamilton vs. Enterprise,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Jul 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (5) Wright, p. 58 & 62

29 Jun (Sat)	Mount Vernon, Westchester County	Constellation (Mount Vernon) 27 Alpine (NY) 21	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Alpine of New York vs. Constellation of Mount Vernon," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col. 3
2 Jul (Tue)	Greenpoint Henry Eckford grounds	Henry Eckford (NY) 26 Jefferson (NY) 10 (<i>WSOT</i> (2): "The Jefferson Club was formed in 1858, under the presidency of Ex-Alderman George Starr, and is comprised principally of young men hailing from the Ninth Ward.") (<i>NYC</i> : "The day was quite an unpleasant one, owing to the prevalence of a cold north west wind, which not only rendered it disagreeable for the spectators, but entirely prevented the batting from being effective. ... The game was characterized by the most gentlemanly conduct on both sides, not a word of discontent or censure being uttered on either side.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 [date = June] (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Jefferson vs. Henry Eckford," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col. 2 (3) "Jefferson vs. Henry Eckford," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Jul 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx]
6 Jul (Sat)	Resolute grounds	Resolute Jr. (Brooklyn) 33 Active Jr. (NY) 13 (6 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : "The Actives have had the reputation of being the first of New	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Active, of New York, vs. Resolute, of Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 20 (20 Jul 1861), p. 307, col. 2

		<p>York Juniors, while we believe the Resolutes claim the same as regards Brooklyn; but, as far as we can judge, there are a number of junior clubs belonging to the Convention which can excel the samples of either club on Saturday last. The Actives were not at all active, nor were the Resolutes very determined; ... / We cannot refrain from noticing the utter apathy of the Actives after they found the game going against them—some smoking on the field and some sitting down. Such things are not very creditable to the club. / After the game, all hands retired to the house of the Resolutes, where a bountiful collation was served, to which the clubs did credit; after which the Actives marched to the boat, escorted by their friends, the Resolutes.”)</p>	
10 Jul (Wed)	Hoboken Gotham grounds at the Elysian Fields	<p>Eureka (Newark) 27 Enterprise (Brooklyn) 5 (home-and-home game) (NYC: “The third contest of a series of home and home games—the first two of which were played last season ... the Eureka succeeded in</p>	<p>(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 [date = 8 Jul] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col.</p>

	<p>obtaining a signal victory over the noted Enterprise club of Brooklyn; and it was a well deserved triumph, for never did a club strive more earnestly for success, or achieve it in a more skilful manner than did the Eureka on this occasion. ... The Enterprise club possesses, in the person of their pitcher [Earl], a player physically capable of making himself preminent in the position, but until he adds regularity of delivery, and capacity to control the direction of the ball thoroughly, to the power he possesses of pitching a swift ball, he need never hope to become a second Creighton. Merely swift pitching is "played out," speed alone is of no advantage unless accompanied with regular delivery and considerable twist to the ball, in which case it becomes very effective, otherwise a more moderate speed with these other requisites is far preferable. We were a little surprised to see such an experienced ball player as Mr. A. B. Taylor [of the Mutuals; umpire for this game] pass over the peculiar movement of Earl in</p>	<p>1 [date = 8 Jul] (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise, of Brooklyn, vs. Eureka, of Newark, N.J.," <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 4, no. 20 (20 Jul 1861), p. 307, cols. 1-2 (4) "Eureka of Newark vs. Enterprise of Brooklyn," <i>NYC</i>, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (5) Wright, p. 58</p>
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		<p>throwing to the bases, and decide it as 'no baulk.' According to our reading of the rule on the subject, a plainer baulk was never made than the movement of Earl in this match. True, he does not "draw back his hand," but he unquestionably 'moves with the apparent purpose and pretension of delivering the ball,' and then turns and throws it to the base, and if this does not constitute a baulk, we know not what does. Mr. Taylor was evidently in doubt on the subject, because once, when appealed to, he replies as before 'no baulk,' but added, <i>sotto voce</i>, 'unless all are baulks,' which they undoubtedly were. / The assemblage of spectators to witness this match was the most numerous of the season, ...")</p>	
11 Jul (Thu)	Mystic grounds at Hamilton Square	<p>Mystic (NY) 19 Resolute (Brooklyn) 16 (return game) (<i>WSOT</i>: "Of the large number of spectators on the grounds we were pleased to note so large a proportion of ladies.")</p>	<p>(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, of New York vs. Resolute, of Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 4, no. 20 (20 Jul 1861), p. 307, col. 3</p>

12 Jul (Fri)	Hoboken Elysian Fields	Mutual (NY) 36 Alpine (NY) 12	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 [date = June] (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Alpine," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 20 (20 Jul 1861), p. 307, col. 1 (3) Wright, p. 57
17 Jul (Wed)	Resolute grounds on Rutledge St. & Lee Ave.	Resolute 23 Niagara 13	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Resolute vs. Niagara," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 21 (27 Jul 1861), p. 323, col. 3, & p. 324, col. 1
19 Jul (Fri)	Brooklyn	Mystic (NY) 28 Free and Easy (Brooklyn) 10	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, of New York, vs. Free and Easy, of Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 21 (27 Jul 1861), p. 323, col. 3
22 Jul (Mon)	Hoboken Elysian Fields	Mutual (NY) 37 Alpine (NY) 15 (<i>WSOT</i> : "This is the second game of the Mutuals for the present season, The Alpines are one of the youngest of the Hoboken clubs, having only been in existence for some two years.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Alpine," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 23 (10 Aug 1861), p. 356, col. 2 (2) Wright, p. 57
23 Jul (Tue)	Greenpoint Manor House (<i>WSOT</i>)	Eagle (NY) 32 Eckford (Brooklyn) 23	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol.

	or Hoboken (<i>Peeverelly</i>)	(<i>WSOT</i> (3): “The trial attracted an audience of more than three thousand persons. ... / ... The game was remarkable for its unusual display of long and powerful batting on the part of each nine—there being seventeen home runs made during its continuance. The Eckfords credited themselves with eleven, and the Eagles with six, home runs.”)	4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col. 1 (1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Alpine,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 23 (10 Aug 1861), p. 356, col. 2 (3) <i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 27 & 74 (4) <i>Wright</i> , pp. 57 & 61
Sometime in July	Greenpoint Henry Eckford grounds at the terminus if the railroad	Henry Eckford 2 (NY) Eckford 2 (Brooklyn) (scheduled game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col. 1
5 Aug (Mon)	Newark, N.J. Newark grounds “beautifully located on a high piece of ground at the corner of High and Court streets, Newark; a fine view of the bay and the surrounding country	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 21 Newark (Newark) 11 (<i>NYC</i> : The game took place “in the presence of the largest concourse of people ever collected at a ball match in Newark. The weather was oppressively warm, although a refreshing shower had passed over the city about an hour before the	(1) “Base Ball: Newark vs. Atlantic,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 184 (6 Aug 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (2) “Atlantic, of Brooklyn, vs. Newark, of Newark,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Aug 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Atlantic, of Brooklyn, vs. Newark,

	being had from it.”	commencement of the game, but all it did was to lay the dust and make the ground good for play [MORE])	of Newark, N.J.,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 24 (17 Aug 1861), p. 372, col. 1 (4) Peverelly, p. 63 (5) Wright, pp. 58 & 60
7 Aug (Wed)	Hoboken Elysian Fields	Mutual (NY) 25 Gotham (NY) 22	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Gotham,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 24 (17 Aug 1861), p. 372, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, pp. 23 & 38 (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 62
7 Aug (Wed)	Putnam grounds at Lafayette Ave. & Broadway	Mystic (Yorkville) Constellation (Brooklyn, E.D.) (scheduled return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 23 (10 Aug 1861), p. 356, col. 2
13 Aug (Tue)	?	Chieftain 33 Underhill 13	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Chieftain vs. Underhill,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1
14 Aug (Wed)	Hoboken, N.J. Mutual grounds at the Elysian Fields	Empire (NY) 28 Henry Eckford 11	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Henry Eckford vs. Empire,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 2 (1) Peverelly, p. 30 [date = 1860] (2) Wright, p. 49 [date = 1860] & 61

14 Aug (Wed)	Active grounds at the corner of Park Ave. & Hamilton St.	Star Jr. 20 Active Jr. 12	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Active," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 2
15 Aug (Thu)	?	Mutual (NY) 22 Empire (NY) 16	(1) Wright, pp. 57 & 61
15 Aug (Thu)	Harlem Harlem grounds at Mount Morris Square, 124th St. & 4th Ave.	Eckford (NY) 26 Harlem (NY) 16 (first game of a home-and-home match)	(1) D. J. McAuslan (Eckford secretary), "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Dear Spirit," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 24 (17 Aug 1861), p. 372, col. 1 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Harlem vs. Eckford," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, cols. 1-2 (3) Peverelly, p. 74 (4) Wright, p. 57
16 Aug (Fri)	Exercise grounds (<i>Peverelly</i>) or Bedford, L.I. Atlantic grounds (<i>NYC</i> & <i>WSOT</i>)	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 32 Exercise (Brooklyn) 17 (<i>NYC</i> : "a victory for the 'champions,' who played quite up to their usual mark. The Exercise nine were not in condition for play, inasmuch as they had been unable to practice on their grounds, owing to the recent raising of the grade of the streets on 5th ave. In addition to this, two of their players were in a measure disabled.")	(1) "Base Ball: Exercise vs. Atlantic," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 194 (17 Aug 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (2) "Atlantic vs. Exercise," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Aug 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Atlantic vs. Excelsior [<i>sic</i>]," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 (4) Peverelly, p. 63 (5) Wright, pp. 58 & 59

		(<i>WSOT</i> : The game “resulted in adding another victory to the overflowing roll of the Champions’ triumphs.”)	
17 Aug (Sat)	Hoboken Gotham grounds	Resolute Jr. (Brooklyn) 18 Mystic Jr. (Yorkville) 17 (home-and-home game) (<i>WSOT</i> : “The game attracted a great deal of attention, as each club had won one of the previous games, and they are looked upon as the champions of the junior organizations of their respective cities. / ... / We think this game ought to have been called at the termination of the eighth innings, as the ninth was played when it was too dark for the outfielders of the Mystics to perform any duty creditably to themselves or their clubs.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, of Yorkville, vs. Resolute, of Brooklyn,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1
20 Aug (Tue)	Hoboken, N.J. Gotham grounds at the Elysian Fields	Gotham (NY) 14 Enterprise (Brooklyn) 13 (BDE:	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 18 (6 Jul 1861), p. 276, col. 3 [date = Jul] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 19 (13 Jul 1861), p. 292, col. 1 [date = Jul]

			<p>(3) "Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Gotham," <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 197 (21 Aug 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(4) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Gotham, of New York vs. Enterprise, of Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 5, no. 1 (7 Sep 1861), p. 4, col. 2</p> <p>(5) Peverelly, p. 23</p> <p>(6) Wright, pp. 58 & 62</p>
20 Aug (Tue)	Newark, N.J.	Eckford (Williamsburgh) Newark (Newark) (scheduled first game of a home-and-home match)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1
22 Aug (Thu)	Bedford Atlantic grounds	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 36 Newark (Newark) 18 (return game) (<i>NYC</i> : "The return game ... took place ... in the presence of fully 4000 persons, it being the largest assemblage seen at a match this season. The result was a victory for the Atlantics, but it was not obtained as easily as was the other, although the Newark party was weaker than they were before. The game was well contested throughout, the Atlantics displaying some of their old style of batting.")	<p>(1) "Base Ball: Atlantic vs. Newark," <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 199 (23 Aug 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1</p> <p>(3) "Atlantic vs. Newark," <i>NYC</i>, vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Aug 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx]</p> <p>(4) Peverelly, p. 63 [date = 25 Aug]</p> <p>(5) Wright, pp. 58 [date = 25 Aug] & 60</p>

22 Aug (Thu)	Hoboken	Mutual (NY) 22 Empire (NY) 16 (first game of home-and-home match)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Empire," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 3 (2) Peverelly, pp. 30 & 38 [latter page says 23 runs for Mutual] (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 61
23 Aug (Fri)	Hoboken, N.J. Eagle grounds	Henry Eckford 25 Harlem 22 (home-and-home game; series standover from 1860)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Henry Eckford vs. Harlem," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 1 (7 Sep 1861), p. 4, col. 2
24 Aug (Sat)	?	Union (Morrisania) 21 Constellation 7	(1) Peverelly, p. 49
24 Aug (Sat)	Newark, N.J. Oration grounds	Benecia Boy Oration (Newark) (scheduled first game of a home-and-home match)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1
27 Aug (Tue)	Hoboken, N.J. Mutual grounds	Mutual (NY) 32 Jefferson (NY) 12 (scheduled first game of a home-and-home match)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3 [date = 29 Aug] (2) Peverelly, pp. 38 & 41 [latter page dates it 19 Aug] (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 60
28 Aug	Newark	Eckford (Williamsburg) 18	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball:

(Wed)	Newark grounds	Newark (Newark) 12	Matches to Be Played” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3 (3) Peverelly, p. 74 (4) Wright, pp. 57 & 60
29 Aug (Thu)	Putnam grounds at the corner of Lafayette Ave. & Broadway	Mystic (Yorkville) Constellation (Brooklyn, E.D.) (scheduled return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3
? Aug	?	Eureka (Newark) Excelsior (South Brooklyn) (scheduled game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3
? Aug	?	Hoboken Eureka (scheduled game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388,

			col. 1
2 Sep (Mon)	Hoboken, N.J. Elysian Fields	Jefferson (NY) 24 Empire (NY) 15	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Hamilton," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 3, & p. 37, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, pp. 30 & 41 [latter page dates it 20 Sep] [score: 25-15] (3) Wright, pp. 60 & 61 [score = 25-15]
3 Sep (Tue)	Hoboken, N.J. Elysian Fields	Mutual (NY) 18 Eagle (NY) 7	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual vs. Eagle," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 37, col. 1 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3 (3) Peverelly, pp. 27 & 38 (4) Wright, pp. 57 & 61
5 Sep (Thu)	Bedford, L.I. Atlantic grounds	Eckford (Williamsburg) 27 Exercise (Brooklyn) 20	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 [date: 4 Sep] (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3 [date: 4 Sep] (2) Peverelly, p. 74 (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 59

5 Sep (Thu)	?	Newark (Newark) 17 Adriatic (Newark) 14	(1) Wright, p. 60
10 Sep (Tue)	Bedford, L.I. Enterprise/Atlantic grounds	Enterprise (Brooklyn) 41 Hamilton (Brooklyn) 23 (return game) (<i>NYC</i> : “The Hamiltons were minus the services of three of their regular nine, and the Enterprise were short two of theirs, but the substitutes were excellent players.”)	(1) “Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Hamilton,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 215 (11 Sep 1861), p. 3, col. 1 (2) “Hamilton vs. Enterprise,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Sep 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Hamilton,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 3 (4) Wright, p. 58 & 62
11 Sep (Wed)	Hoboken, N.J.	Mutual (NY) Empire (NY) (scheduled return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3
13 Sep (Fri)	Newark	Eckford (Williamsburg) 11 Eureka (Newark) 9 (first game of a home-and-home match)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford, of Williamsburg vs. Eureka, of Newark, New Jersey,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 3 (2) Peverelly, p. 74 (3) Wright, p. 57
16 Sep	Bedford, L.I.	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 36	(1) “Base Ball: Atlantic vs.

(Mon)	Atlantic grounds	Exercise (Brooklyn) 14 (return game)	Newark," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 220 (17 Sep 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Atlantic vs. Exercise," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 67, col. 3 (3) Peverelly, p. 63 [date = 14 Sep] (4) Wright , pp. 58 & 59 [date = 14 Sep]
16 Sep (Mon)	Hoboken	Jefferson (NY) 17 Henry Eckford (Brooklyn) 10 (return game – 6 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 25 (24 Aug 1861), p. 388, col. 1 [date = Aug] (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Be Played," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 4, no. 26 (31 Aug 1861), p. 404, col. 3 [date = Aug] (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Jefferson vs. Henry Eckford," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 67, col. 3 (4) Peverelly, p. 41 [no score] (5) Wright, p. 60 [no score]
16 Sep (Mon)	Greenpoint Eckford grounds	Newark (Newark) 25 Eckford (NY) 24 (return game – 7 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford, of Brooklyn vs. Newark, of Newark, N.J.," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 67, col. 3 (2) Peverelly, p. 74 (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 60

18? Sep (Wed)	Greenpoint Oriental grounds	Resolute Jr. (Brooklyn) 26 Oriental Jr. (Greenpoint) 22	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Resolute, of Brooklyn, E.D., vs. Oriental, of Greenpoint," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 2
20 Sep (Fri)	Harlem	Harlem (NY) 41 Alpine (NY) 8	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Harlem vs. Alpine," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 67, col. 3
21 Sep (Sat) [post- poned from 18 Sep, due to weather]	Bedford Enterprise grounds	Enterprise (Brooklyn) 46 Brooklyn (Brooklyn) 12 (7 innings, due to darkness) (BDE:	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Brooklyn," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 220 (17 Sep 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Brooklyn," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 222 (19 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Brooklyn," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 225 (23 Sep 1861), p. 3, col. 2
21 Sep (Sat)	?	Alpine (NY) 33 Englewood (NJ) 11 ("fly game")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Alpine, of New York vs. Englewood, of New Jersey," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 3
23 Sep	Hoboken	Gotham (NY) & Mutual (NY)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball:

(Mon)	Mutual grounds at the Elysian Fields	["North Field" or "East Field"] 19 Eagle (NY) & Empire (NY) ["South Field" or "West Field"] 9 (8 innings)	Eagle and Empire vs. Mutual and Gotham," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 3 (21 Sep 1861), p. 36, col. 3 [date = 18 Sep] (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: East Field vs. West Field," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 3 (3) Peverelly, p. 27
23 Sep (Mon)	?	Exercise (Brooklyn) 20 Hamilton (Brooklyn) 16 (8 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Exercise vs. Hamilton," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 68, col. 1
24 Sep (Tue)	?	Jefferson (NY) 22 Eagle (NY) 18	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Jefferson vs. Eagle," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 2 (2) Peverelly, p. 27 & 41 [latter page dates it 21 Sep] (3) Wright, pp. 60 & 61
25 Sep (Wed)	Hoboken Mutual grounds at Elysian Fields	Mutual (NY) 33 Enterprise (Brooklyn) 21 [or 23] (<i>NYC</i> : "another triumph for the hitherto, this season, invincible Mutuals, who are bound only to suffer defeat at the hands of the 'Champions.' Both parties went into the contest short handed, the Enterprise having among their absentees, Start, Oddie, Earl and	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise of Brooklyn vs. Mutual of Hoboken," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 225 (23 Sep 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Matches To-morrow: Enterprise vs. Mutual," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 226 (24 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 6 (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise of Brooklyn vs. Mutual

		Smith, those of the Mutuels being Mott, Hunt, and Clancy.”) (BDE:	of Hoboken,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 228 (27 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (4) “Enterprise vs. Mutual,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Oct 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] [date: 26 Sep, score: ?-23] (5) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual, of New York vs. Enterprise, of Bedford,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 68, col. 1 (6) Peverelly, p. 38 (7) Wright, pp. 57 & 58
25 Sep (Wed)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	Olympic (South Brooklyn) 26 Star (Brooklyn) 15 (6 innings) (<i>BDE</i> (1): “This is the first match of the Star Club this season.”) (<i>BDE</i> (2): “If we do not labor under a mistake, Weeks, the [Star] catcher, is also a member of the Niagara Club, and played in the contest between that club and the Resolute club, in the same position. Probably they may not be same individuals.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Matches To-morrow: Olympic vs. Star,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 226 (24 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 6 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Olympic,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 229 (28 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (3) Wright, p. 59 [no date & score]
26 Sep (Thu)	?	Star (South Brooklyn) 32 Powhatan (South Brooklyn) 8	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Powhatan,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 230 (30 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 6

26 Sep (Thu)	?	Henry Eckford (NY) 18 Empire (NY) 9	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Empire vs. Henry Eckford," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 2 (2) Wright, p. 61
26 Sep (Thu)	Greenpoint Henry Eckford grounds	Mystic (NY) 27 Niagara (Brooklyn) 10 (7 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, of New York vs. Niagara, of Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 5 (5 Oct 1861), p. 68, col. 1
26 Sep (Thu)	?	Englewood 55 Fort Lee 11	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Fort Lee vs. Englewood," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 2
28 Sep (Sat)	?	Ravenswood 27 Picked Nine (Astoria) 11	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Ravenswood vs. Astoria (Picked Nine)," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 1
1 Oct (Tue)	Greenpoint	Eckford (NY) 27 Exercise (Newark) 12	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford vs. Exercise," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 84, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, p. 74 (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 59
1 Oct (Tue)	Morrisania Union grounds	Union (Morrisania) 25 Henry Eckford (NY) 10	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Union, of Morrisania, vs. Henry

			Eckford, of New York,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 84, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, p. 49
3 Oct (Thu)	Hoboken	Mutual (NY) 23 Atlantic (Brooklyn) 18 (first game of home-and-home match)	(1) “Base Ball: Exercise vs. Atlantic,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 194 (17 Aug 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual, of New York, vs. Atlantic, of Brooklyn,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 3 (3) Peverelly, pp. 38 & 63 (4) Wright , pp. 57 & 58
3 Oct (Thu)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	Star (Brooklyn) 9 Hamilton (Brooklyn) 6 (<i>BDE</i> (5): “This was one of the best played games of this or any other season, there never having been any game to surpass it except the one played by the Excelsiors and Unions last Fall, when the score stood 7 to 4. The general play of both Stars and Hamiltons reached a high degree of excellence, and we are glad to see the Stars redeem themselves in the manner that they have in this match and the one with the Powhattans, from the bad score they made with the Olympics, on	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 230 (30 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 231 (1 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 233 (3 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—Star vs. Hamilton,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 233 (3 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 6 (5) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball—

		which occasion they discovered that no club can reasonably expect to win a game, even from an inferior adversary, if they see fit to indulge in loose play.”)	Star vs. Hamilton,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 235 (5 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (6) “Star vs. Hamilton,” unidentified [NYC?] clipping in Mears Collection, vol. 4a (7) Wright, pp. 59 & 62 [no date or score]
3? Oct (Thu)	Harlem Mount Morris Square	Mystic (NY) 21 Unknown (Harlem) 9	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, New York, vs. Unknown, Harlem” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 1
4 Oct (Fri)	Greenpoint Eckford grounds	Enterprise (Brooklyn) 20 Eckford (Brooklyn) 19 (return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 230 (30 Sep 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 231 (1 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 233 (3 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise of Brooklyn vs. Eckford of Williamsburgh,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 233 (3 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 6 (5) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Eckford,” <i>BDE</i> , vol.

			<p>20, no. 235 (5 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(6) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Enterprise vs. Eckford,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 236 (7 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(7) “Enterprise vs. Eckford,” <i>NYC</i>, vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Oct 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] [states home-and-home game to be played on 16 Oct]</p> <p>(8) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford vs. Enterprise,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 5, no. 6 (12 Oct 1861), p. 83, col. 3</p> <p>(9) Wright, pp. 57 & 58</p>
5 Oct (Sat)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	<p>Star 2 (Brooklyn) 23 Olympic 2 (South Brooklyn) 19 (6 innings)</p> <p>(<i>BDE</i> (3): “We must beg leave to state that we hope both the Stars and Olympics can show better second nines than were on the field in this match, for there were only four of the Stars, Skaats, Forker, Morris and Gignoux, and five of the Olympics, Baldwin, Gilbert, Markham, Smith and Marvin, who could possibly have the slightest pretensions of being second nine players, in fact, the wonderful</p>	<p>(1) “Base Ball: Star vs. Olympic,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 234 (4 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 6</p> <p>(2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Olympic,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 236 (7 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Olympic,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 237 (8 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 4</p>

		muffin playing of the balance of the eighteen, made us have strong doubts in regard to being anything better than a first class muffin match. We had heard that both clubs could turn out good second nines, and we went on the ground expecting to witness a good game, but I am sorry to say we were disappointed.”)	
9? Oct (Wed)	?	Waverly 26 Constellation 23	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Constellation vs. Waverly,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 2
10 Oct (Thu)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	Star 2 (Brooklyn) 21 Hamilton 2 (Brooklyn) 16 (<i>BDE</i> (5): “The match between the first nines proved to be quite a closely contested game. What may the second nines not do?”) (<i>BDE</i> (7): “The game was a vast improvement on the one played by the Stars with the Olympics and might have passed for a first nine match. The Stars played with seven men until the fourth innings, and the Hamiltons with eight throughout the game: this we do not like to see, let every club that	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 235 (5 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 236 (7 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 237 (8 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 4 (4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 239 (10 Oct 1861), p. 2, col.

		pretends to play matches put on nine men from the start. The play of the Stars was good throughout the game, and we must say they have redeemed themselves completely. We don't think that there are many second nines that could win a ball from them. ... / The Star and Hamilton clubs must be composed entirely of good-natured men, for we never saw two clubs play together in such a jolly manner. Somebody must get up a fight when the play the return game on Saturday, the 19th inst., for such good behavior on the part of ball clubs is really oppressive.")	5 (5) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Hamilton," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 239 (10 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (6) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 240 (11 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (7) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Hamilton," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 (8) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Hamilton—Erratta," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1
10 Oct (Thu)	Harlem Woodlawn grounds at the corner of 6th Ave. & 124th St.	Exercise (Brooklyn) 23 Woodlawn (NY) 8 (7 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : "The Woodlawn is a new organization, having just been formed, and their roll contains the names of a number of experienced ball players, who have graduated from the ranks of the Harlems and Yorkvilles.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Woodlawn vs. Exercise," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 99, col. 3 & p. 100, col. 1 (2) Wright, p. 59 [date = 9 Oct]
10 Oct (Thu)	?	Mohawk (Brooklyn) 30 National (Brooklyn) 25	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Woodlawn vs. Exercise," <i>WSOT</i> ,

			vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 2
10 Oct (Thu)	Hoboken, N.J.	Constellation 19 Mystic (NY) 16 (home-and-home-game)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mystic, of New York vs. Constellation," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 2
12 Oct (Sat)	Putnam grounds at the corner of Broadway and Lafayette Ave.	Star (Brooklyn) 25 Brooklyn (Brooklyn) 4 (home-and-home game - 7 innings) (<i>BDE</i> (5): "We advise them [the Brooklyns] the next time they play a club like the Star, not to attempt to do so with eight men. / After the game the Brooklyns treated the Stars to a fine set out, at which we were pleased to notice the absence of any spirituous liquors, as we do not approve of closing a ball match with a carousal.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 239 (10 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 25 (2) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 240 (11 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (3) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Brooklyn vs. Star," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 240 (11 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (4) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 (5) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Brooklyn," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 (6) Wright, p. 59 [no date or score]
14 Oct (Mon)	Bedford Hamilton grounds at corner of Grand &	Hamilton (Brooklyn) 20 Star (Brooklyn) 11 (return game – 6 innings, due to	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 235 (5 Oct 1861), p. 3, col.

	Gates avenues	darkness)	<p>2</p> <p>(2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 236 (7 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 237 (8 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 4</p> <p>(4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 239 (10 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5</p> <p>(5) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 240 (11 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2</p> <p>(6) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1</p> <p>(7) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Hamilton,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1</p> <p>(8) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star vs. Hamilton,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 243 (15 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5</p> <p>(9) Wright, pp. 59 & 62 [no date or score]</p>
15 Oct	Hoboken	Eagle (NY) 30	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball:

(Tue)	Gotham grounds	Gotham (NY) 15 (<i>WSOT</i> : “These fine New York clubs played their first and second nines against each other, in accordance with their yearly practice, ...”)	Eagle vs. Gotham,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 8 (26 Oct 1861), p. 116, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, pp. 23 & 27 (3) Wright, pp. 61 & 62
15 Oct (Tue)	Hoboken Gotham grounds	Eagle 2 (NY) 32 Gotham 2 (NY) 27 (<i>WSOT</i> : [See above.])	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eagle vs. Gotham,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 8 (26 Oct 1861), p. 116, col. 1
15 Oct (Tue)	Greenpoint Henry Eckford grounds	Henry Eckford (NY) 32 Union (Morrisania) 19 (return game - 8 innings)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Henry Eckford, of New York, vs. Union, of Morrisania,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 8 (26 Oct 1861), p. 116, col. 2 (2) Peverelly, p. 49
16 Oct (Wed)	Bedford, L.I. Atlantic grounds	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 52 Mutual (NY) 27 (return game - 6 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : [lengthy account])	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mutual, of New York vs. Atlantic, of Brooklyn,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 8 (26 Oct 1861), p. 116, col. 2 (2) Peverelly, pp. 38 & 63 (3) Wright, pp. 57 & 58
17 Oct (Thu)	South Brooklyn Putnam grounds on Lafayette Ave. near Broadway	Enterprise (Brooklyn) 26 Eckford (Brooklyn) 23 [or 24] (home-and-home game) (<i>BDE</i> (6): “The Eckfords were minus the services of one of their	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 235 (5 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 [states home-and-home game to be played on 16 Oct]

		<p>first nine men—Manoit—and the Enterprise also lacked Murtha in the field.”)</p> <p>(<i>WSOT</i> (7): “The Eckfords have, for many years occupied a front rank position in base ball circles, and have ‘many a time and oft’ been marshaled to victory under the veteran Frank Pidgeon, who is now, as far as active duty is concerned, on the ‘retired list.’ If our space permitted, it would afford us pleasure to render a brief tribute to the enthusiastic and lively Frank, who has never been excelled on the base ball field as Captain of the nine. Long may he wave!”)</p> <p>(<i>NYC</i>: “Both parties were minus the services of some of their regular players, the Eckfords feeling the absence of Manoit considerably. But the substitutes did well, and the game was closely and ably contested on both sides.”)</p>	<p>(2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 236 (7 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 [states home-and-home game to be played on 16 Oct]</p> <p>(3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 [states home-and-home game to be played on 16 Oct]</p> <p>(4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 [states home-and-home game to be played on 16 Oct]</p> <p>(5) “Base Ball: Matches to Come Off,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5</p> <p>(6) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford vs. Enterprise—Enterprise Victorious,” <i>BDE</i>, vol. 20, no. 246 (18 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5</p> <p>(7) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford, of Williamsburgh, vs. Enterprise, of Bedford,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 99, col. 3 & p. 100, cols. 1-2</p> <p>(8) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eckford vs. Enterprise,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 5, no. 8 (26 Oct 1861), p. 116, col. 2</p>
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			(9) "Eckford vs. Enterprise," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. xx ([xx] Oct 1861), p. [xx], col. [xx] (10) Peverelly, p. 74 (11) Wright, pp. 57 & 58
Prior to 19 Oct	?	Active 30 Mount Vernon 12	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mount Vernon vs. Active," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 7 (19 Oct 1861), p. 100, col. 1
21 Oct (Mon)	Mutual grounds	Brooklyn 18 New York 6 ("The game for the silver ball" – 8 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : "The nine which represented New York was a weak one in many respects, in consequence of a portion of those who were originally named declining to play. Substitutes were, therefore, placed in the field, rather than disappoint the immense audience (numbering some eight thousand) which had gathered to witness the contest. The ball was won by the Atlantic Club (as they made the most runs), which organization has, for a long period, ranked as the Champion club.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: New York vs. Brooklyn," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 9 (2 Nov 1861), p. 133, col. 2

22 Oct (Tue)	?	Exercise (Brooklyn) 12 Hamilton (Brooklyn) 8	(1) Wright, pp. 59 & 62
23 Oct (Wed)	Active ground on Hamilton Square	Constellation Jr. (Brooklyn, E.D.) 12 Active Jr. (NY) 9 (return game – 5 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : "... the sixth innings was very nearly completed when the umpire was obliged to call the game. After it was concluded, the two clubs proceeded to the room of the Actives, and there spent an hour or two very pleasantly, singing, speaking and extracts from 'Romeo and Juliet' being the order of the evening, all of which wound up with nine hearty cheers, and each went their way home, feeling that they had spent a pleasant afternoon.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Constellation, of Brooklyn, E.D., vs. Active, of New York," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 9 (2 Nov 1861), p. 133, col. 2
23 Oct (Thu?)	Morrisania	Alpine (NY) 34 Constellation (Mount Vernon) 18 (<i>WSOT</i> : "The afternoon was cold and unpleasant, and not at all calculated for base ball pastime.")	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Alpine, of New York, vs. Constellation, of Mount Vernon," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 11 (16 Nov 1861), p. 164, col. 2
25 Oct (Fri)	Hamilton grounds	Picked Nine 27 Star 2 (Brooklyn) 25	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star Second Nine vs. Picked Nine," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 256 (30 Oct

			1861), p. 3, col. 2
26 Oct (Sat)	Star grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 12 Powhatan (Brooklyn) 5 (return game – 6 innings, due to darkness)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 243 (15 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball— Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 231 (21 Oct 1861), p. 2, col. 5 (4) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Powhattan vs. Star,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 256 (30 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 2 (5) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Powhatan vs. Star,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 10 (9 Nov 1861), p. 147, col. 3 (6) Wright, p. 59 [no date or score]
28 Oct (Mon)	Liberty grounds	Liberty (New Brunswick) 31 Atlantic (Brooklyn) 11 (3rd game of series begun in 1860) (<i>WSOT</i> : “The Atlantic’s were short of several of their first nine. Of the two games which were played during last season, the first played at New Brunswick was a ‘tie’; the second, at Bedford, was won by the	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Atlantic of Brooklyn vs. Liberty of New Brunswick, N.Y, [sic],” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 10 (9 Nov 1861), p. 147, col. 3 (2) Peverelly, p. 64 (3) Wright, p. 58

		Atlantics. It is understood that a fourth game will soon be played to test the question of superiority.”	
28 Oct (Mon)	Hoboken, N.J. Mutual grounds	Brooklyn 15 New York 14 (all-star game for junior clubs – 7 innings) (WSOT: “The New York nine played their portion of the eighth innings, and made seven runs, when, in consequence of the unfair play of the Brooklynites who (chiefly through their pitcher and catcher) purposely prolonged the New Yorkers’ in-hand, after the latter had placed themselves ahead, so that darkness came on ere the inning could be finished, and the score had to be called from the seventh innings, which gave the victory to the Brooklyn players, by one run. / The Brooklyn players were out in full force, each one appearing on the field as the players had previously announced while the New York nine were materially weakened by the absence of Ketchum, of the Unknown, and W. J. Kelly, of the Mystic, their excellent catcher, who was too ill to	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: New York vs. Brooklyn,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 10 (9 Nov 1861), p. 147, col. 3, & p. 148, col. 1

		play. ... The afternoon was a delightful one, and the sport was witnessed by full two thousand spectators.”)	
29 Oct (Tue)	Morrisania	Union (Morrisania) 33 Eagle (NY) 18 (7 innings) (<i>WSOT</i> : At the conclusion of the sport the Unions entertained their opponents in fine style, the two clubs participating in a bountiful collation.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eagle, of New York, vs. Union, of Morrisania,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 10 (9 Nov 1861), p. 147, col. 3 (2) Peverelly, p. 49 (3) Wright, p. 61
1 Nov (Fri)	Hoboken, N.J. Elysian Fields	Lafayette Engine No. 19 39 Oceana Hose Co. No. 36 13 (third game) (<i>WSOT</i> (2): [lengthy account of post-game entertainment])	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Lafayettd Engine 19 vs. Hose Company 36,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 10 (9 Nov 1861), p. 147, col. 3 (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Oceana Hose 36 vs. Lafayette Engine Co. No. 19,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 19 (11 Jan 1862), p. 293, cols. 2-3
2 Nov (Sat)	Putnam grounds	Constellation (Brooklyn, E.D.) Monmouth (Hoboken) (scheduled first game of home-and-home match)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: A match to come off,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 9 (2 Nov 1861), p. 133, col. 2
4 Nov	Greenpoint	Eckford (NY) 38	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball:

(Mon)	Eckford grounds	<p>Newburgh (Newburgh, NY) 18 (WSOT: “The Hudson River Club is an excellent base ball organization, and numbers in its ranks a creditable representation of the young men of Newburg. Although they were not successful in this trial, their playing was praiseworthy, and they left behind them a very favorable impression for gentlemanly deportment. They were short of the services of some good players of their nine, and the game was not, therefore, a criterion of their playing abilities. The afternoon was cold and unpleasant, and too windy for good batting. ... /The Eckfords were not out in full force, although they rallied, as they generally do, a strong nine. ... Sprague, formerly of the Exercise Base ball Club, made his <i>debut</i> in the Eckford Club, as pitcher, and fully sustained the good name which he has long enjoyed. ... / At the termination of the game, the clubs and their friends repaired to the “Hotel de Manor,” where refreshments were dispended, of which an A 1 chowder was far from being the worst part of the bill of</p>	<p>Hudson River, of Newburg vs. Eckford, of Brooklyn,” <i>WSOT</i>, vol. 5, no. 11 (16 Nov 1861), p. 164, col. 1 (2) Peverelly, p. 74 [date = 12 Nov; score: 38-17] (3) Wright, p. 57 [date = 12 Nov; score: 38-17]</p>
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		fare. An hour or two was passed in a happy interchange of sentiment and good fellowship, when the clubs separated, to meet again on the Hudson River boys' ground, at Newburg, on Thanksgiving Day, when the return game will be played; on which occasion, in the eloquent language of John Gilpin, 'may we be there to see!' “)	
7 Nov (Tue)	Hoboken, N.J. St. George's Cricket Club enclosed grounds	First Nine 17 Second Nine 7 (<i>WSOT</i> : “This game ... was arranged for the benefit of Pierce of the Atlantic, and Creighton, of the Excelsior, ..., an admission fee of ten cents being charged. The players were all from Brooklyn.”)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: The Benefit Match at Hoboken,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 11 (16 Nov 1861), p. 164, col. 2
8 Nov (Fri) [post- poned from 19 & 25 Oct]	Hamilton grounds at Carroll Park	Star 2 (Brooklyn) 32 Hamilton 2 (Brooklyn) 16 (return game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 241 (12 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 [game date: 19 Oct] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 242 (14 Oct 1861), p. 3, col. 1 [game date: 19 Oct] (3) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Matches To Come Off,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 243 (15 Oct 1861), p. 2, col.

			5 [game date: 19 Oct] (4) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: "Star vs. Hamilton," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 265 (9 Nov 1861), p. 2, col. 5
12? Nov (Tue)	Greenpoint Ridgewood grounds	Ridgewood 20 Rippowam 19	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Rippowam vs. Ridgewood," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 12 (23 Nov 1861), p. 179, col. 2
13 Nov (Wed)	?	Irving 31 Favorita 22 (6 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Irving vs. Favorita," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 12 (23 Nov 1861), p. 179, col. 2
14 Nov (Thu) [post- poned from 9 Nov]	Olympic grounds at corner of Smith & President streets	Star 2 (Brooklyn) 34 Olympic 2 (South Brooklyn) 19 (return game – 8 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: "Star vs. Olympics," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 20, no. 272 (16 Nov 1861), p. 2, col. 5
18 Nov (Mon)	Hunter's Point, L.I.	Rippowam 26 Ridgewood 8 (5 innings)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Ridgewood vs. Rippowam," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 13 (30 Nov 1861), p. 196, col. 1
18? Nov (Mon)	?	Zephyr (Greenpoint) 22 Unknown (Harlem) 13	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Zephyr vs. Unknown," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 12 (23 Nov 1861), p. 179,

			col. 2
19? Nov (Tue)	East New York, L.I. Putnam grounds	Atlantic 31 Henry Eckford 15 (home-and-home game) (WSOT: "The Henry Eckford won the second game, and the Atlantic the first and third. The weather was very cold on Tuesday, and it gave rise to considerable 'muffinism' during the trial." [NOTE: might be a second-nine game])	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Henry Eckford vs. Atlantic," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 12 (23 Nov 1861), p. 179, col. 2
19 Nov (Tue)	Hoboken, N.J. Eagle grounds at the Elysian Fields	Light Weights Heavy Weights (scheduled Eagle BBC intra-club game)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Eagle Base ball Club, of New York," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 12 (23 Nov 1861), p. 179, col. 2
20? Nov (Tue)	Greenpoint, L.I. Oriental grounds	Ridgewood 22 Rippowam 14	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Ridgewood vs. Rippowam," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 14 (7 Dec 1861), p. 212, col. 1
20 Nov (Wed)	Hoboken, N.J.	Niagara 24 Columbia 10 (only seven players on each side)	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Niagara vs. Columbia," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 13 (30 Nov 1861), p. 196, col. 1
25? Nov	Bedford, L.I.	Constellation 35	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball:

(Mon)	Atlantic grounds	Waverly 14 (return game)	Constellation vs. Waverly," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 13 (30 Nov 1861), p. 196, col. 1
28 Nov (Thu) (Thanks-giving)	?	Excelsior Jr. (Fort Hamilton) 25 Niagara (Brooklyn) 19	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Niagara, of Brooklyn, vs. Excelsior, Jr., of Fort Hamilton," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, cols. 2-3
28 Nov (Thu) (Thanks-giving)	?	Perry 15 Columbia 9	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Perry vs. Columbia," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 3
28 Nov (Thu) (Thanks-giving)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	Mohawk (Brooklyn) 39 Juniata (Hoboken) 13	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Mohawk, of Brooklyn, vs. Juniata, of Hoboken," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 3
28 Nov (Thu) (Thanks-giving)	?	Irving 14 Picked Players from the Queens County Cricket Club 11	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Irving vs. Nine Picked Players from the Queens County Cricket Club," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 3
Early Dec	?	Metamora 22 Wide Awake 18	(1) "Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Metamora vs. Wide Awake," <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 3

7? Dec (Sat)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	First Nine 22 Second Nine 7 (<i>WSOT</i> : [Lengthy account])	(1) NYC? [Thanksgiving?] (2) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: The Last Game of 1961—Star vs. Star,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 2
14 Dec or prior	Baltic grounds	Clinton 25 Baltic 19	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Clinton vs. Baltic,” <i>WSOT</i> , vol. 5, no. 15 (14 Dec 1861), p. 227, col. 2
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2 Apr (Wed)	Greenpoint Favorita/Eckford grounds	Kalbfleisch’s side 20 Cooper’s side 10 (Favorita BBC intra-club game) (<i>NYC</i> : “The members of this club commenced play for the season The weather was chilly and unpleasant, but nevertheless the enthusiasm of the players helped to warm them up, and sides being chosen a lively game was had, ...”)	(1) “The Favorita Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
12 Apr (Sat) [post- poned from	Star grounds	Second Nine 13 First Nine 5 (Star BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Star First Nine vs. Second Nine,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 85 (10 Apr 1862), p. 2, col. 4 (2) “Base Ball—Matches to-day,”

5 & 9 Apr]			<i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 87 (12 Apr 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (3) “The Star Club Matches,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
14 Apr (Mon) [post-poned from 7 Apr]	?	First Nine Second Nine (scheduled Charter Oak BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Postponed,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 85 (10 Apr 1862), p. 2, col. 4
15 Apr (Wed?)	?	Wood’s side 29 Mill’s side 11 (5 innings) (Eckford BBC intra-club game) (<i>NYC</i> : “The Eckfords began play for the season ... and turned out their first nine in nearly its full strength.”)	(1) “Eckford Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
18 Apr (Tue?) [post-poned from 8 Apr]	South Brooklyn Exercise grounds adjoining Carroll Park	Simonson’s side 40 Massay’s side 21 (Exercise BBC intra-club game) (<i>BDE</i> : “The Exercise intended to have made their appearance on Tuesday, but the unfavorable weather caused the game to be postponed.”) (<i>NYC</i> : “The weather was a little	(1) “Out-Door Sports: Base Ball: Postponed,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 85 (10 Apr 1862), p. 2, col. 4 (2) “The Exercise Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

		chilly and unpleasant, or doubtless there would have been a fuller representation of the club present.”)	
[19 Apr (Sat)]	?	First Nine 17 Second Nine 9 (2nd Star BBC intra-club game)	(1) “The Star Club Matches,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
26 Apr (Sat)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	First Nine 40 Second Nine 6 (3rd Star BBC intra-club game)	(1) “The Star Club Matches,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Apr 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
3 May (Sat)	?	First Nine 35 Second Nine 17 (Star BBC intra-club game)	(1) “Aquatics, Base-Ball, Cricket: The Incoming Base-Ball Season,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 107 (6 May 1862), p. 2, col. 5
10 May (Sat)	?	First Nine 33 Second Nine 15 (7 innings) (5th Star BBC intra-club game) (<i>NYC</i> : “In this last game the first nine played the fly game, and their opponents the regular bound game, ...”)	(1) “The Star Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] May 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
12 May (Mon)	Newly laid out Atlantic grounds	Boughton’s side 28 Smith’s side 27 (Atlantic BBC intra-club game) (<i>NYC</i> : “The members of this	(1) “The Atlantic Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] May 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

		champion club commenced play for the season . . . , the late date of their opening game resulting from their having their grounds newly laid out, which has been done under the superintendence of Mr. Wild. The ground is now one of the best of the city, and in a few weeks will be in fine condition. These grounds are occupied by the Atlantics on Mondays and Thursdays, and by the Enterprise club on Wednesdays and Saturdays. There are, therefore, two days each week unoccupied, and these days can be secured on application to Mr. Wild, at the Cline Hill Hotel, corner of Gates and Marcey Avenue.”)	
13 May (Tue)	?	Gotham (NY) 17 Eagle (NY) 15 (NOTE: 9 Sep 1862 game has same score.)	(1) Peverelly, p. 27
20 May (Tue)	Greenpoint	Enterprise (Brooklyn) 20 Eckford (Brooklyn) 19	(1) Peverelly, p. 74 (2) Wright, p. 67
21 May (Wed)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 45 Powhattan (Brooklyn) 11 (7 innings) (NYC: “These Brooklyn clubs	(1) “Out-Door Sports—Base Ball: “Powhattan vs. Star,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 122 (23 May 1862), p. 2, col. 6 (2) “First Match of the Season—

	<p>played their first match together this season, it being also the first regular contest this year between senior clubs, The weather was very unfavorable, a drizzling rain falling during the whole of the afternoon; but the Stars, having made it a rule never to put off a regularly advertised game if it is possible to play it, undertook to commence play, even at the expense of a thorough wetting, and under circumstances that rendered the playing of the match the very reverse of pleasure. Of course, the ball became soaked and heavy, and fielding was soon a somewhat dangerous occupation, as far as stopping swiftly thrown or batted balls was concerned. Nothing daunted, however, the plucky contestants went to work, and for the first two or three innings, the game bid fair to be quite an interesting one, despite the adverse circumstances under which it was played. Soon, however, the Powhattans began to give evidence of the effects of lack of practice; the Stars, on the contrary, showing how much they had improved and</p>	<p>Star vs. Powhattan," <i>NYC</i>, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] May 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) Peverelly, p. 77 [date = 21 May 1861, score = 46-11] (4) Wright, p. 59 [date = 21 May 1861, score = 46-11] (5) Wright, pp. 69 & 71</p>
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		benefited thereby, The weather had a great deal to do with the play on both sides, and the want of previous practice materially affected the play of the Powhattans.”)	
11 Jun (Wed)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	Charter Oak (Brooklyn) 17 Star (Brooklyn) 12 (<i>NYC</i> : “The first match this season between these clubs, and the first time the Charter Oaks have played since 1860, Both parties were short handed, but nevertheless had good nines on the field, they being pretty equally matched. ... Before the last innings was played, a heavy shower of rain temporarily interrupted the proceedings, In regard to the play shown in the match, we have to say that the display of batting and fielding on the part of the victors was about the best we have ever seen them make. With great odds against them at the close of the fourth innings [4-10], they fought manfully up hill, and deserved the result of their plucky play. The Stars were, if anything, a little too confident of success, and did not wake up to the stern	(1) “City News and Gossip: Base Ball: “Star vs. Charter Oak,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 139 (12 Jun 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (2) “Star vs. Charter Oak,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) Wright, p. 69

		realities of the case until too late to recover their lost ground. An error of their play, too, was the keeping of Chilton in his position as pitcher when it was evident that he was not in condition to play, a sore finger rendering it painful for him to field the ball.”)	
19 Jun (Thu)	?	New Nine 24 Old Mine 15 (Atlantic BBC of Brooklyn intra-club game) (NYC: “It was the first of three games that are to be played between them.”)	(1) “Atlantic Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
21 Jun (Sat)	?	First Nine 24 Field Nine 9 (Excelsior BBC of Brooklyn first nine vs. field nine that included players from the Atlantic, Putnam, Exercise, and Charter Oak clubs)	(1) “The Excelsior Club,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jun 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
26 Jun (Thu)	?	Excelsior (Brooklyn) 20 Charter Oak (Brooklyn) 19 (7 innings, due to darkness) (NYC: “On this occasion the Excelsiors were not in trim for their usual style of play. In the first place they have not played half a	(1) “Charter Oak vs. Excelsior,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 55 (3) Wright, p. 69

		dozen practice games together since 1860, and this season they have had their first nine players on the ground but twice. ... Of those whose play merits especial remark, on the part of the Excelsiors, we would name their catcher [Leggett] for the plucky manner in which he stood up and received the swift balls Creighton pitched to him. His hands, from want of practice, were too soft for such hard usage, and soon became puffed up and exceedingly painful, and a lame arm prevented his throwing to bases. But he undauntedly stood up to his work, until it was apparent that his inability to throw to second base was materially aiding the score of his opponents. At the close of the fifth innings he retired in favor of Russell, who caught from Brainard's pitching the remainder of the innings.”)	
28 Jun (Sat)	Resolute grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 35 Resolute (Brooklyn) 12 (<i>NYC</i> : “These clubs played their first match together”)	(1) “Base Ball,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 154 (30 Jun 1862), p. 2, col. 1 (2) “Star vs. Resolute,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) Wright, p. 69

3 Jul (Thu)	?	Jefferson (NY) 42 Union (Morrisania) 15	(1) Peverelly, p. 41 (2) Wright, p. 68
4 Jul (Fri)	Jamaica	Atlantic (Jamaica) 35 Constellation (Brooklyn, E.D.) 23 (NYC: “A large number of spectators assembled to witness the game. The playing was, on the whole, rather wild. The Constellation, for some reason or other, did not all come up to their usual standard, and their opponents, although they batted well, did no better in the field. When the return match is played on the Union ground, we have no doubt there will be altogether a different sort of game.”)	(1) “Constellation vs. Atlantic,” NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 79
10 Jul (Thu)	New York BBC grounds at 65th St. & 3rd Ave.	Union (Morrisania) 26 Henry Eckford (NY) 10 (NYC: “... the above clubs made their first appearance, this season, in a home-and-home match, commenced in the season of 1861. ... A large number of spectators were present.”)	(1) “Union, of Morrisania, vs. Henry Eckford, of New York,” NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 49 (3) Wright, p. 68
10 Jul	Greenpoint	Monitor 70	(1) “Monitor vs. Peter Cooper,”

(Thu)		Peter Cooper 9 (8 innings)	NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
11 Jul (Fri)	Eckford grounds (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 64) or Union grounds (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 74)	Eckford (Brooklyn) 20 Atlantic (Brooklyn) 14 (NYC: "... these clubs played the first game of their home and home match for 1862 Last season, prior to the breaking out of the war, the Continental Club, of Brooklyn, for the purpose of adding interest to then ensuing base ball season, prepared a splendid silver ball to present as a token of honor to the victorious club in a series of matches for the championship. The war sadly interfering with the prosecution of out-door sports last summer, the presentation of the ball was laid over till this season; and the members of the Continental Club have now resolved to present the ball to the Atlantic and Eckford Clubs, its possession to be determined by a home and home match, (Best two out of three games) between these clubs.")	(1) "Ball Match for the Aid of the U.S. Sanitary Committee—Ball Players Patriots—Eckford vs. Atlantic—The Champions Defeated!," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 164 (12 Jul 1862), p. 2, col. 6 (2) "Atlantic vs. Eckford," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) <i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 64 & 74 [date: 11 Aug 1862] (4) Wright, pp. 67 & 70
16 Jul (Wed)	Star grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 46 Olympic (South Brooklyn) 24 (7 innings)	(1) "Base Ball," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 168 (17 Jul 1862), p. 2, cols. 5-6 (2) "Star vs. Olympic," <i>NYSM</i> , vol.

			[xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xx], col. [xx] [Chadwick Scrapbooks, vol. 8] (3) Wright, p. 69 [score of 47-24, and no date stated]
17 Jul (Thu)	Hoboken	Jefferson (NY) 45 Alpine 10	(1) Peverelly, p. 41
17 Jul (Thu)	Sheep's Head Bay	Penson's side 25 Conkling's side 20 (NYC: "Engine Company No. 17, of Brooklyn, went on a Pic Nic to Sheep's Head Bay, ..., and then had a good game of ball together, ...")	(1) "Base Ball at Pic Nics," NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
18 Jul (Fri)	?	Union (Morrisania) 23 Harlem (NY) 13 (NYC: "These clubs played their first match together in three years, The decisions of the umpire were impartially given; he did not have a very pleasant position of it at one time, the prejudices of the crowd on one side or the other leading them to comment on his decisions uncourteously, but as the players did not, he of course took no notice of it. Our best clubs are getting into the creditable habit of	(1) "Harlem vs. Union," NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 49 (3) Wright, pp. 68 & 70

		acquiescing quietly to the decisions of umpires, right or wrong, as they should do.”)	
19 Jul (Sat)	?	Mutual (NY) 52 Gotham (NY) 14	(1) Peverelly, p. 38 (2) Wright, pp. 67 & 68 [date = 9 Jul]
19 Jul (Sat)	Greenpoint Favorita (formerly Eckford) grounds	Resolute 27 Favorita 16 (<i>NYC</i> : “The first match between these clubs this season ...”)	(1) “Resolute vs. Favorite [<i>sic</i>],” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
21 Jul	Eckford grounds (<i>Peverelly</i> , p. 64) or Union grounds (<i>NYT</i> , <i>Peverelly</i> , p. 74)	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 39 Eckford (Brooklyn) 5 (return match for a champion silver ball)	(1) “Brooklyn News: Base Ball Match: Atlantic Club vs. Eckford Club,” <i>NYT</i> , vol. 11, no. 3378 (22 Jul 1862), p. 8, col. 5 (2) <i>Peverelly</i> , p. 64 & 74 [date: 18 Aug 1862] (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 70 [date: 18 Aug 1862]
23 Jul (Wed)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	Star 2 (Brooklyn) 22 Henry Eckford 2 (?) 18 (5 innings, due to a shower of rain) (<i>NYC</i> : “At the time appointed for the game, both parties were short-handed, it being an old story with the Stars; and after waiting some time for the absentees, they both	(1) “Henry Eckford vs. Star,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Jul 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

		concluded to replace them with first nine players, Dr. Bell going in on one side, and Galpin on the other. ... The 6th innings was commenced, and the Eckfords had scored two runs when the rain began to fall.”)	
26 Jul (Sat)	Morrisania Union grounds	Union (Morrisania) 12 Excelsior (Brooklyn) 4	(1) Peverelly, pp. 49 & 53 (2) Wright, pp. 68 & 69
28 Jul (Mon)	South Brooklyn Star grounds at Carroll Park	Star (Brooklyn) 28 Charter Oak (Brooklyn) 5 (return game) [NYC: lengthy account]	(1) “Base Ball: Star vs. Charter Oak,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 178 (29 Jul 1862), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Star vs. Charter Oak,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
28 Jul (Mon)	Hoboken	Mutual 2 (NY) 58 Jefferson 2 (NY) 25	(1) “Mutual vs. Jefferson,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 38 (3) Wright, p. 67
29 Jul (Tue)	Hoboken	Gotham (NY) 14 Mutual (NY) 9	(1) Peverelly, pp. 23 [date = 27 Jul] & 38 (2) Wright, pp. 67 [date = 27 Jul] & 68
29 Jul	Brooklyn	Eckford (Brooklyn) 18	(1) “Eckford vs. Eagle,” <i>NYC</i> , vol.

(Tue)	Union grounds	Eagle (NY) 5	[xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, pp. 27 & 74 [location = Hoboken] (3) Wright, p. 67
29 Jul (Tue)	Star grounds	Atlantic Hose No. 1 (Brooklyn) 69 Mechanics Hose No. 2 (Brooklyn) 17	(1) "Base Ball Among the Brooklyn Firemen," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
30 Jul (Wed)	Brooklyn Union grounds	Constellation 24 Atlantic (Jamaica) 15 (return game)	(1) "Constellation vs. Atlantic, of Jamaica," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 79
1 Aug (Fri)	Green Point	Henry Eckford 17 Star (Brooklyn) 12 (<i>NYSM</i> : "Both parties were short handed, indeed so much so as to make it nearly a second nine contest. Of the Star first nine Mitchell, Galpin, Manly, Snediker and Thompson did not play, and on the other side, Dr. Bell, Dalton, and Snow, we believe, were the only first nine players present. .../We thought we noticed a design on the part of one or two of the H. Eckfords to wait at the bat until the player on the 3d base got in. Now this custom is not the most	(1) "Base Ball: Star vs. Eckford," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 182 (2 Aug 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (2) "Star vs. Henry Eckford," <i>NYSM</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xx], col. [xx] [Chadwick Scrapbooks, vol. 8] (3) "Star vs. Henry Eckford," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

		<p>creditable one in the world, and the less frequent, it is adopted, the fairer the game will be. Hit the first good ball you got, is the only fair and square game to play. The habit of waiting is doubtless one of those points we hear spoken of, but these by the way are not always points that add to the honor of a clubs play.”)</p> <p>(NYC: “The first nines of these clubs played their first game together The play was nothing remarkable on either side, although good, considering that both parties were minus the services of half their regular players.”)</p>	
1 Aug (Fri)	?	Benecia Boy Jr. 16 Mystic Jr. 9	(1) “Benecia Boy vs. Mystic,” NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
2 Aug (Sat)	?	Union (Morrisania) 12 Newark (Newark) 11	(1) Peverelly, p. 49 (2) Wright, p. 68
2 Aug (Sat)	?	Resolute 36 Favorita 20 (return game)	(1) “Resolute vs. Favorite [<i>sic</i>],” NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
4 Aug	?	Eckford (Brooklyn) 28	(1) Peverelly, pp. 38 & 74 [date = 8

(Mon)		Mutual (NY) 24	Aug] (2) Wright, pp. 67 [date = 24 Aug] & 67
6 Aug (Tue)	Hoboken	Henry Eckford (NY) 51 Empire (NY) 30 (NYC: “The first match this season between these clubs, Neither club was fully represented by their best players, and the Empires suffered from being out of practice.”)	(1) “Henry Eckford vs. Empire,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
7 Aug (Thu)	Knickerbocker grounds	Gotham (NY) 17 Charter Oak (Brooklyn) 13 (NYC: “The first contest between these clubs this season, ..., it being a single game, resulting in a creditable victory for the Gothams, who by this means have added a Brooklyn ball to their case, to place alongside the one from the Mutuels, neither being easily obtained by New-York clubs.. / ... / ... The ground was in very poor condition, indeed, and it did not speak well for the attention the Knickerbocker club devotes to such matters.”)	(1) “Gotham vs. Charter Oak,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 23 (3) Wright, p. 68
13 Aug (Wed)	Union grounds (Peverelly)	Eckford (Brooklyn) 42 Harlem (NY) 25	(1) “Eckford vs. Harlem,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862),

	or Eckford grounds (NYC)	(NYC: “Being present at the grand cricket match the same day, we are unable to give more than the following score:”)	p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 74 (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 70
13 Aug (Wed)	Hoboken	Empire (NY) 39 Alpine 21	(1) Peverelly, p. 31
14 Aug (Thu)	Hoboken Gotham grounds	Gotham (NY) 15 Mutual (NY) 14 (return game) (NYC: “We have to speak of a little occurrence that was not as creditable to the party concerned as it might have been. It appears that in the 8 th innings, McGrath, of the Gotham, had severely injured his thumb, so much so that he was unable to grasp the bat without suffering. In this condition he was forced to take his stand at the bat in the 9th innings, in consequence of the captain of the Mutual nine refusing to let another strike in his place. Rule 27 allows of a change in such a case, and the 31st rule which says that no change of players shall be made except by consent of both parties, also states “unless as provided in rule 27.” Thus there was no necessity of	(1) “Gotham vs. Mutual,” NYC, vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, pp. 23 & 38 (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 68

		asking consent in this case except from courtesy.”)	
19 Aug (Tue)	Hoboken Gotham grounds	Eckford (Brooklyn) 35 Newark (Newark) 19 (<i>NYC</i> : “The third contest between these clubs, laid over from last season, ... the Eckfords ... were out in full force, and in admirable trim for the occasion. The Newarkers, on the contrary, did not have the useful services of either Mills, Wilsin, or Garthwaite, and this rather dampened their ardor, for they did not play by any means with their accustomed ability.”)	(1) “Eckford vs. Newark,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 74 [location = Union grounds] (3) Wright, p. 67
21 Aug (Thu)	Newark, N.J.	Mutual (NY) 14 Eureka (Newark) 13 (10 innings)	(1) Peverelly, p. 38 (2) Wright, p. 67
21 Aug (Thu)	Union grounds	Favorita 27 Brooklyn 23 (10 innings)	(1) “Brooklyn vs. Favorita,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
22 Aug (Fri)	Bedford Atlantic grounds	Atlantic (Jamaica) 24 Constellation 8 (home-and-home game)	(1) “Atlantic, of Jamaica vs. Constellation, of Brooklyn,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 79

26 Aug (Tue)	?	Eagle (NY) 50 Alpine 24	(1) "Alpine vs. Eagle," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 27
27 Aug (Wed)	?	Star (Brooklyn) 31 Constellation (Brooklyn) 4 (<i>NYC</i> : "The first nines of these clubs played together for the first time ... the result being a signal victory for the Stars, who played one of their strongest games, both in batting and fielding.")	(1) "Constellation vs. Star," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
27 Aug (Wed)	Morrisania Union grounds	Newark (Newark) 14 Union (Morrisania) 13 (return game) (<i>NYC</i> : "After the game was over, the Union Club entertained the Newarkers in a very socialable and friendly manner, and they parted to meet again for the third and last match at as early a day as possible, provided the Nde Newark nine do not all of them get the war fever.")	(1) "Union (of Morrisania) vs. Newark (of Newark)," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Wright, p. 68
27 Aug (Wed)	?	Mystic Jr. (New Utrecht) 23 Excelsior Jr. (New Utrecht) 8	(1) "Mystic vs. Excelsior," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

29 Aug (Fri)	Morrisania	Eckford (Brooklyn) 27 Union (Morrisania) 11 (<i>NYC</i> : “These clubs played their first match together Several fellows made themselves disagreeably, prominent as members of the crowd, much to the discredit of the club they follow, and of the game. It is a pity these fellows are not repudiated. We should think the Eckfords have now attained too high a position to tolerate them any longer. Al, who want to bet should do it quietly.”)	(1) “Eckford vs. Union,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 74 [Eckford runs = 29] (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 68
29 Aug (Fri)	Harlem	Harlem 17 Henry Eckford 14 (<i>NYC</i> : “The first game this season, between these clubs, ...”)	(1) “Henry Eckford vs. Harlem,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
[xx] Aug	Hoboken	Eureka (Newark) 18 Gotham (NY) 13	(1) Peverelly, p. 23 (2) Wright, p. 68
2 Sep (Tue)	Gotham grounds	Henry Eckford 31 Jefferson 27 (home-and-home game - 8 innings) (<i>NYC</i> : “Neither party had out their strength on this occasion, but the Jeffersons had about the weakest	(1) “Henry Eckford vs. Jefferson,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Aug 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]

		first nine they have yet presented, in fact, it was nearly the same as their second nine in the late Eagle match.”)	
4 Sep (Thu)	Harlem grounds at Mount Morris Square	Harlem (NY) 29 Gotham (NY) 15 (8 innings)	(1) “Gotham vs. Harlem,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 23 (3) Wright, pp. 68 & 70
6 Sep (Sat)	South Brooklyn Star grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 22 Resolute (Brooklyn) 16 (return game) [<i>NYC</i> : very lengthy account]	(1) “Base Ball: Resolute vs. Star,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 214 (9 Sep 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (2) “Resolute vs. Star,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
7 Sep (Sun?)	Pastime grounds	Atlantic (Jamaica) 33 Pastime 24	(1) Peverelly, p. 79
8 Sep (Mon)	Hoboken	Mutual (NY) 47 Harlem (NY) 16 (<i>NYC</i> : “The Mutuals obtained their first victory at Hoboken this season ... it being their first match with the Harlem club, “)	(1) “Mutual vs. Harlem,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 38 [location = Harlem] (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 70
9 Sep (Tue)	Hoboken Gotham grounds	Gotham (NY) 17 Eagle (NY) 16	(1) “Gotham vs. Eagle,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p.

		(8 innings) (<i>NYC</i> : “The ninth was nearly finished, the Eagles having been put out for nothing, and Sweet, Thorn, Vincelle, and Squires had made runs in the ninth innings of the Gothams, when it became too dark to play, and the game was decided by the last even innings played.”)	[xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 23 [day not specified] & 27 [Eagle runs = 15] (3) Wright, p. 68
10 Sep (Wed)	Brooklyn BBC grounds	Favorita 43 Brooklyn 31 (return game - 7 innings, due to darkness)	(1) “Favorita vs. Brooklyn,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
13 Sep (Sat)	?	Star (Brooklyn) 18 Olympic (South Brooklyn) 11 (return game) (<i>NYC</i> : “The Olympics played much better in this game than on the previous match, in which the Star beat them by a score of 47 to 24.”)	(1) “Start [sic] vs. Olympic,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Wright, p. 69
16 Sep	Mount Morris Harlem grounds	Atlantic (Brooklyn) 27 Harlem (NY) 12 (<i>NYC</i> : “... the Atlantics were well represented though they did not have either Start, Oliver, or M. O’Brien. Mace pitched in place of the latter, and the play of Crane at	(1) “Harlem vs. Atlantic,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 64 (3) Wright, pp. 70 & 70

		2d base was such as to render the absence of Oliver, who usually fills the position, unnoticeable, and Simonson played finely at 1st base which is now Start's place.")	
18 Sep (Thu)	Brooklyn Eckford grounds (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 64) or Union grounds (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 74)	Eckford (Brooklyn) 8 Atlantic (Brooklyn) 3	(1) "Base Ball," <i>NYT</i> , vol. 11, no. 3429 (19 Sep 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (2) <i>Peeverelly</i> , pp. 64 & 74 (3) Wright, pp. 67 & 70
19 Sep (Fri)	Star grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 11 Henry Eckford 5 (return game) (<i>NYC</i> : "The pitching on both sides was such that neither party, good batsmen as they are, could successfully hit the balls sent to them, and the fielding was so good on both sides that but few hits admitted of more than the making of the 1st base.")	(1) "Stars vs. Henry Eckford," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
20 Sep (Sat)	Brooklyn Resolute grounds	Harlem (NY) 25 Resolute (Brooklyn) 21 (5 innings) (<i>NYC</i> : The Harlems had three substitutes, and did not play one of their best games, and the fielding of the Resolutes was much inferior to	(1) "Resolute vs. Harlem," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Wright, p. 70

		that which they displayed in the Star match.”)	
22 Sep (Mon)	New York 63rd St. (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 64) <i>or</i> 65th St & 3rd Ave. (<i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 38)	Mutual (NY) 15 Atlantic (Brooklyn) 10 (home-and-home game)	(1) <i>Peeverelly</i> , pp. 38 & 64 (2) Wright , pp. 57 & 58
24 Sep (Wed)	Brooklyn Union grounds	Eckford (Brooklyn) 28 Mutual (NY) 14	(1) <i>Peeverelly</i> , pp. 38 & 74 (2) Wright, pp. 67 & 67
25 Sep (Thu)	?	Favorita 26 Constellation 23	(1) “Favorita vs. Constellation,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Oct 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
26 Sep (Fri)	?	Henry Eckford 33 Eagle (NY) 15	(1) <i>Peeverelly</i> , p. 27
27 Sep (Sat)	Star grounds	Union (Morrisania) 14 Star (Brooklyn) 10 (<i>NYC</i> : “The first of a home and home series of matches between these clubs ... The Unions had their best nine out on the occasion, and played a good fielding game, but the pitching on their side was unusually wild. The Stars lacked the services of their regular catcher, Morris, and played with but eight	(1) “Base Ball: Union, of Morrisania vs. Star,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 231 (29 Sep 1862), p. 2, col. 5 (2) “Union vs. Star,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Sep 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) Wright, pp. 68 & 69

		men. Anderson doing double duty at short field and third base. We regret being compelled to curtail our remarks on this match, because of the standing of the clubs, but a superabundance of matter compels us to do so.”)	
4 Oct (Sat)	Excelsior grounds	Excelsior (Brooklyn) 5 Star (Brooklyn) 5 (TIE – 6 innings, due to darkness) (<i>NYC</i> : These clubs played together for the first time since June, 1860, ..., the occasion being a match between them that was arranged on the ground on the same day, in place of the contest with the Charter Oak, which was then to have taken place. It was a well-contested game from first to last, the fielding of both parties being excellent. The wind was against the batting and in favor of the pitching, and hence the small score. ... In fact, the fielding on both sides was such that we cannot well mention one as worthy of praise without naming nearly all.”)	(1) “Base Ball: Star vs. Excelsior,” <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 240 (6 Oct 1862), p. 3, col. 2 (2) “Star vs. Excelsior,” <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Oct 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (3) Wright, pp. 69 & 69
7 Oct (Tue)	Brooklyn Union grounds	Eckford (Brooklyn) 13 Union (Morrisania) 10	(1) Peverelly, p. 74 (2) Wright, pp. 67 & 68

7 Oct (Tue)	Hoboken	Mutual (NY) 24 Harlem (NY) 13	(1) Peverelly, p. 38 (2) Wright, pp. 67 & 70
9 Oct (Thu)	?	Montauk Jr. 26 Monitor Jr. 7	(1) "Monitor vs. Montauk," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xxx], no. [xxx] ([xx] Oct 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
14 Oct (Tue)	Hoboken	Gotham (NY) 19 Harlem (NY) 10	(1) "Gotham vs. Harlem," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Oct 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 23 (3) Wright, pp. 68 & 71
14 Oct (Tue)	South Brooklyn Excelsior grounds at "foot of Court street"	Excelsior (Brooklyn) 13 Union (Morrisania) 9 (6 innings) [NOTE: Last game played by James Creighton]	(1) Peverelly, p. 53 (2) Wright, pp. 68 & 69
14 Oct (Tue)	Union grounds	Star (Brooklyn) 14 Henry Eckford 5 (home-and-home game) (<i>NYC</i> : "The Stars had a fine nine present and played one of their best fielding games, The pitching of the Stars was very effective.")	(1) "Base Ball," <i>BDE</i> , vol. 21, no. 249 (16 Oct 1862), p. 3, col. 1 (2) "Stars vs. Henry Eckford," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Oct 1862), p. [xxx], col. [xx]
20 Oct (Mon)	New York BBC grounds at 63rd St. &	Gotham (NY) 24 Harlem (NY) 17	(1) "Gotham vs. Harlem," <i>NYC</i> , vol. [xx], no. [xx] ([xx] Oct 1862),

	3rd Ave.	(home-and-home game)	p. [xxx], col. [xx] (2) Peverelly, p. 23 [game played in Hoboken] (3) Wright, pp. 68 & 71