

Charles Boyd

Chicago Maroons (1888 Old Judge)

THE CHICAGO MAROONS.

The Chicago Maroons still keep a coming and Sam Morton has filled the only vacant position by signing Chas. Boyd of Sheffield, Ill., to play at short field. I have seen Boyd play and unhesitatingly say that he will be a decided acquisition to the Maroons. He is a large man over six foot in height, and is a sprinter of considerable note. I think in a standing start he can beat Billy Sunday in a hundred yard spin. Besides that he gets away from the first bag very quickly, in this respect. I think him the equal of Pettit of the League team. He is a strong hitter. Keep your eye on him, this summer. Morton is at present negotiating with a left handed pitcher of considerable note. I know his name, but a disclosure at this early day would be too premature. Morton has no games arranged with any of the Inter-State Clubs, but will probably fill in a few dates with them. His team will practice here, under Captain Hendes' direction, until the opening of the Western Association championship season. Morton says he has the names of one hundred good players on his list who are good enough to play almost any club.

Charles Boyd signed by Maroons

Sporting News Feb 18, 1888

Charles Boyd, of Sheffield, Ill., has been signed by the Chicago Maroons to play short stop. He is large and heavy, and is a sprinter and batsman.

Chicago Inter Ocean March 4, 1888

Manager Morton thinks he has a great one in Charley Boyd, and says he can beat Sunday in a hundred yard spin; he is also a hard hitter. He says he has the names of 100 good players on his list who are good enough for almost any club.

Chicago Inter Ocean March 11, 1888

written. Boyd, the short-stop, is a new man, having never played professionally, and, consequently, his bright future yet lies before him the same as that of everybody else. There are just thirteen men in the team, and Long is the man who makes up the baker's dozen. He is a

Chicago Daily News April 11, 1888

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Prot. Farbot has been elected a member of the American society of civil engineers. Boyd has been afflicted with a sore throat for several days. Dr. Kinder is his physician.

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Is this C.N. Boyd? Could this be why he never made the Maroons?

Boyd played with Danville in 1888.

Time—1:15:00. Umpire—Powers.

Danvilles, 18; Crawfordsvilles, 4.

Special Dispatch to the Globe-Democrat.

DANVILLE, ILL., June 9.—Danville everlastingly wiped the earth with Crawfordsvilles to-day. Fowler took Hoskins in the box and Snyder relieved Prescott behind the bat in the fourth inning. Fowler was hit hard, mostly long flies, which were taken care of by the outfield. Boyd, of the Chicago Maroons, and Land, of the St. Louis Whites, played their first game on the home grounds and did well. The score:

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Danvilles.....	6	0	6	4	2	0	0	0	0—18
Crawfordsvilles.....	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2—4

Danvilles—Battery, Esterquest and Land; base hits, 13; errors, 6. Crawfordsvilles—Battery, Hoskins and Prescott, Fowler and Snyder; base hits, 6; errors, 12. Umpire—Vorise.

CENTRAL INTER-STATE GAMES.

Some Good Work Done—Dubuque, 4; Danville, 9.

DANVILLE, ILL., June 20.—[Special.]—The Danville club never played better than today. The features were Harkness' pitching, Root's work at the bat, and Lotz's catching in right field. Boyd and Land were released. The score:

Danville.....	1	0	2	0	3	2	0	1	0—9
Dubuque.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2—4

Base hits—Danville, 15; Dubuque, 4. Errors—Danville, 4; Dubuque, 5; Batteries—Danville, Harrington and Harkness; Dubuque, Duann and Keas.

In 1886, a player named Boyd played with Leavenworth

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work-day, when she will be accompanied by Mrs. Edward Fenlon.

The Leavenworth club will go to the bat today with several new players and good work is expected from them. The players will take the following positions to-day: Welch, catcher; Hart, pitcher; Boyd, first base; Beckley, second base; Cook, third base; Connell, short stop; Snyder, left field; McClintock, center field, and Hawkins, right field.

In selecting an architect from Kansas City

The official score is as follows :

ST. JOSEPH.							
NAMES	AB.	R.	IB.	TR.	PO.	A.	E.
Hall, lf.	5	0	1	1	0	0	0
Connors, c.	5	3	3	3	8	3	0
Tebeau, 2b.	4	1	1	1	3	4	0
Fry, cf.	5	1	1	1	0	0	1
Swift, rf.	4	1	0	0	0	1	1
Smith, lb.	3	2	1	2	13	0	0
King, p.	4	1	1	1	0	7	1
Herr, 3b.	4	1	0	1	3	1	0
Calhoun, ss.	4	1	1	0	0	1	1
Totals	38	11	9	10	27	18	4

LEAVENWORTH.							
NAMES	AB.	R.	IB.	TR.	PO.	A.	E.
Hall, cf.	5	1	1	1	0	1	0
Beckley, 2b.	5	0	1	1	0	4	2
Twineham, 3d.	4	0	0	0	1	2	1
Bohannan, c.	4	0	1	1	4	0	1
Welch, lf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Pitsch, lb.	2	1	0	0	17	5	2
Boyd, ss.	4	1	1	1	1	3	1
Hawkings, rf.	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hart, p.	2	0	1	2	0	9	0
Totals	31	5	5	6	24	24	8

By innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
St. Joseph	1	0	0	0	0	5	1	4	x-11
Leavenworth	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0-5

Earliest box score, May 13, 1886

Wild pitch—Burchard.

St. Joseph, 10—Leavenworth, 5.
(Special to the Kansas City Times.)

St. JOSEPH, Mo., June 4.—Only about 150 people assembled at Western league park to-day to witness the second game between Leavenworth and St. Joseph, and had it not been for five costly errors of Leavenworth and one or two rank decisions of the umpire the Leavenworth boys would have carried off another victory. King and Jumbo and Snyder and Swartzell were the batteries. The score was:

ST. JOSEPH.							
NAMES	AB.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.	
Connors, cf.	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, lf.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tebeau, 2b.	5	2	3	1	0	0	0
Smith, lb.	5	2	1	14	0	0	0
Harding, c.	5	2	2	7	4	4	4
Frye, ss.	4	1	1	1	8	0	0
Sunday, rf.	4	0	1	1	1	1	0
Herr, 3b.	3	1	1	2	1	0	0
King, p.	1	1	0	0	8	1	1
Total	36	10	10	27	22	6	5

LEAVENWORTH.							
NAMES	AB.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.	
Hall, cf.	3	1	1	0	5	0	0
Beckley, 2b.	4	2	1	1	3	1	1
Twineham, ss.	4	1	0	2	2	0	0
Boyd, lb.	4	1	0	11	0	0	0
Sweeny, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Welch, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	1	0
Peoples, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	2	0
Snyder, c.	3	0	0	8	0	0	0
Swartzell, p.	3	0	2	1	6	1	1
Total	33	5	5	24	16	5	10

A.	E.	
St. Joseph	3	0 0 2 3 2 0 0 0-10
Leavenworth	2	0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0-5

Runs earned—St. Joseph, 4; Leavenworth, 2.
Two base hits—Frye and Herr.
Home run—Jumbo.
Struck out—By King, 10; by Swartzell, 5.
First base on errors—By Swartzell, 5.
Left on bases—St. Joseph, 6; Leavenworth, 2.
Passed balls—Harding, 2; Snyder, 4.
Double plays—Welch, Twineham and Boyd, Frye, Smith and Boyd, Tebeau and Smith.
Time—1:55.
Umpire—Hurley.

Last box score, June 5, 1886; played maybe one or two more games

C. N. Boyd, an old University boy, has been signed by the Clippers to play second base and change catcher. Boyd is a genuine slugger and will make Staley and Kelleher sick when he faces them. He will be here next Wednesday.

Kelly the new pitcher for the Clippers, will be in the box tomorrow. Boyd, a hard-hitter and fine basemen, will also play in the game.



the much thing, Thursday, at Decatur.

C. N. Boyd, whom the managers had engaged to play second base, has not put in an appearance, owing to the illness of his father.

Staley pitched in splendid form at Decatur, Thursday, having laid off a week in order to wallup the Clippers.



unseemly haste?

The following are the baseball players who constitute the first nine this spring: C. N. Boyd, E. H. Swasey, E. L. Kelso, C. R. Huntley, H. Diffenbaugh, H. A. Nelson, W. T. Andrews, T. E. McIlhuff, M. Chase.



his widow; J. B. Bruer, student, in chapel, yesterday morning.

not only son; Mrs. McCoy C. N. Boyd, class of '81, made the boys a pleasant visit, last week. He brought a younger brother, who will attend the university.

is, Mrs. Thos. Lindsey his city surviving him. Mr. Bruer was very a comfortable income.

We understand the authorities are find-



SIoux Falls, Dakota.

Capt. C. N. Boyd, '81, is farming at his old home, Sheffield, Illinois.

Geology. The
a good joke to
fossils

G. N. Morgan is taking a P. G. course this year.
C. N. Boyd, '81, plays ball in Sheffield this year.

260. COMMA NATHANIEL BOYD

Born Jan. 18, 1860, Sheffield, Ill. f. Nathaniel Boyd, 1820. m. Mary Ann Cummings, Kt., 1831.

Farmer. Philomathean. Capt. Base Ball team two years. Capt. Farming; breeder of thoroughbred Hereford cattle.

Married Addie M. Humphreys, June 2, 1890, Sheffield, Ill. *Children*, Roland H. Boyd, born Aug. 16, 1891; Edith, born Feb. 26, 1893; Stanton H., born Dec. 26, 1895; Marian C. Boyd, born July 30, 1897.

Address, Sheffield, Ill.

**C. N. BOYD, 73, OF
SHEFFIELD DEAD**

**Organized First University of
Illinois Baseball Nine in
Student Days.**

Sheffield, June 7. — Commodore Nathaniel Boyd, 73, died of pneumonia at 4 this morning in the Kewanee public hospital, where he was taken ten days ago for treatment for a misplaced vertebra, jarred loose when he fell at his home at that time.

He was born Jan. 17, 1861, on the Boyd farm a mile east of Sheffield, son of Nathaniel and Mary Anna Cummings Boyd. His parents lived there several years before his birth and Mr. Boyd spent his entire lifetime on that farm, with exception of the time he was attending the university.

Organized 1st Team

The decedent was graduated from Sheffield high school in 1877 and from University of Illinois in 1881. While at the university he organized the first baseball team to represent University of Illinois and was captain and manager of the team. He was active in various athletic events while at the university and kept his interest throughout his life. When the new stadium at the university was dedicated the old time athletes were called back and Mr. Boyd, who was one of the oldest, received the first letter of award given to the old time athletes. He was a classmate of Prof. A. N. Talbot of University of Illinois and Dr. James E. Armstrong, retired principal of Inglewood high school in Chicago. Mr. Boyd was the oldest member of Sheffield high school alumni at time of his death.

Name:	Commadore Boyd
Birth Date:	17 Jan 1861
Birth Place:	Sheffield, Ills
Death Date:	7 Jun 1934
Death Place:	Kewanee, Henry, Illinois
Burial Date:	9 Jun 1934
Burial Place:	Concord, Bareau, Ills
Cemetery Name:	Sheffield
Death Age:	73
Occupation:	Farmer
Race:	White
Marital status:	W
Gender:	Male
Residence:	Sheffield, Ills.
Father Name:	Nathaniel Boyd
Father Birth Place:	Ohio
Mother Name:	Mary Ann Cummins
Mother Birth Place:	Ohio
Spouse Name:	Adie Boyd
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