

Do you or anyone else have a box for the game Bruce Allardice referred to in his [BRJ] article, that being the one with the highest combined score (148-139 for Toronto vs. Hamilton on Sep 24 1864)? I have not been able to locate the right issue of *Wilkes' Spirit of the Times* (Oct 8th it appears) online to see if it has the box, and I found no mention of the game in either the *Globe* or the *Hamilton Times*. I wonder if the date is correct? ML 28Jul2020

I pursued it with Bob Tholkes. He says the *Spirit of the Times* account lists only the two teams and the score, but no box score. I too tried to find a box in local papers and nothing turned up. The only other possibility is the *Spectator*, which I wish was available digitally. It could be a joke, could be a kid's game, could be the last roundup for the Canadian game...could be an enduring mystery. BH 28Jul2020

I've also never been able to locate any further documentation on this game, and it may indeed be spurious. ML28Jul2020