

1970 BASEBALL

Won 19 Lost 17 Tied 2

Eastern League: Won 6 Lost 7 Tied 1 (5th place)

0 Florida Southern 4 (Lakeland, Fla.)	11 *Columbia 0 (Ithaca)
11 Fairfield U. 0 (Tampa)	8 *Columbia 2 (Ithaca)
8 Fairfield U. 0 (Tampa)	5 Cortland 6 (Ithaca)
7 Chicago U. 4 (Winter Park)	4 *Harvard 7 (Cambridge)
0 Rollins 2 (Winter Park)	2 *Dartmouth 3 (Hanover)
8 Brown 8 (Winter Park)	2 *Dartmouth 3 (Hanover)
4 St. Leo 5 (St. Leo)	12 Syracuse 11 (Ithaca)
13 Chicago U. 1 (Winter Park)	5 *Brown 2 (Ithaca)
0 Stetson U. 14 (Deland)	8 *Yale 3 (Ithaca)
6 Rollins 3 (Winter Park)	6 *Yale 3 (Ithaca)
2 Brown 6 (Winter Park)	3 Buffalo U. 9 (Ithaca)
0 East Stroudsburg 1 (Ithaca)	6 *Princeton 1 (Ithaca)
6 Fordham 4 (Bronx)	8 Montclair St. 4 (Ithaca)
1 *Army 2 (West Point)	4 Montclair St. 1 (Ithaca)
6 *Army 8 (West Point)	4 Rochester 2 (Rochester)
2 Scranton 4 (Ithaca)	12 Rochester 2 (Rochester)
4 *Pennsylvania 4 (Philadelphia)	8 Hartwick 7 (Ithaca)
1 *Navy 2 (Annapolis)	4 Syracuse 1 (Syracuse)
2 *Navy 3 (Annapolis)	3 Syracuse 4 (Syracuse)

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Batting leaders (at least 8 hits)

	Ga	AB	R	H	2b	3b	HR	RBI	Ave.
Tom Boettcher (so, ss, Madison, Wis.).....	38	135	24	42	12	0	4	31	.311
Fred Hoge (so, 1b, Drexel Hill, Pa.).....	38	130	18	40	7	0	1	27	.308
Pete Watzka (jr, 3b, Kingston, NY).....	38	133	29	40	6	2	1	19	.301
Bob Witkoski (jr, 2b, Tonawanda, NY).....	37	131	26	38	8	2	1	12	.290
Ed Mahoney (sr, rf, Kenmore, NY).....	38	122	17	34	7	3	1	17	.279
Jim Plikey (so, of-p, Kenmore, NY).....	35	103	19	24	4	2	1	9	.233
Stu Rivchin (sr, of-1b, Loudonville, NY).....	34	73	15	7	3	1	1	10	.233
Mike Kozel (so, 1f-cf, Stowe, Pa.).....	27	46	8	10	3	0	1	5	.217
Ed Kosteva (jr, c, Kingston, Pa.).....	34	89	9	18	2	1	3	17	.202
Tom Barry (so, 1f, Pittsfield, Mass.).....	26	50	9	8	0	0	1	4	.160

Cornell team totals.....38 1171 197 303 58 11 17 168 .259

Opponent team totals.... 1150 147 262 50 4 16 123 .228

Pitching

	Ga	W	L	IP	R	ER	H	SO	BB	ERA
Tom MacLeod (sr, R, St. Louis, Mo.)	17	7	6	100	1/3	26	18	72	80	24 1.61
Tom Faber (jr, R, Bay Village, O.)	7	3	1	44		15	12	31	26	23 2.45
Jim Pilkey (so, L, Kenmore, NY)	2	0	1	6	2/3	5	2	4	9	11 2.70
John Geise (jr, L, Elmira, NY)	11	4	4	58	1/3	30	20	55	25	24 3.09
Scott Schnuck (so, R, St. Louis, Mo.) ...	3	0	1	14	2/3	8	6	11	4	7 3.68
Bob Nelson (jr, L, Massapequa, NY)	11	1	1	31	1/3	19	14	33	24	11 4.02
Bill Neilson (so, R, Kenmore, NY)	8	2	3	22	2/3	21	13	27	17	20 5.13
John Dougherty (so, R, Pittsburgh, Pa.)..	9	2	0	26	1/3	23	16	29	21	15 5.72

In 9th season under Ted Thoren, Big Red had 6th straight winning record...In '69 the mark was 18-11 (20-11 with exhibition wins) with 6-3 in league and 2nd place finish; the '67 team was 20-8, matching all-time Cornell high for victories...This year's team won 11 of last 13 games including last four in league.

Witkoski captain-elect for '71...MacLeod won Al Sharpe MVP award; Rivchin named club's most improved player, Hoge won Cornell Club of Ithaca "most durable player" award...Witkoski had .964 fielding ave. with 6 errors in 169 chances.

MacLeod named by coaches to All-Eastern Intercollegiate League first team...2nd team selections were Hoge and Mahoney...In '69, Watzka and Witkoski were named to 1st team at 3b and ss.

In league statistics MacLeod was 3-3 with all losses by one run and had ERA of 1.71, 3rd best in circuit...In batting, Hoge placed 7th with .364 (16x44) and Boettcher 10th with .356 (16x45)...Boettcher was in three-way tie for most doubles with 6. Other league winners were Faber (2-0) and Geise (1-2).

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