Legion, Packers And Bombers Softball Winners

Canada Packers moved into first place in the City Softball League yesterday evening by defeating the Basilica Youth Club 9-8 in a well played game on the Knights of Columbus Diamond.

The Canadian Legion and the Bowery Bombers also gained ground in the league standings. The Legion defeated the Guardian Angels 21-18 and the Bombers downed the City Slickers 30-6.

Henry Gauthier pitched for the Packers as they took over the League lead from the B. Y. C. Wally Shephard worked on the mound for the B.Y.C.

Shephard hit two home runs for the B.Y.C. while Jack Campbell and Gerard Burge each hit one. S. Downe poled two four-masters for Canada Packers.

The B.Y.C. were leading 8-7 going into the seventh and final inning but first baseman Downe and Jim Gauthier came up with single runs to put the Packers ahead to stay.

Home runs were the order of the day as the Bombers defeated the City. Tiger Bradley connected for two while Lou Costello, Lester Taylor and Jim Hughes hit one each for the Bombers. George Scantlebury homered for the City.

Jim Hughes pitched for the Bombers and picked up the win.

Earl Nicholson pitched the Legion to victory over the Guardian Angels in a game that had more than its share of errors. The Legion won the game with a five run outbreak in the first of the seventh inning.

Gene Ward led all batters with four hits in four trips to the plate. Reg Hughes of the Angels and Rollie Murnaghan of the Legion each hit triples.

Leo Doyle handled the Guardian-Legion game while John Richard worked the C. Packers-B.Y.C. contest.

Lineups:

C. Packers—F. Trainor 1b, F. Gauthier lf, R. Hurry rf, A. MacKinnon c, S. Downe 1b, J. Gauthier 3b, P. McIntyre ss, J. MacLeod cf, H. Gauthier p.

B. Y. C.—G. Joseph 3b, A. Coady 1b, E. Kays cf, W. Shephard p, G. Burge lf, R. McCluskey rf, J. Thistle ss, B. Kelly 2b, J. Campbell c.

Legion—V. Blanchard c, B. Whalen rf, R. Murnaghan lf, E. Nicholson p, M. Goodwin 3b, T. Strain 1b, I. Connors ss, J. Thistle 2b, MacDonald cf.

Guardian—G. Ward c, B. Acorn 2b, G. Schleyer rf, R. Hughes 3b, c, M. Longaphie 1b, D. Burge cf, B. MacLean lf, B. Wright ss, D. Doyle, p, H. Hartinger 2b.

Bombers—M. Monaghan, M. Connolly, L. Costello, D. MacCallum, T. Bradley, J. Gallant, L. Taylor, J. MacKay, J. Hughes.

City—G. Scantlebury, B. MacDonald, D. White, B. Pryor, J. Haughey, B. Ledwell, J. MacAuley, P. Vail, Clarkin.

Linescores:

C Parkers	052 000 2—9
B. Y. C.	204 101 0—8

H. Gauthier and A. MacKinnon; W. Shephard and J. Campbell.

Legion	005 092 5—21
Guardian	103 724 1—18

Nicholson and Blanchard; D. Doyle and G. Ward. R. Hughes (5).

Bombers	335 617 5—30
City	130 001 1— 6

J. Hughes and L. Taylor.

Milwaukee Braves In 14-9 Triumph Over The Mighty Brooklyn Dodgers

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

The power-hitting Milwaukee Braves finally are convincing the baseball world that they have a rightful place in the National League hierarchy.

Ever since the transplanted sixth-placers from Boston got of to their flying start in the spring, the experts have been waiting for them to fold. And their series against Brooklyn this week seemed the logical time.

But the Braves pulled into Ebbets Field and kept right on clobbering the opposition. On Wednesday they even spotted the mighty Dodgers a 7-2 lead and went on to whip them 14-9. So the National League champions, who started the series in first place, dropped 1½ games back of Milwaukee after two straight defeats and started wondering about their future.

Six Brooklyn pitchers shared the brunt of the Brave attack as the winners put together a six-run fifth inning and a five-run eight. Eddie Mathews, Jim Pendleton and Andy Pafko, the last two former Dodger hirelings, blasted home runs to pace their 17-hit attack.

New York Giants gave rookie Daryl Spencer another chance at the third-base job and it paid off. The youngster, whose hitting hasn't always measured up to expectations, produced two homers to ease Larry Jansen to an 11-3 victory over Cincinnati Reds. Davey Williams helped out with a homer and triple, good for three runs.

In the American League, the front-running New York Yankees staged an even more impressive slugging bee, pounding Chicago White Sox for 19 hits and an 18-2 vicitory, the fifth without a setback for Whitey Ford.

Mickey Mantle got only one safety but was credited with four runs batted in when he walked twice with the bases loaded and nudged in another tally on a fielder's choice.

Philadelphia Athletics profited from two homers by Gus Zernial to subdue Detroit Tigers 10-7.

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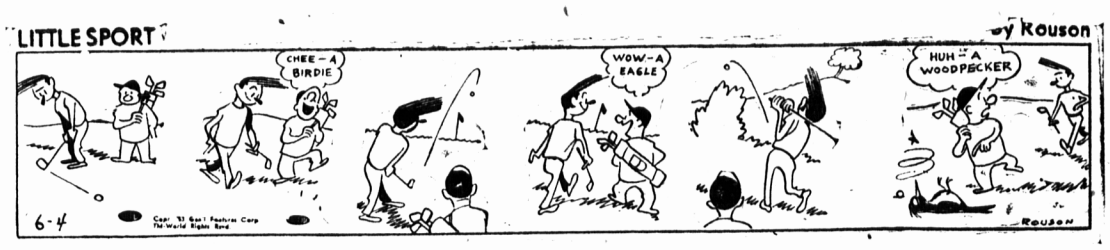


Baseball Results

(By The Canadian Press)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	320 514 210—18 19 3
Chicago	000 110 000— 2 11 3

Ford, Miller (8) and Silvera, Houk (8); Keegan, Dobson (2), Consuegra (4), Kretlow (8) and Lollar, Wilson (5).

W: Ford; L: Keegan. HR: New York, Noren.

Philadelphia	201 100 501—10 12 2
Detroit	000 004 111— 7 14 1

Martin, Bishop (6) and Astroth; Herbert, Harrist (6), Madison (7-, Erickson (9) and Batts.

W: Bishop; L: Madison. HRs: Philadelphia, Zernial (2); Detroit, Friend, Nieman.

Boston	001 000 003—4 7 1
Cleveland	002 000 010—3 6 2

Hudson, Kinder (8) and White; Wynn, Hooper (9) and Hegan.

W: Kinder; L: Wynn. HR: Cleveland, Rosen.

Washington	001 010 000 1—3 9 1
St. Louis	000 010 001 0—2 9 0

Schmitz, Masterson (9) and Fitzgerald; Larsen, Paige (10) and Courtney, Moss (10).

W: Masterson; L: Paige.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Milwaukee	002 065 050—14 17 2
Brooklyn	025 000 200— 9 12 1

Bickford, Johnson (3), Buhl (5), Antonelli (7), Burdette (8) and Crandall; Erskine, Black (5), Milliken (5), Hughes (7), Wade (8), Labine (9) and Campanella.

W: Antonelli; L: Wade. HRs: Milwaukee, Mathews. Pendleton, Pafko.

Cincinnati	200 010 000— 3 9 2
New York	031 122 20x—11 13 1

Nuxhall, King (5), Smith (7) and Landrith; Jansen and Noble.

L: Nuxhall. HRs: New York, Spencer (2), Williams.

St. Louis	001 201 100—5 6 1
Philadelphia	200 100 000—3 7 0

Mizell, Brazle (7) and D. Rice; Simmons, Ridzik (8) Hansen (9) and Lopata.

WP: Mizell. LP: Simmons.

HRs: St. Louis-Bilko, Repulski; Philadelphia-Hamner.

Chicago	000 000 000—0 7 0
Pittsburgh	000 100 00x—1 5 1

Hacker and McCullough; Lapalme and Sandlock.

Second:

St. Louis	201 010 100—5 11 0
Philadelphia	200 120 01x—6 8 2

Clark, Miller (1), White (5), Brazle (7), Staley (8), and D. Rice; Drews, Peterson (6), Ridzik (7), Hansen (9) and Burgess. Lopata (9).

W: Ridzik; L: Brazle. HRs: St. Louis, Hemus, Schoendienst.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Buffalo	010 100 000—2 7 1
Toronto	000 000 000—0 6 2

Foytack and Lakeman; Fahr, Hogue (9) and Keller.

LP: Fahr.

Baltimore	030 202 050—12 13 2
Springfield	010 000 000— 1 5 3

Sanford and Tabacheck; Willis, Long (8) and Meek.

LP: Willis.

Syracuse	000 041 000—5 13 0
Ottawa	100 100 002—4 7 5

Hartley and Partee; Harrington, Hrabscak (8) and Watlington.

Rochester	100 013 300—8 10 3
Montreal	000 000 021—3 3 2

Reeder and Rapp; Alexander, Fabbro (6), Mills (9) and Yelen.

Baseball Standings

By The Canadian Press

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Montreal	25	14	.641
Rochester	20	14	.588
Toronto	23	18	.561
Ottawa	21	21	.500
Buffalo	17	19	.472
Baltimore	18	21	.462
Syracuse	17	21	.447
Springfield	11	24	.314

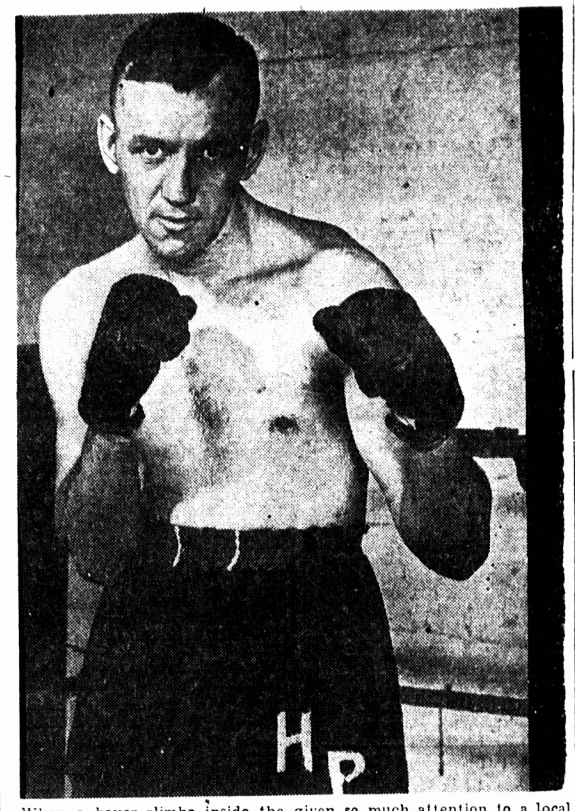
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	29	11	.725
Cleveland	23	16	.590
Chicago	25	20	.556
Washington	24	21	.533
Boston	22	22	.500
Philadelphia	19	24	.442
St. Louis	19	25	.432
Detroit	10	32	.238

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Milwaukee	27	13	.675
Brooklyn	27	16	.628
Philadelphia	22	15	.595
St. Louis	24	17	.585
New York	20	20	.500
Pittsburgh	15	28	.349
Cincinnati	13	25	.342
Chicago	12	26	.316

Poulton Greatest Island Boxer Since McKenna



When a boxer climbs inside the ropes to fight in a main bout there are usually two categories in which he may be placed. He may be a powerfullly built, tough looking fighter who can neither box or punch. Or he may be a gentle-faced lad who looks like a store clerk or book-keeper but with plenty of boxing skill and the owner of knockout drops in his fist. Harry Poulton the courageous fellow who outfought infantile paralysis to become Canada's top middleweight is of the latter category.

Born in Charlottetown on Aug. 10, 1926, Harry got into the fight game when he used to watch his buddies box and decided to take a crack at the sport himself. That is, after he knew it would be impossible to participate in other sports because of a deformed right leg.

So in 1942 at the age of 15 Harry had his first pro fight with a kayo over Pat Sullivan in the 2nd round at the old "Sporting Club."

Harry had 20 straight wins before he was defeated by "Dick" Howard (now fighting out of New York) in 1945. The next year Poulton won the Island lightweight title by defeating Mike Reddin. Harry met the best in the Maritimes before winning the Maritime title in 1951 against Tommy Spencer at Halifax. He fought Pat Davis, Red Graham, Roger Whynot, Blaine Haydin, Sailor McKinnon, Arnold Fleiger, Yvon Durelle and Howard Leslie. After losing the title to Spencer at New Glasgow he regained it from Kid Adshade, who won the title by a kayo over Spencer in 1952.

Then in January of this year Harry moved to Calgary to fight for promoter Ernie Farr. Poulton made a great hit with the Calgary fight fans. He was rated the smartest boxer ever to show in the West.

In Harry's last fight with Lou Lawrence for the Western Canadian middleweight title, Lawrence won a much disputed decision. Poulton's handlers wanted to protest the decision to the commission but Harry would have no part of it. Harry said "we'll settle this in the ring". Harry hopes to meet Lawrence after his fight with Durelle.

Asked to comment on Gil Edwards' statement, the modest Poulton just said, "I try to do my fighting in the ring. Let Edwards make the predictions." But Tom McCluskey, trainer of Poulton say: "True, Edwards is a very promising young fighter and has fought some of the best young boxers in the world, but the New York type of boxer is, to stand up and slug type, hit and be hit. It will be Edwards the crude boxer with the K.O. punch against a boxing wizard with a punch. Also a fighter with far more experience than anybody Edwards has fought yet."

Promoter Ivan Doherty stated last night that the "fight fans of P.E.I. were very fortunate in getting the Edwards - Poulton scrap." This will answer the favorite question of Island fight fans—Why is Poulton meeting such a good man with the Durelle fight coming up?

Here's Ivan: "Harry Poulton was at first reluctant in meeting Edwards, I was ready to call the fight off when I had a 'phone call from Harry saying he would go through with the fight. Poulton had an offer from New York if he got by Edwards he would be given main bout billing in New York against the best in the world."

This is Harry's most important fight, much more important than the Canadian title.

Never before has the Island given so much attention to a local fighter. It wasn't until Poulton went to Calgary that the people really realized that they had the greatest Island fighter since Jack McKenna.

Among the 100 or so fighters that Harry has met he rates the following as the 10 best:

1. Lou Lawrence, Vancouver.
2. Arnold Fleiger, Chatham.
3. Tommy Matthews, Detroit.
4. Dick Howard, Halifax.
5. Yvon Durelle, Baie Ste. Anne.
6. Sailor McKinnon, Montreal.
7. Claude Fortin, Montreal.
8. Dick Wolfe, Klanath Falls, Ore.
9. Kid Adshade, Glace Bay.
10. Ray Reed, Holyoke, Mass.

Baseball Schedule; Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK, (AP) — Probable pitchers for Thursday's major league games (won-lost records in parentheses):

National League

Chicago at Pittsburgh: Minner (2-4) vs. Pettit (1-2).

Milwaukee at Brooklyn: Surkont (6-0) vs. Loes (6-2).

Cincinnati at New York: Raffensberger (1-6) vs. Maglie (3-2).

St. Louis at Philadelphia (night) Miller (0-1) vs. Konstanty (4-2) or Ridzik (0-0).

American League

New York at Chicago Raschi (3-3) vs. Pierce (5-3).

Washington at St. Louis (night) Masterson (2-6) vs. Trucks (5-2).

Philadelphia at Detroit (2) Scheib (1-2) and Fricano (1-0) vs. Gray (0-6) and Hoeft (3-2).

Boston at Cleveland: Hudson (1-4) vs. Lemon (5-5).

Canadiana To Race In The U.S.

TORONTO, (CP) — Canadiana, the country's champion three-year-old filly, will be sent to the United States soon to start campaigning on American tracks.

The bay thoroughbred, which won the 94th renewal of the $20,000-added Queen's Plate here Tuesday, is well booked for stake races. Her first big one is the $25,000-added Gazelle Stakes June 24 at Aqueduct Park in New York.

The departure of Canadiana, owned by industrialist E. P. Taylor of Toronto, will leave the three-year-old division in Canada wide open between the horses that finished behind her in the 1 1-8-mile Plate run. Many Plate entrants will go to the post in the Quebec Queen's Plate.

CHURCH WAS READY

AUCKLAND, N. Z., (CP) — A young couple due to be married at Maramarua were highly alarmed a week before the wedding when they found there was no church. The church, being fabricated in Auckland, was transported bodily to the site and was ready for the wedding with two days to spare.

Abbie Intermediates And Juniors Play Tonight

Tom MacFarlane's Junior Abbies make their first start of the season in the Island Baseball League this evening and it looks as though they will be meeting the cream of the City crop when they take to the field against their older brothers the Intermediate Abbies.

Benny Carson, the talented young lefthander of MacFarlane's mound staff will give the Intermediate's the fastest pitching they have looked at this season and if Carson's fast ball is hopping under the lights the Intermediates will have to work to continue their winning streak.

Manager Danny MacCormack who has his intermediates on the top of the Island League circuit will go with either lefthander Jack Ready or righthander Cyril Smith.

The game will get underway at 7.30 and the lights will be turned on shortly after the game starts.

City Softball League Standings

Following are the standings in the City Softball League:

	P	W	L	T	Pts.
C. Packers	6	4	1	1	9
B. Y. C.	6	4	2	0	8
Guardian	6	3	2	1	7
Dairymen	5	3	2	0	6
Legion	5	2	3	0	4
L. Y. C.	5	2	3	0	4
Bombers	5	2	3	0	4
Jaycees	5	2	3	0	4
City	5	1	4	0	2

Stull Wins Player Of Week Award

Sonny Stull was voted the winner of the player of the week award in the City Softball League last week for his one hit pitching effort against the City Slickers. The selection was made last night at the weekly meeting of the City Softball League executive.

The Basilica Youth Club released Stull to the City Slickers at last night's meeting. However Stull will not be able to pitch for another two games on account of a three game suspension he was handed Monday evening after being ejected from a game.

John Richard and Bill Murphy were appointed to the officiating staff of the League. The executive also decided that the Parkdale Diamond would be ruled out of play until it was made ready for use.

The final registration of the teams took place last night. All teams with the exception of the Sunshine Island Dairy added to their lists.

Canada Packers were awarded last Sunday's game from the City when the latter team used an ineligible player. The Junior Chamber of Commerce were awarded a game from the Sunshine Island Dairy when the latter failed to field a team and then failed to protest properly.

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Abbie Intermediates In 3-1 Win Over Holman's

—The Abbie Intermediates defeated Holman's Intermediates 3-1 in a regular baseball league fixture at the Queen Elizabeth ball park in Summerside last evening. The game went the full nine innings and featured some very fine pitching from both sides, two unusually long home runs from the bats of Eddie Lund and Joe Coyle, and a brilliant one-hand stab by fleet-footed Gordie MacKay back of second base to rob Buck Whitlock of a base hit after his scorching grounder looked sure to go through the hole between MacKay and the second baseman in the eighth inning.

Johnny Sniezek, a newcomer to Island baseball, went the route for Abbies, allowing only three hits, one of them a scratch single by Farmer which took a bad hop in front of the mound.

Ray (Giblets) Arsenault, Summerside veteran hurler, worked well for three innings, but the hefty bats of Whitlock, Lund and Coyle found the range in the fourth and Arsenault was shelled from the slab. Donnie Simmons relieved him, and pitched gilt-edged ball for the remaining five innings, giving up only one hit, and striking out nine. Sneizek had whiffed 11 in nine innings.

Allison Farmer made a nice running catch in right field of Sneizek's fly in the third, grabbing the ball as he crossed the foul line. There were two pretty double plays. Sneizek grabbed Gay's line drive to double off Farmer at first in the second, and Simmons took Howatt's hopper in the ninth, whipped to MacKay who snuffed out Coyle, then pivoted to double Howatt at first.

BOX SCORE

Abbies	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
J. Cairns, 2b	4	0	0	3	0	0
C. Kennedy, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	1
J. Ready, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
B. Whitlock, ss	4	1	1	2	2	2
C. Ryan, c	4	0	0	10	1	1
E. Lund, 1b	4	1	2	10	0	0
J. Coyle, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
H. Howatt, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
J. Sneizek, p	3	0	0	1	9	0
Totals	33	3	5	27	14	4

Holman's	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
G. MacKay, ss	4	1	0	1	4	0
M. Delaney, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1
H. Gallant, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
B. Grady, 2b	4	0	1	0	2	1
A. Farmer, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
G. Gay, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
M. McInnis, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
R. Landry, c	1	0	0	5	1	0
R. Arsenault, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
xG. Bernard, c	2	0	0	5	0	0
xxJ. Grady, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
xxxD. Simmons, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	31	1	3	27	14	2

x—Replaced Gallant in 6th.
xx—Replaced Landry in fifth.
xxx—Replaced Arsenault in 5th.

Summary

RBI's: Lund 2, Coyle. Earned runs: Abbies 3, Holman's 0. Stolen base: Delaney. Doubles: Ready. Home runs: Lund, Coyle. Walks: Simmons 2, Sneizek 3. Strikeouts: Simmons 9, Sneizek 11. Hits: Off Sneizek, 3 in 9 innings; off Arsenault, 4 in 4 innings; off Simmons, 1 in 5 innings. Double plays: Simmons to MacKay to Gay; Sneizek to Lund. Wild pitch: Simmons. Passep balls: Landry 2, Bernard. Losing pitcher: Arsenault.

Umpires: Plate, Phillips; bases, Lewis, Allen.

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