Roberto Clemente Streaks Into NL Runner-Up Spot

By BEN OLAN

NEW YORK (AP) — Roberto Clemente must be feeling more kindly toward National League umpires if the Pittsburgh outfielder's surging batting average is any indication.

The veteran slugger, who won the league's batting championship two years ago, was suspended for five days and fined $250 last May 29 for jostling umpire Bill Jackowski following a close play at first base.

"Every year I lose 15 or 20 points on close plays at first base," Clemente moaned at the time. "This is the worst year for umpiring."

This is liable to be Clement's best year at the plate. He streaked into second place in the batting competition Sunday with a .335 average and trails pace-setter Dick Groat of St. Louis by only a single point.

The Pirates' star lifted his average 22 points in last week's games by collecting 14 hits in 29 times at bat, a .483 pace. Groat, who was third a week ago, picked up three points to .336 with seven hits in 19 tries.

Tommy Davis of Los Angeles Dodgers dropped from first to third with a .332 mark. He fell seven points with six hits in 22 at bats. Bill White of St. Louis remained in the No. 4 spot despite a five-point drop to .325 while Maury Wills of the Dodgers and Wes Covington of Philadelphia are tied for fifth at .324.

MALZONE LEADS

In the American league, Boston's Frank Malzone took over sole possession of the lead with a .347 average while Al Kaline of Detroit, last week's co-leader, slipped to third at .328. Kaline collected only one hit in 18 tries and lost 21 points. Malzone lost two points with an 11-for-33 performance.

Leon Wagner of Los Angeles Angels moved into the runner-up position at .333. He picked up one point with 8-for-23.

Floyd Robinson of Chicago White Sox held fourth place although he lost five points to .325. Carl Yastrezemski of Boston climbed into fifth place at .316. He picked up 19 points with 13 hits in 28 times at bat, a .464 pace.

Hank Aaron of Milwaukee slammed three homers to lift his National League leading total to 21. He also is the top man in runs batted in with 54.

Dick Stuart of the Red Sox hit a pair of home runs and tied Minnesota's Bob Allison for the American League lead. Each has 17. Malzone, Allison, Kaline and Wagner are deadlocked for the RBI lead with 49.

Whitlock's Stars Whip Rovers 6-3

Buck Whitlock's Stars climbed out of the City Baseball League cellar last night at Memorial Field when they defeated Rovers 6-3. In absoring the loss the Bill Davis-coached Rovers took over bottom position in the league standings.

Donnie 'Funnel' MacLean, handling the mound chores for the losers, scattered six hits over the nine-inning contest. The longest hit given up by MacLean, a double, was poled by leadoff bater Ian MacDonald in the first inning. MacDonald eventually scored along with teammate MacInnis, who had drawn a base on balls.

The losers counted their only other run in the eighth inning, MacDonald again the culprit, slashing a single, taking the next two bases on an error and steaming home on a passed ball.

MacLean fanned seven and walked two.

Stan Rose fired a fine five-hitter in a losing cause. Rose was pitching 2-hit ball going into the seventh inning but in this frame the Stars garnered three singles. The three hits along with an error accounted for three runs. The winners had put together a three run rally in the third inning.

Rose walked two and struck out none.

Ian MacDonald was top sticker of the game slashing three hits in four appearances. Leading batter for the Stars was Billy Pilcher with two singles in four trips.

Bill Coughlin called the balls and strikes with George Chipman, Ed Savidant and Jimmy Allan handling the bases.

This evening at 6.15 Flyers play host to the Dodgers.

Here are the standings including last night's contest:—

	W	L	Pts.
Flyers	3	1	.750
Dodgers	2	2	.500
Stars	2	3	.400
Rovers	1	3	.250

AAU Of C Announces Track Meet Dates

SUMMERSIDE —This summer's track and field program, including 11 competitive meets for P.E.I., has been announced by the Prince Edward Island branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

All told, 21 meets, including both local and nation-wide competitions, have been announced by the Island AAU, with the first large scale meet scheduled for St. Lambert, Que., this weekend, the Eastern Canadian Senior Championships.

The first Island meet is set for Thursday, July 4, a twilight meet at Summerside. Charles Ballem, provincial chairman of the AAU of C, will be meet coordinator.

Prince Edward Island's two most attractive meets, the Maritime Invitational at Summerside on July 17, and the open provincial championships at Charlottetown on August 31, are now being organized and should provide some top flight competitions.

Following is a schedule of upcoming meets:

June 28-29 — Eastern Canadian Senior Championships, St. Lambert, Que.

July 1 — Hantsport Invitation meet.

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July 4 — Twilight meet, Summerside.

July 5-6 — AAU of C National championships, Saskatoon.

July 10 — Provincial Allied Youth field day.

July 13 — Orange Tea field day — Crapaud.

July 17 — Maritime Invitation — Summerside.

July 19-20 — Antigonish Highland Games.

July 23 —Prince County 4-H Club field day.

July 25 — Kings County 4-H Club field day.

July 26 and 27 — Eastern Canadian age class championships, Saint John.

July 30 — Queens County 4-H Club field day.

August 3 — New Glasgow Invitation.

August 7 — Caledonia Games, Lord Selkirk park.

August 10 — Truro Invitation meet.

August 14 — Charlottetown twilight meet.

August 17 — Greenwood Invitation.

August 23-24 — National age class championships, Waterloo.

August 31 — PEI AAU of C open championships, Charlottetown.

Sept. 11 and 12 — Dundas Plowing Match meet.

Susick, Rogers Head For Bisley

By STUART LAKE

OTTAWA (CP) — The commanding officer of the 1963 Canadian team which will match shots with the finest riflemen in the Commonwealth next month at Bisley, England, said Monday he has "the best possible material" with which to bring back some of the main prizes from the annual national rifle association matches.

Capt. A. Graham Bridgman, 40, of Outremont, Que., the first navy officer in charge of a Canadian Bisley team, was speaking at a dinner held in honor of the 19 riflemen who were to leave for England later in the day.

"Our primary purpose is to shoot well enough to bring back our fair share of the prizes," he said.

"But we also realize we are ambassadors of Canada and I hope we will enhance the prestige of our country while we are away."

Defence Minister Paul Hellyer, who inspected the team on the lawns in front of the Parliament buildings Monday morning, said the marksmen "are a fine body of men."

CHOSEN AFTER MATCH

The Canadian team was shosen from the top scorers of the annual Dominion of Canada Rifle Association matches held in August last year at nearby Connaught Ranges.

Members of the Canadian team include CPO H. M. Oliver, Smith's Cove, N.S., Pte. John W. Thompson, Stellarton, N.S., LAC G. R. Harper, Chatham, NB., WO2 C. F. Fowler, Saint John, N.B., Flt. Sgt. M P Susick, Summerside, P.E.I., Maj J W Houlden, Beaconsfield, Que and S. Sgt. Fred Jermey and L-Cpl. G. B. W. Ling, both of Montreal.

Team adjutant is Lieut. George J. Rogers of Charlottetown and the armorer is Sgt. J. M. Watt of Montreal.

HAD BIG PAYROLL

The total 1962 payroll of all governments in Canada — federal, provincial and municipal—was $1,844,000,000.

BASEBALL SCORES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American League

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SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Exciting Baseball

ANYBODY who was worrying about the Dodgers after they lost those two first starts in City Baseball League competition can stop right now.

The Dodgers, coached by Irv MacKinnon, threw away their winless ways last weekend, sweeping a pair of decisions from Flyers and Stars.

Dodgers got great pitching from Don 'Pot' MacDonald and Len Ellsworth in these encounters. The opposition hurling was also tops but the Dodgers were able to get the big run in both cases to grab the skirmishes. Carl McQuaid came through with a brilliant six hitter (the game went 12 innings) and lost. George Power had a five inning two-hitter and was on the wrong end.

FANS have surely been treated to some great ball at Memorial Field this season. There hasn't been a poor game since the league swung into action on June 10. The scores have been decidedly close and two of the fixtures were decided in extra innings. The type of ball has attracted a few more persons for each engagement and in a very short time, there should be bumper crowds watching this league headed by baseball veteran, George Francis.

We are amazed at the balance of the league.. We heard small grumblings earlier that some were far too strong and others much too weak. So far this has proved incorrect and we have the feeling that this tightness will continue right through the playoffs.

You Never Know

YOU never know who is going to break up a ball game. **Saturday afternoon young Carl McQuaid was pitching himself a whale of a game when he found himself entering the last of the twelfth with a four hitter. Jack Kane led off with a single but Carl got Bobby Rice on a fly ball to right. Up stepped Roger Goss who had trouble galore with Carl's offerings all afternoon. Roger had been able to get the ball as far as third base where Freddie MacDonald threw him out at first. The other three appearances Rogers went back to the dugout shaking his head. He was a strikeout victim on these other three occasions..**

But in the twelfth, Goss came in there full of confidence. He wanted to atone for those strikeouts he did in sensational fashion. He caught hold of one of McQuaid's pitches and sent it soaring for a two bagger. Jack Kane was losing no time circling the base paths and home he came with the winning run.

Undoubtedly Roger was a mighty happy young man.

Racing At Summerside

SUMMERSIDE Raceway opens its season Wednesday night and the promoters up west naturally are hoping for a good turnout of spectators.

This energetic group of western sportsmen have done a great renovating job around the Summerside plant and things are in excellent shape as the season gets underway.

These repairs cost plenty of money and it's natural that those who put up the cash are hoping to get at least some of it back this season. They really did a terrific job and Summerside Raceway presents a snappy appearance on the eve of the 1963 opening.

Summerside will race each Wednesday night, with the exception of Old Home Week. During the Lobster Carnival celebration, four cards will be presented at this popular speedway. Next Monday, Dominion Day, it is planned to hold afternoon and night cards. Dominion Day has always been Summerside's day and great crowds are usually on hand for this big horse racing program.

We wish the Summerside promoters the very best for the coming season. We congratulate them on their enterprise in getting things in such fine shape and we sincerely hope the public shows its fullest appreciation by patronizing the races in large numbers.

Best of luck, gentlemen.

Plenty Of Racing

IT'S to be a busy week as far as horse racing is concerned.

Last night they went at Charlotteown, Wednesday its Summerside and then back to Charlotteown on Thursday and Saturday. Summerside will get next week off with a real bang with the double bill on Dominion Day.

Horses will have plenty of chances for starts from now on.

MacKenzies Widen Gap

SUMMERSIDE — MacKenzies increased their league lead last night at Queen Elizabeth Park by defeating the RCAF softball team 7-5, but it took one extra inning to do it.

Down three runs going into the last inning, with one out, Steve Phillips walked, McLaren hit a triple, scoring one run, and Gerry Moore blasted a home run to score two more and even the count.

But MacKenzies came back to score two more runs in the top of the eighth, on a double by Jim Jenkins and a home run to left field by Mort Onyett. The Airforce boys had two hits in their half, but were unable to push over a run. A damaging error in centrefield allowed the greenshirts to get a two-run bulge in the sixth.

Both pitchers, Gord Wilkinson for MacKenzies and Bob Hopper for RCAF gave up ten hits. Wilkinson struck out one and walked three, one intentionally to John McLaren in the fifth with runners on second and third. The strategy worked as no runs scored. Hopper struck out one and walked none.

For MacKenzies, Jim Jenkins hit two singles and a double in four trips and Mort Onyett had two singles and a homer in four tries. Coke Grady, Gord Montford, and Gord Wilkinson hit doubles.

For RCAF McLaren hit a triple and single, Steve Phillips a double and single, and Hopper two singles, each in three tries. Larry Boone hit 2 for 4.

The fielding gems were Montford's "off-balance" toss to cut off a run in the fifth, Jim Jenkins "come to papa" catch after a long run in the seventh, and McLaren's smart pick-up of a blazing grounder in the second.

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MacKenzies	000 202 12	7	10	1
RCAF	000 200 30	5	10	3

Umpires — Plate — Woodard; bases — Whitehead.

Fanningbrook Takes Game

Fanningbrook Aces defeated Ft. Augustus 7 to 2 in Southern Queens baseball league action Sunday at Fort Augustus.

Dan MacDonald pitched brilliant ball for the winners, striking out fifteen batters and allowing only one hit.

Earl Hughes and B. Dunn pitched for the losers.

Top batters were Howard Rogerson and J. C. Hendricken with Charlie Rogerson scoring three runs for the winners.

B. Garland garnered the lone hit for the losers.

Next Sunday's action sees Fanningbrook hosting Iona.

Bonshaw Squad Takes Two Wins

Bonshaw captured a double triumph in The Gulf Softball League over the weekend.

In the opener of a twin bill Sunday, Blatch hurled Bonshaw to a 12-3 win over Hope River. Stevenson was charged with the defeat.

Jim MacLeod hit a home run for the winners.

In the afterpiece Hope River again was the victim, this time by a 12-5 score. MacLeod got credit for the win and Stevenson took the loss.

This time Pat MacLean poled out a four-bagger for Bonshaw.

Rifle Matches Go On Weekend

As a prelude to the forthcoming annual provincial prize meet, planned by the Provincial Rifle Association for July 18, to 20, two matches have been lined up for the holiday weekend.

Next Saturday afternoon the regular weekly practice prize match will be held at Squaw Point ranges, with firing getting underway at 1 o'clock. This will be followed on Monday, July 1, with the first big match of the season, the Roger Hardware Company event.

This later match will consist of 15 shots at each of the 300 and 600 yard ranges, giving a possible total of 150 points, firing starts at 8.30 a.m. The purpose of holding the match in the forenoon is to enable the shooters to take part in family outings at the beaches and cottages during the afternoon and evening.

A smaller than average turnout was on hand for last Saturday's event, and when the smoke had cleared a marksman in class two, Tpr Raymond Vessey of York, was top man for the day, scoring 114 out of a possible 125 points.

In class one, three riflemen were tied for top spot, Tpr Hal Jones, Summerside, Sgt. Roy Coles, Milton, and Tpr. Tom Vesey, York, each finished with 113. Following are the leaders in each class:

CLASS ONE

Tpr. H. Jones	113
Sgt. R. L. Coles	113
Tpr. H. T. Vesey	113
Tpr. R. C. Barwise	112
Capt. R. A. McCabe	111
Tpr. P. Taylor	109

CLASS TWO

Tpr. R. A. Vessey	114
Cdt. R. L. Clark	111
Tpr. F. Hooper	110
Miss Lorna Vessey	110

CLASS THREE

Cdt. J. Peake	97
Cdt. S. MacDonald	78

Richardson, Bob Young Fight Tonight

HALIFAX (CP) — Canadian middleweight boxing champion Blair Richardson and former New Engand light-heavyweight title holder Bob Young have arrived here for their 10-round non-title fight tonight (Tuesday).

Richardson, 22, a native of South Bar, N.S., is expected to weigh in at about 164 pounds. Young has contracted to weigh in at 170.

Young said in an interview here that he knows Richardson only by his reputation as a hard hitter. Richardson defended his title here May 4 against Wilfie Greaves of Edmonton and Detroit.

Also on tonight's card, Canadian Junior welter-weight champion Les Sprauge of Amherst and Dartmouth, N.S., and Willie Williams, a New Waterford, N.S., native who fights out of Boston, meet in a 10-rounder.

The bout is a rematch following their May 4 fight here when Williams upset the champion in a non-title six-rounder.

SUMMERSIDE RACEWAY

WED., JUNE 26

RACES 1 & 5 (FIRST HALF OF DAILY DOUBLE) NON WINNERS OF $500 — PURSE $250

1—Senator Don C.; 2—Norah Annway; 3—Miss Ellis; 4—Babe Clegg; 5—Win Barnes; 6—Princes Spangler; 7—Jolly Bud; 8—Frank H. Cavallero. Also eligible: 9—AE Valley Lass; 10—AE Quaker Bennett.

RACES 2 & 6 (SECOND HALF OF DAILY DOUBLE) NON WINNERS OF $1,000 — PURSE $400

1—Echo Ridge Eddy; 2—Chief Ozaukee; 3—Norine Clegg; 4—Elmer C.; 5—Gay Laird; 6—Speaker Pick; 7—Frisco Hanover; 8—Belle Texas. (AE Arturo Hanover; 10—AE Callie Gal).

RACES 3 & 7 QUINELLA NON WINNERS OF $900—PURSE $300

1—Chuck H.; 2—Cyclone Kelly; 3—Direct Strike; 4—Mighty William; 5—Jollity Jim; 6—Rowdy Dow; 7—Audrey's Pride; 8—Rio Grande. Also eligible: 9—AE Little Doctor; 10—AE Zither.

RACES 4 & 8 NON WINNERS OF $2,000 — PURSE $500

1—Meadow General; 2—Victory Scott; 3—Security Scott; 4—Pert Darnley; 5—Ellen Joyce; 6—Post Hanover

SPLITS WITH PRINCESS MARK

Willard's Choice Scores Upset In Feature Event

Princess Mark and Willard's Choice divided honors in last night's feature pace at Charlottetown Driving Park.

Lorne Kelly reined Princess Mark to a 2:11.4 triumph in the first trip of the feature and son Walter stormed home a surprise winner with his Willard's Choice in the final. The time was 2:12.2.

The backers of Willard's Choice in that eighth dash got a return of 59.20 fo revery two dollars invested. It was bv far the top pay of the night.

Real Gold, owned by Don V. MacDonald, Charlottetown, and Philip's Queen, owned by A. E. MacLennan, Summerside were the night's double dash winners. Single dash events were won by Simmac Stable's entry, White Lady, and Doctor Alex in the stable of F. A. and S. A. MacNeill, Summerside.

White Lady grabbed herself a new mark of 2:11.2 in the opening dash of the night as Clarkie Smith reined the four-year-old White Mountain Boy mare to her triumph. This was one of five victories on the program for the young Hunter River driver.

Willard's Choice combined with Philip's Queen for a daily double pay of $50.50. The first double, White Lady and Doctor Alex, was worth $9.10. The quinella of Real Gold and Sky Prince brought a return of $4.70 and the same pair got together for an exactor pay of $4.40.

DASH 1

White Lady (Clarke Smith)	1
Rushaway Chief (J. Hennessey)	2
Moab (J. Jewell)	3
Bert's Queen (L. Kelly)	4
Amigo Mike (S. White)	5
Jolly Bud (W. Craig)	6
Royal Train (W. Downe)	7

Time: 2:11.2.

Pays: 2.20, 2.90.

White Lady owned by Simmac Syndicate Stable, Summerside.

DASH 2

Doctor Alex (D. MacNeill)	1
Verna's Hal (J. MacGregor)	2
Millie's Girl (J. Arsenault)	3
Rowdy Dow (R. McLure)	4
Rose Alda Chief (Cyril Smith)	5
Drillo Hal (L. Kelly)	6
Quaker Bonnet (G. Chappell)	7
Kina Farcry (S. Stead)	8

Time: 2:17.

Pays: 6.00, 3.50, 4.10; 3.50, 4.50, 8.30..

Doctor Alex owned by F. A. and S. A. MacNeill, Summerside.

DASHES 3 and 6

Real Gold (Clarke Smith)	1	1
Sky Prince (Cyril Smith)	2	2
McGee Volo (J. Arsenault)	3	3
Gay Laird (G. Chappell)	4	4
Jean Clegg (S. Stead)	5	dr
Hy Lee Dean (W. Craig)	6	5
Cecil Heromine (Chas. O'Brien)	7	6

Time: 2:12.4, 2:13.1.

Real Gold owned by Donald V. MacDonald, Charlottetown.

Pays: 3rd.—3.10, 2.40, 2.10; 2.50, 2.10; 2.50. 6th.—2.70, 2.10, 2.10; 2.10, 2.10; 2.10.

DASHES 4 and 7

Philip's Queen (Clarke Smith)	1	1
Countess Alice (W.. Downe)	2	2
Denise Ann (G. Chappell)	3	7
Loraine's Watchim (M. O'Brien)	4	4
Abner C. (Chas. O'Brien)	5	5
Winston's Wish (E. Clow)	6	6
Perfect Hal (L. Kelly)	7	8
Dot's Boy (J. Hennessey)	8	3

Times: 2:11.3, 2:11.2.

Philip's Queen owned by A. E. MacLennan, Summerside.

Pays: 4th.—3.80, 3.00, 3.50; 5.30, 4.50; 4.80. 7th.—2.20, 2.40, 2.20; 3.40, 2.50; 3.10.

DASHES 5 and 9

Princess Mark (L. Kelly)	1	5
Just Gary (Claude O'Brien)	2	3
Mighty Warrior (M. O'Brien)	3	4
Willard's Choice (W. Kelly)	4	1
Jolly Abb (E. Bernard)	5	2
Mr.. Duggan (Cyril Smith)	6	dr

Times: 2:11.4, 2:12.2.

Princess Mark owned by Dr. A. Kelly, Bunbury; Willard's Choice owned by Walter Kelly, Bunbury.

Pays: 5th—15.10, 5..20, 5.90; 2.80, 2.60; 7.90. 9th.—59.20, 9.60, 2.80; 4.90, 2.50; 2.40.

Probable Pitchers

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Probable pitchers for today's major league games, won and lost records in parentheses:

American League

Baltimore, Hall (2-2) or McNally (2-2) at Los Angeles, Chance (6-6), (N).

Washington, Stenhouse (3-7) at Kansas City, Segui (2-2), (N).

Detroit, Bunning (4-7) at Minnesota, Stange (1-0), (N).

New York, Terry (7-7) at Chicago, Pizarro (8-3), (N).

Cleveland, Donovan (4-4) and McDowell (3-4) at Boston, Monbouquette (10-4) and Wilson (6 - 6) or Morehead (4 - 5), (Twi.-N).

National League

Chicago, Jackson (8-6) at New York, Hook (3-7), (N).

Philadelphia, Mahaffey (3-9) at Pittsburgh, Francis (3-2), (N).

Los Angeles, Koufax (11-3) at Cincinnati, O'Toole (13-3), (N).

Houston, Drott (2-5) or Nottebart (5-4) at Milwaukee, Cloninger (3-4), (N).

San Francisco, Pierce (1-4) at St. Louis, Sadecki (4-4), (N).

Minor League's Prexy Dies Monday At 73

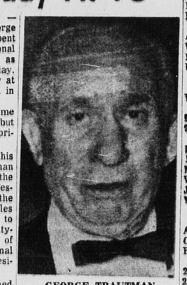
COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Minor leagues' President George M. Trautman, 73, who spent only one day as a professional baseball player but 30 years as an administrator, died Monday.

Services will be Wednesday at St. Alban's Episcopal Church in suburban Bexley.

Trautman had been ill some time with a heart ailment, but this reportedly was not the primary cause of death.

Phil Piton, who became his chief assistant when Trautman took over as president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues (the minors) in 1947, said the rules call for the vice president to succeed automatically. Eighty-year-old Frank Shaughnessy of Montreal, retired International League president, is vice-president of the minors.

Piton also has been mentioned as a possible successor. The regular election meeting had been set for December in San Diego, and Piton said he sees no change in that arrangement now.



GEORGE TRAUTMAN

The possibility of merging the minor league office with the majors under commissioner Ford Frick has been suggested. Some members of the majors have supplied funds to the minors in various ways, claiming the big leagues ought to have more direct control.

In New York, Frick declined any comment on the possibility of the merger.

Minor league baseball, under Trautman's administration, reached a peak of 59 leagues with teams in 448 cities in 1949. At present, 129 cities are represented in 18 leagues.

Two Runs In Eighth Give Lions 8-6 Win

Barry's Lions had to battle into extra innings last evening at the Old Diamond before pulling out an 8-6 victory over Main Brace Mariners.

At the end of the regulation seven innings of play the score was deadlocked at 6-all. The Mariners were unable to score in their half of the eighth but the Lions pushed two runs across the plate in the bottom of the frame to register their second straight win.

Coach and cleanup batter Dick Carroll made his pitching debut a successful one, tossing a nine-hitter at the Mariners. Three of the hits went for extra bases, a double by Wilf Shepherd and a double and triple by Merle Longaphie. Carroll also walked one and sent two down via the strikeout route.

Lloyd 'Teet' Gregory tossed a 7-hitter for the Mariners but received little support from his teammates, six costly errors being committed. Gregory walked one and fanned one.

EARLY LEAD

The Mariners grabbed the lead in the initial stanza when they got to Carroll for four hits, driving three runs acorss the plate. They stayed in front till the bottom of the second, the Lions deadlocking the score at 3-all on two singles and a pair of errors.

Two more Main Brace errors and a single by Butch McGee enabled the Lions to score another two runs in the third. Their other rally came in the fourth once again an error figuring in the play.

Back to back singles by George Trainor and Gregory and a walk by Maurice MacIntyre enabled the Mariners to score a pair of runs in the fourth.

Merle Longaphie smashed a double in the seventh and crossed the plate when Joey LeClair's hit was bobbled for the losers' final run.

Butch McGee and Daryl Doyle paced the Lion attack, each garnering a brace of hits in four trips. Longaphie, Joey LeClair and George Trainor all hit 2-for-4 for the losers.

Bud Lund handled the umpiring chores with Mahar and Rowe handling the bases.

Shamrocks host National Park All-Stars tonight, action starting at 6.30.

Stars Stage Practice Wed.

A practice has been called for Stars Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. Coach Buck Whitlock urges a full turnout.

Angels Crush Firemen 36-20

Guardian Angels, flexing their muscles, pounded opposing pitchers Murley and LeClair for 35 hits last night as they crushed Firemen 36-20 in a regular Commercial Softball League game.

The Angels climaxed an error-riddled game with a 13-run rally in the final frame.

The losers, on the other hand, garnered 16 hits off the combined offerings of Dennis Cosgrove and Gord Fairgrieves.

First-sacker Kelvin Dowling paced the powerful Angel attack with seven hits in as many outings. Dowling slashed six single and a two-bagger.

Tops for the losers was Stull with four hits in six appearances, including a double and a triple.

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