St. Louis Cardinals Defeat Dodgers 14-5 To Revenge Sunday Loss

(By The Canadian Press)

St. Louis Cardinals, who blew a National League game to Brooklyn, took no chances yesterday (Monday) as they hammered four of six Dodger pitchers for 16 hits and a 14-5 victory.

Big guns of the Cards attack were rookie Eddie Kazak and Tommy Glaviano. Kazak drove in five runs with a double and a homer with the bases loaded in a five-run, eighth-inning spree. The homer was belted off reliefer Joe Hatten.

Jackie Robison, with a two-run homer and two singles, paced the 10-hit Dodger assault.

The New York Giants coasted to their seventh straight triumph in a night game, dumping Chicago Cubs 7-2 behind the steady hurling of Sheldon Jones. Sid Gordon and Will Marshall hit some runs for the Giants.

Righthander Vern Bickford pitched Boston Braves into second place with a classy three-hit job, leading the Tribe to a 4-1 victory over Pittsburgh Pirates under the lights.

Cincinnati was rained out at Philadelphia.

The triumph kept the Giants in first place, 1 1-2 games ahead of the National League defending champion Boston Braves.

Jones gave up nine hits to Charley Grimm's tail-enders, but he kept them well-scattered, except for the second and fifth, when the Bruins touched him for their runs.

Grimm sent five hurlers into the game in an effort to stop Leo Durocher's men but, aided by 10 passes, the New Yorkers pecked away at the assorted offerings.

The Pirates dropped from sixth into seventh place.

Bickford struck out six, walked two and retired the last 16 batters in succession.

The three hits off his sharp delivery were doubles. The Bucs parlayed two of them.

Dickson gave up eight hits and three of the Boston runs in the seven innings he pitche.d

Chicago White Sox Hard-hitting Rookie Outfielder

By Jerry Liska

CHICAGO, May 9 — (AP) — "When he gets on a real hitting streak, he'll kill a couple of umpires and knock the boards loose on the fence."

That was Casey Stengel, New York Yankee manager, talking about outfielder Gus (Ozark Ike) Zernial of Chicago White Sox — the strapping 210-pound rookie now batting a sizzling .354.

"His power is amazing. He's liable to flatten an infielder on just a bounder."

Zernial first gained Stengel's admiration in the Pacific Coast League.

Zernial has only two homers to date, while he has hit eight two-baggers, tops in the league.

In 74 trips, the six-foot-three-inch Zernial has poled 28 hits, sharing the league lead in that department with Hank Majeski and Sam Chapman, both of the Athletics.

His .354, through Sunday's game, ranked fifth in the league, but three players ahead of him played in 15 of fewer games, while Zernial has been in 19.

Handsome Gus, who didn't seem to appeal to Cleveland Indians, is amazingly conscientious in a try to become a polished all-round player.

The 25-year-old Zernial broke in with Waycross, Ga., of the class D Florida-Georgia loop in 1942, hitting .286. The next three years he spent in service and then interested Cleveland with a .333 mark with Burlington, N. C., of the class B Carolina circuit in 1946.

The Tribe listed him on its 1947 roster, but released him to Hollywood that season and Gus blossomed out with a .334 average. The Sox bought him, but had to leave him on the West Coast last year when he developed leg trouble in the spring.

Giants Pitching In Special Class

By Murray Rose

NEW YORK, May 9 — (AP) — Right now New York Giants are enjoying about the best pitching in the major leagues.

The hurling has been in the extra special class. In the last nine games not one starter has been knocked out of the box. Two pitchers were taken out for pinch-hitters, five of the last six have gone the distance, and the Giants won all six of those games against western clubs. The relievers have only thrown three innings since April 29.

The boys in the bullpen are beginning to complain of rust gathering on their arms.

The terrific mound work has been paced by the "big four" of Clint Hartung (4-0), Sheldon (Available) Jones (2-3), Montia Kennedy (2-1), and Larry Jansen (2-2). Jansen, right-handed ace of the staff, has finally joined in the fun after a bad start. He won his last two games going the route both times, and lost a shutout Sunday to Frankie Gustine's last-inning homer.

Backing this gilt-edged pitching is an awesome batting lineup with five regulars hitting better than .300. The combination of top pitching, heavy hitting and heads-up ball afield has carried the Giants to six straight victories and the league lead.

The current Giants batting order goes like this: Jack Lohrke .259, Whitey Lockman .304, Sid Gordon .343, Johnny Mize .277, Bobby Thomson .316, Willard Marshall .307, Mickey Livingston .343 and Buddy Kerr .294.

BROOKLYN, May 9—(AP)—Billy Cox, Brooklyn Dodger third baseman, suffered a badly sprained right ankle today during batting practice before the Dodgers' game with St. Louis Cardinals. Dr. Dominic Rossi, club physician, said Cox probably would be back in the line-up in "about a week."

SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES
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Two bowling teams from Charlottetown, one ladies' and one men's, will invade two mainland centres next week in search of bowling titles. The ladies' team is the Charlottetown Capitols, who will compete in the Maritime ladies' candlepin bowling tournament which takes place at Fredericton, N.B., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week against some 12 teams from other leading Maritime centres, while the men's team, the Charlottetown All Stars will compete in a five-day candlepin tournament against some 14 teams for the N.B.-P.E.I. bowling championship which gets underway at Halifax from Monday through Friday. Both teams will leave for their respective destinations by car on Sunday.

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The ladies' team, which will be accompanied by manager-coach Roy MacDonald, is composed of Gertrude Doyle (Capt.), Edna McInnis, Grace Paquet, Adelaide Sentner, Jean Dillon and Kay Jay while the All Stars comprises Jimmy Power (Capt.), Joey MacDonald, Ivan Connors, Frank Acorn, Archie MacFarlane, Pete Harley, Irving MacKinnon and Merle MacKenzie.

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It was learned yesterday that Lloyd Carr, Island lightweight boxing champion, has been signed up to meet Bernie MacKinnon of Kentville, N. S., in a six-round contest at that mainland centre this Saturday, May 14th. The match will be the semi-final attraction on the Tiger Warrington-Bearcat Jackson card.

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Carr, who has been getting in quite a few scraps in Maritime centres of late, has been making a good showing there and has been catching the eye of fight promoters in those circles, and at present has three or more other bouts against mainland fighters lined up for the near future, although most dates have not been definitely set as yet.

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Although Carr's opponent, MacKinnon is a welterweight, and will probably hold a 10 or 15-pound edge over the local fighter, Carr is nevertheless keen about the forthcoming battle, and feels that if he can beat him it will be a good stepping-stone towards getting a crack at some of the better-known lightweights in Maritime fistic circles.

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"Price of admission to sports events gives the fan the right to hoot'n holler, stomp his feet, scream, moan and bite his fingernails." But", says Bill (Niagara Falls Review) Gaynon, "it doesn't include the right to hurl personal insults at players."

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Bill, referring to the exoneration of Leo (Lippy) Durocher who allegedly cuffed a loud-mouthed fan, says: "If his (Durocher's) appearance before Commissioner Chandler did nothing else, it may have the effect of improving living conditions for fandom in general and players in particular, at all major league parks.

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"The Commissioner took a rap at owners claiming that something would have to be done to eliminate flannel-mouthed spectators from hurling insults at players, and all owners would be wise to adopt the Chandler advice immediately."

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Those "experts" who make wild predictions early in the season are back again. But the ones who predicted Montreal would draw the largest opening day crowd of the northern cities in the International League didn't have long to wait to find out how wrong they were.

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George (Oshawa Times-Gazette) Campbell writes: "Before the opening day the experts put down Montreal as the place to expect the largest crowd and then listed the crowds expected until they got right down to the bottom and Toronto with a calculated 16,000. Things were just the reverse, however, with fans from Toronto and district turning out in numbers never before attained in the history of the club. The final official count, 22,206, topped all other home openers in the circuit."

Half N.H.L. Clubs Favor Longer Schedule

(By The Canadian Press

MONTREAL, May 9 — Clarence Campbell, president of the National Hockey League, said today half the clubs of the six-team loop are in favor of extending the schedule from 60 to 70 games for the 1949-50 season.

He did not say which clubs are opposed to the idea but it is known that Boston and Detroit are against more than 60 games a season.

Baseball Standings

(Canadian Press)

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct
New York	15	5	.750
Detroit	11	7	.611
Cleveland	9	6	.600
Chicago	10	10	.500
Philadelphia	10	11	.476
Washington	10	11	.476
Boston	8	9	.471
St. Louis	3	17	.150

Games Tuesday: New York at Detroit; Boston at St. Louis; Philadelphia at Chicago (night); Washington at Cleveland.

National League

New York	13	7	.650
Boston	12	9	.571
Brooklyn	11	9	.550
Philadelphia	10	11	.476
Cincinnati	9	10	.474
St. Louis	8	10	.444
Pittsburgh	9	12	.429
Chicago	7	1	.388

Games Tuesday: St. Louis at Brooklyn; Chicago at New York; Cincinnati at Philadelphia; only games scheduled.

International League

Buffalo	9	6	.600
Jersey City	10	7	.588
Montreal	8	6	.571
Rochester	10	8	.556
Syracuse	8	8	.500
Toronto	8	10	.444
Baltimore	7	11	.389
Newark	5	9	.357

Games Tuesday: Newark at Montreal; Syracuse at Toronto (night); Jersey City at Buffalo (night); Baltimore at Rochester (night).

Cooper Released By Chicago Cubs

NEW YORK, May 9 — (AP) — Mort Cooper, veteran right-hander, was released today by Chicago Cubs.

Cooper formerly pitched with St. Louis Cardinals, Boston Braves and New York Giants. He was trying for a comeback with the Cubs after being shelved with a sore arm.

LONDON, May 9—(AP)—Royal Forest, favorite to win the 170th renewal of the Derby June 4, fell to 9-to-2 today in a callover of odds at the headquarters of London bookmakers. The bay son of Bois Roussel, winner of the three-year-old classic eleven years ago, could be had at 7-to-1 in the callover a week ago at the Victoria Club. Since then he ran away with an important trial race, beating five rivals by four lengths over 1 1-4 miles. The Derby distance is 1 1-2 miles.

Tops National League's Batters Despite Elbow

Baseball's Big Six

(By The Associated Press)
(Three leaders in each league).

Kazak, Cardinals	18	58	7	23	.397
Dimaggio, Red Sox	16	63	13	23	.365
Kiner, Pirates	21	77	14	28	.364
H. Walker, Cubs	17	66	10	24	.364
Verban, Cubs	18	66	4	24	.364
Groth, Tigers	19	66	13	24	.364
Kell, Tigers	19	78	16	28	.359

Home runs — National League: Gordon, Giants 7; American League: Graham, Browns, Stephens, Red Sox 7.

Runs batted in — National League: Campanella, Dodgers, 18; American League, Williams, Red Sox 23.

Kinsmen Club Plan Carnival For June 2-4

The Charlottetown Kinsmen Club's Annual Carnival, which is always a highlight feature of the year's entertainment activities, will be held again this year on June 2nd., 3rd and 4th at the Charlottetown Forum.

Sponsored by the local representative of one of Canada's most public spirited organizations and Canada's only National young men's active Service Club today, which reaches from Sydney, N. S. in the east to Victoria, B. C. in the west, the Carnival is not only one for the public to patronize and enjoy, but is one that returns its entire proceeds back to the public again in charities for the mutual benefit and betterment of the community, and is deserving of the general public's fullest support.

Only one of the 225 clubs which make up the association of Kinsmen Clubs of Canada, the Charlottetown Club was organized in the fall of 1937 and presently consists of 37 members under president Brennick M. Sears, C. A., of this City. In their 11 years of activity, the Charlottetown Kinsmen have contributed largely to some of the most outstanding community projects carried out during that time, which includes their $5,000 donation for the installation of school radio and sound systems and associated equipment in the four City public schools, their $2,500 grant to the Charlottetown Playground Commission for the setting up of children's playgrounds on three of the City's public squares and the equal amount they donated to the development of a Children's Art Centre here which is successfully being conducted for the benefit of local boys and girls by its director, Miss Frances Johnston.

Other Kinsmen activities of recent years amongst the youth of the community have been their sponsoring of teams in the Juvenile Hockey and Junior Baseball Leagues.

Last year's Kinsmen Carnival proceeds allowed Charlottetown Kinsmen to again present their annual "Best-all-round-student" prizes in the four city public schools; once more sent some 100 deserving boys and 20 girls to summer camps at Holland Cove and North Rustico for ten day periods at a cost of over $1,500.00; grant a further $200.00 to the Charlottetown Playgrounds Commission for their kiddies' playgrounds work; sponsor their annual giant children's Hallowe'en party; again contribute to the Legion's Veterans annual Christmas Tree; distribute their annual Valentine Day's poor baskets among the poor and needy of the city; continue support of the good work of the Arts and Craft Centre here by a further donation of $500.00; continue support of the P. E. I. Musical Festival by again contributing their annual $50.00 Scholarship; and recently sponsor for the first time one of the series of parties organized for the displaced European Refugees in the Province.

LONDON, May 9—(CP)—Ogden Phipps of Roslyn, N. Y., won the British amateur court tennis championship today with a crushing victory over W. D. MacPherson of Britain in the finals, 6-1, 6-1, 6-0. Phipps, the United States champion, was the first American winner of the British title since Jay Gould captured it in 1908.

VIENNA, May 9—(AP)—Yugoslavia became the first country to enter the third round of the European Davis Cup competition today. Yugoslavia's singles players, Misko Branovic and Dragutin Mitic swept the last two tennis matches of the series against Austria to win by a 4-to-1 margin.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, May 9—Eddie Kazak, a heroic young man who refused to allow a shattered right elbow to halt his baseball career, today topped the National League's batsmen with a mark of .389.

The blond-haired rookie infielder of St. Louis Cardinals has cracked out 21 hits in 54 times at bat to gain a 12-point bulge on Chicago's Harry Walker, batting champion of 1947. The averages include games through Sunday.

Kazak is playing with a plastic elbow as a result of injuries suffered during the war.

Following Kazak and Walker are Roy Campanella, Brooklyn, .369; Alvin Dark, Boston, .365, and Carroll (Whitey) Lockman, New York Giants, .364.

Lockman's teammate, Sid Gordon, leads the home run hitters with six. Roy Smalley, sopnomore Cub shortstop is no. 1 man in triples with four, and rookie Willie (Puddin' Head) Jones is high man in doubles with 10.

Lockman has the most hits, 32, and is tied with Jackie Robinson of Brooklyn in most stolen bases —four apiece. Gordon has scored the most runs, 20, and Campanella has driven in the most, 18.

Brooklyn's Ralph Branca, New York's Clint Hartung and Philadelphia's Ken Heintzelman head the pitchinng department with perfect 4-0 records. Branca also leads with 26 strikeouts.

22 Rifle Shooting

Tuesday, May 10th, will be the final shoot for the indoor season. In the results of the last shoot the silver spoon winners are: B.B. Jones, R.E. Jenkins, Class 1; Kielly Landrigan, Allison Mutch, Class 2; Ed Watts and Harry Wood in Class 3.

B. B. Jones	.97
R. E. Jenkins	97
Bill Brennan	96
A. J. McCallum	95
W. E. McCallum	95
Geo. Rogers	95
Kielly Landrigan	94
Mary MacLennan	94
P. J. Landrigan	94
F. Younker	94
A. Mutch	93
S. Crawford	93
Hayden McDonald	92
Ed Watts	92
Harry Wood	92
Geo. McLennan	92
John Farquharson	89
Albert Murphy	88
Nelson Watts	88
Jim Taylor	87
Jim Good	86
John Good	86
Bob Barwise	84
H. B. McCallum	83
C. Sinclair	80
O.S. Harper	80
Ivan Vessey	80
Rupert Vessey	80

Bowling

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Commercial League Finals

Last night on the Charlottetown Alleys in the first game of the Commercial League championship, Michael Bros. defeated the Town Taxi, 3 points to 2.

Town Taxi:

R. Whitlock	262	216	149
B. McDonald	211	268	141
P. Perry	302	147	270
G. Whitlock	187	247	219
G. Cudmore	215	149	236
	Total—3202.		

Michael Bros.:

E. Callaghan	240	218	303
G. Michael	136	231	226
A. Godkin	240	214	192
E. Michael	195	192	195
I. Connors	175	244	204
	Total—3194		

High single: E. Callaghan, 303.
High three: E. Callaghan, 761.
Points: Michaels 3 Town Taxi 2.

Candlepin League Finals

Big Five:

R. Pineau	104	90	89
E. Clarkin	86	103	85
L. MacNally	92	81	84
E. Stanley	102	84	101
I. Connors	73	100	81
	Total—1403.		

Vampires:

L. McCallum	73	83	86
W. Chandler	89	86	110
R. Hughes	92	107	89
B. McCallum	105	56	107
R. McCallum	111	93	90
	Total—1419.		

High single: R. McCallum, 111.
High three: B. McCallum, 308.
Points: Vampires 5, Big Five 0.

HOLY NAME BOWLING

Big Four League Final

Old Timers:

E. Doucette	269	244	226
J. Cameron	215	196	211
C. McLean	268	223	268
H. Craswell	274	201	216
Rev. Dr. McMahon	264	209	190
	Total—3473.		

Alerts:

Dr. L. Duffy	206	209	232
R. Harley	213	221	253
E. J. Pineau	201	232	166
P. Harley	239	154	203
E. Robin	226	179	248
	Total—3183.		

Points: Old Timers 5, Alerts 0.
Old Timers win championship.
High single: H. Craswell, 274.
High three: C. McLean, 754.

Baseball Linescores

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis	204	100	250—14 15 2
Brooklyn	010	120	100— 5 10 3

Brazle, Pollett (7) and Garagiola; Podbielan, Martin (3), McGlothin (5), Van Cuyk (7), Hatten (8), Minner (8) and Campanella.

Pittsburgh	000	100	000—1 3 0
Boston	010	001	11x—4 10 0

Dickson, Casey (8) and Fitzgerald; Bickford and Salkeld.

Chicago	010	010	000—2 9 0
New York	012	020	20x—7 7 1

Hamner, Adkins (4), Dobernic (5), Kush (6), Sloat (8) and A. Walker; Jones and Cooper.

Cincinnati at Philadelphia postponed, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	010	000	000—1 5 1
Detroit	030	001	00x—4 5 0

Raschi, Sanford (8) and Silvera; Gray and Robinson.
(Only game scheduled).

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Baltimore	200	000	000—2 7 2
Rochester	000	010	12x—4 8 2

Maldovan and Mancuso; Yuhas, Blake (8) and Bucha.

Syracuse	010	320	101—8 9 0
Toronto	000	000	061—7 13 4

Perkowski, Beber (8), Schultz (8) and Lamanno; Strincevich, Peterson (6), Porto (9) and Hevman.

Only games scheduled.

Rocky Graziano Is Restored To Good Standing

By JACK HAND

NEW YORK, May — (AP) — Rocky Graziano, Pec..'s Bad Boy of boxing, today was restored to good standing by the New York State Athletic Commission, 27 months after it had revoked his licence for failure to report an alleged bribe offer involving a fight that never was held.

Action by the New York Commission clears the way for a series of profitable matches for Graziano, now training for a comeback at Greenwood Lake, N.Y.

The Tournament of Champions, which has middleweight champion Marcel Cerdan tied up for two title defences, would like to match Cerdan with Rocky in September.

Detroit Tigers Defeat Yankees 4-1 To Take Second Place In League

DETROIT, May 9 — (AP) — Young Ted Gray of Detroit Tigers outpitched the veteran Vic Raschi of New York Yankees today to give the Tigers a 4-1 decision and second place in the American League race.

Gray held the league-leading New Yorkers to five hits while winning his second straight decision. Raschi, who had won four straight before today, gave up only five hits but yielded four costly walks.

The Yankees got their lone run in the second inning today when John Lindell singled and was tripled home by Jack Phillips.

Detroit struck back for three runs in the bottom of the second. The Tigers got their fourth run in the sixth inning.

Raschi was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the eighth and Fred Sanford finished up for the Yankees.

Experts Way Off In Memorial Cup Forecasts

BRANDON, Man., May 9 — (CP) — Brandon Wheat Kings gazed wonderingly at their press clippings tonight while Montreal Royals eyed the Memorial Cup.

Touted as a sure-fire bet to win the Canadian junior hockey title and the Memorial Cup, the Wheat Kings now are virtually out in the cold. Royals, the club almost nobody thought had a chance, are only inches away from the title.

Nothing has gone the way the so-called experts figured it would.

Goalie Ray Frederick of Wheat Kings has been outstanding. But netminder Bobby Bleau of Royals has been more than satisfactory in the Royals net.

Then there's the matter of bumping. Wheat Kings, their lineup filled with husky six-footers ranging close to 200 pounds, were figured to hold a decided edge in the "sock 'em" department.

Royals haven't backed away a mite. Their entire play has been considerably more aggressive than that of the Wheat Kings.

As a result, they have triumphed in three games to Brandon's one, with one tied. Next game — and Royals need only a tie to win the cup — will be played here tomorrow night.

Johnny Groth Tops American League Batters

CHICAGO, May 9 — (AP) — Johnny Groth, Detroit's rookie outfielder, today topped the American League's busier batters with a .381 average.

Groth's 24 hits in 63 trips to the plate gave him a 16-percentage point margin over Boston veteran outfielder, Dom DiMaggio, who has a .365.

Two players actually top Groth but both have fewer than 50 AB's. Cleveland's Dale Mitchell has a .467 percentage for 45 trips and rookie Dick Kryhoski of New York has .404 in 47 AB's. Following DiMaggio is Chicago's husky rookie, Gus Zernial, with .354.

The home-run leadership is shared by Jack Graham, surprising St. Louis newcomer, and Boston's Vern Stephens, each with seven. Mitchell leads in triples with five and Zernial has the most doubles, eight.

Zernial also is deadlocked in hits with Majeski and Chapman at 28 apiece. Other specialized departments leaders are Eddie Joost, Philadelphia, most runs, 19; Boston's Ted Williams, runs batted in 23 and Birdie Tebbetts, also of Boston, stolen bases, three.

New York's Vic Raschi heads the pitching department with a 4-0 perfect record. Leading in the strikeouts with 20 is lefty Hal Newhouser of Detroit.

Maxim-Lesnevich Bout On May 23

CINCINNATI, May 9 — (AP) — Joey Maxim arrived here today to complete training for his bout May 23 with Gus Lesnevich for the United States light-heavyweight boxing title.

Lesnevich is expected tomorrow. The bout will be over the 15-round route. Lesnevich, who lost his world's 175-pound title to Freddie Mills in England nearly a year ago, has been guaranteed $50,000 for the contest.

Maxim will get $15,000.

Maxim, who comes from Cleveland, and Lesnevich, whose home is in Cliffside, N. J., have been ordered to post $2,500 each with the commission as a guarantee that they will weigh no more than 175 pounds at weigh-in time.

Both men have been campaigning in the heavyweight class recently.

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ANNUAL MEETING

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the P. E. I. Rifle Association will be held in the City Building, third floor, at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, May 12, 1949.