

C. & B. Score 4-2 Win Over Abbies In League Opener At Summerside

The brilliant two-hit pitching of Bill Davis coupled with a home run by Jimmie Grady over the left field fence in the first inning spelled victory for the Curran & Briggs team over the Charlottetown Abbies yesterday. The score was 4 to 2. The fixture opened the Prince Edward Island Physical Fitness League in Summerside. Davis, who hails from Springhill, pitched a fine game walking only one batter during the nine innings. Charlie Ryan on the mound for the losers was almost as good and no earned runs were scored off his pitching. He struck out ten men to Davis's fifteen.

Charlottetown got their first run in the first inning. Johnny Stanley, leading off, struck out but the last pitch was wild so he reached first safely. Ryan grounded out to short, but Eddie Lund hit a long double to right scoring Stanley. In the last half of that inning Gordie MacKay was safe when MacLean threw high to first. Stewart's grounder went through Stanley and two were on. After P. Schurman flied to right Jimmie Grady hit the ball over the left field fence scoring three runs. The Abbies got another in the sixth. Ryan walked, stole second and third and came home when catcher Schurman threw wild to the third sack. The C. & B. boys added an insurance tally in the eighth; with two out Jimmie Grady hit to centre, went down to second when Hennessey muffed the ball after having the runner repeat after Perry's throw, had the runner cold. Syl Bernard drove him home with a single to left.

BOX SCORE

Abbies	A	B	R	H	O	A	E
J. Stanley, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	
C. Ryan, p	3	1	0	0	7	0	
E. Lund, lb	4	0	1	9	0	0	
G. Matheson, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	
D. MacLean, 3b	3	0	2	0	1	0	
B. Lewis, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0	
J. Stewart, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0	
G. Flynn, c	2	0	0	1	0	0	
A. Perry, c	3	0	1	0	2	0	
H. Hennessey, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	
**J. Burke, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	
**P. Murphy, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	
**M. Flynn, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	31	2	2	24	10	3	

*Replaced Stanley in 6th.
**Batted for MacLean in 9th.
**Replaced Lewis in 7th.
Curran & Briggs AB R H O A E
G. MacKay, rf 3 1 0 2 0 0
Stewart, cf 4 1 0 0 0 0
P. Schurman, lf 4 0 0 1 0 0
J. Grady, lb 4 2 2 9 0 0
E. Bernard, 2b 4 0 1 1 2 0
B. Grady, 3b 2 0 0 2 1 0
B. Schurman, c 4 0 1 13 1 1
H. Landry, ss 2 0 0 1 2 0
B. Davis, p 3 0 0 0 0 0
*L. Mitchell, 3b 1 0 1 0 0 0
Totals 31 4 5 27 7 2
*Replaced Grady in 7th.

Summary
Runs batted in—J. Grady 3, S. Bernard 1, E. Lund 1. Earned runs—Abbies 1, C. & B. 0. Home run—J. Grady. Doubles—Lund, B. Schurman. Stolen bases—Stanley, Ryan 2. Left on bases—Abbies 3, C. & B. 6. Struck out by Davis—(Stanley 2, Ryan, Lund 2, Matheson 4, MacLean, Burke, Lewis, Howat, G. Flynn 2). Struck out by Ryan—(MacKay, Stewart 2, P. Schurman, J. Grady, S. Bernard, B. Grady, B. Schurman 2, Davis). Bases on balls—off Davis 1; off Ryan 3. Wild pitch—Ryan, Davis. Passed ball, Schurman. Umpires—Plate, Goss; bases, H. Bernard, R. Phillips—S.

Would Like To Meet Robinson
NEW YORK, June 7 (AP)—Middleweight champion Jake LaMotta and challenger Rocky Graziano both said today that they would like to fight Sugar Ray Robinson, and both declared they can knock out the welterweight king. LaMotta and Graziano will meet in a 15-round title bout in the Polo Grounds here June 28.

Result Of Qualifying Rifle Shoot

In the second qualifying shoot being staged by the Provincial Rifle Association in the choosing of the Island rifle team and held over the Squaw Point range yesterday afternoon, Captain A. J. McCabe chalked up a score of 102 for high total in a field of between thirty-five and forty entries. Lieut. J. S. Moore and Cpl. W. M. Beatty tied for second place with scores of 101 each while Lieut. P. T. Hooper and Lieut. R. E. Jenkins were next in line for top honors with 99 and 98 respectively.

The third and final qualifying shoot will be held on Saturday afternoon. The following are the results of yesterday's match and the aggregate scores for contestants with 190 or better for the first two qualifying rounds.

Results Second Qualifying Shoot

Capt. A. J. McCabe	34 35 33 102
Lt. J. S. Moore	34 34 33 101
Cpl. W. M. Beatty	36 33 33 101
Lt. P. T. Hooper	34 31 34 99
Lt. R. E. Jenkins	32 35 31 98
Sgt. G. A. Coles	31 34 32 97
H. T. Vessey	32 34 31 97
W. L. Crockett	30 33 36 96
Lt. B. Jones	35 29 32 96
Capt. Roy McCabe	34 32 30 96
W. D. Cooke	31 32 32 95
Major A. F. Gormley	30 35 30 95
G. G. MacLennan	31 34 30 95
R. Andrew	31 34 30 95
Sgt. Eric Coles	33 32 30 95
P. J. Landry	33 34 28 95
P. J. Bowles	32 31 30 93
Fred Hooper	29 32 31 92
G. W. West	30 31 31 92
Mal. G. A. MacDonald	31 30 31 92
E. T. Brown	30 31 30 91
C. C. Clark	30 32 29 91
Capt. E. R. Burke	33 32 25 90
H. S. Wood	29 29 30 88
Sgt. R. Thorburn	29 31 28 88
Lt. G. J. Rogers	32 31 25 88
Lt. Col. MacDonald	30 30 28 86
Edison Watts	23 31 31 85
Capt. J. J. Connolly	28 28 25 81
A. M. Horne	26 31 24 81
Wm. Kells	22 30 27 79
Bdr. McCabe	25 27 26 78
Cadet R. Hamby	31 29 17 77

Puzzled Over Poor Turnout

PHILADELPHIA, June 7 (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson and Robert Villemain, dropping in at the office of Phil Glassman for their pay today found the promoter still puzzled over the poor turnout for last night's fight. A total of 22,024 fans saw Robinson score a decisive victory over the Frenchman for the Pennsylvania version of the middleweight championship, but only 18,856 of them contributed to the gross gate of \$119,074.

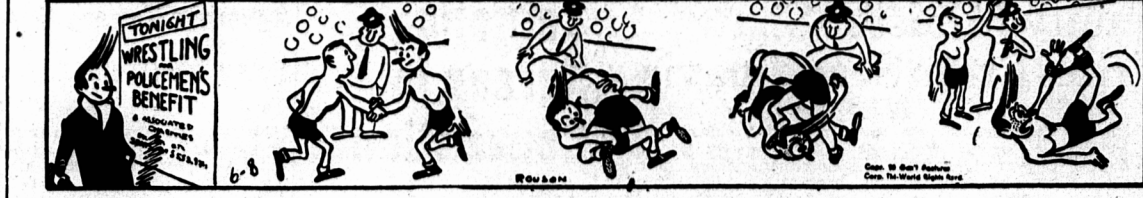
Glassman had hoped for a take of at least \$150,000, the net receipts won't be much above \$95,000. The net just about covers the two fighters' pay for the night. Each was guaranteed \$25,000 with the privilege of 30 per cent of the gate. When promotion and other expenses are met, Glassman won't have much, if any, to put into his own pocket.

Before heading for New York, Robinson retreated that he won't give up his welterweight title until he has been recognized everywhere as the 160-pound king. The National Boxing Association has ordered the winner of the June 28 title fight between champion Jake LaMotta and Rocky Graziano to meet Robinson within 90 days.

Captain A. J. McCabe was high shot for the meet with a near possible 102, while Lt. J. S. Moore and Cpl. W. M. Beatty were next in line with 101 each. Twenty-one other contestants racked up scores ranging from 89 to 90 which was an excellent showing for the event. The shoot was the second of three qualifying rounds to choose the Provincial team, and to date, Cpl. Beatty and Lt. Moore are leading the aggregate scoring with 203 and 201 respectively.

The many friends of John "Wacky" McEachern will be pleased to learn that he is convalescing nicely at the Prince Edward Island Hospital. Wacky is being well remembered by his many friends who are looking forward to his early and complete recovery. Among the many well-

LITTLE SPORT



IN THE CORNER



In yesterday's official joint opening of the Physical Fitness Island Baseball League at Charlottetown and Summerside, the two Western Capital entries kept their colors flying to cop off both ends of the double opening to share the league leadership honors in the initial standing. Curran and Briggs scored their victory over the Abbies in an afternoon game at Summerside by a 4-2 count, behind the two-hit pitching of Bill Davis. A newcomer from Springhill, N.S. turned in a masterful performance for the full nine innings route, striking out 15 and walking only one. Charley Ryan, the losing hurler also went the full game allowing five hits, striking out 10 and walking three for another good performance on the mound despite the loss.

The game here last evening at Memorial Field saw Summerside R.C.A.F. come out on top of a 4-1 county over Men's Falcons of the City. The game was called at the end of the seventh due to darkness. It was a close game all the way except for two costly errors by Falcons in the fourth innings that were responsible for three runs being scored. The Falcons were leading 1-0 at the time as a result of Buck Whitlock's single to left field in the third that brought home Irving MacKinnon who got on with a double down the third baseline.

The big bust-up came in the top half of the fourth. Big Don Carson got on with a single to left field and moved to second when Frank St. John made first on MacKinnon's error at first and Elmer Larter loaded the bases by walking Gunner Cox. Rickey Richard bunted to third base to score Carson, and St. John and Cox came home when Kenny MacKenzie overthrew the Frenchman for the Pennsylvania version of the middleweight championship, but only 18,856 of them contributed to the gross gate of \$119,074.

Jack Murphy went the full seven innings to come up with some nice hurling for the R.C.A.F. He allowed five hits, struck out eight and walked one but chalked up one error over an overthrow at first. Husky Elmer Larter was the losing pitcher but turned in an impressive performance during his four and two-third innings on the mound before being relieved by "Lefty" MacAleer in the fifth. Larter fanned five, walked two and allowed five hits. MacAleer gave up two hits in his one and a third inning on the mound, striking out two and allowing no walks before being replaced by Merle "Red" MacKenzie in the seventh after Maurice Williams batted for him in the last half of the sixth. MacKenzie gave up no hits but walked three and fanned one in his single innings of hurling.

All four teams in the league will see action again next Wednesday when the Falcons will be at home at the Abbies in an all City contest and the Curran and Briggs and R.C.A.F. Royals will duplicate the procedure at the Western Capital. The Summerside tilt will be C. & B.'s home game.

The Provincial Rifle Association had another successful qualifying shoot at the Squaw Point Range yesterday afternoon when between thirty-five and forty members turned out to take part in quest of positions on the Provincial team that will defend its Inter-Maritime championship at Debert, N.S., on June 17th.

Wishers who have expressed their best regards to Wacky during his hospitalization in W. Chester S. McLure, M.P. for Queens, who recently wrote him an encouraging letter from the House of Commons, Ottawa, extending his sincere regards and wishing him a speedy recovery. Wacky is in hospital suffering from a fractured pelvis received in an accident here last month.

SNAP SHOT FINISHING
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New York Giants Crush Chicago Cubs 13-4 For Fifth Straight Victory

(Canadian Press)
New York Giants today posted their fifth straight National League victory by crushing Chicago Cubs 13-4, before a crowd of 10,341 Chicago fans.

The Giants hammered three Cub pitchers, Bob Rush, John Klippstein and Dutch Leonard, for 17 hits. Rush was charged with his third defeat of the year. Giants Eddie Stanky, Whitley Lockman, Don Mueller, Bobby Thomson and Alvin Dark collected three hits apiece. Stanky's three were doubles.

Southpaw Dave Koslo started for Giants and was credited with his fifth victory, but he gave way to Sheldon Jones after walking the first two batters in the sixth. The Cubs collected seven hits. At Pittsburgh, shortstop Bobby Morgan drove in four runs with two homers tonight to lead the National League's front-running Brooklyn Dodgers to a 9-0 shutout over Pittsburgh Pirates. A crowd of 30,904 saw big Don Newcombe earn his fifth victory against two top

Red Sox In 20-4 Victory Over Browns
By The Canadian Press
Boston Red Sox scattered 23 hits over and out of Fenway Park today in running up their largest score of the American League season, a 20-4 victory over the defeated St. Louis Browns.

Among their hits, good for a total of 105, were five home runs. Vern Stephens and Clyde Vollmer, the latter playing center field in place of Don DiMaggio who is resting a pulled muscle, each walloped a pair of four-baggers. The fifth was driven out by Walt Dropo.

Roy Stevens and Leo Thomas each homers for the losing Browns, who now have lost all five games played against Boston. The Sox, who chased starter and loser Harry Dorish, a former teammate, early sent 10 men to bat in two innings, the third and the sixth.

New York Yankees, powered by home runs by Joe DiMaggio, Phil Rizzuto and Billy Johnson, surged back today into first place by defeating Detroit Tigers 5-4, ending a seven-game Tiger winning streak.

The home runs all came with the bases empty as did one hit by Harris (7) Shore (7) and Klutz. Montreal 300 201 301 10 12 1
Baltimore 000 100 210 4 14 1
King and Teed; Medlinger, Pechota (4) Payne (9) and Unser.
Rochester 220 000 000 4 6 1
Springfield 000 000 000 8 8 9
Foholsky and Wilber; Kelly, Moisan (3) and Peden.
Toronto 004 000 100 5 7 1
Jersey City 100 002 000 3 4 0
Thompson and Plumbo; Hardy, Heller (9) and Yvars.

Baseball Results

American League

Detroit	210	001	000	4	6	1
New York	100	111	103	5	12	3
Newhouse	White (8)	Roussin	Swift (8)	Raschi	and Berra.	
St. Louis	201	000	001	4	10	0
Boston	307	205	12x	20	23	0
Dorish, Fine (3), Kretlow (5) and Lollar, Moss (7); Dobson and Tebbetts.						
Cleveland	010	200	010	4	10	2
Washington	100	020	02x	5	4	1
Wynn and Hegan; Hudson and Evans.						
Chicago	000	000	000	0	5	2
Philadelphia	020	001	02x	5	7	4
Scarborough, Aloma (8) and Masi; Shantz and Evans.						

National League

New York	101	300	431	15	17	1
Chicago	010	101	100	4	7	3
Koslo, Jones (6) and Westrum; Rush, Klippstein (5) Leonard (7) and Owen.						
Brooklyn	000	300	150	9	12	0
Pittsburgh	000	000	000	0	6	1
Newcombe and Campanella; MacDonald, Walsh (8) and Mueller, McCullough (8).						
Philadelphia	001	020	010	4	10	1
Cincinnati	000	000	000	0	7	0
Miller and Semmler; Ramsdell and Framesa.						
Boston	010	450	000	10	16	1
St. Louis	010	000	010	2	8	0
Spahn and Cooper; Staley, Brazle (4) Boyer (5) Hearn (5) and Rice.						

International League

Montreal	400	025	11	14	1	
Baltimore	121	1000	5	12	1	
McGlothlin, Lee (3) and Atwell; Taylor, Payne (1) Pechota (6) Harris (7) Shore (7) and Klutz.						
Montreal	300	201	301	10	12	1
Baltimore	000	100	210	4	14	1
King and Teed; Medlinger, Pechota (4) Payne (9) and Unser.						
Rochester	220	000	000	4	6	1
Springfield	000	000	000	0	8	9
Foholsky and Wilber; Kelly, Moisan (3) and Peden.						
Toronto	004	000	100	5	7	1
Jersey City	100	002	000	3	4	0
Thompson and Plumbo; Hardy, Heller (9) and Yvars.						

O'Brien Drives Two Winners

ARCADIA, Calif., June 7 (AP)—Freeman Hanover, grabbing an early lead, raced in to win the \$1,250 Bakersfield Trot by a length in today's feature of the Grand Circuit harness racing at Santa Anita Park.

Lord Steward was second and Cooperate third in the field of five standard-breds. The winner's time for the mile distance was 2:04. The summary in part: **Third race, One mile, C and C Ranches Stake Trot, 2 years old, Purse \$818:** Carroll Lee (J. O'Brien) 1, Style Prince (N. Boardman) 2, Galley Slave (H. Winters) 3. Time 2:17 3-5.

Also raced — Walter Elaway, Darlene Frisco, Catherine Crispin, Visalia Sorrel, Ella May, Maid of War. **Fifth Race, One Mile, Pace, Horses in Class F, Purse \$1,000:** Nelly Abbeduto (J. O'Brien) 1, Little Shawnee (H. Niles) 2, Parker Speed King (N. Boardman) 3. Time 2:03 4-5.

Also raced — Chief Dal-Yum, Major Rosecroft, Frank Primrose, Par Crusader, Sunny Logan Wool-len. **Seventh Race, One Mile, Bakersfield Trot, Horses in Class B, Purse \$1,250:** Freeman Hanover (K. Cartnal) 1, Lord Steward (G. Crispin) 2, Cooperate (C. Hodgins) 3. Time 2:04.

Also raced — Miss Highworthy, Jim Dandy Gift. **Eighth Race, One Mile, Pace, Horses in Class C, Purse \$1,000:** Eddie Siskiyou (J. Dennis) 1, Red O'Brien (O. Underberg) 2, Scotch Story (Joe O'Brien) 3. Time 2:04 2-5.

Also raced — Imperial Siskiyou, Dale Brewer, Mighty Sistr.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 6 (AP)—Charles S. Howard, Sr., millionaire automobile dealer and famed owner of the race horse Seabiscuit, died today. His Seabiscuit, an often lame horse, became the world's greatest money winner a decade ago when he won the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap.

BRADFORD, Yorkshire, England (CP)—Street-cars have now been completely replaced by buses in this city.

YEO THEATRE

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STRATTON STORY

JAMES STEWART - JUNE ALLYSON

This is the true story of Monty Stratton who was on the way to Fame and Fortune when Fate stepped in. It's the drama of his come-back, a wonderful story of romance and courage, packed with fun and thrills. It's also the story of that girl he met on a blind date!

R. C. A. F. Royals Win Opening Game From Falcons By 4-1 Score

The R.C.A.F. Royals won their opening game in the Island Physical Fitness League last night at Memorial Field diamond when they dumped Men's Falcons 4-1. The game was played before the large crowd of fans on hand to see the opening game played on the local diamond.

The game was marred with errors which proved to be the major fault of the losers. The winners bunched two hits, a walk and two Falcon errors for three runs in the opening half of the fourth and added another in the fifth to salt the game away for themselves. The losers' only tally came in the home half of the third frame on a double and a single.

Jack Murphy pitched the full seven innings for the winners, being touched for five hits while walking one and whiffing eight. Elmer Larter started on the mound for the losers but was relieved in favour of Lefty MacAleer in the fifth. Maurice Williams batted for MacAleer in the sixth and Merin MacKenzie came in to pitch for the Falcons.

Larter was touched for four hits while walking two and striking out five. MacAleer allowed one hit and whiffed two batters. MacKenzie was wild but he held the Royals hitless in his stint on the mound. He walked three batters in the seventh and sent another down swinging.

Don "Moose" Carson and Ricky Richard were the big guns for the winners with each having a two-out for three night at the plate. The longest hit of the game was a double.

Vern Larter and the R.C.A.F. shortstop Francis provided the fielding plays of the game. Larter rec'd well back of the plate to gather in a foul fly while Francis sped into foul territory back of third base to grab MacKinnon's

BOX SCORE

Royals	A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Hulme, c	3	1	9	0	0	0	
Francis, ss	2	0	0	3	0	0	
Carson, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0	
St. John, lb	4	1	0	4	0	0	
Cox, cf	2	1	0	3	0	0	
Richard, 2b	3	0	2	1	2	0	
McCullough, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0	
Naugler, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	
Murphy, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	
Totals	26	4	5	21	4	1	

Falcons

AB	R	H	O	A	E
K. MacKenzie, 2b	4	0	2	1	1
Cairns, 3b	3	0	1	0	3
McKinnon, lb	3	1	1	7	0
Whitlock, ss	3	0	1	2	0
E. Larter, p	2	0	1	2	0
MacAleer, p	0	0	0	0	0
Goodwin, rf	2	0	1	0	0
Hennessey, lf	2	0	0	0	0
xxxxTrainer	1	0	0	0	0
Shepherd, cf	3	0	0	0	0
V. Larter, c	3	0	1	2	0
xxWilliams	1	0	0	0	0
xxxM. MacKenzie, p	0	0	0	0	0</