

# FITZMEN RING MISSION BELLS FOR 4-2 WIN

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Camozzi's Pitching Has Killifer Gang Frustrated at Ball Yard Here

"Iron Man" Gene Camozzi, hurling the whole 57 varieties of pitched ball to a frustrated and floundering Mission team, not only held "Red" Killifer's gang in check the entire nine innings, but joined his team mates in ringing the Bells of the Pacific Coast league for a 4-2 victory at the local ball yard yesterday.

Outside of the circuit clouts by Bertram and Slade, the cool and steady pitching of Gene, accounting for 11 strikeouts against the Missions, was the feature of the afternoon. He cut the Killifer tribe off with six well-scattered hits, while the Fitzmen looked impressive at the rubber with eight hits off blond Ernie Nevers, who enjoyed an "off day" against the locals.

Slade ambled around the bag on an easy homer to the right field trees in the first frame. In the third, the Blues found themselves two runs behind, when Finn, who was safe on his infield hit, scored on Berger's single drive to deep right. But the pace was easy, and the Bells never showed themselves an overpowering threat.

It was in the fifth frame that Fitzgerald issued orders for the floral city club to get busy. Bertram started by obliging with a double to Mance. Simpson walked and Silva singled to Holling, but the Bells tightened up to prevent a score and leave the bases loaded. Randazzo hit to Finn, who juggled the ball and allowed Bertram to score, but recovered it in time to throw the Blue left-fielder out at first. Stoeffel lifted an easy one to Slade and Garry fanned to end the chances for a beautiful rally.

In the next inning the score was tied when Lawrence singled, and Nevers, giant hurler, and former American football star at Stanford, tried to catch Lawrence at the second sack, when Camozzi hit in the infield, but instead threw it to center field, allowing Lawrence to score.

Bertram's homer to El Camino Real with Camozzi on base was the deciding factor of the game, and sent the Blues into a two-run lead that they maintained until the end, winning 4-2.

"Ping" Bodie, veteran first baseman, now with the Bells, and who is famous for his travels through the Pacific Coast league, gave the several hundred fans a laugh in every inning with his antics.

The Fitzmen always play good ball when up against a good club, and they played remarkable ball yesterday, even though the Missions looked tired and "baseball stale" on the local sandlot.

Score by innings, and box score:

MISSION BELLS						
	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Finn, 2b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Slade, ss	3	1	1	1	5	0
Holling, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Berger, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bodie, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
Mance, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Brenzel, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Nevers, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Rhodder, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0

Baldwin, 3b	1	0	1	0	1	1
Totals	32	2	6	24	12	1

SAN MATEO BLUES						
	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Bertram, rf	3	2	2	2	0	1
Simpson, 1b	3	0	1	2	1	0
Silva, c	2	0	1	12	1	1
Randazzo, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
McCord, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Stoeffel, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Garry, ss	4	0	1	2	1	0
Lawrence, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Camozzi, p	4	1	0	0	0	0
Collins, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Johnson, c	2	0	0	4	0	0
Totals	32	4	8	27	5	2

Score by Inning		
Missions	101	000-2
Hits	102	000-6
San Mateo	000	011-4
Hits	110	121-8

Summary  
Home runs—Slade, Bertram. Two-base hit—Bertram. Sacrifice hits—Garry, Camozzi. Runs batted in—Berger, Bertram. Credit victory to Camozzi. Charge defeat to Nevers. Struck out—By Camozzi 11, by Nevers 6. Walked—By Camozzi 1, by Nevers 4. Time of game—2 hrs. Umpires—Worth and Harrigan.

