Guide to the Papers of Cincinnati Baseball Club, 1902 - 1964

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Abstract:
The records of the Cincinnati Baseball Club provide an insight into the business
and financial practices of a professional sports organization over a period of about
sixty years. The collection consist of correspondence, financial reports, a bound
financial ledger covering the years 1919 to 1934, agreements and contracts.

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History:
The franchise originated in 1882 as a charter member of the now-defunct 19th
Century major league called the American Association. The name "Reds" was
inspired by a previous, unrelated club called the Cincinnati Red Stockings,
recognized as the first openly professional baseball team. The current Reds joined
the National League in 1890 after spending its first eight years in the Association.
In 1912, Redland Field, built on the city's west side, opened for the Reds. By the
late 1910s, the Reds began to come out of the second division. The 1918 team
finished fourth, and manager Pat Moran led the Reds to a NL pennant in 1919. The Reds finished ahead of John McGraw's New York Giants, and won the world championship in eight games over the Chicago White Sox. In the remainder of the 1920s and early 1930s, the Reds were generally second division dwellers. By 1931, the team was financially in the red, thanks to the Great Depression, and Redland Field was in a state of disrepair.

Powel Crosley Jr., an electronics magnate with his brother Lewis M. Crosley bought the Reds out of bankruptcy in 1933 and hired Larry McPhail to be the team’s General Manager. McPhail began to develop the Reds' minor league system and expanded the Reds' base. The Reds throughout the 1930s became a team of "firsts". Crosley Field (formerly Redland Field) became the host of the first night game in 1935. Johnny Vander Meer became the only pitcher in major league history to throw back-to-back no-hitters in 1938. World War II and age finally caught up with the Reds. Throughout the remainder of the 1940s and the early 1950s, Cincinnati finished mostly in the second division.

Executives during the time period of this collection:

**Cincinnati Club Presidents:** Garry Herrmann, 1902-1927; C.J. McDiamid, 1928-1929; Sidney Weil, 1930-1933; Powel Crosley, Jr., 1934-1946; Warren Giles, 1946-1951; Powel Crosley, Jr., 1951-1961.


**National League Presidents:** John Heydler, 1918-1934; Ford Frick, 1934-1951; Warren Giles, 1951-1969.


**Scope and Content:**
Correspondence between Cincinnati and the offices of the National League, the Commissioner’s office and National Association relating to player trades, contracts, game protests, umpires, night baseball. Financial records relating to payroll, ballpark renovations, yearly club audits, National League auditors’ statements. There are agreements and contracts for radio, concessions, advertising, park renovations, club and ownership affiliations.
System of Arrangement:
This collection is organized chronologically in one series with the provenance maintained where possible.

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Corporate Names
- Cincinnati Baseball Club
- Redland Field (Ohio)
- Crosley Field (Ohio)
- Office of the Commissioner
- National League
- American League
- National Association of Professional Base Ball Leagues

Personal Names
- Allen, Lee
- Bramham, William G.
- Chandler, A.B. “Happy”
- Giles, Warren
- Harridge, William
- Herrmann, August
- Heydler, John
- Landis, Kenesaw Mountain
- Lane, Frank
- MacPhail, Larry
- McDiarmiad, C.J.
- O’Connor, L.M.
- Ripple, James A.
- Shibe, Thomas A.
- Weil, Sidney

Subjects
- Audits
- Broadcasting
- Correspondence
- Financial records
- Payroll
- Salaries
- Scouts
- Telegrams
- Umpires
- World Series
World War II

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