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Montreal's Terry Jones is safe at third with a triple during the sixth inning Tuesday in Winston-Salem, N.C.

# Ninth-inning rally lifts Twins in exhibition finale

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WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. — The Twins won their debut in North Carolina on Tuesday, beating the Montreal Expos 9-8 with a two-run rally in the bottom of the ninth inning.

The Twins won when Expos pitcher Ben Fleeter issued a bases-loaded walk to White Bear Lake native Jamie Ogden.

Rookie pitcher Eric Milton, one of the Twins' brightest spots during spring training, had a shaky outing, giving up a grand slam to Montreal's Brad Fullmer in the first inning. Milton was scheduled to pitch six innings, but lasted only two.

The left-hander gave up six runs, six hits, three walks and did not strike out a batter. Five of the runs were earned.

For the Twins, outfielder Alex Ochoa was 3-for-3 with three RBI, and first baseman David Ortiz was 2-for-4 with two RBI. Catcher Terry Steinbach was 1-for-3 and drove in two runs.

The Twins finished spring training with a 15-21 record.

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— Game resembled a political rally as nearly 9,000 fans jammed the 6,000-seat ballpark.

TWINS 9, EXPOS 8	
Montreal	Twins
Grudzenewski, ss	3 2 2 0 Nelson, cf
Morales, ss-2b	2 1 2 0 Ogden, rf
Santangelo, cf	3 2 2 0 Hickling, ss
Ortiz, 1b	2 1 1 0 Milton, dh
Quarano, dh	2 1 0 1 Morales, dh
Ray, dh	1 0 0 0 Cordova, lf
Fullmer, 1b	3 1 1 0
Longstone, 1b	3 1 1 0
Ward, rf	2 0 0 0 Ortiz, lf
McGuire, f	2 0 0 0
Wingo	4 0 0 0 Steinbach, c
Andrews, 3b	3 0 0 0 Walker, 2b
Delmonico, ss	2 0 0 0 Ferguson, 2b
Stovall, f	3 0 0 0
Wojcik, c	2 0 0 0
Hubbard, c	2 0 0 0
Quarano, c	0 0 0 0
Totals	38 8 11 0
Montreal	420 002 002-9
Twins	032 010 102-9

Two runs when winning run scored. E—Fullmer, Morales, Nelson.  
LOB—Expos 8, Twins 11. 2B—Grudzenewski, Morales, Fullmer, Longstone, Gomez 2, Ortiz 2, Ochoa, 3B—Jones, Steinbach. HR—Fullmer. SB—Santangelo. SF—Quarano, Ochoa.

Montreal	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Moore	3	7	5	5	1	4
Young	2	1	1	1	2	1
Benz	2	1	1	1	2	2
Fleeter (L)	1½	1	2	2	4	3
Twins						
Milton	2	6	6	5	3	0
Bowers	3½	3	2	2	1	4
Baptist (W)	3½	2	0	0	0	3

WP—Milton. T—3:05 A.—4:55 P.

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