

The Evidence Examined

The Mitchell commission relied on interviews with hundreds of witnesses in addition to evidence turned over by former New York Mets clubhouse attendant Kirk J. Radomski, including bank checks and shipping labels. It also used items such as handwritten notes to make its case against the 91 players named in the report.

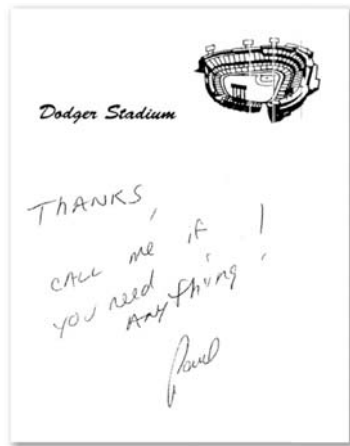


CANCELED CHECKS

Radomski told the Mitchell commission he sold human growth hormone to former first baseman and designated hitter Mo Vaughn beginning in 2001, while Vaughn was with the Anaheim Angels. Radomski produced three checks from Vaughn, two for \$3,200 each and one for \$2,200. Vaughn, who retired after the 2003 season, was the American League MVP in 1995 with the Boston Red Sox.

HANDWRITTEN NOTES

Radomski said this note, written on Dodger Stadium stationery, was included with a check from catcher Paul Lo Duca as a payment for a shipment of human growth hormone during his time with the Los Angeles Dodgers. The note was seized during a search by federal agents of Radomski's home. The Mitchell report includes copies of three canceled checks from Lo Duca, each for \$3,200. Lo Duca signed as a free agent this week with the Washington Nationals.



MAIL RECEIPTS

Radomski said that he mailed two shipments of human growth hormone to then-Los Angeles Dodgers pitcher **Eric Gagne**. One was sent to Gagne's home in Florida; the other was sent to Dodger Stadium. This is a copy of the Express Mail receipt from that shipment.

