





Minnesota Twins Minor League Report Sunday, April 17, 2016

Team	Level	Record	Yesterday's Scores	Streak/Last 10
 Rochester Red Wings	Triple-A	4-5; 2.0 GB 4th in International League North	L, 5-8 at Lehigh Valley	L1, 4-5
 Chattanooga Lookouts	Double-A	3-7; 3.5 GB 5th in Southern League North	L, 5-9 vs. Jackson	L2, 3-7
 Fort Myers Miracle	High-A	6-4; 1.0 GB 3rd in Fla. State League South	L, 4-6 at Daytona	L1, 6-4
 C. Rapids Kernels	Low-A	7-3; 0.0 GB 1st in MW League Western	W, 7-0 vs. Clinton	W1, 7-3
 Elizabethton Twins	Rookie	N/A	No Game	N/A
 GCL Twins	Rookie	N/A	No Game	N/A
 DSL Twins	DSL	N/A	No Game	N/A

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Rochester	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	8	2
Lehigh Valley	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	2	x	8	10	2

Rochester	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG	Lehigh Valley	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Mastroianni, CF	5	1	1	1	0	3	1	.258	Lough, CF	3	1	0	0	1	0	2	.280
Britton, LF	5	1	1	2	0	1	0	.267	Sweeney, 2B	4	1	0	0	0	1	2	.208
Polanco, J, 2B	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	.281	Williams, LF	3	2	1	0	1	2	0	.192
Vargas, K, 1B	4	0	2	1	0	0	1	.219	Knapp, C	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	.400
Rodriguez, R, DH	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	.233	Stassi, 1B	3	0	0	0	1	3	5	.238
Murphy, Dv, RF	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	.250	Perkins, DH	4	2	2	3	0	0	3	.412
Centeno, C	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	.250	Venable, RF	4	0	2	2	0	1	0	.150
Tovar, SS	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	.333	Featherston, 3B	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	.421
Beresford, 3B	4	1	2	1	0	0	2	.226	Jackson, R, SS	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	.400
Berrios, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Roibal, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Runzler, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Gonzalez, S, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Kintzler, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Bailey, A, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	36	5	8	5	2	7	6	.247	Totals	31	8	10	8	4	8	14	.278

BATTING

2B: Beresford (1, Roibal); Tovar (2, Gonzalez, S); Vargas, K (1, Bailey, A).

3B: Polanco, J (3, Roibal).

HR: Britton (1, 3rd inning off Roibal, 1 on, 1 out).

TB: Mastroianni; Polanco, J 3; Beresford 3; Vargas, K 3; Tovar 2; Britton 4.

RBI: Mastroianni (3); Britton 2 (6); Beresford (1); Vargas, K (1).

2-out RBI: Beresford; Vargas, K.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Vargas, K; Beresford 2; Rodriguez, R.

Team RISP: 3-for-6.

Team LOB: 6.

BASERUNNING

SB: Tovar (2, 2nd base off Gonzalez, S/Knapp).

FIELDING

E: Tovar (2, fielding); Centeno (2, throw).

Outfield assists: Murphy, Dv (Venable at 2nd base).

DP: 3 (Berrios-Tovar-Vargas, K; Tovar-Polanco, J; Polanco, J-Vargas, K).

BATTING

2B: Perkins (1, Runzler); Williams (1, Kintzler); Venable (1, Kintzler).

3B: Perkins (2, Kintzler).

TB: Jackson, R 3; Williams 2; Knapp; Featherston; Perkins 5; Venable 3.

RBI: Knapp 2 (4); Perkins 3 (3); Venable 2 (3); Jackson, R (3).

2-out RBI: Perkins 3; Venable 2.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Featherston.

GDP: Perkins; Sweeney.

Team RISP: 6-for-12.

Team LOB: 3.

BASERUNNING

CS: Jackson, R (2, 2nd base by Berrios/Centeno).

FIELDING

E: Knapp (2, throw); Sweeney (1, fielding).

Rochester	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA	Lehigh Valley	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Berrios	5.0	3	2	1	3	4	0	1.80	Roibal	3.0	5	3	3	0	3	1	8.31
Runzler (BS, 1)(L, 0-1)	1.0	4	4	3	1	2	0	11.57	Gonzalez, S	3.0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0.00
Kintzler	2.0	3	2	2	0	2	0	6.00	Bailey, A (BS, 1)(W, 1-0)	1.2	1	1	1	1	2	0	2.25
Totals	8.0	10	8	6	4	8	0	3.75	Totals	9.0	8	5	4	2	7	1	5.11

Runzler pitched to 2 batters in the 7th.

Game Scores: Berrios 56; Roibal 40.

WP: Runzler 2; Kintzler.

Pitches-strikes: Berrios 94-58; Runzler 33-21; Kintzler 30-21; Roibal 53-37; Gonzalez, S 63-37; Bailey, A 44-32; Mujica 20-13.

Groundouts-flyouts: Berrios 4-3; Runzler 1-0; Kintzler 2-1; Roibal 2-2; Gonzalez, S 5-4; Bailey, A 2-1; Mujica 2-0.

Batters faced: Berrios 19; Runzler 8; Kintzler 8; Roibal 14; Gonzalez, S 13; Bailey, A 7; Mujica 4.

Inherited runners-scored: Kintzler 1-0.

Umpires: HP: Shane Livensparger. 1B: Jeremie Rehak. 3B: Joey Amaral.

Weather: 69 degrees, clear.

Wind: 5 mph, Out to LF.

First pitch: 6:36 PM.

T: 3:00.

Att: 9,612.

Venue: Coca-Cola Park.

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Rochester Red Wings Batting

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GIDP	SLG	OBP
Beresford, James	.226	9	31	4	7	8	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	9	0	1	1	.258	.273
Britton, Buck	.267	8	30	3	8	13	2	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	.433	.290
Centeno, Juan	.250	4	12	0	3	4	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	.333	.308
Hicks, John	.158	5	19	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	.211	.158
Mastroianni, Darin	.258	9	31	4	8	9	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	0	16	2	1	0	.290	.361
Meneses, Heiker	.100	5	10	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	4	1	0	0	.100	.438
Murphy, David	.250	2	8	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.250	.250
Polanco, Jorge	.281	9	32	4	9	18	0	3	1	2	0	1	0	2	0	6	0	2	0	.563	.314
Rodriguez, Reynaldo	.233	8	30	0	7	8	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	.267	.258
Tovar, Wilfredo	.333	8	24	4	8	10	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	2	2	1	0	.417	.385
Vargas, Kennys	.219	9	32	1	7	8	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	10	0	0	1	.250	.265
Walker II, Adam	.400	3	10	2	4	8	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	.800	.455
Wickens, Stephen	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Totals	.247	9	275	25	68	94	11	3	3	23	1	2	0	23	0	66	6	5	5	.342	.303

Rochester Red Wings Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Berrios, Jose	1	0	1.80	2	2	0	0	0	0	10.0	6	3	2	0	2	7	0	13	0
Boshers, Buddy	0	0	3.38	2	0	0	0	0	0	2.2	5	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0
Darnell, Logan	0	1	10.80	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	7	6	6	2	0	3	0	0	0
Dean, Pat	0	2	2.08	2	2	1	0	0	0	13.0	9	5	3	0	0	2	0	6	0
Duffey, Tyler	0	0	2.08	2	2	0	0	0	0	8.2	8	2	2	0	0	6	0	7	0
Graham, J.R.	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	2	0	2	3.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Kintzler, Brandon	2	0	6.00	3	0	0	2	0	0	6.0	5	4	4	0	1	3	0	7	4
Martinez, David	0	1	4.26	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.1	7	3	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Meyer, Alex	1	0	0.00	2	1	0	1	0	1	10.1	6	0	0	0	0	2	0	12	0
Runzler, Dan	0	1	11.57	3	0	0	2	0	0	2.1	5	4	3	0	0	1	0	2	3
van Mil, Loek	0	0	27.00	3	0	0	0	0	0	1.2	8	6	5	0	0	3	1	1	0
Totals	4	5	3.75	9	9	1	8	1	3	72.0	71	35	30	2	3	32	1	53	7

International League Standings
(As of 04/17/2016 03:20 AM EDT)

WILD CARD STANDINGS

International League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders	6	3	.667	-	3-2	3-1	6-3 L1	6-3	
Syracuse Chiefs	5	3	.625	0.5	4-1	1-2	5-3 W1	5-3	
Pawtucket Red Sox	5	5	.500	1.5	2-5	3-0	5-5 W3	5-5	
Rochester Red Wings	4	5	.444	2.0	2-2	2-3	4-5 L1	4-5	
Buffalo Bisons	4	6	.400	2.5	1-2	3-4	4-6 L2	4-6	
Lehigh Valley IronPigs	3	5	.375	2.5	1-2	2-3	3-5 W1	3-5	

International League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Gwinnett Braves	8	2	.800	-	3-0	5-2	8-2 W5	8-2	
Durham Bulls	6	4	.600	2.0	4-3	2-1	6-4 L1	6-4	
Charlotte Knights	3	6	.333	4.5	1-2	2-4	3-6 W1	3-6	
Norfolk Tides	2	7	.222	5.5	2-4	0-3	2-7 L4	2-7	

International League West

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Toledo Mud Hens	5	1	.833	-	2-1	3-0	5-1 W3	5-1	
Indianapolis Indians	4	3	.571	1.5	2-1	2-2	4-3 L1	4-3	
Columbus Clippers	3	5	.375	3.0	2-3	1-2	3-5 W1	3-5	
Louisville Bats	2	5	.286	3.5	0-3	2-2	2-5 L3	2-5	

	W	L	PCT	GB	Streak	Last10
Syracuse Chiefs	5	3	.625	-	W1	5-3
Durham Bulls	6	4	.600	-	L1	6-4
Indianapolis Indians	4	3	.571	0.5	L1	4-3
Pawtucket Red Sox	5	5	.500	1.0	W3	5-5
Rochester Red Wings	4	5	.444	1.5	L1	4-5
Buffalo Bisons	4	6	.400	2.0	L2	4-6
Columbus Clippers	3	5	.375	2.0	W1	3-5
Lehigh Valley IronPigs	3	5	.375	2.0	W1	3-5
Charlotte Knights	3	6	.333	2.5	W1	3-6
Louisville Bats	2	5	.286	2.5	L3	2-5
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Jackson Generals (6-3) 9, Chattanooga Lookouts (3-7) 5
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Jackson	0	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	9	12	4
Chattanooga	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	5	6	1

Jackson	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG	Chattanooga	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Heredia, CF	4	1	1	0	2	0	2	.424	Wilkerson, CF	4	0	0	1	0	1	4	.000
Lopes, 2B	6	1	1	0	0	1	4	.316	Reginatto, SS	5	0	0	0	0	1	5	.171
O'Neill, RF	4	2	1	0	1	1	2	.306	Palka, RF	5	0	1	0	0	3	2	.278
Paolini, DH	4	3	3	1	1	0	0	.571	Garver, DH	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	.276
Peterson, D, 1B	5	0	2	3	0	0	3	.194	Hicks, 1B	3	2	1	0	1	0	1	.235
Littlewood, C	4	1	1	0	1	2	1	.133	White, 3B	4	1	2	2	0	0	1	.455
Gonzalez, B, SS	5	1	1	0	0	2	6	.303	Maloney, LF	4	0	0	0	0	2	3	.133
Miller, I, LF	5	0	1	1	0	0	4	.364	Turner, C	2	1	1	2	2	0	1	.364
Shank, 3B	3	0	1	1	1	1	0	.333	Michael, 2B	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	.219
Ash, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Eades, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Landazuri, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Lee, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Kittredge, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Walden, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Sitton, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Williams, C, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	40	9	12	6	6	7	22	.291	Totals	32	5	6	5	4	7	18	.227

BATTING

2B: Peterson, D (2, Eades); Gonzalez, B (3, Lee).
TB: Peterson, D 3; Heredia; Paolini 3; Lopes; Gonzalez, B 2;
O'Neill; Shank; Littlewood; Miller, I.
RBI: Miller, I (3); Shank (2); Paolini (1); Peterson, D 3 (5).
2-out RBI: Miller, I; Shank; Paolini; Peterson, D 3.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Heredia; Gonzalez, B;
Littlewood; O'Neill 2; Lopes; Miller, I 2.
Team RISP: 4-for-16.
Team LOB: 11.

FIELDING

E: Ash 2 (2, fielding, throw); Shank (1, throw); Lopes (3,
fielding).
DP: 2 (Lopes-Gonzalez, B-Peterson, D; Gonzalez, B-Peterson,
D).

BATTING

2B: Palka (3, Ash); White (1, Landazuri); Hicks (1, Kittredge).
TB: Turner; Michael; Hicks 2; Palka 2; White 3.
RBI: Wilkerson (1); White 2 (2); Turner 2 (4).
2-out RBI: White.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Garver; White;
Reginatto; Palka.
SAC: Michael.
SF: Wilkerson.
GIDP: Reginatto; Turner.
Team RISP: 3-for-12.
Team LOB: 7.

FIELDING

E: Maloney (1, fielding).

Jackson	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA	Chattanooga	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Ash (W, 1-1)	6.0	1	1	0	1	3	0	3.38	Eades (L, 0-1)	3.2	10	8	6	1	0	0	6.52
Landazuri	0.1	2	3	3	2	1	0	27.00	Lee	1.1	1	1	1	2	1	0	6.23
Kittredge	2.1	3	1	1	1	2	0	4.15	Walden	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2.70
Sitton (S, 3)	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.00	Williams, C	1.0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0.00
Totals	9.0	6	5	4	4	7	0	3.42	Totals	9.0	12	9	7	6	7	0	4.71

Game Scores: Ash 70; Eades 12.

Balk: Lee.

HBP: Shank (by Walden); Michael (by Landazuri).

Pitches-strikes: Ash 69-49; Landazuri 25-13; Kittredge 36-24; Sitton 6-5; Eades 91-58; Lee 30-17; Walden 32-18; Williams, C 31-15; Reed 13-9.

Groundouts-flyouts: Ash 10-6; Landazuri 0-0; Kittredge 1-2; Sitton 0-0; Eades 1-6; Lee 2-1; Walden 1-1; Williams, C 0-1; Reed 1-0.

Batters faced: Ash 21; Landazuri 6; Kittredge 11; Sitton 1; Eades 23; Lee 7; Walden 8; Williams, C 6; Reed 3.

Inherited runners-scored: Kittredge 2-0; Sitton 2-0; Lee 1-0.

Umpires: HP: Blake Carnahan. 1B: Clint Vondrak. 3B: Chase Eade.

Weather: 75 degrees, clear.

Wind: 1 mph, Out to LF.

First pitch: 7:18 PM.

T: 3:05.

Att: 5,283.

Venue: AT&T Field.

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Chattanooga Lookouts Batting

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GIDP	SLG	OBP
Garver, Mitch	.276	8	29	5	8	12	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	0	.414	.364
Goodrum, Niko	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Granite, Zach	.189	9	37	5	7	8	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	3	0	4	4	0	0	.216	.268
Harrison, Travis	.188	9	32	2	6	10	1	0	1	4	0	1	0	5	0	8	0	2	0	.313	.289
Hicks, D.J.	.235	9	34	8	8	18	1	0	3	8	0	1	0	4	0	11	1	0	0	.529	.308
Maloney, Joe	.133	8	30	0	4	7	3	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	16	0	0	0	.233	.188
Michael, Levi	.219	10	32	3	7	9	0	1	0	4	2	0	2	2	0	8	0	0	0	.281	.306
Palka, Daniel	.278	9	36	4	10	16	3	0	1	6	0	0	0	2	0	11	0	0	0	.444	.316
Paulino, Carlos	.250	2	8	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.250	.250
Reginatto, Leonardo	.171	10	41	4	7	8	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	12	2	0	2	.195	.244
Rodriguez, Jairo	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Turner, Stuart	.364	7	22	5	8	11	3	0	0	4	0	0	2	3	0	5	0	1	1	.500	.481
Vielma, Engelb	.211	6	19	3	4	4	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	.211	.211
White, T.J.	.455	3	11	5	5	6	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	0	1	.545	.538
Wilkerson, Shannon	.000	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000	.000
Totals	.227	10	335	44	76	111	15	1	6	39	4	3	10	26	0	90	8	3	4	.331	.299

Chattanooga Lookouts Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Adam, Jason	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baxendale, D.J.	1	1	3.27	2	2	0	0	0	0	11.0	13	4	4	1	0	1	0	8	0
Burdi, Nick	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chargois, J.T.	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	3	0	1	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
Eades, Ryan	0	1	8.38	2	2	0	0	0	0	9.2	14	9	9	0	0	3	0	3	0
Hurlbut, David	1	0	4.00	2	2	0	0	0	0	9.0	10	8	4	1	1	4	0	5	1
Lee, Brett	0	0	6.23	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.1	6	3	3	0	0	2	0	3	0
Melotakis, Mason	0	1	9.00	3	0	0	0	0	0	3.0	7	3	3	1	0	1	0	4	0
Peterson, Brandon	0	0	2.70	3	0	0	2	0	0	3.1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	0
Reed, Jake	1	1	6.00	4	0	0	3	0	0	6.0	5	4	4	1	1	3	0	6	0
Slegers, Aaron	0	1	3.60	2	2	0	0	0	0	10.0	12	4	4	0	1	6	0	4	1
Strong, Mike	0	1	108.00	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.2	5	8	8	0	0	3	0	0	0
Walden, Marcus	0	0	2.70	4	0	0	1	0	1	6.2	2	2	2	0	1	2	0	4	0
Wheeler, Jason	0	1	2.45	2	2	0	0	0	0	11.0	12	7	3	0	1	1	0	8	0
Williams, Corey	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.1	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	3	0
Wimmers, Alex	0	0	4.50	3	0	0	1	0	0	4.0	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	3	7	4.92	10	10	0	10	0	2	86.0	95	55	47	4	5	33	0	60	2

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Southern
League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Jackson Generals	6	3	.667	-	3-1	3-2	6-3	W2	6-3
Montgomery Biscuits	5	4	.556	1.0	4-1	1-3	1-3	W1	5-4
Birmingham Barons	4	6	.400	2.5	3-2	1-4	3-2	W1	4-6
Tennessee Smokies	4	6	.400	2.5	2-3	2-3	2-3	L1	4-6
Chattanooga Lookouts	3	7	.300	3.5	2-3	1-4	2-3	L2	3-7

Southern
League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Pensacola Blue Wahoos	8	2	.800	-	4-1	4-1	8-2	W3	8-2
Biloxi Shuckers	7	2	.778	0.5	5-2	2-0	3-1	W2	7-2
Jacksonville Suns	5	5	.500	3.0	4-1	1-4	1-4	L3	5-5
Mobile BayBears	4	5	.444	3.5	0-2	4-3	1-3	L2	4-5
Mississippi Braves	2	8	.200	6.0	1-4	1-4	1-4	L1	2-8

Daytona Tortugas (4-6) 6, Fort Myers Miracle (6-4) 4
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Fort Myers	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	4	7	1
Daytona	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	x	6	8	2

Fort Myers	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG	Daytona	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
English, CF	3	0	1	0	1	1	1	.250	Trahan, SS	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	.079
Swim, C	3	1	0	0	1	0	3	.176	Gelalich, LF	3	1	1	0	0	2	0	.250
Gordon, SS	4	1	1	1	0	1	1	.385	Aquino, A, DH	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	.211
Vavra, Tr, DH	4	0	1	0	0	1	4	.286	Gumbs, 1B	4	2	4	3	0	0	0	.429
Paul, 3B	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	.231	O'Grady, RF	3	1	2	0	0	1	2	.344
Wade, LF	4	0	2	1	0	1	0	.265	Sparks, 3B	4	0	1	2	0	0	5	.184
Real, 1B	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	.290	Butler, 2B	4	0	0	0	0	2	3	.242
Walker, 2B	3	0	1	1	1	1	0	.259	Boulware, C	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	.133
Christensen, RF	3	1	0	0	1	0	2	.250	Reynoso, J, CF	4	0	0	0	0	2	3	.172
Steele, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Antone, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Gilbert, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Howard, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Westphal, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Guillon, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	31	4	7	4	4	6	16	.251	Totals	30	6	8	5	4	9	14	.224

BATTING

2B: English (2, Antone).

3B: Walker (1, Ehret).

TB: Wade 2; Walker 3; Vavra, Tr; Paul; English 2; Gordon.

RBI: Paul (2); Wade (3); Gordon (5); Walker (2).

2-out RBI: Wade; Walker.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Real; Swim; Vavra, Tr; Christensen.

SF: Paul.

GIDP: Paul; Real.

Team RISP: 3-for-13.

Team LOB: 5.

FIELDING

E: English (1, throw).

BATTING

2B: Gumbs (3, Steele).

HR: Gumbs (1, 7th inning off Gilbert, 1 on, 2 out).

TB: O'Grady 2; Gumbs 8; Sparks; Gelalich.

RBI: Gumbs 3 (5); Sparks 2 (6).

2-out RBI: Gumbs 2; Sparks.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Reynoso, J 2; Butler; Sparks 2.

SAC: Gelalich.

Team RISP: 4-for-12.

Team LOB: 6.

BASERUNNING

CS: Sparks (1, 2nd base by Gilbert/Swim).

FIELDING

E: Antone 2 (2, pickoff, pickoff).

DP: 2 (Sparks-Butler-Gumbs 2).

Fort Myers	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA	Daytona	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Steele (L, 0-1)	5.0	6	3	3	3	7	0	3.38	Antone (W, 1-0)	5.0	3	2	2	2	5	0	2.70
Gilbert	2.0	2	3	3	1	0	1	6.75	Howard (H, 1)	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	18.00
Westphal	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0.00	Guillon (H, 1)	1.2	0	1	1	2	0	0	3.86
Totals	8.0	8	6	6	4	9	1	2.39	Totals	9.0	7	4	4	4	6	0	3.99

Game Scores: Steele 47; Antone 56.

WP: Gilbert.

HBP: O'Grady (by Gilbert).

Pitches-strikes: Steele 91-56; Gilbert 29-15; Westphal 18-12; Antone 79-47; Howard 8-6; Guillon 25-10; Ehret 24-15.

Groundouts-flyouts: Steele 5-3; Gilbert 5-0; Westphal 0-1; Antone 5-3; Howard 1-0; Guillon 4-0; Ehret 3-0.

Batters faced: Steele 24; Gilbert 9; Westphal 3; Antone 20; Howard 3; Guillon 7; Ehret 6.

Inherited runners-scored: Ehret 1-0.

Umpires: HP: J.C. Velez. 1B: Ben Sontag.

Weather: 70 degrees, clear.

Wind: 17 mph, R to L.

First pitch: 7:02 PM.

T: 2:37.

Att: 2,390.

Venue: Jackie Robinson Ballpark.

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Fort Myers Miracle Batting

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GIDP	SLG	OBP
Christensen, Chad	.250	7	20	2	5	8	0	0	1	5	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	2	0	.400	.318
Corcino, Edgar	.133	6	15	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	0	.133	.278
Diemer, Austin	.250	4	12	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	1	.250	.308
English, Tanner	.250	9	36	7	9	14	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	15	3	0	0	.389	.341
Gordon, Nick	.385	9	39	6	15	23	5	0	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	6	2	2	1	.590	.400
Navarreto, Brian	.048	7	21	2	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	.095	.091
Paul, Chris	.231	3	13	2	3	4	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	.308	.214
Real, Alex	.290	8	31	0	9	10	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	9	0	0	1	.323	.303
Swim, Alex	.176	9	34	5	6	7	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	4	0	6	0	0	0	.206	.282
Vavra, Trey	.286	10	35	3	10	12	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	6	1	0	1	.343	.342
Wade, Logan	.265	9	34	2	9	11	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	8	2	0	0	.324	.324
Walker, Ryan	.259	8	27	2	7	9	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	7	0	0	0	.333	.375
Totals	.251	10	339	34	85	111	13	2	3	30	2	2	4	31	0	87	10	5	5	.327	.319

Fort Myers Miracle Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Bard, Luke	0	0	3.60	4	0	0	1	0	1	5.0	3	2	2	0	0	2	0	5	0
Fernandez, Raul	0	0	2.08	3	0	0	1	0	0	4.1	3	2	1	0	0	4	0	3	0
Gilbert, Brian	0	0	6.75	4	0	0	1	0	0	5.1	5	4	4	1	1	4	0	2	1
Gonsalves, Stephen	1	1	2.25	2	2	0	0	0	0	12.0	8	3	3	1	0	3	0	10	0
Hildenberger, Trevor	0	1	1.69	4	0	0	4	0	3	5.1	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	6	0
Jay, Tyler	1	0	2.70	2	2	0	0	0	0	10.0	6	3	3	2	1	4	0	11	1
Jorge, Felix	0	1	3.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	5	2	2	0	1	1	0	7	0
Landa, Yorman	1	0	3.60	4	0	0	0	0	0	5.0	5	2	2	0	0	3	0	6	0
Rosario, Randy	1	0	0.00	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1
Steele, Keaton	0	1	3.38	2	2	0	0	0	0	10.2	8	4	4	0	0	5	0	9	0
Stewart, Kohl	1	0	1.50	2	2	0	0	0	0	12.0	5	2	2	1	0	2	0	13	0
Van Steensel, Todd	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	1	0	1	4.0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	3	0
Westphal, Luke	1	0	0.00	4	0	0	2	0	0	4.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	0
Totals	6	4	2.39	10	10	0	10	1	5	90.1	60	26	24	5	3	33	0	91	3

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Florida State
League
North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Clearwater Threshers	6	4	.600	-	2-3	4-1	2-2	W3	6-4
Dunedin Blue Jays	6	4	.600	-	3-2	3-2	2-2	W3	6-4
Tampa Yankees	6	4	.600	-	4-1	2-3	3-1	L2	6-4
Lakeland Flying Tigers	5	5	.500	1.0	3-4	2-1	1-3	W3	5-5
Daytona Tortugas	4	6	.400	2.0	2-2	2-4	3-1	W1	4-6
Brevard County Manatees	2	8	.200	4.0	0-4	2-4	1-3	L5	2-8

Florida State
League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Palm Beach Cardinals	7	3	.700	-	5-1	2-2	3-1	L2	7-3
St. Lucie Mets	7	3	.700	-	3-3	4-0	3-1	W2	7-3
Fort Myers Miracle	6	4	.600	1.0	4-2	2-2	2-2	L1	6-4
Charlotte Stone Crabs	5	5	.500	2.0	2-2	3-3	1-3	W2	5-5
Bradenton Marauders	3	7	.300	4.0	1-3	2-4	2-2	L3	3-7
Jupiter Hammerheads	3	7	.300	4.0	0-4	3-3	1-3	L3	3-7

Cedar Rapids KERNELS (7-3) 7, Clinton LumberKings (5-4) 0
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Clinton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1
Cedar Rapids	1	0	3	0	1	1	0	1	x	7	11	2

Clinton	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG	Cedar Rapids	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Liberato, RF	4	0	1	0	1	2	6	.314	Arraez, 2B	5	3	3	0	0	0	2	.409
Bishop, CF	5	0	0	0	0	3	6	.250	Miller, 3B	4	1	1	3	0	1	1	.190
Kelly, 1B	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	.345	Wade, LF	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	.417
Taylor, L, DH	4	0	1	0	0	2	4	.333	Wiel, 1B	4	0	0	0	0	3	4	.200
Alfonso, C	5	0	1	0	0	3	3	.333	Murphy, M, RF	4	0	0	0	0	1	4	.200
Ascanio, SS	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	.226	Hayman, DH	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	.111
Mariscal, 2B	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	.263	Murray, C	4	2	3	1	0	0	0	.269
Hale, 3B	3	0	1	0	1	0	5	.167	Guzman, M, SS	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	.000
Fernandez, Ra, 2B-SS	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	.083	Cavaness, CF	3	1	2	1	1	1	0	.233
Eusebio, LF	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	.379	Clay, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Wells, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Lombana, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Morales, O, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Curtiss, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Silva, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	Totals	34	7	11	7	1	8	14	.239
Totals	34	0	8	0	2	12	30	.267									

BATTING

TB: Taylor, L; Liberato; Eusebio; Hale; Mariscal; Alfonso; Kelly 2.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Bishop 2; Hale 3;

Taylor, L 2; Liberato 2.

SAC: Fernandez, Ra; Eusebio.

Team RISP: 2-for-12.

Team LOB: 15.

BASERUNNING

CS: Taylor, L (2, 2nd base by Clay/Murray).

FIELDING

E: Fernandez, Ra (2, throw).

DP: (Hale-Fernandez, Ra-Kelly).

BATTING

2B: Arraez (1, Wells); Wade (6, Morales, O).

3B: Wade (2, Wells).

HR: Miller (1, 3rd inning off Wells, 2 on, 0 out); Murray (2, 8th inning off Silva, 0 on, 1 out).

TB: Cavaness 2; Miller 4; Arraez 4; Murray 6; Wade 5.

RBI: Wade 2 (8); Miller 3 (4); Cavaness (3); Murray (6).

2-out RBI: Cavaness.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Murphy, M 2.

SF: Wade.

GIDP: Guzman, M.

Team RISP: 3-for-10.

Team LOB: 6.

BASERUNNING

SB: Wade (2, 2nd base off Wells/Alfonso).

FIELDING

E: Clay (2, fielding); Guzman, M (1, throw).

Clinton	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA	Cedar Rapids	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Wells (L, 0-2)	5.0	7	5	5	0	5	1	12.96	Clay (W, 1-0)	5.0	6	0	0	1	6	0	0.00
Morales, O	2.0	3	1	1	0	2	0	1.29	Lombana	2.0	2	0	0	1	2	0	4.50
Silva	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	10.38	Curtiss	2.0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0.00
Totals	8.0	11	7	7	1	8	2	4.10	Totals	9.0	8	0	0	2	12	0	2.93

Game Scores: Wells 38; Clay 60.

WP: Wells; Curtiss.

HBP: Kelly (by Clay); Eusebio (by Lombana); Taylor, L (by Lombana); Eusebio (by Curtiss); Wade (by Wells).

Pitches-strikes: Wells 75-55; Morales, O 36-26; Silva 17-10; Clay 98-60; Lombana 42-28; Curtiss 35-24.

Groundouts-flyouts: Wells 5-3; Morales, O 3-1; Silva 2-0; Clay 6-1; Lombana 4-0; Curtiss 1-2.

Batters faced: Wells 23; Morales, O 9; Silva 5; Clay 22; Lombana 12; Curtiss 8.

Umpires: HP: Andy Stukel. 1B: Brian Walsh.

Weather: 78 degrees, sunny.

Wind: 15 mph, Out to CF.

First pitch: 4:09 PM.

T: 2:51.

Att: 2,231.

Venue: Perfect Game Field.

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Cedar Rapids Kernels Batting

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GIDP	SLG	OBP
Arraez, Luis	.409	6	22	8	9	16	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	.727	.458
Cavaness, Christian	.233	8	30	1	7	8	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	9	0	0	0	.267	.303
Fernandez, J.J.	.100	8	30	3	3	3	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	2	0	10	0	0	0	.100	.152
Guzman, Manuel	.000	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	.000	.000
Hayman, Bryant	.111	3	9	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	.111	.273
Miller, Sean	.190	5	21	5	4	7	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	.333	.182
Murphy, Max	.200	9	35	4	7	10	1	1	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	9	2	0	3	.286	.282
Murray, A.J.	.269	8	26	5	7	13	0	0	2	6	0	1	2	3	0	7	0	0	0	.500	.375
Palacios, Jermaine	.172	8	29	3	5	6	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	1	.207	.226
Valera, Rafael P	.179	8	28	9	5	12	1	3	0	5	0	0	1	7	0	8	0	2	0	.429	.361
Wade, LaMonte	.417	10	36	5	15	25	6	2	0	8	0	2	1	6	0	4	2	1	0	.694	.489
Wiel, Zander	.200	9	30	5	6	7	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	8	0	10	0	0	0	.233	.350
Totals	.239	10	327	54	78	120	13	7	5	45	0	7	5	41	0	76	4	3	6	.367	.326

Cedar Rapids Kernels Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Anderson, Nick	1	0	1.80	3	0	0	3	0	0	5.0	4	1	1	0	0	1	0	4	0
Booser, Cam	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cederoth, Michael	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clay, Sam	1	0	0.00	2	2	0	0	0	0	11.0	11	1	0	0	1	3	0	13	2
Curtiss, John	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	3	0	0	4.0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	8	1
Cutura, Andro	2	0	2.45	2	2	0	0	0	0	11.0	6	4	3	0	0	5	0	14	2
Gibbons, Sam	1	1	4.66	2	2	0	0	0	0	9.2	16	8	5	0	1	4	0	9	0
Irby, C.K.	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	0	6.0	5	1	0	0	0	2	0	7	1
LeBlanc, Randy	1	1	2.45	2	2	0	0	0	0	11.0	7	3	3	0	4	4	0	8	1
Lo, Kuo Hua	0	0	3.86	3	0	0	2	0	0	4.2	7	5	2	0	0	5	0	2	1
Lombana, Logan	0	0	4.50	3	0	0	0	0	0	6.0	7	3	3	0	2	2	0	4	0
Nordgren, Miles	1	0	1.80	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	2	1
Rodriguez, Dereck	0	1	7.50	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.0	8	5	5	0	2	0	0	6	2
Romero, Fernando	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stashak, Cody	0	0	2.25	1	0	0	1	0	1	4.0	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1
Theofanopoulos, Michael	0	0	9.82	3	0	0	1	0	0	3.2	6	5	4	0	0	3	0	5	2
Thorpe, Lewis	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tillery, Zach	0	0	4.50	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	7	3	2.93	10	10	0	10	1	1	89.0	81	39	29	0	12	35	0	86	14

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Midwest League Eastern

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Lansing Lugnuts	5	2	.714	0.5	3-0	2-2	5-2	W2	5-2
Fort Wayne TinCaps	7	3	.700	-	5-0	2-3	7-3	W4	7-3
Lake County Captains	7	3	.700	-	4-1	3-2	7-3	L1	7-3
West Michigan Whitecaps	5	4	.556	1.5	0-4	5-0	5-4	W3	5-4
South Bend Cubs	4	5	.444	2.5	3-2	1-3	4-5	L3	4-5
Great Lakes Loons	3	4	.429	2.5	2-2	1-2	3-4	W1	3-4
Bowling Green Hot Rods	4	6	.400	3.0	3-2	1-4	4-6	L2	4-6
Dayton Dragons	1	9	.100	6.0	1-4	0-5	1-9	L7	1-9

Midwest League Western

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Cedar Rapids Kernels	7	3	.700	-	4-1	3-2	7-3	W1	7-3
Kane County Cougars	6	3	.667	0.5	2-2	4-1	6-3	W4	6-3
Burlington Bees	5	4	.556	1.5	3-1	2-3	5-4	L1	5-4
Clinton LumberKings	5	4	.556	1.5	3-2	2-2	5-4	L1	5-4
Beloit Snappers	5	5	.500	2.0	3-2	2-3	5-5	W1	5-5
Peoria Chiefs	4	5	.444	2.5	3-2	1-3	4-5	L1	4-5
Wisconsin Timber Rattlers	4	6	.400	3.0	3-2	1-4	4-6	W1	4-6
Quad Cities River Bandits	2	8	.200	5.0	0-5	2-3	2-8	L3	2-8

MINOR LEAGUE CLIPS

Lookouts fall to Jackson again, drop series

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T.J. White was 2-for-4 with a double — one of three for his team — but the Chattanooga Lookouts had just six hits total as they lost 9-5 to Jackson on Saturday night at AT&T Field.

The Lookouts' second straight loss closed out their series with the Generals (6-3), who spoiled the 2015 Southern League champions first homestand of 2016 by taking three of five games.

Chattanooga (3-7) returns to the road with a five-game set against the Mississippi Braves that starts today.

The Lookouts worked to cut into Jackson's 9-1 lead in the seventh, when Mitch Garver and D.J. Hicks greeted Generals reliever Stephen Landazuri by drawing back-to-back walks. White lined a double to left field to score Garver, and Stuart Turner's one-out single brought home Hicks and White to chase Landazuri. His replacement, Andrew Kittredge, ended the threat with a strikeout and a groundout.

Turner walked to lead off the bottom of the ninth and White's single scored him, but the rally went no further.

Hicks and Daniel Palka also had doubles. Shannon Wilkerson's third-inning sacrifice fly scored Turner.

Ryan Eades took the loss after allowing eight runs (six earned) on 10 hits and a walk in 3 2/3 innings.

Jackson's Daniel Paolini was 3-for-4 with a walk and an RBI, and D.J. Peterson was 2-for-5 with a double and three RBIs.

Tortugas shell Miracle late in 6-4 win

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The Daytona Tortugas knocked off the Fort Myers Miracle, 6-4, on Saturday night at Jackie Robinson Ballpark.

The Tortugas put up three runs in the third inning on Miracle starter Keaton Steele. With one out, Jeff Gelalich reached on an infield single and then moved up to second when Steele walked Aristides Aquino. Angelo Gumbs then worked a 3-1 count before bouncing a single up the middle. Gelalich scored easily and then Aquino raced for third. Tanner English's throw bounced off Chris Paul's glove at third base allowing Aquino to score, 2-0.

Brian O'Grady then singled into right to push Gumbs to third base. Taylor Sparks then picked up an RBI on a ground out to third base plating Gumbs, 3-0.

The Miracle answered in the top of the fourth loading the bases on an English double, Alex Swim walk and Nick Gordon single. Trey Vavra then hit a tapper back to Tortuga starter Teejay Antone who threw home to get the force out. Paul then lined out to left for a sacrifice fly to bring in Swim from third. Logan Wade followed with a line drive into left for a base hit and RBI, 3-2.

Steele (0-1) lasted five innings on the mound for the Miracle gave up three runs on six hits with three walks and seven strikeouts. Antone (1-0) also went five frames and surrendered two runs on three hits with a pair of walks and five strikeouts.

Brian Gilbert tossed a scoreless sixth out of the Miracle pen, but the Tortugas knocked in three runs in the seventh. Gumbs earned his fourth hit of the game, a two-run homer to left field, following by an RBI single from Sparks two batters later to push the Daytona edge to 6-2.

The Miracle chipped away in the eighth and ninth with a run in each frame. Gordon drove in a run with a groundout in the eighth and Ryan Walker had a run-scoring triple with two outs in the ninth. Jake Ehret recorded the final four outs to earn his second save of the season.

Sean Miller goes deep for 1st time in pro career, C.R. Kernels blank Clinton, 7-0

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But it was the Clinton LumberKings who took the brunt of Sean Miller's power Saturday afternoon.

The ever-so-slight infielder's first professional home run turned out to be an important one, a three-run blast that helped maneuver the Cedar Rapids Kernels past Clinton, 7-0, before 2,231 fans on a perfect spring afternoon at Veterans Memorial Stadium.

"He actually had two today," kidded clubhouse manager Eric Oliver, walking past Miller in the clubhouse as the "slugger" was being interviewed. "He had one in batting practice, too."

Miller, 21, played college ball at Division II South Carolina-Aiken. His previous longball came just about a year ago, April 25 in a 4-3 win over Flagler.

"Really?" Miller said, not remembering it.

With two on and none out in the third inning Saturday, he drove a fastball right down the pipe from Clinton starting pitcher Nick Wells into what used to be the hot-tub area on the left-field porch. It ended a 163 at-bat streak in pro ball without a homer.

Something must be in the water around the ballpark. Kernels teammate Luis Arraez hit his first pro home run Thursday night, after 331 ABs.

"Pretty good feeling because I've been struggling a little bit," said Miller, who came in 3-for-17 in four games. "I feel like I'm starting to get out of it, though, and this will help. I was just looking for a sacrifice fly, something to get the run in there."

"The last two nights have been a little odd," said Kernels Manager Jake Mauer. "Guys who aren't supposed to be driving in runs are carrying us." Arraez and catcher A.J. Murray had three hits apiece as Cedar Rapids (7-3) rebounded from a lopsided loss Friday night. Murray also homered.

Outfielder LaMonte Wade continued his slow-pitch softball-esque offensive start, going 2-for-2 with a double, triple and two RBIs. He is hitting .417, Arraez .409 after eight hits in his last three games.

"What can you say about LaMonte Wade? He's on everything," Mauer said.

Though the score might not indicate it, Clinton (5-4) was one hit away from making this a very interesting game. The LumberKings left 15 men on base, including 13 in the third through seventh innings.

They stranded the bases loaded in the fifth, sixth and seventh. Starting pitcher Sam Clay (1-0) went five scoreless and hasn't allowed a run in his first two starts (spanning 11 innings).

The teams conclude their four-game series Sunday afternoon at 2:05.