





Minnesota Twins Minor League Report Sunday, May 1, 2016

Team	Level	Record	Yesterday's Scores	Streak/Last 10
 Rochester Red Wings	Triple-A	10-13; 3.0 GB T-5th in International League North	W, 7-5 vs. Scranton/WB	W1, 6-4
 Chattanooga Lookouts	Double-A	9-14; 5.5 GB T-4th in Southern League North	L, 0-12 vs. Montgomery	L1, 5-5
 Fort Myers Miracle	High-A	13-10; 1.0 GB T-2nd in Fla. State League South	L, 1-2 at Charlotte	L1, 5-5
 C. Rapids Kernels	Low-A	13-10; 1.5 GB 3rd in MW League Western	L, 1-5 vs. South Bend	L1, 5-5
 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
Scranton/WB	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	12	2
Rochester	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	3	x	7	9	1

Scranton/WB	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Gamel, B, LF	4	2	2	1	1	1	2	.321
Judge, DH	5	1	2	1	0	1	3	.287
Heathcott, CF	4	0	0	1	0	1	1	.214
Sanchez, G, C	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	.225
Swisher, 1B	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	.340
Refsnyder, 3B	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	.218
Solano, D, 2B	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	.312
Puello, RF	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	.391
Kozma, SS	4	0	1	1	0	0	3	.138
Bleier, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Pazos, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Pestano, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Mullee, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	37	5	12	5	1	3	13	.254

Rochester	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Buxton, CF	4	1	0	0	1	3	5	.214
Tovar, SS	5	1	2	3	0	1	1	.286
Beresford, 2B	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	.274
Vargas, K, 1B	4	0	1	2	1	0	1	.190
Kepler, RF	5	0	2	0	0	0	2	.208
Walker, DH	3	0	0	0	1	1	3	.230
Mastroianni, LF	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	.225
Centeno, C	2	1	1	1	1	0	1	.250
1-Meneses, PR	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.133
Paulino, C, C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.308
Wickens, 3B	3	2	1	0	1	1	4	.235
Albers, A, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Walden, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Kintzler, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Boshers, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	33	7	9	6	7	6	18	.233

1-Ran for Centeno in the 8th.

BATTING

2B: Judge (6, Albers, A).
HR: Gamel, B (1, 1st inning off Albers, A, 0 on, 0 out); Judge (3, 1st inning off Albers, A, 0 on, 0 out).
TB: Gamel, B 5; Solano, D 2; Judge 6; Puello 3; Refsnyder; Swisher; Kozma.
RBI: Gamel, B (6); Judge (12); Heathcott (6); Puello (5); Kozma (5).
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Sanchez, G 2; Kozma; Judge 2.
SF: Heathcott.
GIDP: Refsnyder; Swisher.
Team RISP: 2-for-8.
Team LOB: 7.

BASERUNNING

SB: Gamel, B (7, 2nd base off Albers, A/Centeno); Puello (1, 2nd base off Walden/Centeno).

FIELDING

E: Puello (1, fielding); Swisher (2, missed catch).
DP: (Swisher-Kozma-Bleier).
Pickoffs: Bleier (Kepler at 1st base).

Scranton/WB	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Bleier	4.0	4	3	2	1	1	0	3.38
Pazos	1.1	1	1	1	4	0	0	3.00
Pestano (H, 2)(L, 1-1)	2.0	2	2	2	1	4	0	3.38
Mullee (BS, 1)	0.2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0.93
Totals	8.0	9	7	6	7	6	0	3.26

Bleier pitched to 2 batters in the 5th.

Game Scores: Bleier 44; Albers, A 29.

WP: Walden.

HBP: Centeno (by Pestano). **Pitches-strikes:** Bleier 81-47; Pazos 42-22; Pestano 45-30; Mullee 22-12; Albers, A 80-50; Walden 15-9; Kintzler 38-27; Boshers 14-10. **Groundouts-flyouts:** Bleier 8-3; Pazos 0-4; Pestano 0-1; Mullee 0-1; Albers, A 7-6; Walden 2-0; Kintzler 4-2; Boshers 0-0. **Batters faced:** Bleier 17; Pazos 9; Pestano 10; Mullee 5; Albers, A 25; Walden 4; Kintzler 7; Boshers 3. **Inherited runners-scored:** Pazos 1-1; Pestano 3-0; Mullee 2-2; Walden 2-2. **Umpires:** HP: Derek Mollica. 1B: Jansen Visconti. 3B: Ryan Additon. **Weather:** 55 degrees, sunny. **Wind:** 7 mph, In from LF. **First pitch:** 1:35 PM. **T:** 3:05. **Att:** 6,918. **Venue:** Frontier Field. **April 30, 2016**

BATTING

2B: Mastroianni (3, Bleier); Tovar (3, Pazos).
TB: Wickens; Mastroianni 3; Centeno; Tovar 3; Kepler 2; Vargas, K.
RBI: Centeno (4); Tovar 3 (9); Vargas, K 2 (9).
2-out RBI: Tovar; Vargas, K 2.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Tovar; Walker 2; Vargas, K; Buxton 2; Kepler.
GIDP: Centeno.
Team RISP: 4-for-14.
Team LOB: 10.

BASERUNNING

SB: Wickens (3, 2nd base off Bleier/Sanchez, G).
CS: Kepler (1, 2nd base by Bleier/Sanchez, G).
PO: Kepler (1st base by Bleier).

FIELDING

E: Wickens (2, fielding).
DP: 2 (Tovar-Beresford-Vargas, K 2).

Rochester	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Albers, A	5.1	9	5	5	1	0	2	8.44
Walden (BS, 1)	0.2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3.38
Kintzler (W, 4-1)	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.05
Boshers (S, 1)	1.0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0.87
Totals	9.0	12	5	5	1	3	2	3.79

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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	.274	21	73	10	20	26	4	1	0	10	0	1	0	10	0	14	0	1	2	.356	.357
Britton, Buck	.203	17	64	4	13	18	2	0	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	.281	.215
Buxton, Byron	.214	6	28	3	6	10	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	0	.357	.267
Centeno, Juan	.250	11	36	4	9	10	1	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	3	1	0	2	.278	.325
Kepler, Max	.208	7	24	1	5	8	1	1	0	4	0	2	0	4	1	1	0	1	1	.333	.300
Mastroianni, Darin	.225	22	71	9	16	19	3	0	0	6	1	2	1	14	0	21	6	1	0	.268	.352
Meneses, Heiker	.133	12	30	5	4	7	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	15	1	0	2	.233	.278
Paulino, Carlos	.308	4	13	3	4	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	.385	.308
Tovar, Wilfredo	.286	21	70	10	20	23	3	0	0	9	1	1	2	5	0	12	7	2	1	.329	.346
Vargas, Kennys	.190	22	79	4	15	21	3	0	1	9	0	0	0	8	0	25	1	0	1	.266	.264
Walker, Adam	.230	16	61	8	14	25	3	1	2	7	0	0	0	3	0	25	1	1	2	.410	.266
Wickens, Stephen	.235	7	17	3	4	7	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	4	0	4	3	1	0	.412	.381
Totals	.233	23	737	77	172	245	30	8	9	69	3	7	4	72	1	175	20	9	14	.332	.302

Rochester Red Wings Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Albers, Andrew	0	0	8.44	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.1	9	5	5	2	0	1	0	0	0
Boshers, Buddy	0	0	0.87	8	0	0	3	0	1	10.1	9	1	1	0	0	2	0	11	1
Darnell, Logan	2	2	3.04	4	4	1	0	1	0	26.2	21	9	9	3	0	9	0	7	0
Dean, Pat	0	3	3.00	5	5	1	0	0	0	30.0	24	13	10	1	0	6	0	17	0
Graham, J.R.	0	2	11.74	7	0	0	6	0	2	7.2	11	10	10	1	0	7	0	7	2
Kintzler, Brandon	4	1	4.05	9	0	0	3	0	0	13.1	14	6	6	0	1	3	0	8	5
Martinez, David	0	1	4.00	5	2	0	2	0	0	18.0	19	9	8	2	1	3	0	7	2
Rogers, Taylor	0	1	7.04	4	1	0	1	0	0	7.2	13	11	6	1	0	3	0	6	0
Runzler, Dan	0	1	3.48	8	0	0	4	0	0	10.1	12	6	4	0	2	4	0	6	4
Walden, Marcus	0	0	3.38	3	0	0	0	0	0	2.2	6	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1
Wheeler, Jason	0	0	1.29	1	1	0	0	0	0	7.0	6	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	0
Wimmers, Alex	1	0	4.50	2	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	2	2	2	0	1	3	0	4	0
Totals	10	13	3.79	23	23	2	21	3	4	199.1	200	98	84	12	7	69	1	132	16

International League
North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Syracuse Chiefs	12	9	.571	-	10-4	2-5	12-9	W3	6-4
Lehigh Valley IronPigs	12	10	.545	0.5	4-4	8-6	12-10	W1	6-4
Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders	12	11	.522	1.0	7-6	5-5	12-11	L1	4-6
Pawtucket Red Sox	11	11	.500	1.5	4-7	7-4	11-11	L3	4-6
Buffalo Bisons	10	13	.435	3.0	2-5	8-8	10-13	L1	5-5
Rochester Red Wings	10	13	.435	3.0	6-8	4-5	10-13	W1	6-4

International League
South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Gwinnett Braves	13	11	.542	-	5-4	8-7	10-6	L2	3-7
Durham Bulls	11	13	.458	2.0	5-8	6-5	9-8	W1	3-7
Charlotte Knights	10	13	.435	2.5	6-5	4-8	7-8	W1	5-5
Norfolk Tides	9	14	.391	3.5	6-8	3-6	6-10	W1	5-5

International League
West

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Columbus Clippers	15	7	.682	-	10-3	5-4	7-7	W10	10-0
Louisville Bats	12	9	.571	2.5	4-7	8-2	6-8	L1	7-3
Indianapolis Indians	11	10	.524	3.5	5-4	6-6	8-6	L1	5-5
Toledo Mud Hens	8	12	.400	6.0	3-6	5-6	6-6	L1	2-8

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STANDINGS

	W	L	PCT	GB	Streak	Last10
Louisville Bats	12	9	.571	-	L1	7-3
Lehigh Valley IronPigs	12	10	.545	0.5	W1	6-4
Indianapolis Indians	11	10	.524	1.0	L1	5-5
Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders	12	11	.522	1.0	L1	4-6
Pawtucket Red Sox	11	11	.500	1.5	L3	4-6
Durham Bulls	11	13	.458	2.5	W1	3-7
Buffalo Bisons	10	13	.435	3.0	L1	5-5
Charlotte Knights	10	13	.435	3.0	W1	5-5
Rochester Red Wings	10	13	.435	3.0	W1	6-4
Toledo Mud Hens	8	12	.400	3.5	L1	2-8
Norfolk Tides	9	14	.391	4.0	W1	5-5

Montgomery Biscuits (13-9) 12, Chattanooga Lookouts (9-14) 0
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Montgomery	1	5	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	12	14	0
Chattanooga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3

Montgomery	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Field, LF	4	4	3	1	1	0	1	.303
Hager, 2B	4	1	2	3	0	0	2	.339
Bauers, RF	5	1	1	3	0	0	2	.286
Adames, SS	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	.266
Wong, DH	3	1	2	0	0	1	1	.260
a-Coyle, PH-DH	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	.143
Gillaspie, 1B	4	1	1	0	1	0	3	.284
Marjama, C	4	1	2	0	0	0	2	.236
Querecuto, 3B	5	2	2	3	0	1	3	.235
Lee, CF	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	.148
Guerrieri, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Borden, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	40	12	14	11	3	4	19	.256

a-Struck out for Wong in the 7th.

BATTING

2B: Field (6, Bencomo); Hager (5, Bencomo).

HR: Hager (1, 2nd inning off Bencomo, 1 on, 2 out); Bauers (4, 6th inning off Strong, 1 on, 2 out); Querecuto (2, 9th inning off Williams, C, 0 on, 2 out).

TB: Bauers 4; Hager 6; Field 4; Querecuto 5; Wong 2; Adames; Marjama 2; Gillaspie.

RBI: Bauers 3 (11); Querecuto 3 (14); Field (17); Hager 3 (12); Adames (10).

2-out RBI: Hager 3; Querecuto 2; Bauers 2; Adames.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Marjama; Bauers; Lee.

SAC: Hager.

GIDP: Gillaspie; Marjama.

Team RISP: 4-for-14.

Team LOB: 6.

FIELDING

DP: (Guerrieri-Adames-Gillaspie).

Montgomery	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Guerrieri (W, 1-1)	5.0	1	0	0	1	1	0	4.56
Borden (S, 1)	4.0	0	0	0	3	6	0	4.86
Totals	9.0	1	0	0	4	7	0	4.17

Chattanooga	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Wilkerson, CF	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	.167
Michael, 2B	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	.271
Palka, RF	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	.338
Garver, DH	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	.254
Hicks, 1B	4	0	0	0	0	1	5	.188
Maloney, LF	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	.207
White, 3B	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	.133
Turner, C	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.256
Vielma, SS	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.283
a-Reginatto, PH-SS	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	.273
Bencomo, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Strong, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Williams, C, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	27	0	1	0	4	7	10	.239

a-Lined out for Vielma in the 6th.

BATTING

TB: Garver.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Hicks 2.

GIDP: Vielma.

Team RISP: 0-for-1.

Team LOB: 5.

FIELDING

E: Michael (2, fielding); White (6, throw); Hicks (1, fielding).

Outfield assists: Palka (Querecuto at 2nd base).

DP: 2 (Michael-Vielma-Hicks; Michael-Reginatto-Hicks).

Chattanooga	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Bencomo (L, 0-1)	5.0	7	8	3	3	1	1	5.40
Strong	2.0	4	2	2	0	2	1	19.29
Williams, C	2.0	3	2	2	0	1	1	5.11
Totals	9.0	14	12	7	3	4	3	5.00

Game Scores: Guerrieri 65; Bencomo 29.

HBP: Marjama (by Bencomo); Turner (by Guerrieri).

Pitches-strikes: Guerrieri 66-40; Borden 73-44; Bencomo 77-47; Strong 41-27; Williams, C 37-28.

Groundouts-flyouts: Guerrieri 8-0; Borden 2-2; Bencomo 9-2; Strong 1-1; Williams, C 4-0.

Batters faced: Guerrieri 17; Borden 15; Bencomo 26; Strong 10; Williams, C 9.

Umpires: HP: Skyler Shown. 1B: Ryan Doherty. 3B: Adam Beck.

Weather: 75 degrees, rain.

Wind: 8 mph, Out to RF.

First pitch: 7:37 PM.

T: 2:45 (:22 delay).

Att: 4,399.

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	.254	20	71	8	18	26	5	0	1	8	0	1	0	10	0	21	0	0	1	.366	.341
Granite, Zach	.205	19	78	10	16	19	3	0	0	8	0	1	1	7	0	7	9	1	1	.244	.276
Harrison, Travis	.230	20	74	9	17	28	5	0	2	9	0	1	2	7	0	20	2	3	1	.378	.310
Hicks, D.J.	.188	21	85	13	16	28	3	0	3	9	0	1	0	8	0	26	2	0	1	.329	.255
Maloney, Joe	.207	16	58	6	12	19	4	0	1	7	0	0	1	6	0	29	1	0	0	.328	.292
Michael, Levi	.271	21	70	9	19	23	0	2	0	9	4	0	3	9	0	17	0	1	0	.329	.378
Palka, Daniel	.338	21	80	10	27	43	7	0	3	15	0	0	1	11	0	25	1	0	0	.538	.424
Reginatto, Leonardo	.273	21	77	9	21	24	3	0	0	5	1	0	4	5	0	17	2	1	2	.312	.349
Turner, Stuart	.256	14	43	8	11	18	4	0	1	8	0	0	4	7	0	11	0	1	2	.419	.407
Vielma, Engelb	.283	14	46	9	13	15	0	1	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	8	0	2	3	.326	.283
White, T.J.	.133	13	45	9	6	7	1	0	0	4	0	1	3	4	0	16	2	0	1	.156	.245
Wilkerson, Shannon	.167	8	30	2	5	6	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	5	0	5	0	1	0	.200	.278
Totals	.239	23	767	103	183	258	36	3	11	90	8	6	20	80	0	205	19	10	12	.336	.324

Chattanooga Lookouts Pitching

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GF	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP
Baxendale, D.J.	1	3	3.41	5	5	0	0	0	0	29.0	27	11	11	2	0	5	0	25	0
Bencomo, Omar	0	1	5.40	1	1	0	0	0	0	5.0	7	8	3	1	1	3	0	1	0
Burdi, Nick	1	0	9.00	3	0	0	2	0	0	3.0	4	3	3	0	0	1	0	1	0
Chargois, J.T.	0	0	1.13	8	0	0	8	0	4	8.0	4	2	1	0	0	2	0	11	0
Eades, Ryan	0	2	8.00	4	4	0	0	0	0	18.0	27	16	16	0	0	10	0	11	0
Hildenberger, Trevor	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Hurlbut, David	2	1	6.04	5	5	0	0	0	0	22.1	34	20	15	2	1	7	0	20	1
Melotakis, Mason	1	1	5.40	5	0	0	0	0	0	5.0	9	3	3	1	0	1	0	6	0
Reed, Jake	1	1	5.73	9	0	0	5	0	0	11.0	11	10	7	2	1	5	0	10	0
Slegers, Aaron	1	1	3.91	4	4	0	0	0	0	23.0	23	10	10	2	1	8	0	13	1
Strong, Mike	0	1	19.29	5	0	0	0	0	0	4.2	11	10	10	1	0	3	0	2	0
Westphal, Luke	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	1
Williams, Corey	1	0	5.11	7	0	0	1	0	0	12.1	9	7	7	3	1	10	0	10	0
Totals	9	14	5.00	23	23	0	23	1	5	200.0	220	131	111	15	8	69	0	164	7

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Southern League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Jackson Generals	14	8	.636	-	9-3	5-5	10-4	W1	6-4
Montgomery Biscuits	13	9	.591	1.0	7-3	6-6	6-6	W1	7-3
Tennessee Smokies	12	11	.522	2.5	4-6	8-5	4-6	L1	6-4
Birmingham Barons	9	14	.391	5.5	5-3	4-11	6-9	L1	4-6
Chattanooga Lookouts	9	14	.391	5.5	6-7	3-7	6-7	L1	5-5

Southern League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Biloxi Shuckers	16	6	.727	-	11-4	5-2	10-4	W1	7-3
Pensacola Blue Wahoos	13	10	.565	3.5	7-3	6-7	9-6	W1	4-6
Jacksonville Suns	10	13	.435	6.5	7-6	3-7	4-9	L2	4-6
Mississippi Braves	9	14	.391	7.5	6-9	3-5	5-8	W2	5-5
Mobile BayBears	8	14	.364	8.0	0-7	8-7	4-5	L1	2-8

Charlotte Stone Crabs (11-12) 2, Fort Myers Miracle (13-10) 1
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Fort Myers	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	1
Charlotte	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	2	6	0

Fort Myers	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Walker, 2B	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	.257
Gordon, SS	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	.333
Plouffe, 3B	4	0	1	0	0	1	2	.250
Vavra, Tr, 1B	4	0	0	0	0	3	1	.241
Swim, C	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.209
Real, DH	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	.263
Wade, LF	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	.183
Christensen, CF	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	.217
Diemer, RF	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	.143
Jorge, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Curtiss, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Landa, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	31	1	4	1	0	12	3	.225

Charlotte	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Unroe, 2B	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	.273
Sole, SS	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	.294
Jackson, B, LF	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	.280
Kay, 1B	2	1	1	1	1	0	1	.230
Ciuffo, C	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	.194
Toribio, 3B	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	.213
Conrad, DH	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	.186
Milone, CF	3	0	0	1	0	1	1	.208
Cray, RF	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.067
Moss, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Bird, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	29	2	6	2	1	5	8	.235

BATTING

HR: Real (1, 4th inning off Moss, 0 on, 2 out).

TB: Gordon; Plouffe; Walker; Real 4.

RBI: Real (7).

2-out RBI: Real.

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Plouffe.

Team RISP: 0-for-1.

Team LOB: 3.

FIELDING

E: Jorge (1, pickoff).

PB: Swim (2).

Pickoffs: Jorge 2 (Milone at 2nd base, Kay at 1st base).

Fort Myers	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Jorge (L, 1-2)	6.0	5	2	2	1	3	1	1.40
Curtiss	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.00
Landa	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3.60
Totals	8.0	6	2	2	1	5	1	2.34

BATTING

2B: Jackson, B (4, Jorge).

3B: Toribio (2, Jorge).

HR: Kay (2, 4th inning off Jorge, 0 on, 1 out).

TB: Toribio 4; Jackson, B 2; Ciuffo; Kay 4; Unroe.

RBI: Milone (5); Kay (7).

Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Kay; Conrad; Jackson, B.

Team RISP: 0-for-6.

Team LOB: 4.

BASERUNNING

SB: Unroe (6, 2nd base off Landa/Swim).

PO: Milone (2nd base by Jorge); Kay (1st base by Jorge).

Charlotte	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Moss (W, 1-1)	7.0	4	1	1	0	7	1	3.75
Bird (S, 2)	2.0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0.00
Totals								

Game Scores: Jorge 56; Moss 72.

WP: Jorge 2.

Pitches-strikes: Jorge 84-53; Curtiss 10-6; Landa 17-9; Moss 90-64; Bird 26-17.

Groundouts-flyouts: Jorge 7-4; Curtiss 1-1; Landa 2-0; Moss 9-4; Bird 0-1.

Batters faced: Jorge 23; Curtiss 3; Landa 4; Moss 25; Bird 6.

Umpires: HP: Mike Savakinas. 1B: Reid Joyner.

Weather: 86 degrees, cloudy.

Wind: 11 mph, R to L.

First pitch: 6:07 PM.

T: 1:57.

Att: 3,476.

Venue: Charlotte Sports Park.

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	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	BI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GIDP	SLG	OBP
Christensen, Chad	.217	18	46	5	10	16	0	0	2	6	2	0	2	3	0	12	2	2	1	.348	.294
Corcino, Edgar	.196	16	51	4	10	15	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	13	1	0	0	.294	.281
Diemer, Austin	.143	12	35	6	5	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	15	1	1	2	.143	.189
English, Tanner	.214	11	42	9	9	14	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	6	0	18	5	0	0	.333	.327
Garcia, Kevin	.222	3	9	1	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	.222	.222
Gordon, Nick	.333	21	87	12	29	42	6	2	1	9	0	0	1	3	0	15	4	2	2	.483	.363
Mejia, Aderling	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Murphy, Max	.250	1	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.250	.250
Navarreto, Brian	.105	13	38	5	4	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	11	0	0	0	.132	.128
Paul, Chris	.185	14	54	7	10	16	4	1	0	9	0	2	1	4	0	16	0	0	1	.296	.246
Plouffe, Trevor	.250	1	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.250	.250
Real, Alex	.263	16	57	1	15	19	1	0	1	7	0	1	1	3	0	12	0	0	1	.333	.306
Swim, Alex	.209	22	86	7	18	20	2	0	0	6	0	1	1	4	0	11	0	0	1	.233	.250
Vavra, Trey	.241	22	79	6	19	29	4	0	2	9	0	0	2	7	1	13	2	0	1	.367	.318
Wade, Logan	.183	20	71	6	13	20	0	2	1	7	1	1	1	5	0	18	2	0	0	.282	.244
Walker, Ryan	.257	21	74	7	19	23	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	18	0	1	1	.311	.313
Totals	.225	23	769	80	173	239	21	9	9	69	3	5	13	52	1	186	19	6	11	.311	.284

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	5.23	8	0	0	2	0	1	10.1	9	6	6	0	0	3	0	10	0
Curtiss, John	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Fernandez, Raul	0	0	1.42	7	0	0	3	0	0	12.2	9	3	2	1	0	4	0	10	1
Gilbert, Brian	0	0	6.55	8	0	0	4	0	0	11.0	11	8	8	1	3	8	0	5	1
Gonsalves, Stephen	2	1	1.44	4	4	0	0	0	0	25.0	12	4	4	2	0	6	0	24	2
Jay, Tyler	1	2	5.12	4	4	0	0	0	0	19.1	21	12	11	2	1	7	0	17	3
Jorge, Felix	1	2	1.40	4	4	0	0	0	0	25.2	17	4	4	1	1	4	0	22	3
Landa, Yorman	2	1	3.60	8	0	0	2	0	0	10.0	9	4	4	0	0	4	0	9	0
Muren, Alex	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peterson, Brandon	1	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Rosario, Randy	2	1	1.02	3	3	0	0	0	0	17.2	13	2	2	0	0	3	0	10	1
Steele, Keaton	1	2	2.28	4	4	0	0	0	0	23.2	16	8	6	1	1	9	0	17	0
Stewart, Kohl	1	0	1.93	4	4	0	0	0	0	23.1	14	5	5	1	0	6	0	26	0
Van Steensel, Todd	0	0	1.00	8	0	0	5	0	2	9.0	3	1	1	0	0	6	0	6	0
Totals	13	10	2.34	23	23	0	23	5	6	207.1	149	59	54	9	7	64	0	176	12

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Florida State League North

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Clearwater Threshers	15	8	.652	-	8-5	7-3	10-5	L2	7-3
Tampa Yankees	15	8	.652	-	9-4	6-4	11-4	W1	7-3
Lakeland Flying Tigers	12	11	.522	3.0	6-7	6-4	8-7	W2	6-4
Dunedin Blue Jays	11	12	.478	4.0	4-6	7-6	6-9	L5	4-6
Daytona Tortugas	9	14	.391	6.0	6-5	3-9	7-8	W2	4-6
Brevard County Manatees	5	18	.217	10.0	1-6	4-12	3-12	L1	2-8

Florida State League South

	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Palm Beach Cardinals	14	9	.609	-	6-4	8-5	9-6	W3	6-4
Fort Myers Miracle	13	10	.565	1.0	7-5	6-5	8-7	L1	5-5
St. Lucie Mets	13	10	.565	1.0	7-9	6-1	8-7	L3	5-5
Charlotte Stone Crabs	11	12	.478	3.0	5-6	6-6	6-9	W1	4-6
Bradenton Marauders	10	13	.435	4.0	4-5	6-8	7-8	L1	4-6
Jupiter Hammerheads	10	13	.435	4.0	4-9	6-4	7-8	W1	6-4

South Bend Cubs (13-9) 5, Cedar Rapids KERNELS (13-10) 1
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
South Bend	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	12	0
Cedar Rapids	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	1

South Bend	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Deweese, LF	5	0	3	1	0	0	3	.345
Higgins, C	5	1	0	1	0	0	4	.271
Spingola, DH	4	1	2	0	1	0	1	.403
Jimenez, RF	4	0	2	0	1	2	2	.284
Martinez, CF	5	1	2	2	0	1	3	.235
Ely, 3B	5	0	1	1	0	2	5	.232
Alamo, 1B	3	1	1	0	1	1	1	.350
Sepulveda, 2B	2	1	1	0	2	1	1	.273
Flete, SS	4	0	0	0	0	2	5	.277
Alzolay, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Brooks, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Bloomquist, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	37	5	12	5	5	9	25	.278

BATTING

2B: Martinez (4, Rodriguez, D); Ely (2, Rodriguez, D); Dewees (8, Rodriguez, D); Jimenez (6, Nordgren).
TB: Alamo; Sepulveda; Jimenez 3; Ely 2; Dewees 4; Martinez 3; Spingola 2.
RBI: Martinez 2 (13); Ely (3); Higgins (8); Dewees (16).
2-out RBI: Martinez 2; Ely; Dewees.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Alamo; Spingola; Higgins 2; Ely 2.
GIDP: Ely.
Team RISP: 4-for-19.
Team LOB: 10.

BASERUNNING

SB: Dewees (7, 2nd base off Rodriguez, D/Hayman).
CS: Spingola (3, 2nd base by Nordgren/Hayman).

FIELDING

DP: (Ely-Sepulveda-Alamo).

South Bend	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Alzolay (W, 2-0)	5.0	3	1	1	2	4	0	2.82
Brooks	1.0	0	0	0	3	3	0	1.74
Bloomquist (S, 1)	3.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4.00
Totals	9.0	4	1	1	5	8	0	4.81

Cedar Rapids	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	LOB	AVG
Arraez, 2B	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	.313
Valera, R, DH	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	.239
Wade, LF	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	.361
Wiel, 1B	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	.234
Fernandez, J, RF	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	.222
Hayman, C	4	0	1	0	0	2	3	.143
Miller, 3B	4	1	1	0	0	2	4	.181
Molina, SS	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	.000
Cavaness, CF	2	0	1	1	1	1	0	.209
Rodriguez, D, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Nordgren, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Theofanopoulos, P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	29	1	4	1	5	8	15	.229

BATTING

TB: Hayman; Cavaness; Miller; Wade.
RBI: Cavaness (6).
2-out RBI: Cavaness.
Runners left in scoring position, 2 out: Miller 2.
GIDP: Wiel.
Team RISP: 1-for-4.
Team LOB: 6.

BASERUNNING

SB: Miller (3, 2nd base off Alzolay/Higgins).
CS: Cavaness (2, 2nd base by Alzolay/Higgins).

FIELDING

E: Miller (3, throw).
Outfield assists: Wade (Deweese at 2nd base).
DP: (Miller-Arraez-Wiel).

Cedar Rapids	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	ERA
Rodriguez, D (L, 0-4)	4.0	7	5	2	1	4	0	5.48
Nordgren	3.0	5	0	0	1	1	0	3.00
Theofanopoulos	2.0	0	0	0	3	4	0	2.84
Totals	9.0	12	5	2	5	9	0	3.00

Game Scores: Alzolay 59; Rodriguez, D 37.

WP: Rodriguez, D 3.

Balk: Brooks.

Pitches-strikes: Alzolay 93-62; Brooks 34-19; Bloomquist 30-22; Rodriguez, D 86-52; Nordgren 52-33; Theofanopoulos 42-24.

Groundouts-flyouts: Alzolay 5-4; Brooks 0-0; Bloomquist 5-2; Rodriguez, D 4-2; Nordgren 6-0; Theofanopoulos 1-1.

Batters faced: Alzolay 19; Brooks 6; Bloomquist 9; Rodriguez, D 20; Nordgren 13; Theofanopoulos 9.

Umpires: HP: Derek Thomas. 1B: Austin Jones.

Weather: 48 degrees, rain.

Wind: 24 mph, In from CF.

First pitch: 5:08 PM.

T: 2:55 (1:03 delay).

Att: 1,237.

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	.313	14	48	12	15	23	2	0	2	5	1	1	0	7	0	4	0	0	2	.479	.393
Cavaness, Christian	.209	19	67	2	14	17	1	1	0	6	0	0	0	10	0	24	0	2	2	.254	.312
Fernandez, J.J.	.222	19	72	7	16	21	2	0	1	6	0	1	0	4	0	17	0	0	0	.292	.260
Guzman, Manuel	.172	9	29	2	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	2	1	.172	.226
Hayman, Bryant	.143	10	28	1	4	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	2	0	10	0	0	0	.143	.219
Kihle, Daniel	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Miller, Sean	.181	18	72	10	13	18	2	0	1	8	0	2	1	1	0	13	3	0	0	.250	.197
Molina, Nelson	.000	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
Murray, A.J.	.231	19	65	7	15	26	5	0	2	10	0	1	4	11	0	16	0	0	2	.400	.370
Palacios, Jermaine	.186	19	70	7	13	15	2	0	0	8	1	1	0	7	0	10	2	1	4	.214	.256
Valera, Rafael P	.239	19	71	13	17	31	6	4	0	8	0	0	2	12	0	17	0	3	1	.437	.365
Wade, LaMonte	.361	19	72	10	26	39	6	2	1	10	0	3	1	10	0	8	3	2	1	.542	.430
Wiel, Zander	.234	21	77	13	18	24	2	2	0	5	1	2	0	14	0	24	1	0	1	.312	.344
Totals	.229	23	764	97	175	250	30	12	7	81	3	12	11	89	0	172	12	10	18	.327	.314

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	2	0	2.00	6	0	0	5	0	0	9.0	6	3	2	0	0	3	0	10	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	2	0	0.79	4	4	0	0	0	0	22.2	20	3	2	0	2	8	0	23	3
Cutura, Andro	2	1	6.30	4	4	0	0	0	0	20.0	20	15	14	0	2	9	0	20	3
Gibbons, Sam	1	2	6.53	4	4	0	0	0	0	20.2	29	19	15	1	2	11	0	13	3
Irby, C.K.	0	0	0.00	7	0	0	1	0	1	11.2	7	1	0	0	0	3	0	11	2
LeBlanc, Randy	2	2	1.50	4	4	0	0	0	0	24.0	15	5	4	0	5	5	0	16	1
Lo, Kuo Hua	0	0	1.64	6	0	0	2	0	0	11.0	10	5	2	0	0	10	0	6	1
Lombana, Logan	0	0	3.86	6	0	0	1	0	0	14.0	13	6	6	0	2	4	0	14	2
Nordgren, Miles	1	0	3.00	4	1	0	2	0	0	12.0	12	4	4	0	1	4	0	5	2
Rodriguez, Dereck	0	4	5.48	4	4	0	0	0	0	21.1	25	17	13	1	3	6	0	20	7
Romero, Fernando	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stashak, Cody	2	0	1.13	3	2	0	1	0	1	16.0	9	2	2	0	0	3	0	11	2
Theofanopoulos, Michael	0	0	2.84	8	0	0	3	0	0	12.2	9	5	4	0	0	10	0	16	2
Thorpe, Lewis	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tillery, Zach	1	1	2.70	4	0	0	2	0	0	6.2	7	2	2	0	0	5	0	8	0
Totals	13	10	3.00	23	23	0	23	3	4	209.2	184	87	70	2	18	83	0	190	30

FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Midwest League Eastern										Midwest League Western									
	W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10		W	L	PCT	GB	Home	Away	Div	Streak	Last10
Lake County Captains	15	7	.682	-	8-2	7-5	12-6	W2	7-3	Clinton LumberKings	14	8	.636	-	6-3	8-5	11-6	W3	7-3
Lansing Lugnuts	12	8	.600	2.0	6-4	6-4	8-7	W1	6-4	Kane County Cougars	13	9	.591	1.0	5-6	8-3	10-7	W1	5-5
South Bend Cubs	13	9	.591	2.0	9-3	4-6	11-6	W1	7-3	Cedar Rapids Kernels	13	10	.565	1.5	7-4	6-6	10-8	L1	5-5
Fort Wayne TinCaps	12	10	.545	3.0	8-2	4-8	9-9	W1	4-6	Beloit Snappers	11	11	.500	3.0	5-5	6-6	10-8	W1	4-6
Bowling Green Hot Rods	11	12	.478	4.5	7-4	4-8	8-10	L1	5-5	Wisconsin Timber Rattlers	11	12	.478	3.5	8-6	3-6	7-11	L1	6-4
West Michigan Whitecaps	10	11	.476	4.5	4-7	6-4	9-8	L2	4-6	Quad Cities River Bandits	10	12	.455	4.0	3-7	7-5	7-11	W3	8-2
Great Lakes Loons	7	12	.368	6.5	6-5	1-7	7-8	L4	3-7	Peoria Chiefs	9	12	.429	4.5	6-6	3-6	8-9	L1	3-7
Dayton Dragons	5	18	.217	10.5	3-8	2-10	4-14	L4	2-8	Burlington Bees	8	13	.381	5.5	5-6	3-7	7-10	L2	3-7

MINOR LEAGUE CLIPS

Steele is a one-hit wonder for Miracle

MiLB.com – Michael Leboff – 4/30/16

Even though his name makes him sound like a pitcher who thrives on power stuff, Keaton Steele has succeeded mostly because of his mettle.

"I like to play a guessing game with the hitter and keep him honest," the right-hander said. "Maybe throw an off-speed pitch to start an at-bat, or sometimes I'll work in a curveball every once in a while. Unless you're Aroldis Chapman, any player at this level is able to catch up with your fastball. I'm not someone who's going to throw 95-96 [mph] every night, so my plan is to live at the knees. If that means that I need to throw a couple of dirt balls every once in a while, so be it."

Steele allowed one hit and struck out four over seven innings to record his first Florida State League win as Class A Advanced Fort Myers defeated Charlotte, 5-0, on Friday night at Charlotte Sports Park.

"I'm not going to lie, it feels good to not see a zero in that [win] column anymore," the Twins prospect said. "I knew they are a really good fastball-hitting team, so I just attacked from the beginning and then tried to live low in the zone. When you're throwing in the 88-90 mph range, you need to be able to do that to have success."

The University of Missouri product retired his first five batters before allowing a two-out infield single to Cade Gotta in the second inning. Even though he got off to a good start, Steele said he felt fortunate to be on the right side of a little bit of luck and get back to the dugout unscathed.

"A couple of the first hitters I faced hit missiles right at guys, so I was fortunate to get out of there," he said. "After that I was able to settle down and throw my changeup for strikes and sneak my fastball over the plate. In the grand scheme of things, [they still count as] outs, so you gotta take it however you can get it. If guys want to fly out to the warning track every time and give everybody else a thrill and scare me in the process but it's still an out, that's cool with me."

Steele (1-2) threw 54 of 90 pitches for strikes and induced 10 ground-ball outs en route to lowering his ERA to 2.28. After issuing a two-out walk to Mac James in the fourth, the 24-year-old retired his last 10 batters.

"I felt really good as the game went on," Steele said. "Right before I went out for the seventh, I kinda knew I had to get the first three guys out or I may get the hook. I try not to think about stuff like that; I just go out there and try to get guys out however I can."

Steele is relishing the opportunity to pitch alongside Tyler Jay, Stephen Gonsalves and Kohl Stewart -- three of the Twins' top 10 prospects -- and said that despite the pitchers' different approaches, the staff is always kicking ideas around.

"If you look at prospect reports, we should have the best staff in the Florida State League," the 2014 eighth-round pick said. "But then again, all these teams down here can hit and they all have great staffs, too. If that puts a target on our back, so be it."

"We try to bounce ideas off each other and learn new things for our next start. But we're all different pitchers, so each one of us has a different game plan."

Raul Fernandez allowed one hit and struck out a batter over the final two innings, finishing off Fort Myers' league-leading fifth shutout.

Twins No. 4 prospect Nick Gordon hit his sixth double of the season and scored in the fourth. Logan Wade crushed first homer of the season, a solo shot to right-center, in the ninth.

Slumping Vargas delivers in clutch for Red Wings

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Right about the time Kennys Vargas has started to feel good about his hitting, like when he hit a two-run home run in the first game of Friday night's doubleheader, he quickly has been slammed back into the infield dirt of Frontier Field.

Three strikeouts in three at-bats did that to him in Friday's nightcap, a 10-2 loss by the Rochester Red Wings.

Vargas didn't restore any semblance of belief in his hitting stroke in his first three at-bats on Saturday afternoon, either, failing once again to hit the ball with authority.

But maybe, just maybe, his game-winning, two-out, two-run single in the bottom of the eighth inning — albeit a far-from-imposing flare to short left field — will do the trick. The big smile on his face afterward said it might. He's sure hoping it will, because this monthlong slump is wearing on him.

"I feel great about that (hit) because I haven't been producing much," Vargas said after the Wings rallied past Scranton/Wilkes-Barre 7-5.

A .190 batting average after 22 games is hardly what the Red Wings were expecting. Even more alarming: Friday's home run was his first. He has stepped into the batter's box 87 times this season and has gone deep just once. Only four of his 15 hits have gone for extra bases.

This is a guy who hit nine homers in 53 games for the Minnesota Twins in 2014. He hit five in 58 games for them last season.

But the 25-year-old first baseman just hasn't been able to regain his ability to make on-the-barrel contact. As a result, his mind is racing.

"I try to think about what's going to happen, what I did wrong," Vargas said. "Sometimes I pay attention to a lot of different things instead of 'watch the ball and hit it.'"

"I've been thinking a lot about my stance and my mechanics and not thinking about 'see the ball, hit the ball.'"

His eighth-inning at-bat provided victory for the Wings (10-13), who overcame 3-0 and 5-4 deficits. Slick-fielding shortstop Wilfredo Tovar continued his consistent hitting. He doubled home two runs in a three-run fifth, then delivered the tying two-out single in the eighth.

After James Beresford walked to load the bases, Vargas sent the bloop single to short left.

"We're looking to get 'Vargy' going," manager Mike Quade said. "He didn't put a great swing on that ball but you find a way to contribute."

Brandon Kintzler pitched two scoreless innings and was the winning pitcher (4-1) before Buddy Boshers slammed the door with a 1-2-3, three-strikeout ninth of the RailRiders No. 1-2-3 and hitters, Ben Gamel, Aaron Judge and Slade Heathcott.

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Game day

The matchup: Red Wings vs. Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders (Triple-A affiliate of the New York Yankees).

Time/place: 1:35 p.m. Sunday/Frontier Field. Gates open at 12:30 p.m.

Tickets: \$9, \$11.50, \$13.

Pitching matchup: Wings right-hander David Martinez (0-1, 4.00) faces SWB righty (and former Wing) Anthony Swarzak (1-2, 5.40).

Radio: WHTK-AM (1280).

Lookouts wrap up busy April at AT&T Field

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The Chattanooga Lookouts concluded a busy April at AT&T Field on Saturday night with a 12-0 loss to the Montgomery Biscuits.

Saturday was the 13th home game for the Lookouts in baseball's first month, with 50,264 fans so far filing into the facility in its 17th season. Only Jacksonville had more fans attend home games this past month in the 10-member Southern League.

"It's been fantastic," Lookouts general manager Rich Mozingo said. "We've had a fantastic offseason and a tremendous start for the season. Chattanooga fans have been showing up in droves and having a great time."

Lookouts officials did not have as much fun out of the gate last season, when they had just six scheduled April home games, two of which were rained out.

Chattanooga's attendance is always higher in April and May than in the scorching months that follow. The Lookouts averaged 4,108 fans at AT&T Field through the first two months last year before finishing with an average of 3,414.

"Most people don't want April games because kids are in school, but we happen to do very well in April in Chattanooga," Mozingo said. "We would love to request a lot of April games every year, but our biggest issue is Riverbend (in June). Our one request that we are allowed every year is to be out of town during Riverbend, and because of that we actually have a lot less flexibility with other parts of the schedule."

"We're fortunate when we get this many games in April, and it's unfortunate when we don't."

Montgomery pounced on Chattanooga starting pitcher Omar Bencomo, scoring six runs in the first two innings. Jake Hager's two-run home run to left field capped a five-run second inning for the Biscuits, and Jake Bauers continued the onslaught with a two-run homer to right in the sixth.

The Lookouts (9-14) were held to one hit, that being Mitch Garver's two-out single to right in the fourth.