

SEC says Peavy, Sanchez among athletes defrauded

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HOUSTON — Several professional athletes, including San Francisco Giants pitcher Jake Peavy, Denver Broncos quarterback Mark Sanchez and retired Houston Astros pitcher Roy Oswalt, were cheated out of more than \$30 million by an investment adviser in a Ponzi-like scheme, federal investigators said Tuesday.

In a lawsuit filed last month in Dallas federal court, the Securities and Exchange Commission alleges that Ash Narayan told his clients he was pursuing a low-risk investment strategy for their money but actually put more than \$33 million of it into an Illinois-based online sports and entertainment ticket business, The Ticket Reserve, that had lost money for the last four years. It also says he didn't tell them that The Ticket Reserve paid him nearly \$2 million in finder's fees for

directing their money to the company.

"Narayan exploited athletes and other clients who trusted him to manage their finances. He fraudulently funneled their savings into a money-losing business and his own pocket," Shamoil T. Shipchandler, director of the SEC's Fort Worth regional office, said in a statement.

The SEC's lawsuit alleges that Narayan, The Ticket Reserve, the ticket company's CEO, Richard Harmon, and its chief operating officer, John Kaprosky, violated antifraud provisions of federal securities laws and a related SEC antifraud rule, and accuses Narayan of violating the antifraud provisions of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.

The SEC said Tuesday that it obtained a court order freezing the assets of Narayan, Harmon, and Kaprosky. A receiver has also been appointed to manage the ticket business. No criminal charges have been filed.



Seattle Mariners pitcher James Paxton, left, and first baseman Adam Lind try to field the infield RBI single by Detroit Tigers' Mike Aviles (14) during the eighth inning of a baseball game, Tuesday, June 21, 2016, in Detroit.

MARINERS: Seattle has homered in 14 straight games

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Seattle's Ketel Marte, who had four hits in the series opener Monday, added three more Tuesday.

ROTATION SHAKEUP

The Tigers plan to bring up LHP Daniel Norris from the minors to start Thursday, and they will put RHP Anibal Sanchez back in the starting rotation to pitch Saturday.

Sanchez is 4-7 with a 5.97 ERA, but he's posted a 1.86 ERA in six relief appearances since being removed from the rotation.

"Working hard all the time when I was in the bullpen. I try to put everything together — command, speed on my fastball," Sanchez said. "Just ready for Saturday, let's see, to put everything in the game."

The Tigers also announced that INF Casey McGehee has cleared waivers and been optioned to Triple-A Toledo.

NOT ENOUGH

The Mariners have homered in 14 straight games, but Seattle is 5-9 during that span. The Mariners went 0 for 8 with

runners in scoring position Tuesday.

"It is another game that came down to getting runners home from third," manager Scott Servais said. "We just haven't been able to do that when it matters lately. Guys know that we're going through a tough time and they end up trying to fix things with one swing. We probably just need one good day to break out of this."

TRAINER'S ROOM

Mariners' RHP Taijuan Walker had an MRI on his right foot that showed no structural damage. Walker's foot bothered him during a five-inning, 88-pitch start Sunday.

UP NEXT

Mariners: Hisashi Iwakuma (6-5) starts against Detroit on Wednesday night, trying for his sixth win in seven starts.

Tigers: Rookie Michael Fulmer (7-2) takes the mound after his five-start winning streak was snapped in his last outing against Kansas City. Over his past six starts, Fulmer has allowed only two runs in 40 innings.

Soccer

Croatia ends Spain's run at European finals

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BORDEAUX, France — Spain's 12-year unbeaten run at the European Championship ended when Croatia rallied for a stunning 2-1 win on Tuesday, sending the two-time champions into an intense, high-profile knockout match against Italy in the round of 16.

Ivan Perisic's 87th-minute winner for Croatia not only ended Spain's unbeaten run at the tournament that stretched

back to 2004, it also relegated the defending champions into second place in Group D.

A draw would have been enough for Spain to secure first place in the group and a potentially easier second-round game.

Spain will face the Italians at the Stade de France in Saint-Denis on Monday — a repeat of the 2012 final that

European Championships	
Croatia	2
Spain	1

Spain won 4-0. Croatia will play one of the third-place teams in the northern French city of Lens on Saturday.

"It's not the best path for us, but you never know where the danger will be," Spain coach Vicente Del Bosque said. "We wanted to advance in first place but we are prepared to overcome this."

It had all started so well

for Spain, when striker Alvaro Morata put his side ahead in the seventh minute, redirecting the ball into the net after a shot by midfielder Cesc Fabregas.

Nikola Kalinic equalized just before halftime when he steered a Perisic cross into the Spain net with a nice back-heel flick.

Spain had a chance to retake the lead, but defender Sergio Ramos saw his penalty saved by Croatia goalkeeper Danijel Subasic in the 72nd minute.

YOUTH SPORTS: Diamondjaxx split with Irrigon

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Baseball

PEPSIDIAMONDJAXX 21-5, IRRIGON 16-7 — At Pendleton, the DiamondJaxx split a doubleheader with Irrigon on Tuesday afternoon holding on for a win in a high-scoring game one before a fifth-inning comeback by Irrigon for the win in Game 2.

In Game 1, the two teams combined for 37 runs and 28 hits

Ryan Stahl was the top offensive performer for the DiamondJaxx going 3-5 with two runs scored and four RBI from the bottom of the lineup. Also having solid games were Matthew Demianew (3-4, four runs scored) and Chris Large (2-2, three runs). Cameron Sandford pitched 3.1 innings in relief

and earned the win after allowing just two runs and four hits with three strikeouts in those frames.

In Game 2, the DiamondJaxx led for the first four innings before Irrigon's bats came alive in the fifth. Leading 5-0, the DiamondJaxx sent Quinn Doherty back to the mound for his second inning of work and that's when the wheels fell off. Irrigon sent 12 batters to the plate in the inning and tagged Doherty for six hits and seven runs in the inning to come away with a 7-5 lead.

The DiamondJaxx started off the bottom of the inning with back-to-back walks to bring the winning run to the plate, however three-straight strikeouts sealed the win for Irrigon.

Game 1	R	H	E

IRG	064	311	1	-	16	14	1
PDJ	05(10)	006	X	-	21	14	7

Troutman, Roa (3), Henricks (3), Woods (6), Been, Swanson (4), Sandford (4), Demianew (7), W — Sandford, L — Henricks. 2B — Roa, Homer, Snyder, Woods (IRG). Swanson (PDJ)

From Monday

H O D G E N DISTRIBUTING 14, MILTON-FREEWATER 6 — At Milton-Freewater, Hodgen Distributing continued its recent offensive barrage by rattling off 14 runs and 15 hits to pick up a win on Monday evening.

The top-half of the Hodgen lineup did most of the damage in the game, with Austin Zaugg (2-3, two runs), Jared Beveridge (2-3, two runs), Daniel Naughton (3-6, three runs), and Wyatt Morris

(4-6, two runs, two RBI) pummeled Milton-Freewater pitchers Jacob Chaney and Bailey Debord.

Morris also started on the mound for Hodgen, allowing four runs and three hits over three innings. Naughton pitched three innings in relief and gave up one run and one hit with four strikeouts, while Tyler Chichester and Hayden Villers combined for three hitless innings for the remainder of the game.

Levi Thieme and Debord were the top offensive performers for Milton-Freewater, as Thieme was 1-3 with two runs and Debord was 1-3 with two runs as well.

HGD	230	521	001	-	14	15	2
M-F	301	001	010	-	6	4	3

W. Morris, D. Naughton (4), T. Chichester (7), H. Villers (9), J. Chaney, B. Debord (2). W — Naughton, L — Chaney. 2B — W. Morris (HGD). 3B — A. Zaugg (HGD).

COPA AMERICA: US falls to 2-9-1 against top-ranked teams

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Argentina will seek its first major title since the 1993 Copa — and its first since Messi's debut in 2005 — when it plays Chile or Colombia on Sunday in East Rutherford, New Jersey.

"That's what we hope and what we want, to finally achieve that," Messi said. "We deserve it, for all the good work we've been doing all these years."

It might be missing Lavezzi, who fell backward over an advertising sign board and appeared to land hard on his left arm at about the 60th minute. Lavezzi was able to get up several minutes later and left on a cart.

Hosting a special, expanded 16-nation edition of South America's championship to celebrate Copa America's 100th anniversary, the U.S. won a difficult group that included third-ranked Colombia and then beat No. 13 Ecuador in the quarterfinals. But top-ranked Argentina and Messi, who turns 29 Friday and is at the top of his game, outclassed the U.S. from the opening whistle and stunned the sellout crowd of 70,858 at NRG Stadium.

Messi has helped Barcelona win eight titles in Spain's La Liga and four in the Champions League, but his Argentina trophies have been limited to the 2005 FIFA World Youth Championship for players under 20 and the gold medal in the 2008 Olym-



Argentina forward Gonzalo Higuain (9) scores a goal past United States goalkeeper Brad Guzan (1) during a Copa America Centenario soccer semifinal, Tuesday, June 21, 2016, in Houston. Argentina won 4-0.

pics, mostly for players under 23. La Albiceleste lost to Germany in the 2014 World Cup final and to Chile in last year's Copa America final.

The U.S. and coach Jurgen Klinsmann were trying to rebound after getting eliminated by Jamaica in the semifinals of last year's CONCACAF Gold Cup, losing to Mexico in a playoff for a 2017 Confederations Cup berth and struggling in the semifinal round of 2018 World Cup qualifying. The Americans close the tournament Saturday in the third-place match at Glendale, Arizona.

Klinsmann inserted midfielders Kyle Beckerman and Graham Zusi into his lineup along with forward Chris Wondolowski because of suspensions assessed to

midfielders Jermaine Jones and Alejandro Bedoya, and forward Bobby Wood. In an effort to spark offense, 17-year-old Christian Pulisic entered at the start of the second half, and Steve Birnbaum came on in the 60th for Beckerman, allowing Geoff Cameron to move up to midfield, and Darlington Nagbe replaced Clint Dempsey in the 78th.

Argentina went ahead when Lavezzi played a short corner kick to Ever Banega, who passed back to Lavezzi sprinting from the corner diagonally. Lavezzi beat Fabian Johnson to the ball and poked it to Messi about 25 yards out, in the center of the field. As the U.S. defense started to come out, Messi one-timed a flick with his

left foot over the back line to Lavezzi, who got to the ball ahead of Kyle Beckerman about 7 yards from the goal. He headed the ball over Guzan, who had started to come off his line.

Messi doubled the lead after Beckerman slipped and Chris Wondolowski took down Messi, earning a yellow card. Klinsmann screamed at Paraguayan referee Eduardo Cardozo as Messi placed the ball about 26 yards out, a few yards closer to the goal than the foul. After the U.S. set up its wall, Messi bent a beautiful curving drive that went just over Guzan's outstretched left palm and into the upper corner.

Messi moved one ahead Gabriel Batistuta's career total, according to the Argentine Football Association. However, FIFA records Batistuta's total as 56, including two goals in an exhibition against Slovakia in June 1995.

Higuain scored when he burst past John Brooks for Lavezzi's pass and one-timed a shot that Guzan stopped with a diving save, then poked the rebound into an open net. Messi nearly added a goal in the 83rd with a 20-yard shot that Guzan palmed to safety.

Notes: The U.S. dropped to 2-9-1 against top-ranked teams. ... A bare-chested male fan ran onto the field as the second half was about to start, and he was tackled by security.

SCOREBOARD

Correction

Daniel Naughton also recorded hits in both games of a doubleheader loss by Hodgen Distributing against Walla Walla on Thursday, June 17. Naughton was not included in the list of players to have done since in the article "Hodgen, Pepsi lose twin bills" that appeared in the Friday, June 18 edition.

Baseball

MLB				
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
East Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Baltimore	40	30	.571	—
Boston	39	31	.557	1
Toronto	39	34	.534	2½
New York	34	36	.486	6
Tampa Bay	31	38	.449	8½
Central Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Cleveland	40	30	.571	—
Kansas City	38	32	.543	2
Detroit	36	35	.507	4½
Chicago	35	36	.493	5½
Minnesota	22	48	.314	18
West Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Texas	46	26	.639	—
Seattle	36	35	.507	9½
Houston	36	36	.500	10
Los Angeles	31	40	.437	14½
Oakland	29	41	.414	16

Tuesday's Games
San Diego 10, Baltimore 7
Colorado 8, N.Y. Yankees 4
Arizona 4, Toronto 2
Chicago White Sox 3, Boston 1
Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0
Detroit 4, Seattle 2
N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1
Cincinnati 8, Texas 2
Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2
Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10
Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3

Today's Games
Colorado (Gray 4-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 5-4), 10:05 a.m.
Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0
Detroit 4, Seattle 2
N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1
Cincinnati 8, Texas 2
Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2
Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10
Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3
San Francisco (Lincecum 4-3) at San Diego (Perez 2-1), 10:10 a.m.

L.A. Angels (Shoemaker 3-7) at Houston (McCullers 3-2), 11:10 a.m.	Atlanta (Gant 1-1) at Miami (Conley 3-4), 9:10 a.m.	4. Elvis Andrus, Rangers, 642,180	5. Carlos Correa, Astros, 552,670			
Milwaukee (Guerra 3-1) at Oakland (Mengden 0-2), 12:35 p.m.	Colorado (Gray 4-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 5-4), 10:05 a.m.	Outfielders	1. Mike Trout, Angels, 2,324,597			
Arizona (Ray 4-5) at Toronto (Happ 8-3), 1:07 p.m.	Kansas City (Duffy 2-1) at N.Y. Mets (Syndergaard 7-2), 10:10 a.m.	2. Jackie Bradley Jr., Red Sox, 1,725,672	3. Mookie Betts, Red Sox, 1,435,218			
San Diego (Johnson 0-4) at Baltimore, 4:05 p.m.	St. Louis (Wacha 2-7) at Chicago Cubs (Arrieta 11-1), 11:20 a.m.	4. Mark Trumbo, Orioles, 1,408,195	5. Lorenzo Cain, Royals, 1,403,817			
Chicago White Sox (Quintana 5-7) at Boston (Rodriguez 1-2), 4:10 p.m.	Milwaukee (Guerra 3-1) at Oakland (Mengden 0-2), 12:35 p.m.	6. Jose Bautista, Blue Jays, 1,302,121	7. Alex Gordon, Royals, 938,759			
Seattle (Iwakuma 6-5) at Detroit (Fulmer 7-2), 4:10 p.m.	Arizona (Ray 4-5) at Toronto (Happ 8-3), 1:07 p.m.	8. Paulo Orlando, Royals, 804,904	9. Ian Desmond, Rangers, 688,464			
Tampa Bay (Archer 4-9) at Cleveland (Bauer 4-2), 4:10 p.m.	San Diego (Johnson 0-4) at Baltimore (Jimenez 3-7), 4:05 p.m.	10. Carlos Beltran, Yankees, 654,659	11. Kevin Pillar, Blue Jays, 635,801			
Cincinnati (Straily 4-3) at Texas (Hamels 7-1), 5:05 p.m.	San Francisco (Samardzija 8-4) at Pittsburgh (Liriano 4-7), 4:05 p.m.	12. Michael Saunders, Blue Jays, 573,229	13. Adam Jones, Orioles, 531,790			
Philadelphia (Morgan 1-6) at Minnesota (Gibson 0-5), 5:10 p.m.	Cincinnati (Straily 4-3) at Texas (Hamels 7-1), 5:05 p.m.	14. Melky Cabrera, White Sox, 436,974	15. J.D. Martinez, Tigers, 379,731			
NATIONAL LEAGUE	Philadelphia (Morgan 1-6) at Minnesota (Gibson 0-5), 5:10 p.m.	Designated Hitter	1. David Ortiz, Red Sox, 2,612,215			
East Division	Washington 43, 29, .597 —	2. Kendrys Morales, Royals, 861,030	3. Edwin Encarnacion, Blue Jays, 756,672			
New York 37, 32, .536 4½	New York 37, 34, .521 5½	4. Victor Martinez, Tigers, 651,191	5. Nelson Cruz, Mariners, 634,210			
Pittsburgh 34, 37, .479 14	Milwaukee 31, 40, .436 17	MLB				
Cincinnati 28, 43, .394 20	West Division	Northwest League				
San Francisco 45, 27, .625 —	San Francisco 45, 27, .625 —	North Division				
Los Angeles 40, 33, .548 5½	Los Angeles 40, 33, .548 5½	Vancouver (Blue Jays) 3, 2, .600 —				
Colorado 34, 36, .486 10	Colorado 34, 36, .486 10	Spokane (Rangers) 3, 2, .600 —				
Arizona 34, 39, .466 11½	Arizona 34, 39, .466 11½	Tri-City (Padres) 2, 3, .400 1				
San Diego 30, 42, .417 15	San Diego 30, 42, .417 15	Everett (Mariners) 2, 3, .400 1				
Today's Games	Today's Games	Southwest League				
San Diego 10, Baltimore 7	San Diego 10, Baltimore 7	Eugene (Cubs) 3, 2, .600 —				
Colorado 8, N.Y. Yankees 4	Colorado 8, N.Y. Yankees 4	Salem-Keizer (Giants) 3, 2, .600 —				
Arizona 4, Toronto 2	Arizona 4, Toronto 2	Boise (Rockies) 2, 3, 400 —				
Chicago White Sox 3, Boston 1	Chicago White Sox 3, Boston 1	Hillsboro (Dbacks) 2, 3, 400 1				
Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0	Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0	Today's Games				
Detroit 4, Seattle 2	Detroit 4, Seattle 2	Boise 4, Salem-Keizer 2				
N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1	N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1	Hillsboro 4, Eugene 1				
Cincinnati 8, Texas 2	Cincinnati 8, Texas 2	Vancouver 6, Everett 5				
Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2	Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2	Spokane 8, Tri-City 3				
Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10	Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10	Today's Games				
Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3	Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3	Eugene at Hillsboro, 1:05 p.m.				
Today's Games	Today's Games	Salem-Keizer at Boise, 6:15 p.m.				
Colorado (Gray 4-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 5-4), 10:05 a.m.	Colorado (Gray 4-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 5-4), 10:05 a.m.	Everett at Vancouver, 7:05 p.m.				
Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0	Cleveland 6, Tampa Bay 0	Spokane at Tri-City, 7:15 p.m.				
Detroit 4, Seattle 2	Detroit 4, Seattle 2	Soccer				
N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1	N.Y. Mets 2, Kansas City 1	Copa America				
Cincinnati 8, Texas 2	Cincinnati 8, Texas 2	SEMIFINALS				
Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2	Houston 3, L.A. Angels 2	Atlanta	8	4	.667	—
Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10	Minnesota 14, Philadelphia 10	New York	8	4	.667	—
Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3	Oakland 5, Milwaukee 3	Chicago	6	7	.462	2½
San Francisco (Lincecum 4-3) at San Diego (Perez 2-1), 10:10 a.m.	San Francisco (Lincecum 4-3) at San Diego (Perez 2-1), 10:10 a.m.	Washington	6	7	.462	2½

Indiana 5, 8, .385 3½	Connecticut 3, 10, .231 5½	WESTERN CONFERENCE	
Minnesota 13, 10, .100 —	Dallas 6, 7, .462 7	Philadelphia 6, 4, .523 23 19	
Dallas 6, 7, .462 7	Phoenix 4, 9, .308 9	New York 7, 7, 1, 22, 26 20	
Seattle 4, 9, .308 9	San Antonio 2, 10, .167 10½	New York City FC 5, 5, 6, 21, 25 31	
Today's Games	Today's Games	Montreal 5, 4, 5, 20, 22 20	
Minnesota 72, Los Angeles 69	Chicago 81, San Antonio 75	Toronto FC 5, 5, 4, 19, 15 15	
Dallas 100	Phoenix 90, Dallas 100	New England 4, 4, 7, 19, 21 26	
Today's Games	Today's Games	D.C. United 6, 5, 17, 14 16	
New York at Atlanta, 9 a.m.	Indiana at Washington, 4 p.m.	Orlando City 3, 3, 8, 17, 25 23	
Indiana at Washington, 4 p.m.	San Antonio at Dallas, 5:30 p.m.	Columbus 3, 5, 6, 15, 18 21	
Thursday's Games	Thursday's Games	Chicago 2, 6, 5, 11, 11 16	
San Antonio at Dallas, 5:30 p.m.	Motorsports	WESTERN CONFERENCE	
NASCAR Sprint Cup	Upcoming Schedule	Colorado 9, 2, 4, 31, 19 11	
June 26 — Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, Calif. (TV: FS1)	June 26 — Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, Calif. (TV: FS1)	FC Dallas 8, 5, 4, 28, 24 24	
July 2 — Coke Zero 400, Daytona Beach, Fla			