

Baseball World Looks Rosy To Kansas City's Athletics

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The world couldn't look rosier today to the Kansas City A's.

Of course, it's still spring and the American league season is barely under way, but that's no mistake in the standings—the A's ARE in first place, and the guy to credit is Orlando Pena, a 28-year-old Cuban right-hander struggling to stay in the majors.

Pena, who "looked so bad" in the spring that manager Ed Lopat had to practically force him, set the Baltimore Orioles down on nine scattered hits Wednesday night to give the A's a 5-0 victory and first place in the AL standings.

It was Pena's third victory without a defeat and earned him a spot in the regular Kansas City rotation.

A's Blast Miller
A seventh inning single by Wayne Causey accounted for the first A's run and they erupted for four more in the ninth off Baltimore reliever Stu Miller to wrap it up. Loser Mike McCormick batted Pena on even terms for 6 2/3 innings.

The Chicago White Sox took over second place by beating the New York Yankees 6-4 in 12 innings, the Cleveland Indians beat the Boston Red Sox 2-0, the Detroit Tigers nipped the Los Angeles Angels 4-3 in 15 innings and the Minnesota Twins downed the Washington Senators 6-4 in other AL games.

Reserve Wins Game
Reserve outfielder Mike Hershberger, inserted into the lineup by manager Al Lopez as a ninth-inning defensive replacement, singled home the winning runs for the White Sox off Bill Kunkel, the seventh Yankee pitcher. Hoyt Wilhelm, who extended his unscored on string to 14 1/3 innings, picked up the victory.

Woody Held's two-run homer, his fourth of the season, and the combined fourth pitching of Gary Bell and Jim Grant paved the way for the Indians victory over the Red Sox.

Al Kaline hit a two-out homer in the bottom of the 15th inning to break up the

Detroit-Los Angeles game, which went four hours and 15 minutes. Kaline sent the game into overtime when he doubled across two runs in the seventh.

Camilo Pascual, beaten three straight times, finally won his first game, although the Senators touched him for eight hits. Lenny Green and Vic Power each drove in two runs to pace the Twins' attack.

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Boston Celts Gain 5th Straight Toga

Cousy, after ice treatment on his injured leg, came back with 4:28 to play when the Celts had only a one-point lead at 100-99.

Then the game reached the usual closing hysterical pitch of pro basketball. With the Celtics leading 108-107, Tom Heinsohn stole the ball from Rudy LaRusso and was fouled by Laker center Gene Willy when he drove in for a layup.

With less than half a minute to play, Heinsohn, who had a total of 22 points for the night, sank two free throws. He was fouled again in a melee under the basket and sank two more charity tosses to push the Celtic total to 112. Baylor scored a final basket for the Lakers but there was no time left for anything more.

Ron Finley Champion

Sao Paulo, Brazil—UPI—Ron Finley, the favorite, won the Pan-American Games featherweight wrestling title Wednesday night.

Finley, from Corvallis, Ore., outpointed Mexico's Mario To-var.

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BOWLING

ZEPHYR LEAGUE
Lands Studio (44-20) 8. Gloria Taylor 438. Modern Tile Co. (34-20) 4. Wilma Logan 327.
Medford Honda (41-23) 3. Ann Skeeter 327. Woodland Heights Mkt (33-21) 1. Veda Higday 433.
Boutwell Boarding Kennels (35-20) 2. Hazel Reed 404. Burelson's (30-44) 1. Dorothy Mason 488.
Wainwright Drugs (26-38) 0. Hazel Reed 404. Burelson's (30-44) 4. V. Corby 422.
Wilm's Logan 202. Dorothy Mason 190. Modern Tile Co. 1338.

CHAMPAGNE LEAGUE
Haven's Bakery (67-17) 3. Helen Mayer 488. Erma's Beauty Salon (23-31) 1. Meta Baines 403.
C. K. Market (46-20) 3. End Wolf 316. Custom House Drapery (22-27) 1. Bonnie Baylor 437.
Roxey Ann Snack Bar (23-23) 2. Jenny Manley 431. Mutual of Omaha (27-1/2-28-1/2) 2. Carolyn Davis 425.
Baker's Paint & Wallpaper Store (31-23) 1. Giny Hays 483. West Coast Airlines (24-31) 3. Yolanda Bartolomeo 303.
Medford Fire Service (30-26) 4. Hazel Black 443. Van Lee's Bazaar (21-38) 0. Nina Hohlenback 434.
Kims (24-17) 2. Ron Dixon 11. Diane Bales 387. Gay 96's Pizza Parlor (19-37) 2. Ruby Patton 409.
Jane Klingler 216. End Wolf 190. Y. Bartolomeo 189. West Coast Airlines 1437.

MAJORETTE SCRATCH
Bruce's Richfield (46-18) 4. Ruth Pruitt 494. Brave Bull (21-43) 0. Ed Dierksen 487.
Southern Trophy (45-19) 3. Wanda Booth 318. Rowley's Trucking (22-42) 1. De LeRoy 323.
Barco Supply (38-28) 4. Doty Wolf 617. Classic Studio (32-32) 0. Elsie Baker 318.
Oregon Veneer (31-33) 1. Barbara McCardell 488. Kims (21-43) 3. Del Christianson 393.
Del Christianson 236. De LeRoy 231. Doty Wolf 224. Kim's 3023.

MT. PITT LEAGUE
Tomlin Weber Lumber (30-14) 1. Evelyn Vasey 274. Jim's Produce (24-20) 3. Ralph Linebaugh 455.
Buskirk Construction (29-15) 3. Lyle Anderson 339. Neeley-Nelson (22-42) 1. De LeRoy 323.
Kogap Gang Mill (28-16) 4. Clayton Miller 498. Kogap Peeters (12-32) 0.
Table Rock Lumber (27-17) 3. Leo Johnson 584. Timber Engineering (12-42) 1. Bob Vinton 485.
International Harvester (26-18) 4. W. Hildebrand 545. Trowbridge Electric (25-23) 1. Fred Anderson 485.
Electronic Service (22-22) 3. Roger Kelsoe 528. Mann's Dept. Store (20-21) 1. Bill Matat 30.
Bob Trout 210. Leo Johnson 210. Buskirk Construction 858. International Harvester 248.

FOULETTES LEAGUE
Trents (40-16) 2. Lydia Blood 423.
Pin-Ups (34-21) 3. Helen Schermerhorn 445. Hotshots (21-17) 1. Winnie Geddes 378.
Norum 324. Jokers (14-11) 1. Betty Norum 324. Jokers (14-11) 1. Betty Norum 324.
Pin-Ups (34-21) 3. Rayma Burger 384. Lucky Strikes (24-32) 1. Ella Adkins 383.
Betty Norum 187. 169. Irma Shroy 177. Lydia Blood 166. Crybabies 1608.

CENTENAL LEAGUE
Four Subs (23-17) 1. Beverly Bryan 406. Alley Busters (20-16) 4. Nor Bailey 328.
Crown Lighters (22-11) 3. Alice Casabier 421. Eads Allied (8-28) 1. Jeanette Loh 421.
Boo Boos (23-12) 3. Viola Warriner 481. Four Allis (22-14) 1. Betty Norum 324.
Eagles Four (22-13) 3. Kathy Beck 445. Alley oops (15-21) 1. Shirley Love 448.
Bowling Bags (16-19) 3. Elaine Kray 474. Blue Angels (10-26) 1. Doris Forbes 416.
Sprintiks (12-12) 3. Carroll Peterson 429. Hi Lows (12-24) 1. Jean Tusker 400.
Alice Casabier 182. Nora Bailey 181. Kathy Beck 177. Carroll Peterson 143 triplicate.

TRI-NITE LEAGUE
Dundas Oil (22-10) 3. Keith Metz 531. Glossop & Moore (16-18) 1.
Roxey Ann Lanes (22-10) 3. Aaron Avres 520. MEDPACC (11-17) 2013. Ted Silver 460.
TEAA (20-11) 11. John Martin 301. Kims (17-14) 0. Norm 401.
Oregon Lanes (16-14) 2. Walt Guy 211. Norton Lbr Co. (16-16) 2. Bill McCulley 493.
Talent Merchants No. 2 (17-13) 3. H. Atterbury 481. M. Trumbo Co. (9-23) 1. Chuck Learn 532.
Smith Lbr. Co. (11-21) 4. Eldred Jack 307. Linebaugh Bros. (12-20) 0. O. Kahner 470.
Keith Metz 212. Otto Kahner 203. Jerry Glossop 201. Smith Lbr. Co. 1780.

SATELLITE LEAGUE
Foster's Jacksonville Store (24-12) 3. Toomas Uria 421. Beecham Sales and Service (16-20) 1. Dolores Pierce 372.
Gressett's Drive-in Cleaners (23-13) 1. Carole Elmore 372. H. E. Colvin and Associate (21-15) 3. Barbara Colvin 421.
Mobile Village (21-15) 3. Hazel Gallardo 403. Nash Ford Implement (15-21) 1. Norma Redding 363.
Brookside Beauty Salon (15-21) 1. Gerda Maesse 374. Rite Way Janitorial (9-27) 3. Dolores Soots 427.
Gerda Maesse 168. Dolores Soots 136. Veta Higday 151. H. E. Colvin and Associates 1206.

JUNIOR MATCH GAME
Medford Lanes (27-4) 3. Rick Orr 384. Vreka, Calif. (23-7) 0. Mike Thomas 469. Bob Christianson and Daryl Christianson, Medford, each 190. Mike Thomas, Vreka, 198.

Crater High Frosh Win

Central Point-Sam Hughes was winner in three events Tuesday when the Crater high freshmen downed a Phoenix delegation 68 to 54 in a track meet here.

Hughes won the 75-yard dash, the pole vault and the low hurdles for the Comets. Dave Skelton and Dave Trautman were double winners for the Comets. Trautman won the broad jump and the 150 and Skelton the three-fourths mile and the 660.

For Phoenix John Barker won the high hurdles and the high jump.

RESULTS:
Broad jump — Trautman, C. Moore, P. McGraw, C. 15.1.
High hurdles — Barker, P. McGraw, C. Scupien, P. 11.3.
Shot put — Kiever, P. Maple, C. Beddoe, P. 44-9.
150 — Hughes, C. Trautman, C. Grimes, P. 8.4.
High jump — Barker, P. Kinney, C. Miller, P. 3-4.
Pole vault — Skelton, C. Higdon, P. Fair, C. 3-47.
Pole vault — Hughes, C. Thompson, P. Harlach, C. 12-1.
330 — Merritt, P. Kinney, C. Grabin, P. 41-6.
Low hurdles — Hughes, C. McGraw, C. Davidson, P. 15.9.
150 — Trautman, C. Grimes, P. Merritt, P. 17.6.
660 — Skelton, C. Scupien, P. Higdon, P. 1-13.9.
Relay — Crater (Skelton, McGraw, Hughes, Trautman), 33.0.
Javelin — Scupien, P. Kilbourn, C. Grimes, P. 123-2.
Discus — Beddoe, P. Maple, C. Kilbourn, C. 112-2.

SPORTS

McLoughlin Tops AJHS

McLoughlin Junior high won both divisions of a Wednesday track meet against Ashland.

The Bulldog eighth was winner 59 1/2 to 53 1/2 with the last event, the relay, deciding the issue. Mac's seventh dived the Lithians 57 to 20.

Steve Towns in the broad and high jumps, Dick Orr in the 75 and 150-yard dashes and Phil Taylor in the 330 and pole vault were dual winners for the Mac eighth. Gene Willis won the discus and shot put for Ashland.

For the Bulldog seventh Gary Naef took the 175, 150 and shot put. Steve Wilkins won the broad jump and tied for first in the pole vault.

Salem Race Team Here On Sunday

A bug racing team from Salem will be here Sunday, April 28 for races at the Medford kartways.

The Salem karts are among the fastest on the West Coast and the drivers are tops.

Karters from Roseburg, Reedsport and Happy Camp, Calif., are expected to join those from Salem and the Medford area.

State regional races will be conducted on June 9 at the Medford track, winners of regionals on May 19 at St. Helens and on two dates in Portland will contend in the state meet.

RESULTS:
(8th Grade)
High hurdles — Springer, A. Mitchell, A. Richards, A. 11.0.
Broad jump — Towns, M. R. Jones, M. Carter, A. 16.3.
Carter, A. 11-4.
Shot put — Willis, A. B. Jones, M. Taylor, M. 29-8.
High jump — Towns, M. tie second, Dippel, M. and Clark, A. 4-10.
Javelin — Meyer, M. Kime, M. Martin, A. 114-7.
330 — Taylor, M. Hooper, A. Maloney, A. 46-8.
Low hurdles — Sessions, A. Mitchell, A. Richards, A. 15-3.
150 — Taylor, M. Pettit, A. Sessions, A. 17-3.
Pole vault — Taylor, M. Towns, M. tie third, Orr, M. and Springer, A. 10-3.
800 — Slack, A. Hooper, A. Meyer, A. 14-0.3.
Relay — McLoughlin (Sullivan, Orr, Dippel, Taylor, M. 32.0.)
(9th Grade)
Pole vault — The first, Wilkin, Bratton and Logan, M. 8-6.
Low hurdles — Golden, M. Roemer, M. Stevens, A. 10-9.
Broad jump — Wilkins, M. Berry, A. Golden, M. 16-3.
75 — Naef, M. Berry, A. Wilkins, M. 9-1.
Shot put — Naef, M. Anderson, A. Commers, A. 38-10.
High jump — Samples, M. tie second, Beach and King, M. 4-6.
330 — Boulton, A. Ingram, M. Fraser, A. 43-7.
150 — Naef, M. Berry, A. Samples, M. 18-3.
Relay — McLoughlin (Ingram, Golden, Wilkins, Naef), 55.3.

MHS Beats KF Netters

Medford high downed Klamath Falls 6 to 1 in boys' tennis here yesterday and the Tornados will go to Klamath on Friday for another session with its Southern Oregon conference foe.

Larry Tice recorded the only Pelican win in his singles tussle with Gary Highland.

Medford faces two foes here Saturday and Coach Bob Huff said, "We expect a big day."

The Whirlwinds take on Shasta of Redding at 8:30 a.m. and Roseburg at 1:30 p.m. "Saturday is the toughest day we've planned," said Huff. He pointed out that Roseburg is always tough for Medford and that Shasta's young club is much stronger than indicated in the Tornados' recent 6 to 1 win over the Wolves.

RESULTS:
Singles — Larry Tice, KF def. Gary Highland, M. 6-4, 6-2; Mike Naumes, M. def. Tim Cole, KF, 6-2, 6-2; Lee Wimberley, M. def. Doug Siles, KF, 6-4, 6-1; A. T. Highland, M. def. Allan Clark, KF, 6-3, 6-0; Nick Rasmussen, M. def. Jerry Cole, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3.
Doubles — G. Highland and Naumes def. Tice and T. Cole, 6-4, 6-2. A. T. Highland and Chris Rasmussen def. J. Cole and Siles, 6-1, 6-1.

Howard Prairie Good For Trout

Portland—UPI—The weekly report on fishing conditions good; Klamath lake has been slow.

commission:

Southwest: Umpqua has been poor for spring Chinook; Lemolo fair to good for trout; Howard Prairie good for rainbow 8 to 18 inches; lower Rogue improving.

Central: East Fork Hood river fair to poor; Eagle creek fair but water cold; lower Deschutes muddy and poor; Crooked river below Prineville dam producing good catches of rainbow; Deschutes good on bait; Metolius fair;

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