

Birmingham Black Barons

Negro National League

1929

(Incomplete)

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Harry Salmon	-	18	1	9	-	-	0	-	0	.500
Charles Wesley	-	25	0	10	-	-	0	-	1	.400
Ray Sheppard	-	96	5	34	-	-	0	-	0	.355
Dave Thomas	-	89	6	31	-	-	0	-	0	.349
J. Burdine	-	35	0	12	-	-	0	-	0	.346
Porter Dallas	-	78	0	26	-	-	0	-	0	.333
Buford Meredith	-	101	2	33	-	-	0	-	2	.333
George Mc Callister	-	95	3	25	-	-	0	-	1	.276
Jimpsey Rousell	-	89	5	21	-	-	0	-	0	.246
Anthony Cooper	-	31	0	7	-	-	0	-	0	.226

Individual Pitching

Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
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Pitching statistics not published in the Afro American edition in which the batting averages were published.

Note: The validity of these statistics is very questionable especially for runs scored, homeruns and stolen bases.

Source: Statistics as published in the Afro American on July 27, 1929.

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Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
65	2242	356	599	85	39	14	-	81	.267

Individual Batting

Artie Wilson	65	266	51	92	9	6	0	-	17	.346
Leandy Young	24	88	14	30	6	1	1	-	3	.341
John Scott	22	52	8	17	2	2	1	-	1	.327
John Britton	65	259	47	84	11	2	1	-	9	.324
Lorenzo Davis	64	253	40	78	-	-	2	-	7	.308
Ed Steele	61	218	47	66	13	8	4	-	9	.303
John Markham	10	28	3	6	0	0	0	-	0	.261
Lester Lockett	54	181	25	45	8	4	0	-	3	.249
Leroy Morney	28	93	16	22	5	0	0	-	5	.237
Felix McLaurin	42	144	25	34	4	3	1	-	6	.236
John Huber	18	56	2	13	2	0	0	-	0	.232
Tommy Sampson	62	238	37	54	4	7	0	-	16	.227
Clyde Hairston	16	45	3	10	1	0	0	-	2	.222
Ted Radcliffe	26	93	5	20	4	0	0	-	1	.215
Lloyd Bassett	40	132	12	28	4	0	2	-	2	.212
Alvin Gipson	20	51	7	10	2	1	0	-	0	.196
Alfred Saylor	25	61	5	10	1	0	0	-	1	.164
Lafayette Washington	10	22	3	3	0	0	1	-	1	.136
Jimmy Newberry	12	23	4	1	0	0	0	-	0	.043

Individual Pitching

Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA	
Lafayette Washington	8	3	2	.600	50	40	-	44	20	2.52
Alfred Saylor	24	14	5	.737	148	134	-	63	15	2.74
John Huber	8	2	3	.400	54	48	-	31	8	2.83
Jimmy Newberry	12	4	5	.444	67	66	-	34	18	3.22
Alvin Gipson	20	10	6	.625	125	121	-	78	33	3.24
John Markham	10	4	2	.667	61	57	-	26	9	3.39
Alonzo Boone	8	2	1	.667	40	44	-	21	20	3.83

Highlights

- Birmingham finished second in the league behind Cleveland (.272) with a .267 team batting average.
- Birmingham finished second in fielding percentage (.957) behind Cleveland (.958) in the final standings.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
61	2000	307	552	69	31	16	-	55	.276

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Artie Wilson	59	235	51	88	8	2	3	23	15	.374
Fred Shepard	29	102	19	36	2	4	1	13	6	.353
Ed Steele	57	196	41	69	10	4	1	27	11	.352
John Britton	27	114	22	38	5	1	1	22	1	.333
Lester Lockett	61	229	40	70	11	2	3	30	8	.306
Lorenzo Davis	52	191	36	57	7	7	3	33	7	.298
Leandy Young	15	31	2	9	1	0	0	3	0	.290
Quincy Smith	20	67	15	19	2	1	0	2	1	.284
John Huber	25	50	6	14	2	2	0	5	1	.280
Herman Bell	32	83	12	23	2	0	0	10	2	.277
John Ray	33	98	14	24	4	0	1	14	0	.245
Earl Bumpus	40	98	6	21	2	1	0	10	2	.214
Tommy Sampson	13	39	5	8	1	0	0	3	1	.205
Alfred Saylor	18	36	2	7	0	0	0	3	1	.194
J.C. Spencer	34	94	10	18	1	3	0	5	1	.191
Lloyd Bassett	45	124	9	22	8	0	2	21	2	.177
Jimmy Newberry	22	31	4	5	1	0	0	2	0	.161
John Markham	13	20	2	3	2	0	0	1	0	.150
John Felder	50	101	24	15	2	1	0	2	1	.149
Alonzo Boone	14	29	3	4	1	1	0	3	0	.138

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
John Markham	10	4	4	.500	52	60	33	28	10	2.94
Jimmy Newberry	21	5	3	.625	94	100	35	42	30	3.06
John Huber	16	5	6	.455	95	96	50	37	25	3.41
Earl Bumpus	9	4	2	.667	57	56	27	19	16	3.63
Alonzo Boone	14	4	4	.500	76	82	51	47	34	3.67
Alfred Saylor	11	4	3	.571	53	61	42	21	7	5.60
Alvin Gipson	6	2	2	.500	39	37	23	21	14	-
Frank Thompson	6	2	3	.400	28	42	23	19	5	-
Wilbur Young	2	1	0	1.000	8	8	8	3	5	-

Highlights

- Birmingham finished the season in second place behind Cleveland (.297) in team batting (.276).
- Birmingham led the Negro American League in homeruns with 16.
- Artie Wilson (.374) finished the season as runner-up to Sam Jethroe (.393) for the "league" batting title.
- Artie Wilson led the Negro American League in hits with 88.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Fred Shepard	24	81	-	28	-	-	1	-	1	.346
Jehosie Heard	20	34	-	11	-	-	0	-	0	.324
David Thomas	17	51	-	16	-	-	1	-	0	.314

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Ted Radcliffe	-	4	1	.800	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Pittsburgh Courier (September 21, 1946) – Negro American League Leaders

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Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
60	1918	367	569	-	-	-	-	-	.297

Team Fielding

Games	DP	PO	A	E	Pct.
58	-	1366	670	111	.948

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Artie Wilson	53	212	42	79	-	-	-	-	-	.373
Lorenzo Davis	56	228	52	82	-	-	-	-	-	.360
John Britton	53	232	26	78	-	-	-	-	-	.336

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Bill Powell	10	5	0	1.000	70	55	27	34	25	-
Curtis Hollingsworth	16	4	0	1.000	102	55	24	25	7	1.80

Highlights

- Birmingham (.297) finished second in team batting average to Cleveland (.301) for the 1947 season.
- Artie Wilson (.373) finished second to John Ritchey (.381) for the Negro American League batting title.
- Curtis Hollingsworth (1.80) had the lowest earned run average in the Negro American League

Source: Statistics published in Baltimore Afro American (September 2nd, 9th and 20th, 1947)

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Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Artie Wilson	76	333	78	134	19	8	2	41	10	.402
Lorenzo Davis	76	295	63	104	19	8	7	69	6	.353
Lloyd Bassett	40	123	15	43	13	1	5	31	0	.350
Jehosie Heard	16	15	6	5	2	0	0	0	0	.333
Alonzo Perry	31	80	7	26	4	0	2	12	0	.325
Ed Steele	72	260	71	78	15	5	8	46	10	.300
Norman Robinson	73	298	42	89	12	5	1	42	6	.299
John Britton	74	339	48	98	14	5	3	40	2	.289
Willie Mays	25	84	10	22	3	0	1	7	1	.262
Herman Bell	52	165	29	43	11	0	0	16	4	.261
Wiley Griggs	14	33	6	8	2	0	0	0	0	.242
James Zapp	61	221	36	53	11	5	1	26	1	.240
Jimmy Newberry	26	66	7	15	0	1	0	7	0	.227
William Greason	18	36	6	8	1	1	0	4	0	.222
William Powell	19	53	4	11	1	0	0	5	0	.208
Joe Scott	68	255	47	50	14	2	3	40	2	.196
Sam Williams	12	31	1	4	1	0	0	1	1	.129

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Jimmy Newberry	31	14	5	.737	157	158	52	112	30	2.18
Sam Williams	12	6	3	.667	84	84	46	51	13	3.21
William Greason	14	6	4	.600	90	85	47	66	38	3.30
William Powell	19	11	3	.786	130	133	63	103	40	3.81
Alonzo Perry	18	10	2	.833	120	145	80	59	33	4.73
Jehosie Heard	12	6	1	.857	33	48	25	18	14	-
Nat Pollard	8	2	3	.400	43	52	26	21	7	-

Highlights

- The Birmingham Black Barons win the Negro American League championship.
- Artie Wilson won the Negro American League batting title with a .402 batting average. Wilson also led the Negro American League in hits with 134 and runs scored with 78.
- The Birmingham Black Barons have three pitchers with at least ten wins each: Jimmy Newberry (14-5), William Powell (11-3) and Alonzo Perry (10-2).
- Jimmy Newberry tied for the Negro American League in strikeouts with 112. Newberry also finished second as the league leader in earned run average to Lefty La Marque (1.96) of Kansas City with a 2.12 ERA.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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Team Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
	89	3007	474	833	149	40	37	-	54	.277

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Lorenzo Davis	87	317	65	119	27	8	9	67	3	.375
Norman Robinson	78	298	46	93	14	7	3	54	8	.312
Willie Mays	80	289	68	90	17	4	5	40	11	.311
Ed Steele	89	315	71	98	17	3	4	43	11	.311
Lloyd Bassett	66	173	14	51	9	0	4	21	1	.295
Alonzo Perry	51	133	22	37	8	1	5	30	1	.278
Henry Bayliss	57	168	21	45	3	2	0	24	2	.268
John Britton	60	219	28	54	11	1	0	18	1	.247
Joseph Scott	81	298	39	71	17	5	3	38	2	.238
Luther Branham	40	139	16	30	3	1	1	18	3	.216
Jose Burgos	89	359	42	77	12	5	0	23	3	.214
Herman Bell	63	144	14	28	3	0	1	15	1	.194
William Powell	40	75	11	14	1	1	1	6	0	.187
William Greason	28	50	7	8	2	1	1	12	0	.160
Samuel Williams	22	50	7	4	0	0	0	1	0	.080
Ernest Carter	26	23	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	.043
Felix Evans	19	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Sam Williams	21	8	6	.571	146	150	64	60	36	3.21
Alonzo Perry	24	12	4	.750	133	134	61	61	31	3.45
William Powell	32	11	11	.500	182	189	86	124	56	3.61
Jimmy Newberry	9	4	2	.667	46	49	26	11	9	3.91
William Greason	26	7	13	.350	158	179	108	107	84	5.41
Ernest Carter	24	3	1	.750	57	80	53	20	18	6.00

Highlights

- Birmingham finished third in team batting average (.277) behind Baltimore (.285) and New York (.278)
- Lorenzo "Piper" Davis finished third in the batting title race with a .375 average. His .596 slugging percentage and 67 runs batted in also put him third place among league leaders in each of these categories.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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1950

Team Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
	78	2649	491	754	138	32	34	336	84	.285

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Lorenzo Davis	42	149	36	57	10	2	3	28	4	.383
Charles King	60	191	43	64	13	3	0	25	5	.335
Willie Mays	27	106	22	35	7	2	4	28	2	.330
Alonzo Perry	73	294	80	92	14	7	14	64	18	.313
Norman Robinson	73	291	51	90	16	3	0	29	12	.309
Ed Steele	71	245	57	75	21	5	4	51	15	.306
Andrew Watts	57	174	27	52	9	0	5	30	2	.299
William Powell	30	63	11	18	4	2	0	11	0	.286
Nathanial Pollard	15	33	8	9	1	0	1	3	0	.273
Lloyd Bassett	55	188	18	51	7	1	2	32	1	.271
Henry Bayliss	78	318	53	86	11	2	0	25	8	.270
Herman Bell	40	114	19	28	4	3	0	18	2	.246
Jose Burgos	74	243	39	59	12	0	0	30	9	.243
William Greason	23	56	6	8	2	2	0	3	0	.143
James Collins	14	29	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	.138
Samuel Williams	23	48	6	6	1	0	0	3	0	.125

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Kelly Searcy	1	1	0	1.000	9	3	0	9	0	0.00
William Greason	19	9	6	.600	142	108	53	106	72	2.41
Jimmy Newberry	6	4	1	.800	51	47	19	31	13	2.82
William Powell	26	15	4	.789	162	164	79	110	68	3.00
Nat Pollard	13	7	3	.700	75	93	41	41	27	3.36
Samuel Williams	22	13	7	.650	151	161	82	60	44	3.81
Willie Collins	14	3	3	.500	79	95	59	42	24	5.01
Alonzo Perry	3	0	1	.000	9	18	15	3	9	15.00

Highlights

- Birmingham (.285) finished third in the league in team batting behind Baltimore (.288) & Indianapolis (.287).
- Birmingham (.958) finished third in team fielding behind Philadelphia (.962) and Baltimore (.959).
- Lorenzo Davis (.383) finished second in the league in batting behind Sam Hairston (.424).
- William Powell led the league in wins with a 15-4 record and Sam Williams was second with a 13-7 record.
- Three Birmingham pitchers had at least 10 complete games: Williams (15), Powell (14) and Greason (10).

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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(Incomplete)

Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
-	744	100	180	-	-	-	-	-	.242

Team Fielding

Games	DP	PO	A	E	Pct.
-	-	558	243	66	.924

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Ed Steele	-	184	42	68	-	-	5	33	6	.375
Norman Robinson	-	250	43	60	23	-	-	-	-	.304
Acie Griggs	-	115	13	35	-	-	-	-	-	.304

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
William Greason	-	8	7	.533	127	122	59	93	51	3.61
Leroy Johnson	-	4	4	.500	85	103	81	34	28	5.51
John Huber	-	2	1	.667	-	29	11	14	3	-
Willie Price	-	2	2	.500	-	63	45	22	18	-

(Pitching statistics are not complete for the season)

Birmingham Black Barons ranked next to last in the Negro American League in both team batting average and team fielding for the 1951 season.

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1952

(Incomplete)

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Ed Steele	16	50	13	19	-	-	0	10	2	.380
Henry Kimbro	82	290	75	99	25	-	4	55	13	.341
Wesley Dennis	87	323	53	104	-	-	14	79	7	.322
Frank Russell	52	155	20	46	-	-	2	22	2	.297
Eddie Brooks	80	299	66	88	-	-	0	34	21	.294
William Brown	59	212	37	61	-	-	0	17	6	.288

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Frank Thompson	22	13	6	.684	144	127	51	113	42	-
Taylor Smith	21	10	6	.625	122	135	-	108	79	-
Hiram Gaston	19	6	7	.462	97	103	67	70	73	-
William Scruggs	10	3	4	.429	59	64	39	32	30	-
James Johnson	9	1	3	.250	52	55	38	34	36	-
McLemore	3	1	1	.500	13	12	10	11	8	-

Highlights

- Henry Kimbro led the Negro American League in runs scored (75) and doubles (25). He also finished third for the Negro American League batting title (.341) behind Roy Williams (.347) and James Jones (.342).
- Wesley "Doc" Dennis led the Negro American in hits with 104 and in runs batted in with 79. Doc Dennis also finished in second place for the Negro American League homerun crown with 14.
- Carl Long led the Negro American League in triples with 8.
- Eddie Brooks finished the season in third place with 21 stolen bases behind Jimmy Wilkes (49) and Henry "Speed" Merchant (29).
- Frank "Groundhog" Thompson was the Negro American League's top pitcher with a record of 13-6 (.684).

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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1953

Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
62	1955	283	454	65	26	24	257	46	.232

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Wesley Dennis	59	214	35	75	14	2	9	54	3	.350
Al Mobley	25	73	12	24	2	2	3	20	0	.329
William Scott	17	65	9	19	5	0	1	6	2	.292
Henry Kimbro	61	200	39	55	10	5	2	32	14	.275
Ted Richardson	13	41	2	11	2	0	2	10	0	.268
Thomas Butts	54	192	28	46	5	2	0	12	5	.240
Carl Long	48	143	17	34	6	3	3	27	3	.238
Edward Brooks	61	221	52	52	6	9	1	11	6	.236
Harold Hair	29	100	9	22	3	0	1	10	1	.220
Frank Thompson	17	42	4	9	2	0	0	4	0	.214
Frank Russell	52	168	21	35	7	0	1	21	2	.206
Irvin Castille	47	140	25	27	3	0	0	19	7	.193
Manny Cartledge	22	36	4	6	1	0	1	4	1	.167
Otha Bailey	53	157	16	24	2	1	0	12	1	.153
Charles Johnson	33	68	9	10	1	1	1	10	1	.147
Ed Steele	14	48	8	7	1	1	0	1	0	.143

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Danny Johnson	4	3	0	1.000	26	13	6	17	11	1.73
Guthrie	4	2	0	1.000	24	16	8	11	9	2.25
John Thomas	1	0	1	.000	8	6	3	7	3	2.25
Kelly Searcy	4	2	0	1.000	23	13	7	8	9	2.35
Manny Cartledge	14	5	3	.625	70	62	39	48	16	3.09
Frank Thompson	16	7	7	.500	112	102	51	68	47	3.38
Hiram Gaston	8	2	4	.333	45	41	26	49	26	4.40
Taylor Smith	16	2	7	.222	81	71	49	51	29	4.44
Danny Wright	19	3	7	.300	87	87	63	65	41	5.28
Frank Russell	4	1	1	.500	15	20	12	9	8	6.00
Walter Kelly	2	1	1	.500	13	15	12	6	5	6.23
Tommy Jackson	4	0	1	.000	13	16	11	8	11	6.23
Ted Richardson	3	0	2	.000	4	6	10	1	9	20.25

Highlights

- Wesley "Doc" Dennis finished second in the Negro American League in batting average (.350), homeruns (9) and runs batted in (54).
- Frank "Groundhog" Thompson pitched 13 complete games in 16 starts.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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1954

Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
80	2539	419	631	112	29	33	332	66	.249

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Mike Houlemard	12	22	4	7	3	0	0	1	0	.318
Sidney Bunch	41	122	22	36	9	1	1	24	3	.295
Edward Brooks	78	299	65	86	11	4	3	37	22	.288
Curly Williams	77	241	47	68	17	2	12	58	6	.282
William Breda	51	194	35	54	7	0	5	33	6	.278
John Kennedy	76	289	69	79	13	5	4	35	16	.273
Wesley Dennis	72	269	38	71	13	3	8	48	3	.264
Clarence King	25	91	18	23	4	3	0	8	3	.253
Kelly Searcy	22	44	5	11	1	0	0	3	0	.250
Charley Pride	24	62	4	15	1	1	1	5	0	.242
Ralph Crosby	55	184	16	41	10	0	0	19	4	.223
Frank Thompson	20	29	2	6	0	0	1	4	0	.207
Otha Bailey	77	261	25	53	11	2	0	16	2	.203
Jessie Mitchell	70	241	25	49	7	7	0	20	1	.203
William Beverly	24	38	5	7	1	0	0	3	0	.184
Willie Wells	12	11	0	2	2	0	0	6	1	.182
Richard Wright	14	16	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	.125
Danny Wright	20	42	4	5	2	0	0	1	0	.119
Elliot Coleman	18	28	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Michaels	1	1	0	1.000	7	4	1	4	2	0.00
Kelly Searcy	22	9	5	.643	127	101	49	121	57	2.27
Michael Houlemard	10	5	0	1.000	42	38	17	45	14	2.79
Frank Thompson	19	6	9	.400	95	96	55	53	42	3.38
Danny Wright	20	7	4	.636	113	91	59	55	76	3.42
Charley Pride	13	4	3	.571	61	59	36	37	28	4.13
Ulysses Hollimon	4	0	2	.000	19	19	10	13	5	4.26
Bill Beverly	22	5	9	.357	104	113	74	52	66	4.59
Elliot Coleman	17	3	5	.375	91	93	61	65	39	4.85
James Jenkins	5	1	0	1.000	11	16	11	3	3	5.73

Highlights

- Curly Williams was among the Negro American League leaders in homeruns (12) and runs batted in (58)
- Kelly Searcy led the Negro American League in earned run average with a 2.27 ERA.
- Kelly Searcy was second in the Negro American League in strikeouts with 121.
- Danny Wright pitched a no-hitter (seven inning game) during the season.

Source: Howe News Bureau (Official Statisticians for the Negro American League), 30 N. La Salle St., Chicago, IL

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Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
-	590	107	141	-	-	-	-	-	.239

Team Fielding

Games	DP	PO	A	E	Pct.
-	11	478	178	72	.940

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Billy Joe Moore	30	149	35	56	-	-	-	-	-	.376
Otha Bailey	37	117	22	41	-	-	-	-	-	.350
Mangrum	17	81	10	18	-	-	-	-	-	.295
John Williams	41	159	27	45	-	-	-	-	-	.283
Bill Wyatt	45	185	35	52	-	-	-	-	-	.281
Frank Marsh	46	158	41	43	-	-	-	-	-	.272
Wiley Griggs	46	180	30	45	-	-	-	-	-	.250
Jessie Mitchell	46	166	44	41	-	-	-	-	-	.247
Rufus Gipson	38	147	31	34	-	-	-	-	-	.231

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Charlie Barnes	13	6	1	.857	-	-	-	-	-	-
Williams	19	6	8	.429	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finley	6	3	1	.750	-	-	-	-	-	-
Berry	11	3	3	.500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Johnson	5	2	1	.667	-	-	-	-	-	-
Joe Elliott	14	2	4	.333	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stanley Jones	7	0	4	.000	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Afro-American (August 2, 1956).

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Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
8	251	41	56	-	-	1	-	-	.223

Team Fielding

Games	DP	PO	A	E	Pct.
8	6	195	-	21	.927

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Jessie Bass	-	1	0	1	-	-	-	1	-	1.000
William Wyatt	-	31	8	12	-	-	-	5	-	.387
Jessie Mitchell	-	27	7	10	-	-	-	11	-	.370
Charles Williams	-	30	5	9	-	-	-	5	-	.300
Willie Smith	-	7	1	2	-	-	-	0	-	.286
Robert Baldwin	-	27	8	7	-	-	-	1	-	.259
Stanley Jones	-	8	3	2	-	-	-	3	-	.250
Rufus Gibson	-	31	7	6	-	-	-	8	-	.194
Otha Bailey	-	26	1	5	-	-	-	2	-	.192
Willie Patterson	-	16	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	.125
Donnie Harris	-	26	4	3	-	-	-	3	-	.115
Wiley Griggs	-	26	2	2	-	-	-	4	-	.077

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Stanley Jones	2	1	0	1.000	-	-	-	7	4	-
Burke	2	1	0	1.000	-	-	-	7	0	-
Charles Smith	2	1	1	.500	-	-	-	14	10	-
Edward Barnes	2	0	1	.000	-	-	-	8	4	-
White	2	0	1	.000	-	-	-	5	11	-
Joe Elliott	2	0	1	.000	-	-	-	3	4	-
Willie Smith	1	0	1	.000	-	-	-	0	0	-

Highlights

- Jessie Mitchell won the Triple Crown of the Negro American League for the 1957 season. He batted .338, hit 17 homeruns and drove in 67 runs for the season. He also led the league in doubles with 21 and triples with 9.

Source: [Birmingham World](#) (statistics through June 3rd - the eighth game of the season for Birmingham).

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1958

Team Batting

Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
34	1097	197	263	36	17	13	161	11	.240

Individual Batting

	Games	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT
Willie Smith	15	24	3	11	1	2	0	9	0	.458
John Williams	31	115	30	41	6	2	4	27	0	.357
John Mitchell	20	63	13	20	3	0	0	5	1	.317
Willie Harris	32	111	25	33	8	5	2	27	0	.297
Jessie Bass	34	132	28	30	4	0	0	12	3	.227
Brown Jackson	23	75	12	17	2	1	0	14	1	.227
James Ivory	33	137	23	31	7	2	1	19	2	.226
Stan Jones	12	24	3	5	0	1	0	4	0	.208
Otha Bailey	32	111	15	21	0	1	0	8	3	.189
Bobby Sanders	34	114	20	21	1	3	5	15	0	.184
Wiley Griggs	31	108	11	17	2	0	1	6	1	.157
Joseph Elliott	10	16	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.063

Individual Pitching

	Games	Won	Lost	PCT	IP	H	R	SO	BB	ERA
Willie Smith	10	6	2	.750	54	43	16	58	19	2.67
Stan Jones	11	2	4	.333	56	55	34	41	20	5.14
Billingsley	5	1	2	.333	34	28	24	35	21	5.29
Willie Gross	9	4	1	.800	43	45	34	31	21	5.44
Joe Elliot	10	2	4	.333	53	51	39	40	42	5.77
Taylor Smith	4	1	1	.500	15	13	10	18	6	6.00
Phil Welch	7	0	4	.000	35	51	35	19	19	8.45
Bennington	1	0	0	.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finley	1	0	0	.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Willie Hill	1	0	1	.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
William Scruggs	1	0	1	.000	-	-	-	-	-	-

Highlights

- Birmingham led the Negro American League in fielding with a .966 fielding average.
- John Williams led the Negro American League in hitting with a .357 batting average.

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