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Post Game Notes

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Houston Astros (81-71) at Oakland Athletics (66-86)

Wednesday, September 21, 2016 ♦ Oakland Alameda Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Houston	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	1	0	6	9	1	6
Oakland	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	5	7	0	6

W — McHugh (12-10)

L — Mengden (2-8)

S — Gregerson (15)

OAKLAND NOTES

- The **Oakland A's** have lost three straight after winning six of their previous seven contests...have a season-high six-game home losing streak and are now 33-45 at the Coliseum for the season...fell to 26-40 against AL West competition...lost the season series against the Astros for the second consecutive season, as they finished 6-13 this year...have a seven-game losing streak against Houston, which extends their longest ever against the Astros...are 0-3 on this six-game homestand against Houston (0-3) and Texas (three games).
- Daniel Mengden** was charged with his seventh home loss in eight career starts at the Coliseum after allowing four earned runs in 5.2 innings...is now 2-8 with a 5.74 ERA (44 er in 69 ip) and has not won back-to-back decisions since being selected from Triple-A Nashville June 11.
- Yonder Alonso** (1-for-4, 2b) is 14-for-42 (.333) over his last 14 games after going 2-for-21 (.095) over his previous eight...extended his team lead in doubles to 30 on the season.
- Brett Eibner** (1-for-4, 2b, rbi) has hit safely in back-to-back games and is batting .250 (10-for-40) with seven RBI over his last 12 games after going 7-for-47 (.149) with four RBI over his first 24 contest with the A's.
- Bruce Maxwell** (1-for-4, 2b, r, so) is 14-for-36 (.389) over his last 12 games after going 4-for-32 (.125) over his first 13 contests.
- Stephen Vogt** (1-for-4, rbi, bb, roe, so) snapped an 0-for-13 slump in his first at-bat...is batting .199 (35-for-176) over his last 50 games but is hitting .348 (23-for-66) in 17 games against Houston.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Daniel Mengden (L, 2-8)	5.2	6	4	4	2	7	1	96/62
Daniel Coulombe	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0	6/3
Zach Neal	1.2	3	2	2	1	1	1	25/15
Chris Smith	1.1	0	0	0	0	1	0	17/9

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

HOUSTON NOTES

- The **Houston Astros** have won six of their last seven games...improved to 40-38 on the road and 28-23 during day games...are now 38-28 against AL West competition...have a seven-game winning streak against the A's and are 31-21 against Oakland in the last 52 games dating back to April 26, 2014...took the season series for the second consecutive year against Oakland with a 13-6 mark...concluded their six-game road trip at 5-1 against Seattle (2-1) and Oakland (3-0) and now return home to begin a seven-game homestand.
- Collin McHugh** allowed two earned runs over 5.2 innings of work to record his fifth consecutive win (one shy of tying his career-high set in 2015)...improved his record to 12-10 with a 4.61 ERA (87 er in 170 ip)...Houston has won seven straight games with him on the mound.
- Carlos Correa** (2-for-4, 2b, r, rbi) finished the current road trip hitting .348 (8-for-23) and went 4-for-11 in the series against Oakland.
- Evan Gattis** (2-for-4, 2 hr, 2 r, 3 rbi, so) hit a pair of home runs to pass George Springer for the team lead in homers with 30...
- Jake Marisnick** (0-for-4, rbi, so) is 0 for his last 17 at-bats and went 2-for-17 (.118) on the current road trip.

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Collin McHugh (W, 12-10)	5.2	6	2	2	2	5	0	96/64
James Hoyt	0.1	0	1	1	1	0	0	7/3
Tony Sipp	0.1	1	1	1	0	0	0	5/3
Pat Neshek	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	9/6
Will Harris	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	17/12
Luke Gregerson (S, 15)	1.0	0	1	0	1	0	0	28/16

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Evan Gattis (29)	6th	1-2	2	LF	Mengden
Evan Gattis (30)	8th	0-0	1	CF	Neal

Time of Game.....	3:13	Overall Record.....	66-86	Home/Road.....	33-45 / 33-41
First Pitch.....	12:37 pm	Streak.....	L3	Day/Night.....	22-34 / 44-52
Temperature.....	62 degrees	Homestand.....	0-3	April/May/June.....	13-12 / 11-17 / 11-15
		Last 5.....	2-3	July/Aug./Sept.....	12-14 / 10-18 / 9-10
Today's Attendance.....	11,197	Last 10.....	6-4		
Attendance Total.....	1,461,355	Series Record.....	0-3	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 ...	18-6 / 48-80
Average (78 games).....	18,735	Series First Game.....	23-26	A's/Opponents score first.....	45-39 / 21-46
				Leading after 7th/8th inning.....	50-8 / 56-5
Win/Lose in Last AB.....	15-17	vs. AL West.....	26-40	Tied After 7th/8th inning.....	6-5 / 7-7
Extra Innings.....	5-5	vs. RHP/LHP.....	50-62 / 16-24	Trailing After 7th/8th inning.....	10-72 / 3-74