

1959 CHICAGO WHITE SOX

94-60 1st
MGR Al Lopez (#42)
"El Senor"

DP: 311 to 334

Error: 351 to 355

	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Earl Torgeson #17	.220	7	PW	121	123	131	224	226	AR		1B103	L L
Nellie Fox "Mighty Mite" #2	.306	5	MK	111	113	133	256	256	AAR	SD	2B156	L R
Luis Aparicio #11	.257	56	MK	112	114	124	243	241	S	SD	SS152	R R
"Bubba" Phillips #5 <u>John</u>	.264	1		113	114	141	243	243	AR		3B100, OF23(CF/LF)	R R
Jim McAnany #3	.276	2		-	113	126	252	245	AR	LD	OF67(RF/LF/CF)	R R
Jim Landis #1	.272	20		112	115	134	251	244	AAR	SD	OF148(CF)	R R
Al Smith "Fuzzy" #16	.237	7		122	124	135	234	233	AR		OF128(LF/RF/CF), 3B1	R R
Sherman Lollar "Sherm" #10	.265	4		123	124	141	244	243	AR	SD-C	C122, 1B24	R R
Billy Goodman #6	.250	3	MK	111	112	131	236	236	AR		3B74, 2B3	L R
Jim Rivera "Jungle Jim" #7	.220	5		115	124	143	224	226	AAR		OF69(RF/LF)	L L
John Romano "Honey" #20	.294	0		123	125	142	255	253	SLO		C38	R R
Norm Cash #38	.240	1		122	124	-	233	234	AR		PH, 1B31	L L
Johnny Callison #9	.173	0		116	-	126	165	212	AR		OF41(LF)	L R
Ted Kluszewski "Big Klu" #8 X	.297	0		114	116	124	251	255	SLO		1B29	L L
Del Ennis #3 X	.219	0	MW	115	-	141	226	225	AR	LD	OF25(LF)	R R
Sammy Esposito #14	.167	0		113	-	116	166	166	AR		3B45, SS14, 2B2	R R
Harry Simpson "Suitcase" #8 X	.187	0		116	123	145	212	215	AR	LD	PH, OF12(RF), 1B1	L L
Earl Battey #26	.219	0		121	132	135	226	225	SLO		C20	R R
Larry Doby #32	.241	1	MW	-	114	122	234	234	AR	LD	PH, OF12(RF/CF/LF), 1B2	L R
Ray Boone "Ike" #8 +	.238	1	PW PK	124	-	-	235	233	SLO		1B6	R R
Lou Skizas #3	.077	0	PW	-	-	-	141	134	AR	LD	OF6(LF)	R R
Ron Jackson #4	.214	0	PK	133	-	156	225	224	AR		PH, 1B5	R R
Early Wynn	.244	0		115	-	144	241	234	SLO		P37	B R
Bob Shaw	.123	0		-	-	113	155	152	SLO		P47	R R
Billy Pierce	.191	0		-	116	123	213	216	SLO		P34	L L
Dick Donovan	.131	0	PK	114	-	136	152	155	SLO		P31	L R
Barry Latman	.128	0	MK	-	-	115	156	153	SLO		P37	R R
Gerry Staley	.154	0	PW PK	-	-	-	164	163	SLO		P67	R R
"Turk" Lown	.250	0	PK	-	-	-	236	236	SLO		P60	R R
Pitcher R	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	153	145	SLO			
Pitcher L	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	145	146	SLO			
	ERA	IP	W	K	G	GS	SV					
Early Wynn #24	3.17	256	143	563	37	37	0	.244	B R	"Gus"		
Bob Shaw #35	2.69	231	125	634	47	26	3	.123	R R			
Billy Pierce #19	3.62	224	131	623	34	33	0	.191	L L			
Dick Donovan #22	3.66	180	133	633	31	29	0	.131	L R			
Barry Latman #18	3.75	156	143	612	37	21	0	.128	R R			
Ray Moore #29	4.12	90	144	621	29	8	0	.087	R R	"Farmer" "Old Blue"		
Ken McBride #15	3.18	23	161	622	11	2	1	.167	R R			
Gerry Staley #21 #24 #44 #66	2.24	116	124	626	67	0	14	.154	R R			
"Turk" Lown #27	2.89	93	143	564	60	0	15	.250	R R	<u>Omar Joseph</u>		
Rudy Arias #25 #49	4.09	44	141	614	34	0	2	.000	L L			

The "Go Go White Sox" finally derailed the Yankees from a stranglehold on the American League pennant. The "Pale Hose" featured future Hall of Famer's Luis Aparicio, Early Wynn, Jimmy Fox, Larry Doby, and Manager Al Lopez...

Catcher Sherm Lollar led the ball club with 22 home runs and 84 runs batted in. He was also held in high regard as one of the best backstops in the majors. Outfielder Al Smith hit 17 homers and drove home 55 runs while Nellie Fox (a pro among pro's) was first on the ball club in hits (191) and second with 70 RBI. One of the top shortstops in the game called Comiskey Park "home" as well: Luis Aparicio scored 98 runs and led the majors in stolen bases...Early Wynn led the pitching staff with a 22-10 record and 179 strikeouts. Bob Shaw was 18-6 for the year while talented lefty Billy Pierce was 14-15 with 114 K's...The staff was first in the league with a 3.29 ERA and gave up the fewest runs (588)...At the plate, the Sox hit .250 and 97 homers. They led the A.L. with 46 triples...The White Sox made their first appearance in the Fall Classic since 1919 and ran into a tough ball club in the L. A. Dodgers. Los Angeles won The Series, 4-2, even after they were blown out in Game One by the White Sox at Comiskey Park, 11-0. The Dodgers then won the next three games to get an upper hand...The nickname "Go Go White Sox" was derived from a fight song (still used to this day) written for the team in 1959...Chicago beat the Yanks in their season series, 13-9-1...Early Wynn was the recipient of baseball's Cy Young Award. (At this time, there was only one award for the major leagues.)