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The Oracle method (Balreira et al., 2014) introduced a league-wide common opponent into a Markovian ranking procedure. The Oracle can be used to simultaneously rank Major League Baseball pitchers and batters. This method produces both expected and surprising results. (Received September 20, 2016)