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Oakland A's beat Seattle Mariners 8-2, reduce playoff magic number to 4

By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune

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Oakland pitcher Brandon McCarthy back in A's dugout

By Carl Steward, Oakland Tribune

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Inside the Oakland A's: Crisp back in the lineup, Gomes on winning the Stewart Award, other notes

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Returning Crisp leads A's past Seattle

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

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A's to recognize Jonny Gomes' good deeds

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: McCarthy in dugout Friday

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: Crisp in Friday's lineup vs. Seattle

Steve Kroner subbing for Susan Slusser for the opening game of the final regular-season homestand:

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A's gain game on Rangers with win over Mariners

By Jay Lee / MLB.com

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McCarthy returns to talk recovery, Clemente honor

By Jay Lee / MLB.com

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Anderson throws for first time since oblique injury

- Gomes wins Dave Stewart Community Service Award
- Melvin still has eye on division title

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Vargas looks to spoil A's chance at division crown

By Vinnie Duber / MLB.com

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Crisp, Drew come through as A's gain on Rangers

By JANIE McCAULEY, AP Baseball Writer

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McCarthy encouraged with progress from head injury

Associated Press

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Only one things matters in Oakland: 'Play hard tomorrow'

Nate Stuhlbarg, csnbayarea.com

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Instant Replay: A's 8, Mariners 2

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McCarthy to throw Saturday, expecting normal offseason

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A's lineup: Welcome back Coco Crisp

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BRIAN COSTA, Wall Street Journal

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Former Rebel Seth Smith helping A's make playoff push

by Steve Hunt, djournal.com

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