Oakland A's News Links, Friday, June 14, 2013

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A's win in 18 innings, sweep New York Yankees

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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Oakland A's extra-innings records, facts

Bay Area News Group

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Inside the Oakland A's: A's honor Rivera, then ruin his last Coliseum game

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

http://www.ibabuzz.com/athletics/2013/06/13/as-honor-rivera-then-ruin-his-last-coliseum-game/

Inside the Oakland A's: Game 68 wrapup: Chavez the hero could wind up being the odd man out if A's need bullpen help

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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Inside the Oakland A's: It's time for Oakland to say farewell to Rivera

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

A's complete Yankees sweep in 18 innings

Freiman sends Rivera packing as Oakland plays 18 for sweep

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

http://www.sfchronicle.com/athletics/article/A-s-complete-Yankees-sweep-in-18-innings-4599738.php?t=84aea0021b28c9ccac

A's Chavez proves mettle in long relief

Steve Kroner, San Francisco Chronicle

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Rivera great as closer and at forgetting

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

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For A's, party was just getting started

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Scott Ostler, San Francisco Chronicle

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Today's No. 2 hitters wield more power

Bruce Jenkins, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: Aftermath of A's 3-2, 18-inning win over Yankees

Steve Kroner after Thursday's marathon ...

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The Drumbeat: A's beat Yankees 3-2 in 18 innings

By Steve Kroner

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The Drumbeat: The Melvin-Rivera connection; Thursday's A's lineup

Steve Kroner subbing for Susan Slusser as the A's go for the sweep of the Yankees at the Coliseum:

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From the stage to the show - baseball

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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A's walk off in 18th for 11th straight home win

Freiman's single off Rivera seals it after Chavez leads stifling bullpen

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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Chavez preserves A's bullpen in marathon win

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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Facing A's, Saunders tries to improve on road

Oakland counters with Milone as AL West rivals begin three-game set

By AJ Cassavell / MLB.com

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Donaldson exits marathon with sore hamstring

- Crisp returns in pinch; Cespedes kept out of lineup
- A's honor Rivera with proper Oakland sendoff

By Jane Lee and Jeff Kirshman / MLB.com

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Cano upset by A's suspicion of sign stealing

Yanks' second baseman has words with catcher Norris during 13th inning of loss

By Bryan Hoch / MLB.com

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Moss relishing time spent with young son

Brandon and son, Jayden, enjoy spending quality time together in A's clubhouse

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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Rivera breaks Freiman's bat, Freiman breaks Rivera's heart

Paul Gutierrez, csnbayarea.com

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A's notes: Chavez becomes a folk hero

Paul Gutierrez, csnbayarea.com

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Instant Replay: A's win marathon game to complete sweep

Paul Gutierrez, csnbayarea.com

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A's notes: Melvin once caught Rivera; Crisp, Cespedes remain out

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God is betting on Bob Melvin

Ray Ratto, csnbayarea.com

http://www.csnbayarea.com/blog/ray-ratto/god-betting-bob-melvin

A's beat Yanks in 18 innings of strange baseball

Casey Pratt, csnbayarea.com

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Marcos Breton: A's edge Yankees in 18 innings to complete sweep

Marcos Breton, Sacramento Bee

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COHN: Free, at last, to praise A's latest victory

By LOWELL COHN, THE PRESS DEMOCRAT

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Freiman's 18th-inning single lifts A's over Yanks

By JANIE McCAULEY, ASSOCIATED PRESS

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A's honor retiring Yankees closer Mariano Rivera

By JANIE McCAULEY, Associated Press

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Oakland sweeps New York with walkoff in 18th inning as Rivera bids O.co adieu

Sam McPherson, examiner.com

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ESPN.COM

Josh Donaldson's breakout season

By Jerry Crasnick, ESPN.com

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OAKLAND POST

Moss goes deep twice, A's beat the Yankees

Malaika Bobino, Oakland Post

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Sacramento River Cats

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Oscar LeRoy, Midland Reporter Telegram

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Stockton Snaps Four-Game Skid With 8-4 Win

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