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By Marcus Thompson, II, Oakland Tribune

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By Richard Justice / MLB.com

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By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

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