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Oakland A's outfielders Cespedes, Reddick to meet with hitting coach

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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Lawsuit filed against MLB by minor league players claim they are not paid minimum wage

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Inside the Oakland A's: O'Flaherty glad A's will keep him under wraps as he recovers; Cook receives good news on favorite fan in K.C.

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A's could again play overseas, in Taiwan next season

Susan Slusser

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The Drumbeat: A's cult hero Eric Sogard – the 'Face' of MLB?

From Chronicle Staff Writer Susan Slusser at Papago Park

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The Drumbeat: Little chance for Addison Russell to make A's team out of camp, other notes

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Thar he blows! Mourning the passing of baseball's mad men

Scott Ostler, San Francisco Chronicle

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Cespedes' focus rises after his numbers fall

After taking step back in 2013, Cuban slugger determined to meet potential

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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A's Russell unlikely to open year in Majors

- **Gentry joins Crisp to yield speedy A's club**

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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A.J. Griffin looks to pile up innings for A's staff

By Don Ketchum, Associated Press

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A's may play season-opening series in Taiwan in 2015

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

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A's notes: Lindblom's new perspective, Melvin's speech prep

BY Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

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A's prized prospect Russell trying to keep an even keel

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