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Sonny Gray pitches Oakland A's past Seattle Mariners

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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Newcomers Samardzija, Hammel to start second half for A's

By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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Inside the Oakland A's: Starters Gray, Kazmir and Chavez earn extra time off

by John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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A's use pitching, power to salvage finale against Mariners

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Scott Kazmir in charge of A's All-Star cast

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Surprising 7 A's All-Stars ready for big stage

John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

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System of overseeing Coliseum must change, officials say

Will Kane, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: Sonny Gray helps A's beat Seattle; Oakland has 59 wins at break

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: Scott Kazmir is A's All-Star "chaperone," absorbing some costs, too

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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The Drumbeat: A's send Drew Pomeranz to Sacramento; post-break rotation

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Shea Hey: magnificent seven — the stories, numbers and words of Oakland's All-Stars

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

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With Gray in control, A's roll into All-Star break

Right-hander notches 10th win; Moss, Punto belt home runs

By Adam Lewis / MLB.com

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A's prospect Nunez notches hit in Futures Game

Third baseman starts for World Team, has .900 OPS at Class A Stockton

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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Pomeranz activated off DL, staying in Triple-A

Samardzija, Hammel, Gray, Kazmir, Chavez slated for rotation after break

By Adam Lewis / MLB.com

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A's return to action with Samardzija facing Orioles

Right-hander making third start since blockbuster trade from Cubs

By Matthew DeFranks / MLB.com

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Sonny Gray earns 10th victory to keep Oakland from being swept in Seattle

By Curtis Crabtree, Associated Press

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By Matt Snyder | Baseball Writer

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By Neil de Mause, Sports on Earth

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Oakland's All-Stars show varied approach to team building

By Tim Britton, Providence Journal

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For the Athletics, Second Base Remains the Biggest Hole

No Oakland Second Baseman Has Been an All-Star Since 1976.

By Andrew Beaton, Wall Street Journal

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CATS OUTMATCHED BY ACES, 2-1

By Sacramento River Cats / MILB.com

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Corpus Christi Breaks Hounds Win Streak

By Bob Hards / Midland RockHounds

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Lujan Lights-Out As Ports Fall 4-1

Stockton Ports

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Kane County Cougars

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Jamestown Defeats Vermont 6-2 Sunday

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

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