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#### **All-Star game 2014: Doolittle A's only home-grown star**

By Patrick Donnelly

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#### **A's Cespedes repeats as Derby champ**

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#### **All-Star Game 2014: Former A's reliever gets unexpected call**

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#### **All-Star Game 2014: Samardzija an All-Star, but for what league?**

By Patrick Donnelly, Oakland Tribune

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By John Hickey, Oakland Tribune

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#### **A's Yoenis Céspedes defends Home Run Derby crown with ease**

Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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#### **Eavesdropping at the Home Run Derby festivities**

By John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

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John Shea, San Francisco Chronicle

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By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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## **The Drumbeat: A's Josh Donaldson modeled swing on Jose Bautista's**

By Susan Slusser, San Francisco Chronicle

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#### **Cespedes joins Griffey as repeat Derby champ Frazier falls in final after upset of Stanton in semifinal round**

By Anthony Castrovince / MLB.com

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#### **First-time All-Star Moss exemplifies A's approach Slugger, after bouncing around big leagues, thriving for Majors' top team**

By Jane Lee / MLB.com

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#### **Right on Target: Stars align at Twins' home park Jeter excited for 14th All-Star appearance in farewell season**

By Rhett Bollinger / MLB.com

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#### **Donaldson knocked out of Derby by mate Cespedes Swing-off in Round 1 needed to determine which A's slugger advanced**

By Jason Beck / MLB.com

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By Jesse Sanchez / MLB.com

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#### **Donaldson, A's now getting recognition they deserve AL's starting third baseman is one of seven All-Stars in Oakland uniform**

By Mike Bauman / MLB.com

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#### **From journeyman to All-Star, Moss has persevered**

By Joe Stiglich, csnbayarea.com

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By Dave Campbell, Associated Press

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By Eric Nunez, Associated Press

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#### **A's Creative Mining Floods A.L. Roster With Hidden Gems**

By Tyler Kepner, New York Times

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By John Branch, New York Times

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#### **Former Phillies prospect Moss a late bloomer with Athletics**

by Ryan Lawrence, Philadelphia News

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#### **How A's All-Star Scott Kazmir fought his way back**

By Marc Topkin, Tampa Bay Times

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By Paul Sullivan, Chicago Tribune

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John Perrotto, USA Today

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by Jorge L. Ortiz, USA Today

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By TED BERG, USA Today

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By Matt Snyder, CBSSPORTS.COM

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### **Ex-IronPig Moss evolves into an All-Star with Oakland**

Ex-IronPig Brandon Moss has become one of the AL's top power hitters and an All-Star with Oakland. But he says you can't blame Ruben Amaro Jr. for letting him get away from the Phillies.

By Jeff Shuler, The Morning Call

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By Mike Aldax, Richmond Standard

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BY STACY LAMBE, OUT.COM

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By Glenn Dickey, San Francisco Examiner

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By Bob Hards / Midland RockHounds

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**Jamestown Sweeps Vermont 6-3 on Monday**

By Paul Stanfield / Vermont Lake Monsters

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