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A's Marcus Semien happy to come home

By John Hickey

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By Mark Purdy

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Lon Simmons, Giants' Hall of Fame broadcaster, dies at 91

By Daniel Brown

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Kawakami: Echoes of Lon Simmons' voice

By Tim Kawakami

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by Tim Kawakami

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A's not unhappy with newfound status as underdogs

By Susan Slusser

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Select company for Gray in starting A's opener again

By Susan Slusser

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By Scott Ostler

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Lon Simmons, beloved Bay Area sportscaster, dead at 91

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Hall of Fame broadcaster Simmons dies at 91

Legendary announcer was voice of Giants for five decades, worked A's games for 15 years

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New season offers so much promise to all 30 big league clubs

By Richard Justice

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By Mike Bertha

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By Joe Stiglich

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By Lowell Cohn

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By Art Spander

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By JOSH KATZ, MATTHEW BLOCH, LARRY BUCHANAN and JOE WARD

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