SPORTS DIGEST

Westra At OB Club

The Yankton Quarterback Club will meet Wednesday at noon at the Elks Lodge, 504 West

27th Street, Yankton. This week's speaker is Great Plains Athletic Conference commissioner Corey Westra, who will talk about issues concerning the league. Mount Marty College in Yankton is a member of the

The public is invited to attend.

When Would You Like To **Chat With Our Sports Staff?**

Ve are looking for ways to draw more interest in the Press & Dakotan Sports Chat with James Cimburek and Jeremy Hoeck, which currently runs Wednesday afternoons from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

If a different time slot would make it easier for

you to participate, let us know and we will consider moving the chat to a different time or a different day of the week. Tweet at @YanktonSports, email sports@yankton.net or call us at 1-605-665-7811, ext. 106 to let us know

ISU Receiver Wesley Charged With OWI

AMES, Iowa (AP) — Iowa State wide receiver Jauan Wesley has been suspended indefinitely after being charged with operating a vehicle while Iowa State University police spokesman Aaron

DeLashmutt says officers responded to a report of suspicious drug activity around 12:30 a.m. on Tuesday. DeLashmutt says officers found Wesley and a

passenger sitting in a vehicle with the windows rolled down. Officers smelled marijuana, con-

ducted a field sobriety test on Wesley and subsequently arrested him. Wesley was taken to the Story County jail and

released later in the morning. Online records don't state whether Wesley has hired an attorney. Coach Paul Rhoads says he's "disappointed in Weslev. adding that his suspension falls under a policy in Iowa State's student-athlete code of

Wesley caught 10 passes as a freshman last

Nuggets Acquire Jameer Nelson From Celtics

DENVER (AP) — The Denver Nuggets traded backup point guard Nate Robinson to the Boston Celtics on Tuesday for guard Jameer Nelson.

Robinson was a member of the Celtics for parts of 2009-10 and '10-11. He averaged 5.8 points for

Rosholt 61, Hendricks, Minn, 31

Spearfish 58, Belle Fourche 30

St. Francis Indian 59, Marty Indian

St. Thomas More 75, Chadron, Neb

Wagner 67, Gregory 35 Wakpala 51, Aberdeen Christian 32

Wilmot 72. Clinton-Graceville-Beard-

Arlington 45, North Bend Central 34 Battle Creek 65, West Point-Beemer

Clearwater/Orchard 66, Creighton 41 Columbus Scotus 58, Norfolk

David City 56, Raymond Central 44

Doniphan-Trumbull 37, Centura 33

Douglas County West 53, Yutan 32 Elkhorn 62, Schuyler 33 Elkhorn South 69, Columbus 45

Grand Island Central Catholic 50.

High Plains Community 68, Palmer

Medicine Valley 60, Hayes Center 19 Millard West 61, Omaha Central 56

Omaha Christian Academy 55, Ne-

Osceola 45, Nebraska Christian 35 Riverside 54, Burwell 34 Sandy Creek 60, Deshler 50

Silver Lake 52, Loomis 33

Waverly 48, Ralston 46 Wood River 57, Broken Bow 46 Wynot 64, Niobrara/Verdigre 43

MUDECAS Class A Tournament

Bruning-Davenport/Shickley 51, Ex-/Milligan 40

Nebraska City Lourdes 52, Southern

Humboldt/Table Rock-Steinauer 57,

MUDECAS Class B Tournament

Palmyra 61, Johnson-Brock 53

Ainsworth 56, Boyd County 41

Anselmo-Merna 69, Elwood 42

Arcadia-Loup City 36, Shelton 15

Arlington 47, North Bend Central 44 Bancroft-Rosalie 53, Scribner-Sny-

Burke/South Central, S.D. 54, North

Cambridge 59, Northern Valley, Kan.

Centura 79, Doniphan-Trumbull 37

Clarkson/Leigh 63, Cedar Bluffs 43 Columbus 51, Elkhorn South 44

Creighton 49, Clearwater/Orchard 38

David City 47, Raymond Central 44 Dundy County-Stratton 71, Hitch-

Elmwood-Murdock 40, Lincoln

Fullerton 45, Elgin Public/Pope John

Guardian Angels 66, Bishop Neu-

Hampton 63, Heartland Lutheran 47

Hastings St. Cecilia 73, Grand Island

Haxtun, Colo. 67, Creek Valley 44

Haves Center 45, Medicine Valley 27

High Plains Community 46, Palmer

Ewing 32, Elkhorn Valley 17 Fairbury 58, Wilber-Clatonia 45

East Butler 45. Conestoga 30

Elkhorn 46, Schuyler 22

Friend 58, Dorchester 21

Giltner 55 Kenesaw 38

irst Round
Diller-Odell 63, Meridian 41

TUESDAY'S NEB. GIRLS

Blue Hill 75, Gibbon 18

Burwell 45 Riverside 39

Wakefield 48. Ponca 47

Fillmore Central 47, Malcolm 38

Gretna 55, Boys Town 50

Heartland 51, Superior 26

Kenesaw 44 Giltner 41

aska Lutheran 40

First Round

Lewiston 30

Central 32

k County 47

Sully Buttes 60, Timber Lake 33

Webster 51, Groton Area 34 West Central 47, Elk Point-Jeffer

Winner 53, Valentine, Neb. 17
West River Tournament

Faith 73, Moorcroft, Wyo. 17

TUESDAY'S NEB. BOYS

Blue Hill 55. Gibbon 48

Central City 49, St. Paul 45

slev. Minn. 33

Catholic 44

Denver this season a year after tearing his ACL. It will be Nelson's third team this season. He signed with Dallas before the season and then wound up in Boston as part of the trade that sent Rajon Rondo to the Mavericks.

Nelson was the 20th overall pick by Denver in 2004, only to have his rights traded to the Orlando Magic in a draft-night deal. He's averaged 12.3 points and 5.3 assists with Orlando, Dallas and Boston.

Nuggets general manager Tim Connelly said Nelson's "veteran leadership will be of value to our

New Playoff Draws Larger TV Audience For Title Game

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — The new College Football Playoff succeeded in drawing a larger television audience to the championship game.

Ohio State's 42-20 victory over Oregon on Monday averaged nearly 33.4 million viewers on ESPN. The network said Tuesday that's up 31 percent from the almost 25.6 million for Florida State's win over Auburn last year in the final title game of the BCS era.

The biggest audience for the four championships that had aired on ESPN was 27.3 million for the 2011 matchup between Auburn and Ore-

The 18.2 rating Monday was the second-highest for a title game, behind the massive 21.7 for the 2006 classic between Texas and Southern Cal

in the Rose Bowl. The two semifinals had already drawn more viewers than any of the four championships on ESPN, making for the largest audiences in cable TV history before Monday's game.

Ratings represent the percentage of homes with TVs tuned to a program.

SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

SPARETIME LADIES HIGH TEAM GAME: First National

YANKTON BOWL

SC 864 HIGH TEAM SERIES: First National SC 2487 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Eddie

Turner 232-208, Hiliary Barta 209, Judy Barta 200, Sarah Blackwell 192, Melinda HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Eddie

Turner 611, Hiliary Barta 552, Sue Murphy 522, Sharon Mernin 514 STANDINGS: Huether Seamless Gutters 4-0, First National SC 4-0, Vogt Cleaners 4-0, ASPS 3-1, Dam Girls 1-3,

Lewis & Clark Marina 0-4. Glass Cutters 0-4. First Daktoa 0-4 HIGHLIGHTS: Sharon Mernin 5-6-10; Ruth Drotzmann 5-6-10; Tona Larsen

CLASSIC

HIGH TEAM GAME: Kruse's Pro Shop 959 HIGH TEAM SERIES: Eisenbraun &

Associates 2665 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Ryan

Weverstad 279, Mike Grass 268, Kelly Mernin 268, JJ Peterson 257, Bruce Schild 257 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Chuck Turner 704. Rvan Weverstad 704. Terry

Norton 694, JJ Peterson 679, Bruce STANDINGS: Manitou 160, Eisenbraun & Associates 124.5, Janssen's Garbage Service 123, Barta Electric 111, Kruse's Pro Shop 110, The Varsity Pub 107, Plath Chiropractic 94, Smidt Captain & Crew 87, Rotten Apples 84, Coke Zero

NOTE: Manitou wins second quarter. INDUSTRIAL HIGH TEAM GAME: Yankton Redi-

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Yankton Redi-Mix 2533

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Frank Osborn Jr. 299, Don Casey 267, Brad Hansen 257, Ryan Annis 257, Mike Doo-

ley 256 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Frank Osborn Jr. 747, Kenny Tomek 702, Don Casey 696, Jerry Peterson 689, Robin

STANDINGS: Wholesale Supply 143, Patriot Express 141.5, Kellen's Carts & Service 135.5, Yankton Redi-Mix 130.5, Checker's Bar 106.5, H&K Oil #2 97.5, H&K Oil 90, Don's Auto 88, Carey's Bar 85.5, KPI Bowl Dogs 62

NOTE: Wholesale Supply wins sec

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED HIGH TEAM GAME: TCB 524 HIGH TEAM SERIES: RTBN 1353 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Kelly Mernin 279 (errorless), Todd Moody 257 (errorless), Ryan Weverstad 246 (errorless), Sharon Mernin 206 (errorless), Cindy Somer 198, Lonnie Remington 197 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Todd Moody 710, Kelly Mernin 687, Ryan Weverstad 601, Annabelle Moody 523, Sharon Mernin 522, Lonnie Remington

STANDINGS: TCB 10-2, RTBN 10-2 Gutter Mates 9-3 Misfits 8-4 2 Broke Girls 8-4, Country Bumpkins 7-5, Hol Rollers 6-6, Ten Pins 6-6, Alley Kats 5-5, 5-Pinners 6-6, Yogi & BooBoo 5-7, Changing Lanes 5-7. Split Ends 4-8. Vikes 4-8, Split Happens 2-10, Between the Lines 0-8; INC — Cali Girls, S&L Date

HIGHLIGHTS: Syd Zurcher - errorless 208, 2-7, 5-6-10; Todd Moody - er rodes 238, 215; Audrey Misar 4-7-8; Elmer Misar 5-8-10, 3-10; Lonnie Remington 2-7; Ashley Zurcher 3-10; Steve ington 2-7; Asniey Zurcher 3-10, Steve Obr 4-7-10; Crystal Honner 5-10; Jordan SATURDAY NIGHT MIXED

HIGH TEAM GAME: Splitz Happen

HIGH TEAM SERIES: XXX-Rated 2875 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Jim Murphy 278 (errorless), Ryan Barta 278 (errorless), Todd Kautz 263, Judy Barta 226, Melissa Svanda 196, Amber Mueller 187

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Jim Murphy 731, Ryan Barta 725, Todd Kautz
720, Melissa Svanda 560, Judy Barta
541, Lynette Bolle 532
STANDINGS: Bowlers Under The Instring 10, David Jensen, Mobridge-Pol-

Conner Teel scored 24 points for the Mustangs

Mt. Vernon-Plankinton 66,

Canton 60MOUNT VERNON — With five athletes in double figures, Mount Vernon-Plankinton downed

Canton 66-60 Tuesday night.
Cody Renken led MVP with 16 points. Hayden
Schmidt netted 13 points, and Devin Rihanek to-

taled 12. Tate Deinert added 11 points and seven rebounds, and Bobby Beach Pattison had 10

For Canton Anders Peterson cashed 19 points and snatched eight rebounds. Spencer Osborne totaled 13 points. Ian Vlk added 11, and Jake Pe-

terson scored 10 points.
On Thursday, MVP hosts Tri-Valley, and Can-

CANTON (0-7)......15 31 45 60 MT. VERNON-PLANKINTON (5-3).......18 34 45 66

SIOUX FALLS — Deng Geu scored 20 points

points and eight rebounds.

ton hits the road for West Sioux.

Washington 46,

O'Gorman 30

......16 29 39 587 23 37 53

Boys

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TEA AREA (4-6)..

fluence 42-14, Splitz Happen 36-20, XXX-Rated 36-20, Turkey Hunters 36-20, Ups & Downs 34-22, Titans 31-25, 4 Friends 30-26, Fearsome 4 Some 30-26, Vi Team 30-26, Thor's Sharp Shooters 28-28, SOS 27-29, Ben's Bowling Crew 26-30, Who's Carrying Who 24-32, THEM 16-40, Beer 4 Breakfast 10-46, 3

Crushers. Hazzards, Hammered, Krazy HIGHLIGHTS: Todd Kautz - errorless 258, Jeremiah Kohler - errorless 258; Frank Osborn Sr. - errorless 213; Nathan Mueller - errorless 223; Jim Murphy - er-rorless 250; Mike Barta - errorless 235; Sam Sully - errorless 227; Mike Sudbeck 2-7; Chris Thorkildsen 4-5; Amber Mueller 5-7; Susan Murphy 5-6; Jim Murphy 2-4-10: Jessica Underwood 5-7: J.J. Peterson 3-6-7-10: Mike Townsend 4-5 Raymond S. Houfek 3-10; Ray W. Houfek 3-10; Sandy Pederson 3-5-9-10

Fingers Deep 10-46; INC - Plath Bone

CROFTON, NEB.

MEN'S COMMERCIAL HIGH TEAM GAME: Leader Angus

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Leader Angus 2535 HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME: Aaron

Kuehler 256, Rob Wiebelhaus 244, Mike Johnson 234 HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES: Aaron Kuehler 659, Mike Zimmerman 648, Steve Honeywell 615

A STANDINGS: Bud Light 43-17, Leader Angus 42.5-17.5, Wiebelhaus Rec 30-30, Coors Light 25-35 B STANDINGS: Crofton Elevator 29-DSM Apts. 28-32, Service Master 5-34 5 Markel Insulation 17-43

game avg.; Mike Zimmerman - 150 over

WRESTLING

TUESDAY'S S.D. SCORES **Elk Point-Jefferson Quadrangular** Elk Point-Jefferson 69, Tri-Valley 6 Elk Point-Jefferson 45, West Central

Tri Valley 42, Dakota Valley 33 West Central 45, Dakota Valley 31 Tea Area Quadrangular Beresford 45, Lennox 36 Beresford 54, Tea Area 16 Canton 74, Tea Area 0

CLASS A RATINGS

TEAM: Aberdeen Central 166, Rapid City Central 149, Pierre 148, Sioux Falls Roosevelt 145, Spearfish 108, Rapid City Stevens 94, Vermillion 93, Sturgis 91, Brookings 86, Washington 66, Mitchell

DYNAMITE DOZEN: 1, Brett Bye, Vermillion; 2, Regan Bye, Vermillion; 3, John Frisco, Aberdeen Central; 4, Jebben Keyes, Pierre; 5, Tyler Waterson, Spearfish; 6, Kahlen Morris, Roosevelt; 7, Kasey Klapprodt, Stevens; 8, Martin Mueller, R.C. Central; 9, Grant Rosheim, Washington; 10, Tanner Brengle, Sturgis; 11, Hayden Hansen, R.C. Central; 12,

AREA RATED WRESTLERS 113: 9, Cody Vornhagen, Yankton 120: 3, Trey Hage, Vermillion; 9, Bashir Abd-Al-Kreem

126: 3, Spencer Huber, Yankton; 10, e Seibel, Vermillion 145: 5, Carter Kratz, Vermillion 152: 7, Brady Dam, Dakota Valley

160: 1. Regan Bye, Vemrillion

170: 1, Brett Bye, Vermilion 182: 7, Brandon Hertz, Vermillion

CLASS B RATINGS TEAM: Parkston 156, Canton 141,

Howard 90, Burke-Gregory 76, Stanley County 75, Hot Springs 74, Philip Area 67, Elk Point-Jefferson 62, McCook Central-Montrose 54, Potter County 53, Web-DYNAMITE DOZEN: 1, Luke Loudenburg, Howard; 2, Nolan Richie, Webster; 3, Duncan Stoebner, Bon Homme-Scotland; 4, Blake Bietz, Parkston; 4, Bailey Neises, Howard; 6, Dan Stibral, Bon Homme-Scotland; 7, Lukas Forsling, Elk Point-Jefferson; 8, Dakota Galt, Beresford; 9, Wes Dvorak, Park-

lock; 11, Trevor Lensing, Wagner; 12, nel Scott, Stanley County
AREA RATED WRESTLERS

106: 5, Kaleb Crownover, Bon Homme-Scotland; 11, Colton Frei, Wag-113: 2. Chase Anderson, Parker;

Ben Soukup, Wagner; 6, Jackson Nockels. Kimball-White Lake-Platte-Geddes: 10, Hunter Borah, Beresford; 11, Trevor ne, Alcester-Hudson 120: 1, Duncan Stoebner, Bon

Homme-Scotland; 2, Logan Mahoney, Parkston; 7, Dylan Colt, Elk point-Jefferson: 9. Kolton Kribell, Beresford 126: 1, Dakota Galt, Beresford 132: 4, Kyler Holzbauer, Parkston; 6

Ty Haneke, Beresford; 7, Alex Caba, Bon mme-Scotland 138: 3. Kyle Fowler, Elk Point-Jeffer-

145: 1. Blake Bietz. Parkston: 5. Jared Hueser, Elk Point-Jefferson; 6, Jared Lyle, Beresford; 10, Zach Rucktaeschel, Andes Central
152: 2, Nick Casperson, Beresfird; 8,

Luke Beitz, Parkston 160: 6. Austin Ripp. Parkston: 8. Trent Lyle, Beresford; 12, Colin Walth, Alcester-Hudson 170: 1, Wes Dvorak, Parkston

182: 1, Trevor Lensing, Wagner; 6, Dillon Stadlman, Parkston; 7, Kole Nordquist. Beresford 195: 1, Lukas Forsling, Elk Point-Jef-ferson; 3, Miles Semmler, Parkston; 4, Turner Blasius, Kimball-White Lake-

Platte-Geddes 220: 3. Austin Bertram, Parkston: 4. Tristan Lutter, Beresford; 8, Kreg Kep-plinger, Bon Homme-Scotland; 9, Andrew Teply. Elk Point-Jefferson 285: 1. Dan Stibral, Bon Homme

Scotland; 3, Payton Jensen, Parker; 4, Tre'zen Doren, Andes Central; 6, Truman Ashes, Wagner; 10, Connor Hoy, Beres-

BASKETBALL

TUESDAY'S S.D. BOYS Aberdeen Central 54, Huron 52 Aberdeen Roncalli 66, Tiospa Zina

Castlewood 51, Colman-Egan 49 Clark/Willow Lake 68, Deubrook 40 Dell Rapids 69, Sioux Falls Christian

Gregory 72, Wagner 58 Highmore-Harrold 63, Faulkton 44 Hitchcock-Tulare 67, Ipswich 32 Irene-Wakonda 65, Alcester-Hudson

Lemmon 45, Bowman County, N.D. 43

Lennox 58, Elk Point-Jefferson 34 Little Wound 73, Red Cloud 68 Milbank Area 52, Britton-Hecla 48 Parker 82, Dell Rapids St. Mary 53 Rapid City Central 57, Pierre 51 Sanborn Central/Woonsocket 64 mball/White Lake 48 Sioux Falls Lincoln 59, Yankton 43

Sioux Falls Washington 46, Sioux Falls O'Gorman 30 Sioux Valley 76, Hamlin 71 Spearfish 70, Belle Fourche 44 Tea Area 58, Tri-Valley 53 Vermillion 65, Bon Homme 34 Watertown 47. Brandon Valley 46

Waverly-South Shore 63, Lake Pre-Wolsey-Wessington 71, Iroquois 15

TUESDAY'S S.D. GIRLS

Aberdeen Roncalli 44, Tiospa Zina Brookings 46, Harrisburg 44 Burke/South Central 54, North Cen- Lutheran 36

tral, Neb. 32

Chester 57. Canistota 26 Estelline 50, Great Plains Lutheran Huron 65. Aberdeen Central 62

Ipswich 49, Hitchcock-Tulare 25 Jones County 63, Colome 32 Langford 54, Eureka/Bowdle 44 Lead-Deadwood 44, Douglas 41 McCook Central/Montrose 56, Har Milbank 54, Britton-Hecla 35

Mt. Vernon/Plankinton 61, Canton 29

Mitchell 48. Watertown 44

.....10 18 22 3011 23 39 46

Northwestern 49. Sisseton 47

Pierre 64, Rapid City Central 47 Kearney 38, Fremont 34

19 33 47 61 Monday

Creighton 61, Wausa 42
WAUSA, Neb. — Reid Liska scored 15 points on 6-of-6 shooting as Creighton rolled past Wausa 61-42 in boys' basketball action from Monday in

Beau Schindler added 11 points and five rebounds, while Brandon Borgmann scored 10 points for Creighton (5-4).

No stats were reported for the Vikings (4-8).

R.C. Central 57, Pierre 51 RAPID CITY — Ryan Clemmons scored 13 points and grabbed 10 rebounds as Rapid City

and Sioux Falls Washington held Sioux Falls O'-

Gorman to 19 percent shooting after halftime to

Cole Benson added 19 points and 10 re-bounds for the Warriors (8-1), who led 23-18 at halftime. Matt Farniok chipped in with six points off

(6-2), while J.P. Costello had six points and Braxton Elliott scored four points.

Jack Peery scored eight points for the Knights

capture a 46-30 win Tuesday night.

S.F. O'GORMAN (6-2) S.F. WASHINGTON (8-1)...

Central beat Pierre 57-51 on Tuesday in Rapid City.
Tanner Sumption added 11 points and Tucker

Berg added 10 points. In the loss for the Governors, Brevin Kaiser scored 20 points and hauled in 12 rebounds, while Nick Rabern and Erin Severyn both added nine points.

Pierre visits Yankton on Friday night.

PIERRE16 27 32 51 RAPID CITY CENTRAL12 30 45 57

Andrew King totaled 13 points and had seven assists. Tanner Lemme added nine points, and Wyatt Forbes scored 10 points for the win.

Arlington 61, Deuel 42
ARLINGTON — Arlington took down Deuel 61-42 in Arlington Tuesday night.
Kyle Stageman netted 14 points for Arlington.

For Deuel Lance Eide cashed 16 points.
Friday, Arlington hosts Lake Preston, and Deuel hits the road for Aberdeen Roncalli. ...10 19 34 42

ARLINGTON (5-1)

CREIGHTON (5-4).....12 22 31 42

Niobrara-Verdigre 61. Ewing 31

EWING, Neb. — The boys from Niobrara-Verdigre came away with a road victory after de-feating the boys from Ewing with a final score of 61-31.

Jacob Johnson scored 22 points and Steven LaPointe had 11 points, seven rebounds, four assists and six steals for Niobrara-Verdigre. Trenton Guenther added 10 points and five assists in the

Ewing was led by seniors Brenden Napier and Bryce Anderson who had 10 points and six rebounds and seven points and two rebounds re-spectively. Junior Lars Laenen recorded six rebounds for the home team.

Tuesday night will see both teams on the road with Ewing facing off against Elkorn Valley and Niobrara-Verdigre taking on Wynot. NIOBRARA-VERDIGRE (5-6).....

"I still think top to bottom,

we have some work to do in our conference. But it's mov-

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AREA CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 14
BASKETBALL, MEN'S North Dakota State at D (7 p.m., KVHT-FM, MidcoSN); Dakota Wesleyan MMC (8 p.m., KYNT-AM) BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S Dakota Weslevan at

at USD (7 p.m., KVHT-FM, MidcoSN) **BASKETBALL, BOYS'** Bloomfield at Bon Homme; Centerville at Beresford; Hartington-New-castle at Homer; Lennox at Vermillion (8 p.m., KVTK-AM); Platte-Geddes at Andes Central; Santee at Allen; Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-Volin; Wagner at

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Avon at Scotland at Marion: Hartington-Newcastle at Homer: Lennox at Vermillion (6:30 p.m., KVTK-AM); Maple Valley-Anthon-Oto at Dakota Valley; Parker at Hanson; Platte-Geddes at Andes Central; Santee at Allen; Viborg-Hurley at Gayville-Volin; Wagner at Parkston

Kearney Catholic 69. Lexington 35

Lincoln Christian 58. Boys Town 27

Malcolm 52, Fillmore Central 19

Neligh-Oakdale 33, Osmond 30

Nebraska Christian 36, Osceola 22

North Platte St. Patrick's 44, Mullen

Oakland-Craig 53, Humphrey/Lind-

Omaha Skutt Catholic 60, Omaha

Platteview 47. Ashland-Greenwood

Shelby/Rising City 48, Centennial 19 Silver Lake 57, Loomis 42

St. Thomas More, S.D. 75, Chadron

Tekamah-Herman 50, Archbishop

Wayne 39, Laurel-Concord/Co-

West Point-Beemer 57, Battle Creek

Winner, S.D. 53, Valentine 17

Winside 49, Santee 34 Wood River 45, Broken Bow 37

Wynot 59, Niobrara/Verdigre 34
York 46, Grand Island Central

Yutan 76, Douglas County West 32

The top 25 teams in the USA Today

USA TODAY WOMEN'S TOP 25

women's college basketball poll, with

first-place votes in parentheses, records

through Jan. 12, points based on 25

say Holy Family 38 Omaha Central 63, Millard West 45

Ord 59, West Holt 30

Ponca 49, Wakefield 40

Red Cloud 42, Franklin 16

Sandy Creek 49, Deshler 43

St. Paul 29, Central City 25

Stanton 54. Plainview 36

Superior 53, Heartland 28

Stuart 56, CWC 39

Roncalli 40

30

Bergan 19

leridge 33

Catholic 27

43

Kimball 53. Potter-Dix 29

Minden 61, Ravenna 32

Madison 59, Logan View 54

773

580 510 10 13 6

473 11

406

333

138

points for a first-place vote through one

point for a 25th-place vote and previous

14-2 635

15-2 625

15-3 470

15-2 294

15-1 283

18-1

12-4 133

17-0 109

11-5

Others receiving votes: Northwest

ern 35, Washington 27, George Washing-

ton 26, West Virginia 23, James Madison 21, DePaul 20, Western Kentucky 16, St.

FOOTBALL

The Top 25 teams in The Associated

ASSOCIATED PRESS TOP 25

Press college football poll, with first-place

votes in parentheses, final records, total

points based on 25 points for a first-place

vote through one point for a 25th-place

Record Pts Pv

13-2 1,402

vote, and previous ranking:

1. Ohio St. (59)

1. South Carolina (27)16-0

2. UConn (5)

Baylor

Texas

7. Notre Dame

8. Maryland 9. Oregon State 10. North Carolina

Kentucky
 Texas A&M

3. Stanford

Georgia

7. Arizona State

19 Florida State

18. Mississippi State

Oklahoma State

Miami 1, Green Bay 1.

4 Duke

21. lowa

22. Rutgers

23. Princetor

GYMNASTICS, PREP Wagner-Bon Homme at

Catholic at Creighton; Ponca vs. Wakefield-Allen at Wakefield (7 p.m.) Friday, January 16 BASKETBALL, BOYS' Pierre at YHS (7 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); Allen at Whiting; Bloomfield at Plainview; Dakota Valley at Wayne; Dell Rapids at Beresford; Elkhorn Valley vs. Niobrara-Verdigre at Niobrara; Ethan at Canistota-Marion; Hanson at Parker; Laurel-Concord-Coleridge at Creighton;

BASKETBALL, BOYS' SOPH Pierre at YHS

WRESTLING, PREP Sioux Valley Quad (Alcester-Hudson, 5 p.m.); Hartington Cedar Catholic/West Holt vs. Crofton-Bloomfield at Crofton; Norfolk

Menno vs. Bridgewater-Emery at Bridgewater; Osmond at Hartington-Newcastle; Pierce at Hartingtor Cedar Catholic; Ponca at Elk Point-Jefferson; Randolph at Wausa; Scotland at Andes Central; Tripp-Del nt-Armour at Platte-Geddes; Wynot at Winnebago BASKETBALL, BOYS' JV Pierre at YHS (4

Alabama

7. Baylor

9. Georgia 10. UCLA

5 Florida St

5. Michigan St.

8. Georgia Tech

12. Arizona St.

13. Wisconsin

17. Mississippi

18. Kansas St.

20. Southern Cal

19. Arizona

22. Auburn

23. Marshall

24. Louisville

25. Memphis

14. Missouri

BASKETBALL, BOYS' 9TH Pierre at YHS (4

BASKETBALL, GIRLS' Pierre at YHS (5:30 p.m., KYNT-AM, KVHT-FM); Allen at Whiting; Avon vs. Irene-Wakonda at Wakonda; Bloomfield at Plainview; Centerville at Flandreau Indian; Dakota Chrisrel-Cocnord-Coleridge at Creighton; Osmond at Hartington-Newcastle: Pierce at Hartington Cedar Catholic: Ponca at Elk Point-Jefferson: Randolph at Wausa; Scotland at Andes Central; Tripp-Delmont-Ar-mour at Platte-Geddes; Wynot at Winnebago BASKETBALL, GIRLS' JV Pierre at YHS (4

BOWLING, CLUB HS Yankton at S.F. Lincoln:

Rapids vs. Vermillion at Taliktori 3WIMMING & DIVING, COLLEGE USD at West-

TRACK & FIELD. COLLEGE INDOOR Holiday

nvitational at Lincoln (USD)
WRESTLING, PREP YHS/Brandon Valley at Ab-

Program.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE —
Suspended LHP Enrique Garcia 50 games following a second positive test for a drug of abuse in violation of the Minor League Drug Prevention and Treatment

American League BOSTON RED SOX — Promoted Raquel Ferreira to vice president of base-ball administration, Amiel Sawdaye to vice president of amateur and international scouting. Mark Wasinger to special assistant for player personnel, Mike Murov to assistant director of major league operations, Brian Abraham to as sistant director of player development, Mike Rikard to director of amateur scouting, Steve Sanders to assistant director of amateur scouting and Dave Klipstein to special assignment scout. Named Paul Fryer global crosschecker, Joe McDonald 28, Stanford 27, Nebraska 22, Air Force 21, Duke 18, LSU 12, Utah St. 11, baseball operations analyst, Adrian Lorenzo major league staff assistant, Dr. Richard Ginsburg director of the behav-ioral health program, Jason Bartley phys ical therapist and clincical educator, Nancy Clark team nutritionist, Todd Gold amateur scout for North and South Carolina, Stephen Hargett amateur scout for northern Florida, Josh Labandeira amateur scout for northern California, Justin Horowitz assistant amateur and international scout. Gus Quattlebaum assistant director of professional and international scouting, Brian Bannister professional scout and analyst, Francisco Polanco area scout for the Dominican Republic, Lenin Rodriguez area scout in Venezuela and Bob Tewksbury, Laz Gutierrez and Justin Su'a mental skills coaches.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Agreed to terms with manager Ned Yost on a

one-vear contract extension through the

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led the way with 14 points, while Hannah

Yoder had 13 points. Next action for Marion will be a home game with Freeman on Thursday, Freeman Academy will play host to Dakota Christian on Friday.

DEMY (4-3) MARION (2-4).. Creighton 49,

Clearwater-Orchard 38

CREIGHTON, Neb. — Creighton edged out Clearwater-Orchard 49-38 Tuesday night in Creighton. Emily Sorensen led Creighton with 12 points. Both Jessica Gragert and Sarah

Erb totaled nine points. No stats were given for Clearwater-Creighton travels to Laurel-Concord-Coleridge Friday, and Clearwater-Or-

chard hosts Humphrey-Holy Family the same day. ORCHARD-CLEARWATER (3-8)23 23 28 38 CREIGHTON (9-2)......24 24 36 49

Wagner 67, Gregory 35
WAGNER — With four girls in double figures, Wagner beat Gregory 67-35 Tuesday night in Gregory.

Kristan Soukup totaled 15 points for Wagner. Ali Kuca added 14. Bethany Sully netter 13 points, and Emily Brunsing

scored 12. For Gregory Hannah Juracek scored eight points. Wagner hits the road for Parkston

Thursday, and Gregory hosts Marty Indian Saturday.6 16 24 3522 40 52 67 GREGORY (1-7). WAGNER (5-3)...

Wayne 39, **Laurel-Concord-Col. 33**LAUREL, Neb. — Wayne edged out Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 39-33 Tuesday

night in Laurel. No stats were provided for Wayne. For Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Audra Corbit totaled 17 points and grabbed eight rebounds, and Ellie Arduser put up nine point and nine rebounds. Saturday, Wayne hits the road for Nor-

folk Catholic, and Laurel-Concord-Coleridge travels to Creighton.

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LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE (3-9).9 14 22 33

McCook Central-Mont. 56, Hanson 45 SALEM — Morgan Koepsell scored 22 points and 14 rebounds as McCook Central-Montrose handed Hanson a 56-45 loss on Tuesday in

Rachael Laetsch added 15 points and 10 assists for the Fighting Cougars (7-0), while Brianna Painter had nine points.

In the loss for Hanson (8-2) Katlyn Schroeder scored 17 points and Hailey Doyle added 10 points. HANSON (8-2)

MCCOOK CENTRAL-MONTROSE (7-0)11 27 37 56 Mt. Vernon-Plankinton 61, Canton 29

MOUNT VERNON — Mount Vernon-Plankinton took down Canton 61-29 led by Megan Bultsma with 20 points Tuesday night in Mt. Ver-

Payleen O'Day had eight assists. For Canton (1-6), Kacee Gaughebangh to-taled nine points, and Haile McMains grabbed seven rebounds. Mount Vernon-Plankinton plays Tri-Valley in the Hanson Classic on Saturday, and Canton heads to West Sioux Thursday.

(7-2). Makaela Karst put up 14 points, and

Bultsma also snatched 12 rebounds for MVP

CANTON (1-6)4 12 18 29 MT. VERNON-PLANKINTON (7-2)17 31 48 61

SC-W 69, K-WL 33

WOONSOCKET — Sanborn CentralWoonsocket defeated the Kimaball/White Lake Wildkats by a score of 69-33 on Tuesday night in Woonsocket.

Myah Selland scored 23 points, and Morgan For Kimball-White Lake, Whitney Hinker scored a game-high 12 points, and Nikki Reuland

added seven points.

The Blackhawks will take on Iroquois in the opening round of the 281 conference tournament on Friday. Kimball-White Lake will have a road

Chester 57, Canistota 26

CANISTOTA — Sara Heyn scored 14 points to guide Chester Area past Canistota 57-26 on Jenna Reiff added 11 points for the Flyers, who led 23-12 at halftime.
Sadie Anderson scored 14 points and grabbed

seven rebounds for the C-Hawks (1-7), while Kalli CANISTOTA (1-7)

Sioux Valley 76, Hamlin 71 VOLGA — Kaylee Granum scored 29 points Tuesday night in Sioux Valley's 76-71 win over

Hamlin at Sioux Valley.

Carley Peterson netted 21 points for Sioux Valley. Jessica Pepperman added nine, and Kim Reeter had five blocks. For Hamlin Lexy Wadsworth cashed 18 points and snatched 11 rebounds. Molly Koist also totaled

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18 points, and Kennedy Noem scored 13 points.

SIOUX VALLÉY (8-0)...

Huron 65,

Aberdeen Central 62 HURON — Sarah Carr scored 29 points to help lead Huron past Aberdeen Central 65-62 on

(2-7), who overcame 23 turnovers. Brianna Kusler recorded 18 points and 10 rebounds for the Golden Eagles (4-3), while Paiton

Pierre 64, R.C. Central 47
PIERRE — Pierre picked up their seventh win of the season with a 64-47 victory over Rapid City

Hallie Jerome scored 15 points to lead the Lady Govs, and Nikky Farnsworth added 13

seven points.
Pierre will travel to Yankton on Friday night for a matchup with the Gazelles, while Rapid City Central will host Sturgis on Thursday.

RAPID CITY CENTRAL (4-3)6 16 32 4720 35 53 64

Centerville 55, Scotland 42
CENTERVILLE — Shannon O'Malley scored a game-high 22 points as Centerville beat Scotland 55-42 on Monday night in Centerville.

Valerie Sunderland added 11 points and seven rebounds for the Tornadoes (6-2), while Emily Sny-der scored nine points and Kristina Laska grabbed

For Scotland (3-4), Carley Skorepa recorded 15 points and 10 rebounds, Alex Conrad scored 12 points, and Hannah Mogck posted five points Scotland hosts Avon on Thursday.



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consin because I just thought it legitimizes everything that these guys did. You've been told you've been bad for so long, at times the psychologist part of it takes over. You start believing you're not very good, and that's not true at all," Meyer said. The next sign post for the

signing day, which is only three weeks away. Ohio State and Penn State are poised to bring in Top 10 classes. Wisconsin and Michigan State are in position for

the kind of quality classes

league will be on national

that have made them consistent winners in recent years. Michigan is playing catch

up because of the uncertainty that marked the end of Brady Hoke's tenure though, and the rest of the league trails many of the the southern and West Coast schools.

But after years of ridicule, the Big Ten can boast of a national champion and bunch of other teams heading in the right direction.

ing," Meyer said.

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> Sioux Valley hits the road for McCook Central-Montrose Thurday, and Hamlin hosts Sisseton Fri-

> > Tuesday in Huron.
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> > Jazmin Newton added 15 points for the Tigers

Burckhard had 18 points.

points. Jory Mullen scored 12 points in the win. For Rapid City Central, Abby Johnson scored a team-high 15 points, and Maddison Sullivan had

Monday

10 rebounds to go along with five assists and five

SCOTLAND (3-4)..... CENTERVILLE (6-2).