

Johnson & Wales Men Hold Off MMC

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Mount Marty's James Elliot goes flying after being tackled by Johnson & Wales' Zach Peterschmidt during their men's soccer match on Sunday.

The Mount Marty Lancers found the Johnson and Wales University Wildcats to be less than gracious visitors Sunday afternoon.

The non-conference Wildcats came out pushing and shoving, only to find the Lancers were willing to push back, but Johnson and Wales were able to parlay the physical style of play into a 2-1 victory at Easton Field.

"Overall, I was pretty pleased with the energy and effort; I saw the toughness," Mount Marty head coach Nathan Epp said of a game that saw six yellow cards. "I thought that's been missing a little bit at times this year."

"We've been trying to get them to play scrappy because I've known all along that we have it in us," Epp added.

The two teams took the pushing and shoving beyond play at the 22:53 mark, and three of the yellow cards were issued.

"When it starts getting like that, it gives us more energy," MMC senior Adan Garcia-Marquez said of the heated exchange that took place at midfield. "It makes the game more fun and makes us play harder."

It was the Wildcats who were the first to push the scoreboard.

Zach Peterschmidt used his head to rebound a shot past Lancer goalkeeper Humberto Estrada to give the Wildcats a 1-0 lead just 6:41 into the game.

Johnson and Wales scored again near the end of the half as Kyle Breckenfelder drove a low liner past a diving Estrada to

give the Wildcats a 2-0 lead with 1:49 to play in the first half.

Estrada had to fight to keep the Wildcats close.

The junior from Salt Lake City stopped a series of up-close-personal shots while on the ground to keep the Wildcats from incurring extra damage with 35:12 to play.

Thirteen minutes later, Estrada stoned a point-blank shot from Jesus Mojardin.

The Lancers finally cracked the scoreboard with 13:44 left to play.

Garcia-Marquez scored with an assist from Genaro Bustillos to pull the Lancers to within 2-1.

"I was expecting the ball and I saw where the mark was," Garcia-Marquez said. "I saw the hole and just put it in."

Bustillos had a chance to pull the Lancers with a penalty kick at the 83:40 mark, but his solid strike was deflected by Wildcat goalkeeper Trevor Shepherd.

Shepherd was only tested twice by the Lancers Sunday.

"I liked the way we were attacking," Epp said. "Anytime we got it to the final third, it was like we just stopped and couldn't create the shots."

Estrada in turn faced six shots on goal.

Senior Oscar Martinez-Mojica replaced Estrada in goal for the final 13 minutes and made a springing effort to stop a Johnson & Wales free kick.

The Lancer men get back to Great Plains Athletic Conference action Saturday against 2nd-place Midland University.

Jackrabbits Rally Past Missouri State 32-28

BROOKINGS (AP) — Zac Lujan threw three touchdown passes to Jake Wieneke as South Dakota State rallied to beat Missouri State 32-28 Saturday night.

Lujan finished with 17-of-28 passing for 310 yards for the Jackrabbits (4-2, 1-1 Missouri Valley Football Conference), despite being sacked five times. Zach Zenner ran for 149 yards and a score on 27 carries. Wieneke had eight receptions for 183 yards. Jason Schneider had seven catches for 105 yards.

Lujan threw 78- and 10-yard touchdown passes to Wieneke in the second quarter. But Missouri State's Kierra Harris and Calan Crowder combined for four rushing touchdowns in the first half to give the Bears (3-3, 0-2) a 28-17 lead at halftime.

After a scoreless third quarter, Lujan and Wieneke connected again for a 26-yard touchdown early in the fourth and Zenner ran it in for another score to put the Jackrabbits on top, 32-28.

"Zach has trained so hard. There's not a lot of people can take those hits," SDSU coach John Stiegelmeier said. "I'm glad he's on our team."

SDSU trailed 28-10 with 3:56 left in the second quarter. It got within 28-17 at the half, and the Jackrabbits' defense limited Missouri State to just 80 yards in the second half and shut down the Bears when they threatened to score late in the game.

The Bears (3-2, 0-1) owned the first half. Harris ran for 72 yards and was 12-for-25 for 113 yards passing. He was intercepted once.

Crowder first scored on a 3-yard run with 30 seconds left in the first quarter, then added a 2-yard run with 3:56 left in the half. The last score was set up by Jerry Springer's interception of a Tyler Finnes pass deep in SDSU territory.

Finnes briefly replaced Lujan at quarterback in the first half.

"We felt the game was moving a little too fast for him. We just wanted him to calm down," Stiegelmeier said. "Zach and the team rallied."

Lujan and Wieneke kept the Jackrabbits close as they teamed up for two first-half scores and connected again midway through the fourth quarter. Wieneke broke past the defense and Lujan floated a 28-yard TD pass into his arms to make it 28-23. Lujan then hit Schneider for a two-point conversion.

On the Jackrabbits' next series, Zenner's 30-yard run down to the 10-yard line set up his own 1-yard run that gave SDSU a 32-28 lead with 7:55 left.

Missouri State drove down field to the South Dakota 31 late in the game but the drive ended with an incomplete pass on fourth down with less than a minute to play.

"I'm really proud of our program," Stiegelmeier said. "To go out and play from that deficit and win the game. I'm just really proud."

NORTH DAKOTA STATE 38, SOUTHERN ILLINOIS 10; FARGO, N.D. (AP) — Top-ranked, unbeaten North Dakota State broke away with three scores after halftime to defeat Southern Illinois 38-10 on Saturday, extending its Division I-best win streak to 30 games.

The FCS No. 1 Bison (6-0, 2-0 Missouri Valley Conference) never trailed, riding the arm of Carson Wentz for 174 yards and two TDs along with rushing touchdowns from John Crockett, Chase Morlock and Wentz.

Adam Keller kicked a 46-yard field goal late in the first quarter, and Wentz scored on a 13-yard run to build a 10-0 lead.

The Salukis (5-2, 2-1) came as close as 10-7

when MyCole Pruitt hauled in a 26-yard pass from Mark Iannotti. Pruitt, who came in with three straight 100-yard receiving games, was held to 55 on seven catches.

NDISU scored three times in the final 21 minutes, including a 75-yard pass from Wentz to Trevor Gebhart and a 48-yard run by Morlock.

ILLINOIS STATE 20, INDIANA STATE 18; TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) — Nick Aussieker kicked a 20-yard field goal with three seconds remaining, helping Illinois State survive a late rally by Indiana State for a 20-18 win on Saturday to stay unbeaten.

The Redbirds (5-0, 2-0 Missouri Valley) overcame a 6-0 halftime deficit and charged ahead with a 26-yard rushing touchdown by Marshaun Coprich and a 2-yard score by Bryce Holm to make it 17-6 with 9:45 remaining.

Indiana State (4-2, 1-1) stormed back as Matt Adam led two scoring drives, the first ending with an 18-yard connection to Gary Owens. Adam hit A.J. Johnson for a 37-yard strike to push ahead with 1:13 remaining. The Sycamores failed on two-point attempts after each of the touchdowns, keeping the score 18-17.

Illinois State rallied with a 7-play, 47-yard drive fueled by a 27-yard run by Coprich on third-and-10 to get into position for Aussieker's game-winner. Coprich finished with 21 carries for 126 yards.

WESTERN ILLINOIS 30, YOUNGSTOWN STATE 24; YOUNGSTOWN, Oh. (AP) — Trenton Norvell threw for 291 yards and four touchdown passes to lead Western Illinois to a 30-24 win over Youngstown State on Saturday night.

Jody Webb put Youngstown State up 17-14 at half with a 9-yard touchdown. But Western Illinois scored 16 unanswered. Joey Borsellino caught a touchdown from Norvell for 35 yards, then Norvell hit Hi-C Scott for a 3-yard score and Nathan Knuffman made a 23-yard field goal with 8:18 to play.

Webb's second touchdown brought Youngstown State within six with 6:08 remaining in the game. Western Illinois was forced to punt on its next possession, but the Penguins pinned Youngstown State at the 7 with 40 seconds remaining.

Lance Lenoir caught eight passes for 132 yards and two touchdowns for Western Illinois. Webb ran for 80 yards on eight carries.

Western Illinois (3-4, 1-2 Missouri Valley) ended a three-game skid, while Youngstown State (4-2, 1-1) had its four-game winning streak snapped.

MINNESOTA 24, NORTHWESTERN 17; MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Jalen Myrick returned a kickoff 100 yards in the fourth quarter to atone for a penalty on the previous drive and help Minnesota defeat Northwestern 24-17 on Saturday.

IOWA 45, INDIANA 28; IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — Jake Rudock threw for 210 yards and two touchdowns and Iowa rolled past Indiana 45-29 on Saturday for its third straight win.

Mark Weisman had a pair of short TD runs for the Hawkeyes (5-1, 2-0 Big Ten), who scored all but seven of their points in the first half.

IOWA STATE 37, TOLEDO 30; AMES, Iowa (AP) — Sam Richardson threw for a career-high 351 yards and three second-half touchdowns Saturday, rallying Iowa State to a 37-30 victory over Toledo.

NORTH DAKOTA 24, PORTLAND ST. 16; GRAND FORKS, N.D. (AP) — Give North Dakota quarterback Ryan Bartels a win and linebacker Dayo Idowu a save in UND's 24-16 Big Sky Conference win over Portland State on Saturday.

Bartels lit a fire under the stagnant UND offense, leading it to two second-half scores. He was 14 for 23 for 151 yards and a touchdown.

DRAKE 51, DAVIDSON 14; DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Andy Rice threw for three touchdowns and Corley Wilkins ran for three more as Drake scored 37 straight points in its 51-14 victory over Davidson on Saturday.

SIoux FALLS 23, AUGUSTANA 12; SIOUX FALLS — The University of Sioux Falls got a combined 347 yards and a score from quarterback Luke Pappilon as the Cougars hung on to in-town bragging rights with a 23-12 victory over Augustana in Northern Sun football action on Saturday.

Pappilon rushed for 130 yards and passed for 217 yards and a score for USF. Nephi Garcia rushed for 97 yards and a score, and Bradley Hatfield hit three field goals in the win.

Wagner native Solomon St. Pierre had eight tackles in the win.

C.J. Horn rushed for 61 yards and a score for Augustana.

WAYNE STATE 54, CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL 14; ST. PAUL, Minn. — Zach Osborn threw for 361 yards and three scores, and Lane Yates rushed for 121 yards and two scores as Wayne State routed Concordia-St. Paul 54-14 in Northern Sun football action on Saturday.

Cole McDaniel caught seven passes for 101 yards and two scores for Wayne State. Hartington, Nebraska, native Chad Koch rushed for 11 yards and caught a pass in the win.

DAKOTA WESLEYAN 27, DOANE 23; MITCHELL — Dakota Wesleyan scored 20 unanswered points to end the game, including two touchdowns 15 seconds apart with under four minutes to play, to claim a 27-23 victory over Doane in Great Plains Athletic Conference football action on Saturday.

Francis Barncard rushed for 175 yards and a touchdown, and Dillon Turner passed for 201 yards and two scores, and rushed for 84 yards and a score to lead DWU. Trevor Schroeder caught both touchdown passes, finishing with 105 yards on five catches.

Former Bon Homme standout Jared Van Winkle picked off two passes, including one to set up DWU's game-winning touchdown.

Brandon Stuart passed for 331 yards and three touchdowns for Doane, including four for 153 yards and a score to Alex Trevino. Nick Reed had three catches for 103 yards and a score in the effort.

DORDT 37, TRINITY BIBLE 20; ELLENDALE, N.D. — Dordt scored 37 unanswered points to beat Trinity Bible College 37-20, earning the Defenders their first victory of the season.

Tyvan Seaman rushed for 153 yards and two scores to lead Dordt.

J.T. Teixeira led the Defender defense with 2.5 sacks, three tackles for loss and a fumble recovery. Dordt forced five turnovers and recorded seven sacks in the game.

Trevor Taylor passed for 212 yards and two scores for Trinity Bible.

Lancers

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there, it gets a little tense," Kuehler said. "We've got a strong defense and a really good goalie so I knew we were going to hold them."

"Right at the end, we were worrying about just limiting their chances," True said. "We were just trying to slow it down and limit their chances."

"Our defense in the second half was the best it's been all season," Epp said of his Lancers' shutout effort. "Even with the wind, they had limited opportunities."

"I felt pretty confident with the way our defense was playing in the second half," Epp added. "We kept them on the outside third because our positioning was really great and they never really threatened."

The Lancers only had six shots on the day, but Kuehler's counted the most. "I had a good feeling

today; I felt like we were going to win," Kuehler said.

Mount Marty (3-10-1) gets a bit of a break before they return to Great Plains Athletic Conference action Saturday at Midland, who currently sits in the third-place spot in the conference.

"It's going to be tough but it'll be a good test for us," Epp said.

Bloomfield Downs Wildcats In Triple Overtime

BLOOMFIELD, Neb. — Bloomfield outlasted Hartington-Newcastle 54-48 in triple overtime in prep football action on Friday.

After each team scored touchdowns and made two-point conversions in each of the first two overtimes, Bloomfield got the stop on defense, then scored on Eric Abbenhaus' 6-yard pass to Cody Beckmann for the game-winner.

Bloomfield had sent the game into overtime with Quinn O'Brien's 2-yard touchdown run with 10 seconds left in regulation.

Beckmann also rushed for a 20-yard score and had a 71-yard kickoff return for Bloomfield. O'Brien scored on runs of 65, 64, two and one, and had a 6-yard touchdown pass to McGwire Mackeprang.

O'Brien finished with 200 yards rushing and 64 yards passing. Beckmann rushed for 85 yards.

For Hartington-Newcastle, Kolby Jueden rushed for two scores and passed for two scores. Ethan Morton rushed

for three touchdowns. Tanner Fischer and Chris Pavlik had touchdown catches for the Wildcats.

Devin Johnson had 14 tackles and Erica Abbenhaus had 13 tackles to lead the Bloomfield defense. O'Brien had 12 tackles and picked for three passes, and Devin Kirk had two tackles for loss in the win.

Bloomfield, 4-2, travels to Omaha Nation next. Hartington, 5-1, looks to bounce back at home against Plainview next.

HARTINGTON-NEW. (5-1).....0 14 0 6 — 20
BLOOMFIELD (4-2).....6 12 8 8 8 0 — 54

Creighton 40, Howells-Dodge 20
CREIGHTON, Neb. — The Creighton Bulldogs scored a season-low and gave up a season-high in points, but still cruised to a 40-20 victory over Howells-Dodge in a Class D1 showdown on Friday.

Colton Boelter threw for a touchdown, caught a touchdown pass and ran for a touchdown for Creighton. Reid Liska rushed for two scores, Beau Schindler caught a touchdown pass and Austin Diederichsen threw for a touchdown in the win.

Liska finished with 133 yards rushing. Boelter rushed for 90 yards and caught two passes for 23 yards in the victory.

Jesse Faltys rushed for 104 yards and two scores, completed two passes for 41 yards and caught three passes for 33 yards for Howells-Dodge. Tyler Polacek rushed for 70 yards and a

score, and passed for 87 yards. Liska and Boelter each picked off passes for the Creighton defense.

Seth Novak led the Howells-Dodge defense with eight tackles.

Creighton, 6-0, travels to Wakefield next. Howells-Dodge, 4-2, travels to Fullerton on Thursday.

HOWELLS-DODGE (4-2).....0 14 0 6 — 20
CREIGHTON (6-0).....16 8 16 0 — 40

Tea 63, Dakota Valley 12
TEA Area scored 47 first-half points on the way to a 63-12 victory over Dakota Valley in prep football action on Friday.

Zach Gors rushed for 160 yards and two scores, and caught a touchdown pass to lead Tea Area. Adam Heinen rushed for 109 yards and a score, and caught two passes for 40 yards. Payton Conrad was 6-6 passing for 116 yards and two scores, and added a rushing touchdown in the win.

Tanner Fridrich led the Tea Area defense with a 36-yard interception return for score. Dallas Gekertson had a team-best eight tackles.

Brady Dam rushed for 113 yards, including an 80-yard touchdown, for Dakota Valley. Jake Graves scored on a 75-yard touchdown run.

Defensively for the Panthers, Kole Radtke had 14 tackles and Jacob Kenney had 10 tackles to lead the way. Graves and Ryan Parker made nine stops each.

Tea Area, 4-2 and winners of three straight, travels to rival Lennox next. Dakota Valley takes on Beresford at home next.

DAKOTA VALLEY (1-6).....0 6 0 0 — 12
TEA AREA (4-2).....21 26 3 13 — 63

Garretson 68, Centerville 32
CENTERVILLE — Garretson took down Centerville 68-32 Friday night in Centerville.

For Garretson, Matt Johnson had 14 carries for 99 yards and three touchdowns. Shay Gibson had 10 carries for 81 yards. Ben Hanson had eight

carries for 72 yards and two touchdowns. Wyatt Fink brought down six tackles and three sacks.

For Centerville, Zach Elli had five catches for 92 yards and two touchdowns. Tyler Knutson had five carries for 52 yards and one touchdown. Rory O'Malley had 11 completed passes for 181 yards with two touchdown passes and a 17 yard touchdown run.

Friday, Garretson hosts Irene-Wakonda, and Centerville hits the road for Chester.

GARRETSON (5-1).....24 24 8 12 — 68
CENTERVILLE (1-5).....0 16 0 16 — 32

Randolph 76, Wausa 6
WAUSA, Neb. — Randolph scored 46 first-quarter points on the way to a 76-6 victory over Wausa in eight-man football action on Friday.

No statistics were reported for Randolph. John Burns rushed for 93 yards and caught six passes for a team-best 23 yards to lead Wausa offensively. Ryan Kumm scored on an 11-yard pass from Aiden Kleinschmitt for the Vikings' points.

John Rosberg led the Wausa defense with 10 tackles.

Randolph, 5-1, travels to Stuart next. Wausa travels to O'Neill St. Mary's next.

RANDOLPH (5-1).....46 16 8 7 — 76
WAUSA (0-6).....0 6 0 0 — 6

Gregory 60, Andes Cen. 6
GREGORY — Kurt Braun threw for three touchdowns and rushed for two more as Gregory downed Andes Central 60-6 in nine-man football action on Friday.

Braun finished with 134 yards passing and 79 yards rushing for the Gorillas. Jayd VanDerWerf rushed for two scores and returned a fumble for another touchdown in the win.

Leo Hopkins rushed for 50 yards and a score, and passed for 30 yards for Andes Central. He also led the defense with six tackles and an interception.

Gregory, 7-0, has a bye this week and finishes the regular season at Tripp-DeMont-Armour on Oct. 24. Andes Central, 2-4, hosts Gayville-Volin next.

ANDES CENTRAL (2-4).....0 6 6 — 6
GREGORY (7-0).....30 30 0 — 60

Volleyball

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Summit League action at South Dakota State on Friday.

High School

Gayville-Volin Tourn.

GAYVILLE — For the second straight weekend, Ponca crossed the border to beat Gayville-Volin in the championship of a volleyball tournament.

The Indians topped the Raiders 25-17, 25-16 for the championship of the Gayville-Volin Invitational on Saturday.

A week ago, Ponca topped the Raiders for the championship of the Tri-Volley Conference Tournament. Two of Gayville-Volin's setbacks have come at the hands of the Indians.

Kianna Krampar had 11 kills, five blocks and 15 digs to lead Ponca. Sadie Finnegan finished with 18 assists. Elizabeth Watchorn posted 10 digs and four ace serves. Hannah Albrecht had three blocks, Rachel Bentz had 14 digs, and Mackenzie Boyle and Sophie Krampar had 12 digs each in the win.

Kelia Barta led Gayville-Volin with seven kills and an ace serve. Megan Hirsch had four kills and Grace Dangel recorded eight assists for the Raiders.

Ponca faces Walthill, a team the Indians beat in pool play earlier in the tournament, and Hartington-Newcastle in a triangular at Walthill on Thursday. Gayville-Volin heads to Emery to take on Bridgewater-Emery on Tuesday.

THIRD, FREEMAN DEF. SCOTLAND 27-25, 25-18; VANESSA DOWDEN and Shelby Jensen each had four kills and five digs, and Ashley Glanzler had two blocks, five digs and three ace serves to lead a balanced Freeman attack.

Mady Pravecek posted 12 assists and seven ace serves for Freeman. Haley Glanzler added two ace serves in the win.

For Scotland, Jessica Thum had nine kills, seven digs and three ace serves to lead the way. Carley Skorepa had seven kills and 12 digs, Kayla Fischer had 11 assists and six digs, and Alex Conrad had seven assists and 10 digs for the Highlanders.

Freeman travels to Canistota on Tuesday. Scotland travels to Bon Homme on Tuesday.

POOL PLAY

GAYVILLE-VOLIN DEF. MARTY 25-7, 25-3; Genevieve Clark had 10 kills and three ace serves, and Kelia Barta had six kills and six digs

for Gayville-Volin. Grace Dangel had 16 assists and six ace serves, and Traia Hubbard had four kills in the win.

SCOTLAND DEF. MARTY INDIAN 25-4, 25-10; Carley Skorepa had six kills and five ace serves, and Katie Winkler had six ace serves to lead Scotland. Kayla Fischer had seven assists, Alex Conrad had five assists, and Jessica Thum and Morgan Lavaway had four kills each in the win.

GAYVILLE-VOLIN DEF. SCOTLAND 25-13, 25-21; Kelia Barta and Genevieve Clark had nine kills each for Gayville-Volin. Clark also had nine digs and three ace serves. Barta also had six digs and two ace serves.

Adison Bertrand had 12 assists and Grace Dangel added nine assists for the Raiders.

For Scotland, Carley Skorepa had eight kills and 16 digs, and Jessica Thum had six kills and 13 digs to lead the way. Kayla Fischer and Alex Conrad had seven assists each, and Elyssa Walloch added 10 digs for the Highlanders.

FREEMAN DEF. WALTHILL 25-8, 25-20; Vanessa Dowden had four kills and Mady Pravecek had two ace serves and 10 assists for Freeman.

PONCA DEF. WALTHILL 25-13, 25-6; Kianna Krampar had four kills and 16 digs, and Elizabeth Watchorn had four kills, 10 digs and three ace serves to lead Ponca. Sadie Finnegan posted 16 assists and four ace serves in the win.

PONCA DEF. FREEMAN 25-13, 25-8; Elizabeth Watchorn had five kills and three ace serves, and Hannah Albrecht and Kianna Krampar had four kills each to lead Ponca. Sadie Finnegan added 17 assists in the win.

For Freeman, Shelby Jensen had three kills, Lacey Wipf had six assists and Vanessa Dowden had two ace serves.

Wisner-Pilger Inv.

WISNER, Neb. — The Wynot Lady Blue Devils finished fourth and the Allen Eagles finished sixth in the Wisner-Pilger Tournament on Saturday. Each team went 1-2 on the day.

St. Paul beat Norfolk Catholic 25-20, 25-21 in the championship.

Wynot beat O'Neill 25-13, 23-25, 25-16 in the opening round, then dropped matches to Norfolk Catholic (25-20, 25-14) and host Wisner-Pilger (25-19, 25-20). No statistics were reported by presstime.

Wynot travels to Bloomfield on Tuesday. The Eagles cross into Iowa to face Whiting on Tuesday.

ST. PAUL DEF. ALLEN 25-7, 25-15; Gabby Sullivan had six kills and seven digs, and Lexi Oswald had nine assists for Allen. Rachel Kneif added six digs for the Eagles.

Allen DEF. NELIGH-OAKDALE 25-16, 25-12; Gabby Sullivan had 10 kills and Rachel Kneif had seven kills and three ace serves to lead Allen. Lexi Oswald added 14 assists in the win.

WEST POINT-BEEMER DEF. ALLEN 25-21, 25-16; Gabby Sullivan had 10 kills and Lex