

White Sox End Three-Game Slide

CHICAGO (AP) — A.J. Pierzynski hit a go-ahead, two-run double with two out in the eighth inning and the Chicago White Sox rallied to beat the Kansas City Royals 4-3 on Friday night.

Chicago stopped a three-game slide and pulled within five games of AL Central-leading Minnesota, which lost 2-0 at Cleveland.

J.J. Putz (7-5) pitched a scoreless eighth inning to get the win and rookie Chris Sale worked the ninth for his second save.

The White Sox rallied against Robinson Tejeda (3-4), taking advantage when Alexei Ramirez reached on a one-out error by shortstop Yuniesky Betancourt.

RAYS 9, BLUE JAYS 8: TORONTO (AP) — Evan Longoria scored the go-ahead run on a throwing error by shortstop Yunel Escobar in the ninth inning and Tampa Bay beat the Blue Jays after blowing a seven-run lead.

E.J. Upton and Ben Zobrist hit solo homers for the Rays, who won for just the second time in six games. Tampa Bay led 8-1 in the fourth before the Blue Jays rallied. Jose Bautista's second homer of the game, a two-run shot in the seventh, tied it at 6.

The Rays won it with an unearned run in the ninth against Toronto closer Kevin Gregg (1-5).

Joaquin Benoit (1-2) pitched 1 1-3 innings for the win and Rafael Soriano struck out the side in the ninth for his 42nd save in 44 chances.

ORIOLES 6, TIGERS 3: DETROIT (AP) — Matt Wieters hit a tiebreaking sacrifice fly in the eighth inning, atoning for an earlier error, and Baltimore beat the Tigers.

The game marked the reunion of Tigers starter Armando Galarraga and umpire Jim Joyce. It was the first time they had been involved in the same game since Joyce's missed call with two outs in the ninth cost Galarraga a perfect game on June 2.

Galarraga allowed three runs and four hits in seven innings. Any hope for another run at perfection ended quickly — Luke Scott hit a leadoff single in the second for Baltimore.

Phil Coke (7-5) took the loss. Miguel Cabrera hit his 34th homer and drove in three runs for the Tigers.

INDIANS 2, TWINS 0: CLEVELAND (AP) — Fausto Carmona pitched a three-hitter for his first shutout in more than two years, slowing Minnesota's September surge.

Carmona (12-14) had lost his last six decisions, falling 1-0 in a complete-game start against Seattle his last time out. The right-hander dominated the Twins, who just completed an 8-1 homestand and lost for only the second time in nine games this month.

Matt LaPorta homered in the second inning off Carl Pavano (16-11), who allowed just two runs and six hits but lost for the fourth time in five starts.

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Both teams will play next Friday with Wymot hosting Humphrey-St. Francis, while Stuart hosts North Central.

Crofton 54, Wakefield 12 CROFTON, Neb. — Dalton Gobel found himself in the endzone four times to lead Crofton past Wakefield, 54-12, Friday at Crofton, Neb.

Gobel had 15 rushes for 189 yards, while Trent Arens added a 48-yard touchdown run for the Warriors (2-0).

Geoff Kleinschmidt rushed for a 13-yard touchdown, he also took over the kick duties with four extra points.

Tom Peitz scored on a 30 fumble recovery, he also had eight tackles.

For Trojans (0-2), Christian Gallardo scored the teams first touchdown with a 1-yard run. Crofton will host their next opponent Wisner-Pilger, while Wakefield will travel to Lutheran High Northeast.

Oakland-Craig 36, Hart. Cedar Catholic 20 OAKLAND, Neb. — Oakland-Craig took a 16 point lead going into the second quarter cruising past Hartington Cedar Catholic,

36-20, Friday in Oakland, Neb. The Knights (2-0) rushed for a total of 416 yards and five touchdowns. Michael Enstrom had two touchdowns a 21 and 10 yard run, while Kevin Nelson ran for 44 yard touchdown.

For Hartington Cedar Catholic (0-2), Keenan Sudbeck had two rushing touchdowns of 63 and three yards, while Nick Uhing added a six yard touchdown run.

Oakland-Craig will host Homer, while Hartington Cedar Catholic will host West Holt both teams playing next Friday.

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 39, Neligh Oakdale 6 LAUREL, Neb. — Laurel-Concord-Coleridge came alive in

the second quarter and never looked back in their 39-6 victory over Neligh Oakdale on Friday.

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge had a total of 430 yards, with 357 on the ground.

Daniel Hartnett started things off with a 14-yard reception from Kyle Kardell.

Kardell went 6 for 12 with 73 yards. Mitch Heikes ran for 179 yards and one touchdown. Jon Jacot found the endzone twice while rushing for 64 yards.

The defensive leaders for Laurel-Concord-Coleridge were; Austin Roach who had nine tackles, Jacot and Michael Oleson each had seven tackles.

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge will be traveling to Plainview next Friday.

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Brady Becomes NFL's Top Paid Player

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) — A day that started badly for Tom Brady turned out to be a pretty good one after all.

After a morning crash left Brady's car damaged but the New England Patriots quarterback unhurt, he came to terms on a contract that will make him the highest paid player in the NFL.

Two people with knowledge of the contract said Thursday night that Brady has agreed to a four-year extension beginning in 2011.

It has a value of \$18 million per year with a total of \$48.5 million guaranteed, one of those persons said. Both persons spoke on condition of anonymity because the paperwork had not yet been filed with the NFL.

Brady is making \$6.5 million this season in the final year of a six-year deal.

The extension was first reported

by Peter King of Sports Illustrated during halftime of NBC's telecast of the Minnesota-New Orleans game.

The average value of Brady's deal surpasses that of New York Giants quarterback Eli Manning, who agreed this year to a six-year, \$97.5 million (\$16.25 million average) extension starting next year. He's making \$9.4 million this season.

Peyton Manning is in the final year of a seven-year, \$98 million deal (\$14 million average) and Indianapolis Colts owner Jim Irsay said he intends to make his quarterback the NFL's highest paid player.

Brady's contract differs from those two deals in that it pays him a higher average salary over a shorter period of time. He has said he would like to play 10 more seasons. He is currently playing under a four-year extension with an average value of \$12 million that he signed with two years left on his previous deal.



Yankton's Ben Jensen tees off on Hole No. 1 at Hillcrest Golf and Country Club during Friday's Yankton Invitational Golf Tournament.

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ing out the top five with a 75.

Rapid City Stevens had four golfers finish in the top 25 and ended with a team score of 304 edging out second place finisher Sioux Falls O'Gorman's 305. Sioux Falls Roosevelt took home third place (312), Brandon Valley finished in fourth (313), followed by Sioux Falls Lincoln in fifth (315).

Aberdeen Central finished in sixth (320), followed by Pierre (322), Sioux Falls Washington (325), Sioux City Heelan (328), Sioux City East (331), Sturgis (332), Huron (335), Yankton White (343), Mitchell (348), Sioux City North (348), Rapid City Central (354), Yankton Black (369) and Sioux City West (374).

For the Bucks, Jace Guthmiller had a tough start, but was able to finish 21st, shooting a 79. Mitch Schlingman ended in 63rd (87), followed by Canner Barry in 70th (88).

"I couldn't left myself give up after those first couple of holes. I knew there was many more holes to play," Guthmiller said. "I didn't

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Stickney jumped out to an early lead and never looked back to claim a 44-7 victory over South Central in high school football action on Friday.

Kiefer Johnson ran for 151 yards with three rushing touchdowns, he also had two receptions for 18 yards.

Ryan Hongslo ran the second half kick off for 75 yards to score his first touchdown of the night, he would catch a five yard pass from Adam Bormann in the

fourth quarter to notch up his second.

Bormann was four for eight with 23 yards passing, he also ran for 49 yards and had one rushing touchdown.

Corsica-Stickney racked up 294 total yard with 271 yards on the ground.

South Central's Colton Johnson scored his teams only touchdown on a 67-yard run in the fourth quarter. Johnson had 67 total yards and led his team with 10 tackles. Justin Warnkey helped out on defense, racking up nine tackles.

South Central, 1-1 overall, travel to Marty next Friday.

CORSICA-STICKNEY (2-0) 8 14 18 44
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Ulmer finished as the Bucks' leading rusher, notching 21 yards on six carries. He also passed for a season-high 190 yards on 7-23 passing.

"That was nice to see. We needed to get the offense going, and 14 points is better than we had been," Likness said. "Hopefully we're making progress. Hopefully we've turned a corner and will get a win here pretty soon."

Tieszen had 19 yards on six carries. Knodel had just 15 yards

on six carries before leaving the game.

Watertown (3-0, 2-0 ESD) looks to remain unbeaten as they travel to Aberdeen Central next.

Yankton, 1-2 overall and 0-2 in the ESD, will look to get back on track as Mitchell comes to Yankton for the Pioneer Day homecoming game.

WATERTOWN 26, YANKTON 14

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Second Quarter
WAT — Mitch Schwanke 26 pass from Patrick Schuster (Kyle Thomas kick), 3:30.
WAT — Ryan Engels 66 pass from Schuster (Thomas kick), 2:51.
Third Quarter

YAN — Cody Ulmer 5 run (Andrew Hummel kick), 8:37.
WAT — Alex Turbak 1 run (kick failed), 3:44.

Fourth Quarter
YAN — Cole Drotzmann 70 pass from Ulmer (Hummel kick), 7:07.
WAT — Schuster 10 run (kick failed), 1:04.

	YAN	WAT
First Downs	11	18
Rushes-Yards	28-75	38-147
Comp-Att-Int.	7-23-3	12-22-1
Passing Yards	182	250
Return Yards	74	56
Sacks-Yards Lost	1-8	0-0
Punts-Ave.	6-40.7	5-32.2
Penalties-Yards	7-44	7-45
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING — Yankton, Cody Ulmer 6-21, Wilson Tieszen 6-19, Brady Knodel 6-15, Michael Wilcox 4-12, Evan Schroeder 3-6, Neil Hohenthaler 2-3, Jackson Pasco 1-minus 1, Watertown, Patrick Schuster 19-97, Alex Turbak 9-

31, Ryan Engels 10-19.

PASSING — Yankton, Cody Ulmer 7-23-3-190, Watertown, Patrick Schuster 11-21-1-229, Blake Heiser 1-1-0-21.

RECEIVING — Yankton, Cole Drotzmann 3-160, Bryan Youngberg 2-13, Tyler Sternhagen 1-9, Neil Hohenthaler 1-4, Watertown, Ryan Engels 3-115, Tanner Siegling 4-57, Mitch Schwanke 2-45, Collin Schul 2-29, Alex Flemer 1-4.

DEFENSIVE LEADERS — Yankton, Cody Ulmer (interception), Powers Schurrer (fumble recovery), Watertown, Levi Winkels (five solo tackles, interception), Patrick Schuster (5 solo tackles), Tate Krumwiede (5 solo tackles), Sean Langner (4 solo tackles, 1 assist, 2 interceptions), Joe Williams (7 solo tackles, 2 assists), Connor Schroepp (3 solo tackles, 3 assists), Kyle Thomas (5 solo tackles, 1 assist), Blake Lohr (2 solo tackles, 4 assists), Kolton Michalski (1 solo tackle, 4 assists).

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total of 15 schools competing in cheer today. Ten schools will be represented in dance.

Triple V Triumphs

With a coach who regularly competes in triathlons and a recent alum who competes on the Navy Triathlon Team, it is only natural that members of the Yankton cross country team would pick up the sport.

Junior Kipp Kinsley and freshman Whitlee Larson each competed in the Triple V Triathlon, a sprint event held in Yankton's Lewis & Clark Recreation Area this past Sunday. Both with their respective 19-under age group.

"They're just two very athletic kids," said Yankton head coach Dave Dannenbring.

Dannenbring made sure it was fine for the athletes to compete at the event, which falls during the YHS season. He also gave his blessing to the duo.

"One of the things about triathlons is that it's great for overall fitness, and it's not as taxing as if you go out and run a big race," he said. "It works all the muscle groups."

Kinsley finished fifth overall, covering the quarter-mile swim, 14.2-mile cycling and 3.1-mile run in 1:00:46.

"Kipp worked extremely hard on his swimming and biking, as well as his running," Dannenbring said. "He'll develop into a great triathlete because, number one, he is a good swimmer. If you can be out of the water, have a decent bike and a decent run, you'll do well."

"He proved that Sunday."

Dannenbring sees Larson developing into a solid triathlete as well. The young teen was the 12th female across the line, and the

63rd individual overall. She finished in 1:22:17.

"Whitlee's just a natural talent," he said. "As she continues to grow into her 20s, she'll get stronger and be a great triathlete."

Dannenbring knows about great triathletes, as his son Sam won the Triple V for a second straight year. Because of that, the more recent YHS athletes who have done triathlons have gone to the younger Dannenbring for advice.

"Most of the boys have gone to Sam. They know him, they're friends with him and he's had success," Coach Dannenbring said. "He's gone to camps, and he's more than willing to share."

"Whitlee did come to me for advice. If she continues, I would love to coach her in them."

Coach Dannenbring plans to continue competing himself, as well.

"I don't have time to do a lot of races. I do one or two longer races a year," he said. "I like to do the half-Ironman distance."

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senior quarterback Adam Weber, whose 39 career starts rank second in the nation among active quarterbacks. Weber is the school's all-time leader in passing yardage, and completions, and needs three touchdowns to rank first in that category.

For the Coyotes, they're looking to repeat last week's zero turnover performance against Central Florida.

"We told our kids, 'We've got to find a way to improve in these games,'" Meierkort said. "It was a highly competitive game (against UCF), but now we have to be able to find a way to do it against a much more physical team."

In last week's season-opening loss, USD junior strong safety Shane Potter — a transfer from Minnesota — recorded a career-high 16 tackles. Another former Gopher in USD's secondary, Jim Thompson, broke his collarbone on the first play against Central Florida.

Among the bright spots last week for USD were Chris Ganious

and Dante Warren. Ganious, a junior running back, rushed for 89 yards and a touchdown, while Warren — making his first career start at quarterback — completed 10-of-19 passes for 104 yards.

"I feel like we have a good chance," Polley said. "We'll need to do everything right, but we definitely can. I'm just anxious to get up there."

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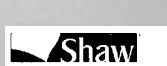
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