

# Sport News

## Lions Punished by Kurtz & Co.

The O'Neill Lions stumbled Sunday against the Niobrara Towners on the Niobrara floor, 49-63, chiefly because a fellow named Kurtz belonged to the Niobrara team.

A lofty, 6-foot 6-incher, he got started late but when he got into gear he seldom missed from any angle on the floor. Mr. Kurtz personally accounted for 31 points. He is a native Sioux City-an.

Niobrara led the O'Neill amateurs 13-12 at the first stanza, 39-26 at intermission and 43-35 at the end of the third.

Boxscore:

O'NEILL (49)	fg	ft	f	pts
Matthews, f	3	0	1	6
Blackbird, f	6	3	2	15
Mossman, c	3	0	2	6
Donohoe, g	3	0	1	6
Jonas, f	2	1	1	5
Leach, g	0	1	2	1
Taylor, f	1	0	1	2
Carlson, c	3	0	3	6
Volberding, g	0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>49</b>

  

NIOB. (63)	fg	ft	f	pts
Kurtz, c	13	5	2	31
Pierce, f	1	0	3	2
Techy, f	4	0	1	8
Clark, g	6	2	4	14
Passih, g	1	2	1	4
Diez, c	1	0	2	2
Schaffer, g	1	0	5	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>63</b>

## Holt Tourney Here Next Week

Pairings have been made for the 14th annual Holt county high school basketball tournament to be held here next week—January 23, 24, 25, 26.

On Tuesday evening, January 23, Stuart will meet Page at 6 o'clock; Ewing faces Atkinson high at 7:30, and O'Neill high meets Chambers at 9. Two other first round games will be played on Wednesday night, January 24: nman will meet the winner of the Stuart - Page game at 7:30 and St. Joseph's, of Atkinson, will tackle St. Mary's, of O'Neill, at 9.

Semifinals will be played Thursday evening and finals will be played Friday night:

## Cardinals Drop a Heartbreaker

The St. Mary's academy Cardinals dropped a heartbreaker to Holy Trinity, of Hartington, on the Hartington floor last Thursday night, score 30-31.

The game was extended into two overtime periods. Johnny Lammers, Trojan forward, potted a fielder in the second overtime to give Trinity the win.

St. Mary's led 12-7 at the first quarter and 17-15 at the half. But the Trojans, speeding up when three Card regulars left via the foul route, assumed a 23-19 lead going into the fourth. Score at the end of the regular playing time was 27-27.

St. Mary's reserves won their fray, 27-12.

Boxscore:

ST. MARY (30)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Wills, f	5	1	5	11
Becker, f	1	0	5	2
DeBacker, f	0	0	1	0
Wanser, c	1	4	2	6
Krysl, c	0	0	0	0
Uhl, g	3	4	4	10
Donohoe, W., g	0	0	3	0
Carney, g	0	1	5	1
Donohoe, D.	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>30</b>

HOLY T. (31)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Lammers, f	4	7	1	15
Haberman, f	2	2	5	6
Schwartz, f	0	0	0	0
Liese, f	0	0	0	0
R. Eickhoff, c	2	2	2	6
N. Eickhoff, c	0	0	0	0
Harper, g	1	0	1	2
C. Hausman, g	0	0	0	0
L. Hausman, g	0	0	3	0
Zimmer, g	1	0	1	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>31</b>

## Broncos Bounce Back with Win

STUART — The Stuart high school Broncos defeated the Long Pine Polar Bears on the Stuart floor Thursday night, January 11, by a score, 61-30.

Boxscore:

STUART (61)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Hytrek, J., f	3	2	1	8
Tielke, f	0	1	0	1
Flannigan, f	2	0	0	4
Shald, D., f	3	4	0	10
Shald, I., f	2	1	1	5
Bernt, c	2	2	1	6
Ulrich, c	1	1	0	3
Timmermans, g	2	1	1	5
Coats, g	1	0	1	2
Brewster, g	2	0	1	4
Batenhorst, g	6	0	1	12



Hundreds of persons have viewed the new 1951 Plymouth Cranbrook 4-door sedan since it went on display Saturday, January 13, at the Lloyd Collins showrooms in O'Neill. Plymouth says its new improvements produce unprecedented roadability and riding qualities.

Wewel, g	fg	ft	pf	pts
Wewel, g	0	1	0	1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>61</b>

## Eagles Dropped from Unbeaten Circle

The O'Neill high school Eagles had their wings clipped Tuesday night by the Ainsworth Bulldogs, 41-37, at Ainsworth. The defeat knocked the Eagles out of the charmed circle of undefeated teams in the state. Ainsworth led at the half 19-16 and 31-29 at the end of the third stanza.

Don Godel, O'Neill's high point man for the season, again paced the Blues with 22 points on 10 buckets and 2 out of 2 free throws. Johnson, Bulldog center, was top man for the Ainsworth crew with 11 points.

Boxscore:

O'NEILL (37)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Godel, f	10	2	2	22
Buckmaster, f	0	2	2	2
Eby, f	2	3	2	7
Lindberg, c	2	0	1	4
Calkins, g	0	0	1	0
Dick, g	1	0	1	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>37</b>

  

AINS. (41)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Hagerman, f	2	1	3	5
Zoller, f	5	0	3	10
Johnson, c	5	1	1	11
Austin, g	3	0	4	6
Osborn, g	4	1	1	9
<b>Totals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>41</b>

Boxscore:

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ressel, of Plainview, visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ressel and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ressel Sunday afternoon, January 14.

## Clearwater Nips Inman in Finals

BRUNSWICK—The Clearwater Cardinals defeated the Inman Tigers, 38-37, Friday night before an overflow crowd in the finals of the Elkhorn valley conference tournament.

Inman scored first. Clearwater countered with a fielder and a freethrow and from then on the lead see-sawed back and forth. Score was 9-8 at end of the first stanza, 19-11 at halftime, 31-30 at start of the fourth.

Game marked Clearwater's 11th consecutive win, and Inman has lost only to Clearwater.

Pat Hartigan sparked for the losers with 25 points.

Boxscore:

INMAN (37)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Sobotka	4	0	3	8
Stevens	1	1	1	3
Hartigan	11	3	1	25
Sholes	0	1	1	1
Nielsen	0	0	3	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>37</b>

  

CLEAR. (38)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Thompson	4	1	4	9
Barrett	5	1	3	11
Nore	5	0	0	10
Prater	3	0	3	6
Moser	1	0	1	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>38</b>

**Betrothal Known**—LYNCH—Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Fusselman, of Bristow, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lou Ann, to Francis Hanson, of Cushing, Ia.

## Bassett Nips Stuart, 45-42

STUART — The Stuart high school Broncos played the Rock county high school on Bassett's basketball floor Tuesday night, January 9.

Stuart led throughout the first half but Bassett edged out the Broncos with the final score, 45-42.

Don Shald was high point man with 24 points.

Boxscore:

STUART (42)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Hytrek, J., f	0	2	0	2

Shald, D., f	11	2	2	24
Bernt, c	1	3	1	5
Timmermans, g	1	0	5	2
Coats, g	0	1	1	1
Batenhorst, g	2	3	5	7
Cadwallader, g	0	1	0	1

Totals 15 12 14 42

BASST (45)	fg	ft	pf	pts
Richards, f	6	1	2	13
Fisher, f	8	1	2	17
Young, f	0	0	1	0
Arrowsmith, c	2	2	2	6
Linke, g	0	0	1	0
Newman, g	2	1	3	5
Baker, g	1	0	3	2
Allen, g	0	2	3	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>45</b>

The second team score: Bassett 21, Stuart 20.

## AMATEUR CONTEST

Sponsored by O'Neill P-TA

Monday, January 29th, 8 P. M.

O'NEILL HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Proceeds will be given to the O'Neill March of Dimes fund for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis

Students from St. Mary's high school and grade school and O'Neill public high school and grade school and those from all rural schools in the O'Neill zone will be eligible to enter.

Any individual or group will be limited to one selection with a maximum time limit of 5 minutes. All entries should state type of act, name and address and must be entered by 4 p. m. Monday, January 22. St. Mary's pupils register at the principal's office, O'Neill high pupils register with Miss C. Spaulding, O'Neill graders with their respective teachers, and rural pupils with A. Neil Dawes.

Finalists Will Compete in a Holt County Contest at the American Legion Auditorium on February 9, 8 p. m.



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## BENEFIT BASKETBALL

For Holt County Polio Fund

O'NEILL PUBLIC SCHOOL GYM

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

O'Neill Lions vs.

Bonesteel, S. D., Towners

O'Neill Legion vs.

Opponent to Be Announced

Entire proceeds will go to the Holt county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Leo Tomjack will contribute his services as official.



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