

# Devils take first in Nebraska

The Oberlin wrestling team took first place at the Republican Valley Tournament in Nebraska on Saturday, with six wrestlers placing first in their weights.

Oberlin and Atwood were the only Kansas schools in the 12-team tournament. Oberlin took first with 193.5 points and Atwood came in sixth with 78. The host school, Republican Valley, came in fourth with 91.8.

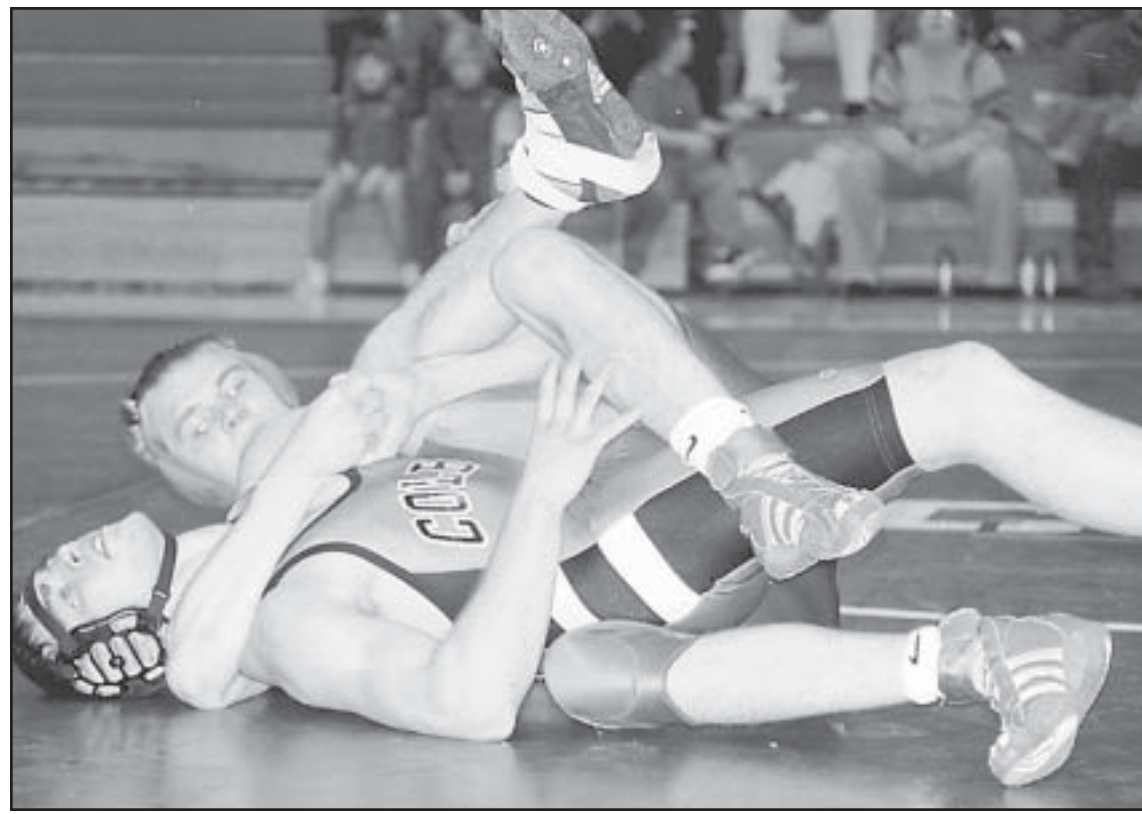
Decatur Community High wrestlers Jonathan Richards, Matt Coleman, Kenyon Badsky, Chance Harman, Logan Glaze and Brett Keck brought home first-place medals.

Scott Miller came in second; Grant Reichert and Scott Harman, third; and David Barth, Tyler Cook and Jake Padgett, fourth.

- Wrestling were:
- 112 pounds, Richards, pinned Darva, Southern Valley; won 15-7 over Reitz, Hershey, for first place.
  - 119 pounds, Barth, lost 6-4 to Keyser, Cambridge; won 10-5 over Isom, Hershey; lost 13-0 to Kahrs, Franklin, for fourth.
  - 125 pounds, Miller, pinned

Rupprecht, Red Cloud; lost 17-4 to Shifflet, Cambridge, for second.

- 130 pounds, Coleman, pinned Merritt, Maywood; won 3-0 over Fraget, Red Cloud; won 6-4 over Teel, Republican Valley, for first.
- 135 pounds, Badsky, pinned Sewell, Cambridge; won 15-3 over Buhl, Southern Valley, for first.
- 140 pounds, C. Harman, pinned Breazeale, Imperial; pinned Hanson, Wauneta; won 5-3 over Chisholm, Republican Valley, for first.
- 145 pounds, Glaze, pinned Housbroude, Grant; won 13-1 over Fanning, Wauneta; won 8-6 over Scott, Hershey, for first.
- 152 pounds, Shane Montgomery, won 10-2 over Broker, Southern Valley; was pinned by Wood, Imperial; was pinned by Rundback, Wauneta.
- 160 pounds, Reichert, pinned Priest, Republican Valley; lost 7-5 to Kermodge, Southern Valley; won 5-1 over Priest, Republican Valley, for third.
- 171 pounds, Keck, pinned Scholl, Grant; won 13-6 over Becker, Southern Valley; pinned Hansen, Wauneta, for first.



**TRYING TO MAKE** a pretzel out of his opponent, Grant Reichert won his match with Rusty Raymo of Colby on Friday.

— Herald photo by Brad Larson

- 189 pounds, S. Harman, pinned Baker, Wauneta; lost 8-1 to Schmidt, Atwood; pinned Sindt, Franklin; won 9-5 over Brocker, Southern Valley, for third.
- 215 pounds, Cook, was pinned by Schuler, Republican Valley;

won 18-3 over Laos, Southern Valley; pinned Savcie, Cambridge; lost 10-0 to Hasenauer, Maywood, for fourth.

- 275 pounds, Padgett, was pinned by Lefever, Southern Valley; pinned Deaver, Wauneta; won

5-3 over Hopkins, Cambridge; was pinned by Lefever, for fourth.

The Devils will travel to Hoxie on Friday to take on the tough Indians starting at 6:30 p.m. On Saturday, the younger boys will attend a novice tournament in Colby.

# Empty weights, lack of pins hurt team

The Decatur Community High wrestlers lost to the Colby High Eagles 37-27 on Friday but the junior varsity wrestlers came back with a pair of firsts, a second, two thirds and a fourth place at a novice tournament there on Saturday.

On Friday, with the 103-pound weight open, the Red Devils started out six points behind the Eagles, who have a full roster. Added to the problem, the Devils could not get any pins while the Eagles put three Oberlin wrestlers to the mat. Oberlin's only pin was in junior varsity. Drew Martin was the only Ober-

lin wrestler to get a pin. However, Matt Coleman, Kenyon Badsky, Chance Harman, Grant Reichert, Brett Keck and Scott Harman won their matches.

- Wrestling for Oberlin:
- 112 pounds, Jonathan Richards, was pinned by Travis Powell in the first period.
  - 119 pounds, David Barth, lost 7-4 to Taylor Finley.
  - 125 pounds, Scott Miller, lost 6-2 to Jesse Tibbles.
  - 130 pounds, Coleman, won 19-5 over John Wark.
  - 135 pounds, Badsky, won 2-0

- over Cole Garcia.
- 140 pounds, C. Harman, won 16-0 over Justin Bell.
- 145 pounds, Logan Glaze, lost 19-8 to Eric Luedke.
- 152 pounds, Shane Montgomery, lost 8-3 to Schuyler Sharpe.
- 160 pounds, Reichert, won 8-0 over Rusty Raymo.
- 171 pounds, Keck, won 3-0 over Tucker Olsen.
- 189 pounds, S. Harman, won 8-0 over Theo Kleinsorge.
- 215 pounds, Tyler Cook, was pinned by Cubby Haremza in the second period.

- 275 pounds, Jake Padgett, was pinned by Brent Deibert in the first period.
- In junior varsity action:
- 145 pounds, Canaan Bishop, lost 16-15 to Ben Jurek.
- 152 pounds, Gabe Moore, was pinned by David Voss in the second period.
- 152 pounds, Adam Steinmetz, won 14-4 over Ross Wright.
- 171 pounds, Drew Martin, pinned Brady Strange in the third period.
- 171 pounds, Brett Marietta, lost to Greg Guilfoyle.

- 171 pounds, Gannon Reichert, won 1-0 over Tanner McClure.
- In junior varsity action on Saturday:
- Adam Steinmetz, 152 pounds, went 4-0 for first place.
- Gannon Reichert, 160 pounds, went 3-0 for first.
- Bishop, 145 pounds, went 3-1 for second.
- Brett Marietta, 171 pounds, went 2-1 for third.
- Scooter Matchett, 275 pounds, went 1-2 for third.
- Drew Martin, 171 pounds, went 1-2 for fourth.

# Junior varsity loses four

The Decatur Community High boys' junior varsity lost to Goodland 82-53 Jan. 31 and lost three games at the Colby Junior Varsity Tournament on Thursday.

"Goodland has a good junior varsity team," Coach Keith Grafel said. "They shot the ball well early, and we gave up a lot of transition baskets. Our second and third quarters really hurt us. We just need to be able to stop teams from getting easy baskets."

"We'll continue to work hard and shore up our defenses. We just have to play better."

The Devils started off on the bottom and only in the fourth quarter were the Red Devils able to do well. Scoring were Andy Inman, 14; Chase Juenemann, 9; Andy Anderson, 7; Josh Fortin, Zane Pauls and David Morris, 4 each; Teryn Grafel, Jason Thomas and Chase McKitt-trick, 3 each; and Lance Fortin, 2.

The Colby tournament was supposed to be held on Monday and Thursday but snow caused the Monday games to be put off, so everything was played on one day. In its first game, Oberlin lost 69-42 to Colby.

"We just started very slow and

got down pretty far," Coach Grafel said. "At times we played OK, but we didn't take care of the ball very well, and just didn't score very many points."

Scoring were Inman, 9; J. Fortin, 7; C. Juenemann, Anderson and Jesse Juenemann, 6 each; Morris, 4; and Pauls and Grafel, 2 each.

The Goodland junior varsity won the second game 64-31.

"Our second and third quarters were pretty poor," Coach Grafel said. "We didn't take care of the ball against their press, and got beat back in transition. We just have to do a lot better job of recognizing defenses and react accordingly."

Scoring were Inman, 8; J. Fortin, 6; C. Juenemann, 5; Morris, 4; and Pauls, J. Juenemann, Anderson and Grafel, 2 each.

In the last game, the boys again met the Colby junior varsity and lost 68-49 to take their record to 3-8.

"Seems like we make the same mistakes that hurt us," Coach Grafel said. "We have one or two bad quarters and get real far behind. Then we seem to battle back, but we're just too far behind to make a real run. We are still struggling at scoring very many points, and this has hurt

us as well. We need to have two good games this week and get back to playing good basketball."

Scoring were C. Juenemann, 12; Anderson, 8; Inman and Morris, 7 each; J. Fortin, 6; J. Juenemann, 3; and L. Fortin, McKittrick and Pauls, 2 each.

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# Young wrestlers hit mats

The Decatur Community Junior High wrestlers were on the road last month, visiting Norton and Atwood to take on the Blue Jays, Buffaloes and Quinter Bulldogs.

Wrestling in Norton were: Aaron Helm, 80 pounds, lost 4-3; Ace Manning, 90 pounds, was pinned; Breck Simonsson, 95 pounds, lost 17-2; Gage Reichert, 100 pounds, won 4-0 and lost 5-4; Jeremy Chase, 110 pounds, lost 4-0; Jared Marcuson, 120 pounds, won by pin and was pinned; Garrit Peters, 125 pounds, lost 12-4; Jordan Macfee, 125 pounds, was pinned; Jebb Tally, 130 pounds, won by pin; Jace Robinson, 135 pounds, lost 9-3 and was pinned; David Urban, 140 pounds, won by pin and 2-0; Riley Cochran, 175 pounds, won by pin and was pinned; Colt Diederich, 190 pounds, won by pin; Nolan May, 240 pounds, won by pin; Brock Euhus, heavyweight, won by pin.

On Jan. 30, the boys were in Atwood taking on the Buffaloes and the Quinter Bulldogs.

Wrestling were Helm, 80 pounds, pinned Hutchinson, Quinter, and Bebb, Atwood; Manning, 100 pounds, twice pinned Stephenson, Quinter; Simonsson, 100 pounds, pinned Stephenson, Quinter; Reichert, 105 pounds, lost 4-0 to Migchelbrink and 5-4 to Argabright, Atwood, and 110 pounds, pinned Bird, Quinter; Chase, 115 pounds, lost 7-1 to Bergling, Atwood, and pinned Wittman, Quinter; Marcuson, 120 pounds, pinned Harvey, Quinter; Macfee, 120 pounds, pinned Balluch, Quinter; Peters, 125 pounds, pinned Deaton, Quinter; Tally, 130 pounds, was pinned by Howard, Atwood, and pinned Deaton, Quinter; Robinson, 135 pounds, was pinned by Mader, Quinter, and Jones, Atwood; Gilliam, 140 pounds, was pinned by Richmeier, Quinter, and Binning, Atwood; Warta, 145 pounds, lost 6-3, Warta, Atwood, and pinned Leighton, Quinter; D. Urban, 150 pounds, pinned Sharp, Atwood;

Badsky, 160 pounds, lost 4-0 to Klein, Atwood; Terry Urban, 165 pounds, lost 4-3 to Klein, Atwood; Euhus, 275 pounds, pinned Harvey, Quinter; May, 275 pounds, was pinned by Wright, Atwood.

**Darts**

Jan. 30:  
Enigma II 87-57; Y Us 84-60;  
Dart It 80-64; 2nd Generation 67-77; Just Us 59-85; Wild Hawks 55-89.  
High Ton: Felix Lozano, Chris Paul.

Hat Trick: Jim Barrett.  
Fur Out: Colin Smith.  
Men's High: Rocky Courage 183, Rusty Montgomery 158.  
Women's High: Julianna Baker 108, Sara Pickett 100.

# Seventh graders win one

The Decatur Community Junior High seventh-grade girls basketball team beat Atwood on Jan. 23 but then fell to Hoxie, Colby and Quinter in the next few weeks.

The young Devils started off their run with an 18-15 victory in Atwood. After that, the girls lost 52-24 to Hoxie at home on Jan. 30.

Tuesday the girls traveled to Colby but were downed 47-12. Thursday the team was home again, playing the Quinter B squad. Quinter took home a 22-20 victory after three quarters of play.

Scoring against Atwood were Laci Ream, 8 points; Leanna Sheaffer, 6; Heather Glodt, 4; and

Jessica Dellere, 2. Scoring against Hoxie were Ream, 8; Rory Wendelin, 5; Sheaffer, 4; Glodt, 3; and Kenzie Fisher and Dellere, 2 each.

Scoring against Colby were Ream, 6; Glodt, 3; Alyssa Montgomery, 2; and Kayla Zodrow, 1.

Scoring against Quinter were Ream, 6; Dellere, 5; Glodt, 3; and Fabiola Ortiz, Zodrow and Wendelin, 2 each.

Jenny Ploussard, Kenzie Fisher, Kendra Noah, Brittany Gould, Rebecca Helm and Chantelle Beneda also helped the team.

The girls will travel to Oakley on Thursday with a 4:30 p.m. start.

# Eighth grade girls lose four

The Decatur Community Junior High eighth-grade girls had a tough three weeks, losing four basketball games to Atwood, Hoxie, Colby and Quinter.

On Jan. 23, the girls traveled to Atwood but were edged 22-20. On Jan. 30, the game was in Oberlin but Hoxie was able to win 36-35.

Tuesday, the young Devils traveled to Colby but were downed 51-23, and on Thursday the Quinter girls came to town and took home a 41-18 victory.

Scoring in Atwood were Emmie Pauls, 9 points; Heather Williams, 7; and Lauren Fortin, 4.

Scoring against Hoxie were Tricia Dorshorst and Fortin, 11 each; Pauls, 9; and Sarah Murray, 4.

Scoring in Colby were Fortin, 9; Pauls, 6; Dorshorst, 3; and Karli Fredrickson and Shay Miller, 2 each.

Scoring against Quinter were Fortin, 8; Pauls 4; Dorshorst and Williams, 2 each; and Marci Metcalf and Fredrickson, 1 each.

Whitney Ashley, Katrina Wentz and Chris Noah also played.

The girls will travel to Oakley on Thursday. On Saturday, there will be a "B" team tournament in Atwood starting at 9 a.m.