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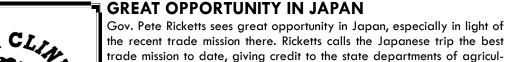
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TWO PEOPLE ARRESTED AFTER CHASE

State troopers arrested two people after giving chase when a sports utility vehicle was clocked driving at more than 100 miles per hour in western Nebraska. The Nebraska State Patrol say a trooper clocked a SUV with Colorado license plates traveling south on Highway 30 near Cozad late Wednesday evening. The vehicle matched the description of a vehicle sought by Cozad police for suspicious activity and theft. The driver refused to stop for the trooper and a pursuit began. It ran through three Nebraska counties. The driver turned east onto Interstate 80. Troopers used spike strips to deflate the tires of the SUV. The driver finally stopped about an hour into the pursuit after driving on the rims for several miles. Troopers arrested 40-year-old Michael Cinocco and 19-year-old Krestie Arnold. No address was given by NSP. Cinocco has been charged with felony flight to avoid arrest, driving under the influence of drugs, driving under suspension, speeding, and obstruction. Arnold is charged with shoplifting. Both have been jailed in Dawson County.



the recent trade mission there. Ricketts calls the Japanese trip the best trade mission to date, giving credit to the state departments of agriculture and economic development for planning a trip which maximized the delegation's time in the country. One major agreement will provide Nebraska pork to 170 restaurants in Japan. Ricketts participated in a signing ceremony at Sagami Restaurant in Tokyo, Japan on behalf of Nebraska's pork producers in which representatives from Smithfield Foods and Sagami signed a letter of intent to sell the restaurant chain pork from its processing plant in Crete. While beef might be Nebraska's calling card, pork is growing in importance. "Pork exports were up about 46% so far in the first few months of this year and, in general, about half of our pork gets exported to Japan," Ricketts tells Nebraska Radio Network. "So, we've got a marketplace that recognizes our high quality and is demanding more." Hopes to expand beef exports to Japan depend heavily on the trade relationship between the United States and Japan. American beef exports have risen enough to trigger a higher tariff, putting the U.S. at a competitive disadvantage with Australia.

SEARCH OF NEW ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln has announced it has begun a search for a new director of athletics. The university has ended Shawn Eichorst's employment, effective immediately. "Shawn has led Nebraska Athletics in many positive ways, but those efforts have not translated into on-field performance," Chancellor Ronnie Green said. "Our fans and our studentathletes deserve leadership that drives the highest levels of competitiveness, as well as excellence across all facets of Husker Athletics." Eichorst joined Nebraska in October 2012, and has about \$1.7 million remaining on a contract that runs through June 2019. Green and President Hank Bounds decided to seek a new athletic director and met with Eichorst today. Green and Bounds also met with Husker coaches today to share the decision. "I want to sincerely thank Shawn for his dedication to and care for our student-athletes, and for his commitment to their success here at Nebraska, and in life," Green said. "He has positively influenced countless lives at this university, and I wish him and his family the very best going forward."



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THE LEGO NINJAGO MOVIE

Dave Franco, Justin Theroux (PG) DAILY: 7:00, 9:00 (3D) MATINEE: 1:30, 4:10 (3D) **CC-Closed Caption, Audio Description**

KINGSMAN: THE GOLDEN CIRCLE Colin Firth, Julianne Moore (R)

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Bill Skarsgard, Jaeden Lieberher (R) **DAILY:** 6:45, 9:30 **MATINEE:** 1:15, 4:00 **CC-Closed Caption, Audio Description**

FUN FACT

The 50-star American flag was designed by an Ohio high school student for a class project. His teacher originally gave him a B-.

SPORTS

The Bison boys tennis team dropped a 5-4 dual yesterday at Holdrege. MHS will compete in the North Platte Invite today. The Lady Bison softball team swept a doubleheader yesterday in Ogallala, knocking off Gering 6-5 and Scottsbluff 19-7. McCook will play in the Lincoln Southeast Invite tomorrow. The Bison boys finished fourth and Lady Bison fifth at the Ogallala Cross Country Invite yesterday. Holdrege swept the team titles. The MHS girls golf team was fifth at the Holdrege Invite yesterday. Aurora won the meet with a team score of 398. Cassidy Redl finished fourth with a 93, Holland Stagemeyer was ninth with a 97. The Bison football team host York tonight at Weiland Field. Wagner Ford pregame begins at 6 p.m. with kickoff at 7 p.m. Dundy County-Stratton will host Southwest on 103.9 The Hawk. Pregame coverage begins at 6:30 p.m.

Jason Vargas turned in one of his best outings of the season at the perfect time, going 6 1/3 strong innings to help lead the Royals to a 1-O win over the Blue Jays on Thursday night in the rubber game at Rogers Centre. The Royals, with 10 games left in their pursuit of the second American League Wild Card spot, remained 3 1/2 back of the Twins, who rolled to a 12-1 win over the Tigers. "We just won two in a row, so that means that we're in a better spot than we were two days ago," said Vargas, who is the first Royals lefty to win 17 games in a season since Charlie Leibrandt in 1985. "I think the goal for everybody is to just keep pressing forward, keep playing good baseball, and that's all we can control." Vargas kept the Blue Jays from mounting anything that resembled a rally by forcing plenty of weak contact. The left-hander allowed just two hits and three walks to go with seven strikeouts. Royals relievers Peter Moylan, Ryan Buchter and Joakim Soria bridged the gap to Mike Minor, who worked a 1-2-3 ninth to preserve the shutout and earn his second career save. The five pitchers kept the Blue Jays from advancing a runner past first base.





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