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By JAMES McPHERSON

Trump stays silent about Dakota Access pipeline

Industry leaders are urging President-elect Donald Trump to make approval of the disputed Dakota Access oil pipeline a “top priority” when he takes office next month, while opponents who have protested the project for months are vowing to stay put as they appeal standing federal court order to stop oil flows into North Dakota.

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The New River, R. Rivers III, with the National Action Network, speaks during a prayer vigil in front of the Charleston County Courthouse as the judge delivers the Michael Slager trial. Dec. 5 in Charleston, South Carolina. Slager, the former North Charleston police officer is charged with murder in the shooting death of Walter Scott.

Judge declares mistrial in Walter Scott shooting

By BRUCE SMITH and STEPHANIE BRAMCOFF

ASSOCIATED PRESS

A South Carolina judge declared a mistrial Monday after a jury in the case of a former North Charleston police officer who was also charged with shooting a black motorist said it could not reach a unanimous decision, the most dramatic moment in the case that has eluded legal experts.

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Field swimming & diving defeats Ohio

By JACE GRAFFIN ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

Every year at the end of the season, sports fans always have the same debate when it comes to college football: “Did they get it right?”

They refer to the current College Football Playoff committee; this weekend that very same committee selected what they thought was the four best college football teams in America. Unquestioned Southeastern Conference champion Alabama claimed the top spot, followed by Atlantic Coast Conference champion Clemson, then Ohio State and, finally, Pac-12 champion Washington rounded out the field of four.

Quarterback’s comments mean Wolons will have the opportunity to compete in a regional diving tournament in Malibu, California this spring. She will compete for a chance to go to the NCAA national diving tournament. Wolons almost qualified for zone competition in the 5-meter dive, as well, but she was a fourth of a point shy of qualifying. Wolons needed at least a 280.00 to qualify, she scored a 279.75.

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At the heart of the issue are two schools, both from the same conference: Penn State and Ohio State. One of these schools, Penn State, won the Big Ten championship on Saturday coming from behind to knock off the Buckeyes in Beaver Stadium. Ohio, and, of course, that matters. The committee has history on its side. Last year, the committee chose Ohio State over Michigan. The Wolverines are a two-loss school. Especially since Ohio is in the past decade but has national title and lost by more than 6 points that season (remember, Penn State lost by 39 to Michigan).

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So, if you’re a fan of those teams, I hate to break it to you, but your team just wasn’t good enough to make the cut this season. But, don’t be mad at the committee; they’re just doing their job, which is to pick the four best teams in FBS.

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College Football Playoff committee gets it right

By RICK FARLOW ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

The Marshall University swim and dive team fought the Ohio Bobcats on Friday at the Fitch Natatorium in Huntington.

At the end of the men’s 16 events, the Herd came out on top by a score of 173 to 127. Marshall placed first in five events while contributing to the winning final score of 1:45.75, beating Ohio by almost two seconds.

Rowe, a freshman, continued her breast season with wins in the 100-yard breaststroke, the 100-yard freestyle and the 200-yard freestyle relay. She placed final times of 57.31 and 53.00 respectively in her individual events while contributing to the winning final time of 1:20.24 in the relay.

Bennett went on to win the 100 and 200-yard breaststroke with times of 1:03.53 and 2:21.49 respectively. Parsemain won the 100-yard butterfly with a final time of 58.13.

The most included multiple photo finishes for first place. Six of Friday’s first six wins were decided by less than half a second. Marshall won every event that was decided in less than a second. Marshall’s Catherine Benedictow and Ohio’s Claire Marsden finished first in first place in the 100-yard breaststroke. Benedictow won by less than a tenth of a second.

Marshall diving produced a stellar night, as well. Winning both the 1-meter and 3-meter diving events. The highlight of the diver’s night, however, was Marshall co-captain Megan Wolons. Wolons placed first in both events by a large margin and qualified for some competition in the 1-meter dive.

Qualifying for some competition means Wolons will have the opportunity to compete in a regional diving tournament in Malibu, California this spring. She will compete for a chance to go to the NCAA national diving tournament. Wolons almost qualified for zone competition in the 5-meter dive, as well, but she was a fourth of a point shy of qualifying. Wolons needed at least a 280.00 to qualify, she scored a 279.75.

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Many in this nation have seemingly become immune to violence. It is showcased in our television shows, movies, video games and, unfortunately, our new breed of news. Violent hookups is reported in a country most have never heard of, and another rapper is reported in a big city with millions of nameless faces and another unarmed African American is gunned down in the street.

Walker Scott’s life is a story that probably is not passing when his shooting made national headlines, but there were people who cared for him. His life mattered.

Many, including T. Glover, a former police officer in North Carolina, killed Scott starting a routine traffic stop. The shooting was caught on film and was shown on local news and social media streams. There was outrage from the state’s governor and then silence. The investigation was delayed by Judge Clifton Newman declared a mistrial in the case after the jury remained gridlocked for three days.

There are people who most probably saw in the columns and letters, available space or factual errors. Compelling letters are printed based on timeliness, news value and space.

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In its June 12, 2014, file photo, Indiana Senator ProTemper Doug Long welcomed delegates meeting to set up the framework for states to amend the U.S. Constitution, at the Statehouse in Indianapolis. The 2016 November election puts Republicans in full control of a record number of state legislatures around the county, a level of power that gives the party an unprecedented opportunity: change the U.S. Constitution.
From Osaka to Huntington

By KESELY LIM

The PARTHENON

An international student from Osaka, Japan, Endo Marshall University looking to major in sports management.

“I think they don’t care where you’re from, they welcome everyone no matter the origin of your country,” Endo said.

Endo said he was given the choice of going to universities in Oregon and Florida, but he decided to come to West Virginia instead.

“I like small towns where I can focus on my studies,” Endo said. “Being here is pretty good because I think the people are friendly.”

Growing up in Osaka, the third largest city in Japan, Endo said there are times when he couldn’t do the things he likes, for example, climbing and hiking.

“Now here I can do something I can’t do in Osaka,” Endo said. “I’m kind of the city life, so I can’t go hiking in Osaka, but here I can go hiking whenever I feel like it.”

Endo, who was initiated last month in Kappa Sigma Fraternity, said one of the reasons he chose Marshall was because there aren’t a lot of international students.

“Just want to stay out of my comfort zone,” Endo said. “Of course, when I first came here I had no friends, but I took the effort to go out and socialize.”

Endo said he had always liked playing soccer and it was also one of the ways for him to make friends. He also said his journey so far at Marshall and being in the United States by himself has taught him a lot of lessons.

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“I learned how to build relationships and conquer my fear. If I stay in my room, I feel a sense of comfort and relief, but I know that I need to go out and socialize,” Endo said. “I think I became a stronger person over the course of this album,” Endo said.

Endo also noted there were a lot of differences between the Japanese and American cultures.

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