

Arrest Made In Peru State Student Stabbing

**(KLZA)-- The Nebraska State Patrol, in conjunction with the Nemaha County, Nebraska Sheriff's Office, have made an arrest in connection with the stabbing of three Peru State College students Saturday night.**

**According to a news release from Nebraska State Patrol Information Coordinator Deb Collins, 24-year-old Jeffland R. Neversson, a Peru State College student, was taken into custody around 11 o'clock Monday morning without incident. Neversson was arrested at a residence in Peru and lodged in the Nemaha County Jail, charged with 1st degree assault and use of a weapon to commit a felony.**

**About 10:15 Saturday night the Nemaha County Sheriff's office responded to a report of a disturbance and stabbing near the 1000 block of 5th Street in Peru. The Nebraska State Patrol was requested to assist with the incident and investigation.**

**Those injured in the incident were 20-year-old Elijah Lavalais-Hawkins, of Omaha, 19-year-old Larry Hodnett, of Rubendale, Georgia and 23-year-old Anthony Hemingway, of Brooklyn, New York. Hawkins and Hodnett are members of the Peru State football team. Hemingway is a member of the Peru State basketball team.**

**According to the news release, Hawkins and Hodnett were both transported to the Nemaha County Hospital in Auburn and then flown with non-life threatening injuries by medical helicopter to the Bryan Trauma Center in Lincoln. Hemingway was treated at the Nemaha County Hospital and released.**

**The investigation into what led to the disturbance and stabbings continues.**

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