Orioles take A.L. pennant with 3-0 win

CHICAGO, ILL. (AP) — The Baltimore Orioles have emerged from the shadow of Earl Weaver and into an era of Joe Altobelli.

Winners of five American League pennants in the 15 years Weaver managed the club, the Orioles won their first under Altobelli Saturday by beating the Chicago White Sox, 3-0, in 10 innings.

The victory engineered by the combined shutout pitching of Storm Davis and Tippy Martinez and sparked by Tito Landrum's 10th-inning homer, gave the Orioles the best-of-five championship series, 3-1.

"We are all heroes," said Landrum. "We had to get to this game for me to do what I did today."

The Most Valuable Player award of the series went to Mike Boddicker, Baltimore's rookie right-hander from Norway, Ia., who pitched a five-hitter and struck out 14 in the Orioles' pivotal 4-0 victory in Game Two Thursday night.

That victory came on the heels of Chicago's opening 2-1 triumph at Baltimore in which LaMarr Hoyt pitched a five-hitter.

"We just try to stick with what we do best," Boddicker said. "Most of our guys know the hitters pretty well, and those who don't go to the older guys, like Jim Palmer or Scott McGregor."

Pitching was perhaps the overriding reason the Orioles continued as the winningest team in baseball. They held the White Sox, who scored a league-leading 800 runs this season, to three runs in four games.

After Boddicker's 4-0 victory, the Orioles won on Friday, 11-1, and then blanked the White Sox again Saturday.

The Orioles now have played in more playoff games (26), won more games (18) and played in more series (7) than any other club in league playoff history.

Least Likely Heroes

Landrum may have typified the Orioles' success in this series. There was Boddicker, the rookie; platoon player Gary Roenicke, who appeared in three games, drove in four runs, had three hits including a homer, and walked five times, and Eddie Murray, who had gone 0-for-29 in postseason games dating back to 1979 before hitting a three-run homer in the first inning Friday night.

They were, in some ways, the least likely heroes.

And then, there was Landrum, who joined the Orioles from St. Louis on Aug. 31, the final day for eligibility in the playoffs, in a deal that sent third baseman Floyd Rayford to the Cardinals. Landrum, who began the season with the Cards, was with their Louisville club in the American Association when he got the call.

He started Games Two and Four because Dan Ford reinjured his right foot in Game One.

"I found out about the trade on the 28th (of August)," Landrum said. "We were in Indianapolis, so I packed my bags and joined the team in Toronto.

"It was definitely a blessing for me," he said. "I start the season with St. Louis, go down to Louisville, and here I am with the Baltimore Orioles."

And for Altobelli, the man who had to answer all the questions about succeeding Earl Weaver, this victory was a relief.

"This was a big game because if we had lost we would have had to face a very tough pitcher (LaMarr Hoyt) tomorrow," Altobelli said. "Boy, am I glad we won this one."

White Sox Manager Tony LaRussa had no postmortem to make at the day's end. "They outplayed us, and they deserved to win," he said. "We weren't quite good enough at the end."

Squandered Opportunities

The Orioles, who had squandered one scoring opportunity after another Saturday against left-hander Britt Burns, they finally ended it on an unlikely note.

Burns struck out John Shelby to start the 10th, and he had a 1-and-0 count when Landrum hit his fourth major-league homer into the upper deck in left field against a howling

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HEY HEY, GOODBYE

BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Shelby cf	5	0	1	0	R.Law cf	5	0	0	0
Landrum rf	5	1	2	1	Fisk c	5	0	1	0
Ripken ss	3	1	1	0	Baines rf	4	0	2	0
E.Murray 1b	5	1	3	0	Luzinski dh	5	0	0	0
G.Roenicke lf	2	0	1	1	Paciorek lf	5	0	1	0
Singleton dh	2	0	0	0	Walker 1b	2	0	1	0
Bumbry pr	0	0	0	0	Squires 1b	1	0	0	0
Ford ph	1	0	0	0	V.Law 3b	4	0	1	0
Lowenstein ph	0	0	0	0	Dybzinski ss	4	0	1	0
Ayala ph	0	0	0	1	Ju.Cruz 2b	3	0	3	0
Dauer 2b	4	0	0	0					
T.Cruz 3b	4	0	0	0					
Dempsey c	4	0	1	0					
Totals	35	3	9	3	Totals	38	0	10	0

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Chicago ..... 000 000 000 0 — 0

Game-winning RBI — Landrum (1).

DP — Baltimore 1, Chicago 2. LOB — Baltimore 10, Chicago 11. HR — Landrum (1). SB — Ju.Cruz 2 (2). S — Dauer. SF — Ayala.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
BALTIMORE						
G.Davis	6	5	0	0	2	2
T.Martinez (W,1-0)	4	5	0	0	1	4
CHICAGO						
Burns (L,0-1)	9⅓	6	1	1	5	8
Barojas	0	3	2	2	0	0
Agosto	⅓	0	0	0	0	0
Lamp	⅓	0	0	0	0	0

G.Davis pitched to one batter in the 7th, Barojas pitched to three batters inthe 10th.

HBP — by Burns (G.Roenicke). BK — T.Martinez. T — 3:41. A — 45,477.

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Hawks sail; Cyclone FG nails Kansas

MAURY WHITE

Back to work for Olejniczak

IOWA CITY, IA. — There has been much attention given, all of it glowing, to the "rebirth" of customs and traditions leading up to the homecoming game in the nest of Herky the Hawk, and that fits nicely with other of the pleasant revivals that appeared during the game itself Saturday.

Like a crisp, productive Iowa offense that kept the football moving forward, unlike last week's 33-0 offensive stall at Illinois. Like a healthy Eddie Phillips, running with the exuberance of days of yore. And, praise the Lord, like one more big day in the sun for Lon Olejniczak, a gutty guy whose football career was given up as lost by injury by almost everyone except — roll those drums, please — Lon Olejniczak.

The foe was Northwestern, which is not exactly as formidable as the Dallas Cowboys, and a comfortable Big Ten victory was expected. Chuck Long showed up with arm, eyes and brain all keenly tuned and a pleasant, 61-21 afternoon of the football equivalent of "batting practice" kept everyone in a good mood.

LON OLEJNICZAK

A week ago, in the debacle at Illinois, Hayden Fry was photographed late in the game with hands held up and out in the "What happened?" position. This day, those same hands were plunged deep in the Iowa coach's side pockets as he happily watched the windup, chomping a hunk of gum with unrelenting ferocity.

And when it was all over, and the showers had been taken, and Fry had finished talking with the media about the Big Ten record 713 yards of total offense, Fry was heading up the stairs to the dressing room just as Olejniczak was coming down to answer questions.

"Proud of you, Lon," said Fry. It was exactly what most of the 66,125 who had gathered in Kinnick Stadium would have said, given a chance to speak to the fifth-year senior from Decorah, now a "born-again" tight end.

OLEJNICZAK'S STRUGGLE to play is so well-known that it will be only briefly replayed. An all-state quarterback at Decorah, he played tight end for the Hawkeyes as a sophomore, was moved to wingback the next spring and Fry drooled about having a 6-foot 4-inch, 225-pounder at this position.

"He's our best athlete," said Fry, with very good reason. The talented son of Dennis and Paula Olejniczak also did some of the punting and place-kicking and was so sure-handed he was drafted to return punts.

"There's no doubt in my mind he's going to be a star, if he stays in one piece," said Fry. "But I've never seen a young man who cared less about his own body when diving for a pass."

The key words there are "if he stays in one piece." On Sept. 9, 1981, after kicking an extra point in a 20-7 upset of UCLA, Lon had both bones in

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61-21 breeze shreds Iowa record book

Hawks set Big Ten mark with 713 total yards

By BUCK TURNBULL
Register Staff Writer

IOWA CITY, IA. — Iowa went on a record-smashing binge Saturday to overwhelm Northwestern, 61-21, and quickly heal the wounds of an embarrassing shutout loss at Illinois the week before.

Quarterback Chuck Long raised the school passing mark he already held to a whopping 420 yards as the aroused Hawkeyes established a Big Ten record with 713 yards in total offense.

"We redeemed ourselves for that terrible showing last week," said Iowa Coach Hayden Fry. "A lot of different people did a lot of things very well."

They sure did. Records fell so fast it was hard to keep track of them, including the longest touchdown pass play in Kinnick Stadium history — from reserve quarterback Tom Grogan to freshman speedster Robert Smith for 86 yards.

In all, 17 records were broken or tied before a happy Hawkeye homecoming throng of 66,125.

Long, who had been sacked seven times in the Illinois debacle, had things pretty much his own way against the outclassed Wildcats. Chuck passed for three touchdowns and scored one himself.

Quick Scoring

The 15th-ranked Hawkeyes, improving their season record to 4-1, scored the first three times they had the ball and on six of their first eight possessions.

The game was all but over in the first quarter when Iowa jumped off to a 17-0 lead. It mounted to 34-7 by halftime and Iowa went on to finish with two touchdowns in every quarter.

"We went out with something to prove after last week," said Long, "and when you set a Big Ten record for total offense, I guess we accomplished what we set out to prove.

"It really felt good to get back in the groove again. The offensive line did a great job of pass protection. Sometimes it seemed like I had 10 seconds back there to find an open receiver."

Long's scoring passes went for 18 yards to Lon Olejniczak, 19 to Dave Moritz and a 60-yard beauty to Ronnie Harmon, who hauled three Northwestern defenders on his back into the end zone.

"I couldn't believe how many tackles he broke — but that's Ronnie Harmon for you," marveled Long.

Kicker Tommy Nichol joined in the record-setting festivities with two field goals and seven extra points, passing Dusty Rice to become the leading scorer in Iowa football history.

Bright Future

With the rest of this season and another year to go, Nichol will far surpass the career mark of 126 points Rice scored in 1951-53.

The junior from Green Bay, Wis., now has totaled 138 points. He also tied a school kick-scoring record with Saturday's 13 points.

And Long, of course, is another junior who will leave here owning all sorts of records. He has passed for 3,161 yards to rank second in Hawkeye annals behind Gary Snook,

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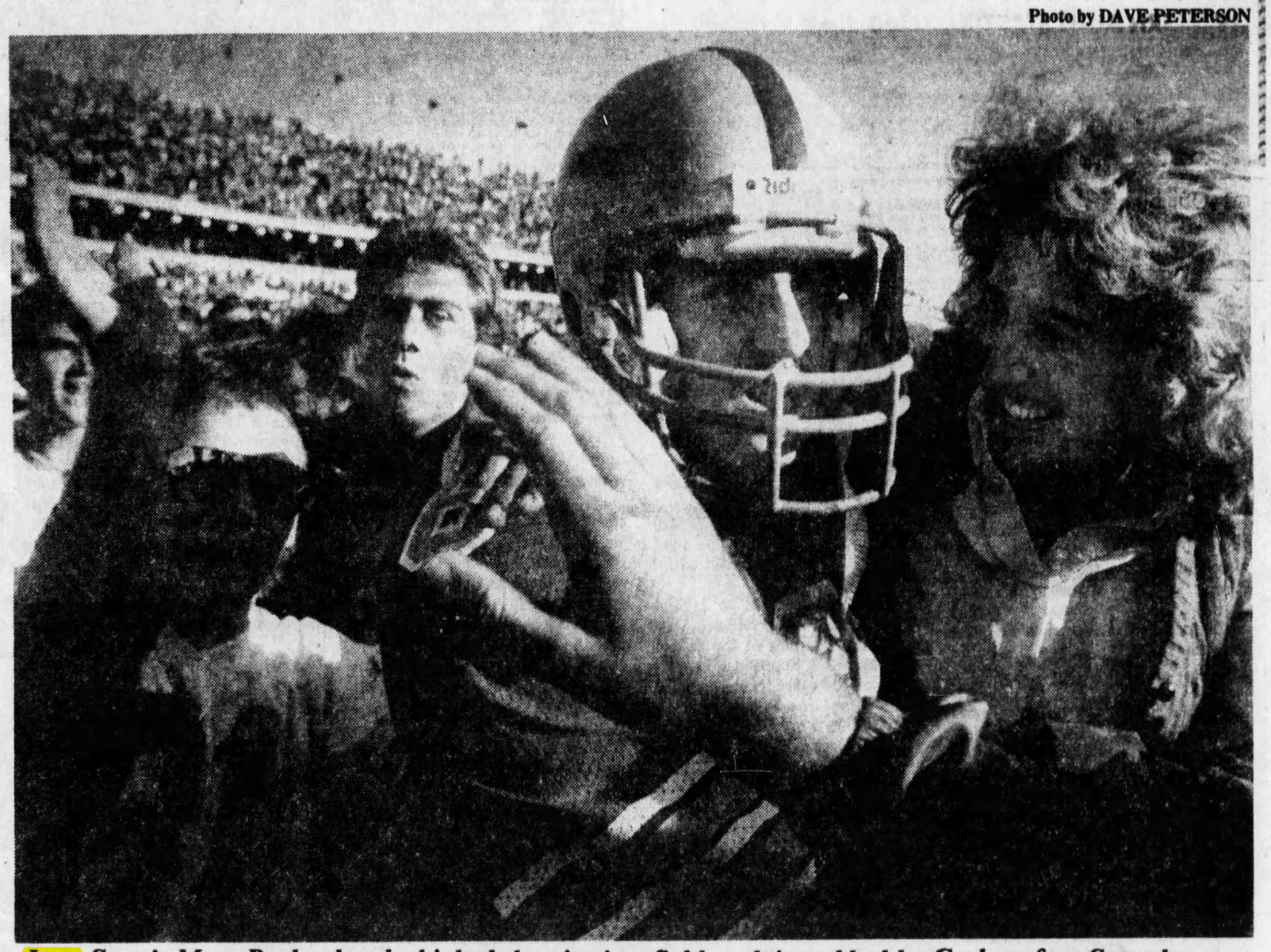
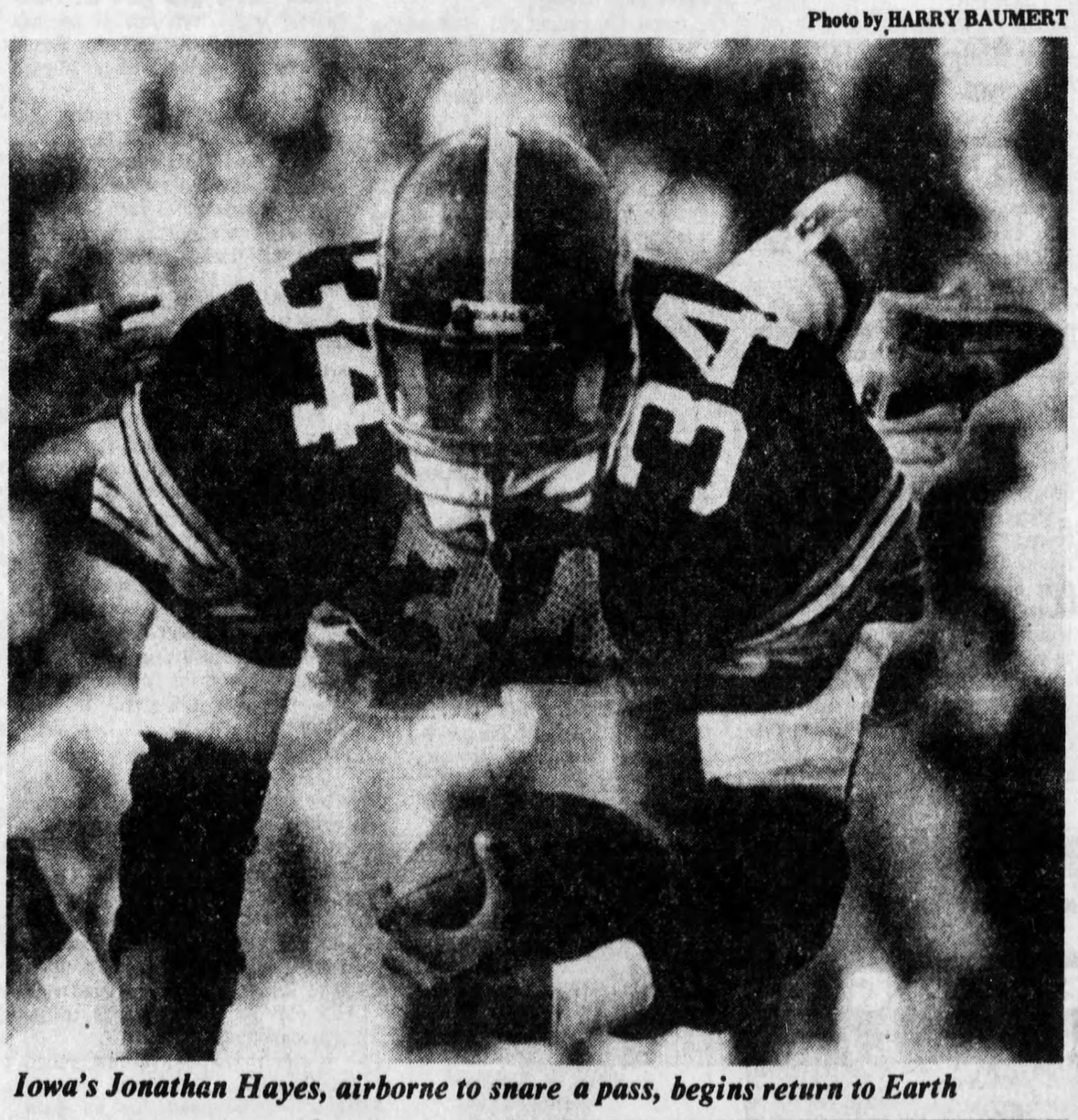


Iowa State's Marc Bachrodt, who kicked the winning field goal, is mobbed by Cyclone fans Saturday

Photo by HARRY BAUMERT



Iowa's Jonathan Hayes, airborne to snare a pass, begins return to Earth

47-yard boot gives ISU 38-35 win

300-yard air show helps win conference opener

By RON MALY
Register Staff Writer

AMES, IA. — Pull the nails out of the coffin, and cancel the burial service. Iowa State's football team now is alive and well.

The turnaround came Saturday, thanks to a dramatic 47-yard field goal by walk-on Marc Bachrodt that capped a fourth-quarter comeback, a brilliant 300-yard passing performance by David Archer and other Cyclone heroics.

The result was a wild 38-35 victory over Kansas, which upset Southern California two weeks ago and was primed to add a fourth loss to Iowa State's 1-3 record.

Instead, the Big Eight Conference opener had 48,125 fans limp at the end. The crowd had watched Iowa State storm back from a 35-21 deficit to tie, then saw Bachrodt leap and raise his arms jubilantly after booting his decisive field goal as time ran out. The winning field goal was his fifth in five tries this season.

Among those in attendance were a couple of members of the Orange Bowl committee, but don't get the wrong idea. The Orange Bowl folks were visiting every home game played by a Big Eight school Saturday.

It turned out they saw quite a show here.

Kickers generally are very interesting and talkative. Bachrodt, like

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Injuries to Huffords dampen big victory

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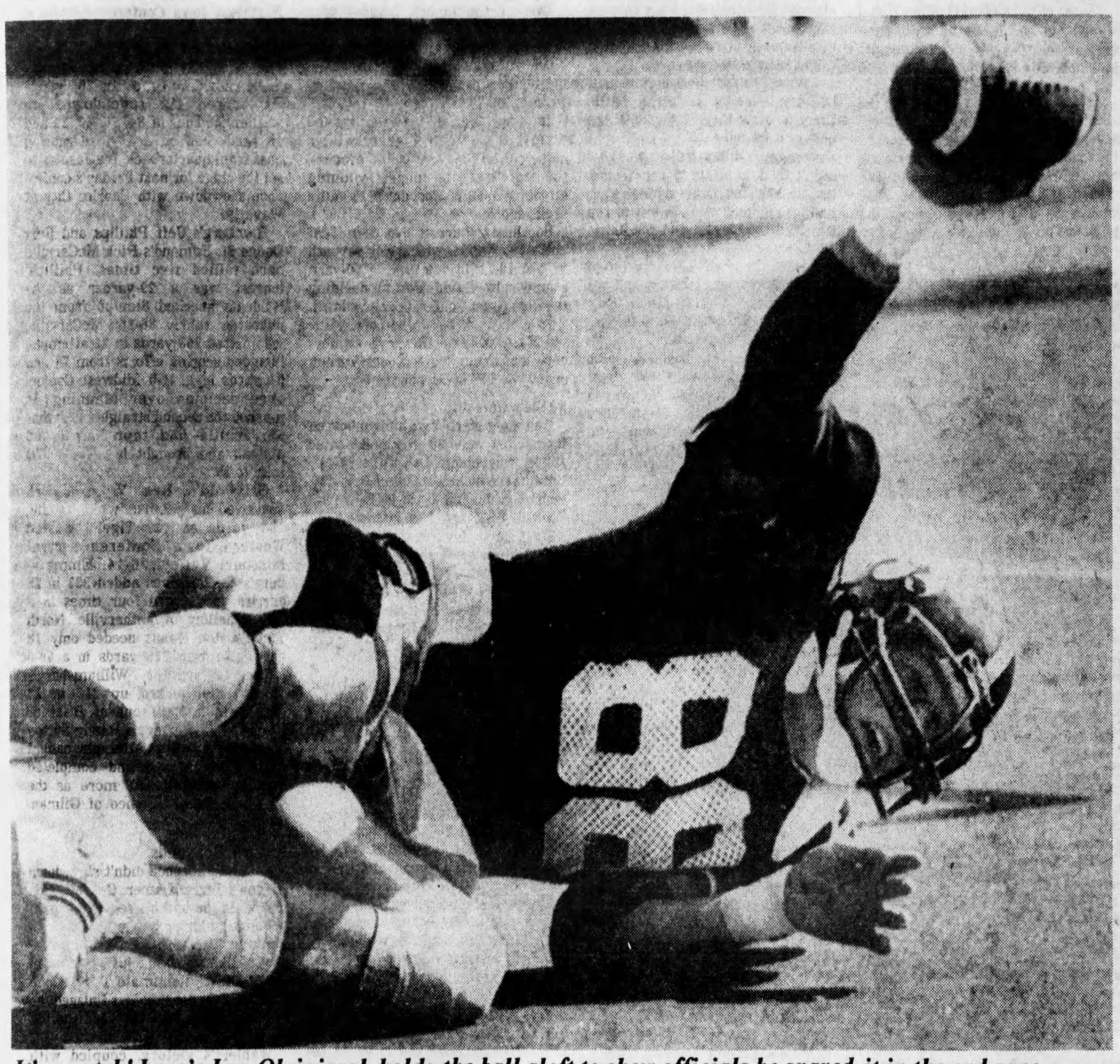
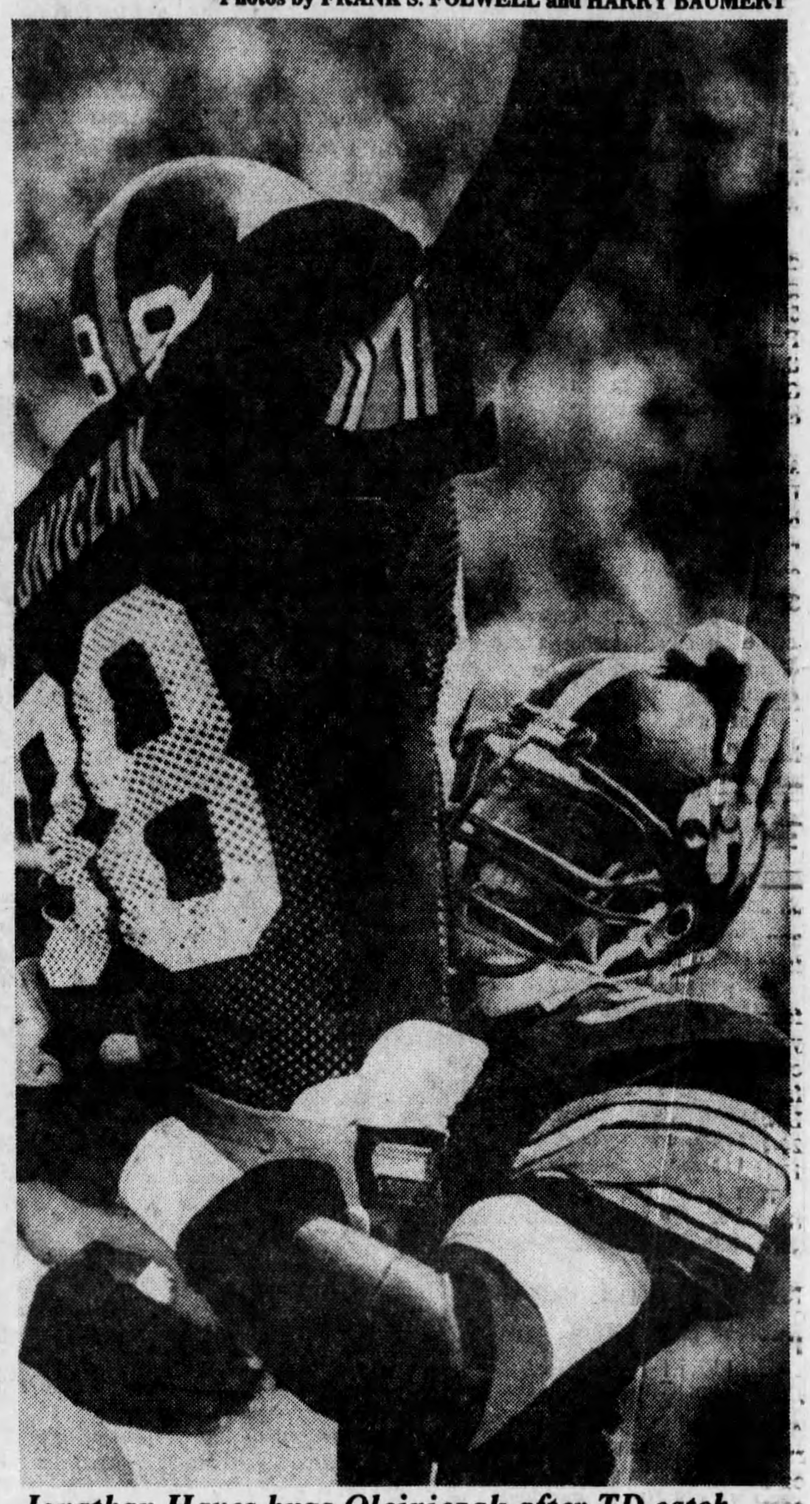


It's a catch! Iowa's Lon Olejniczak holds the ball aloft to show officials he snared it in the end zone



Jonathan Hayes hugs Olejniczak after TD catch

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who passed for 3,738 yards back in the 1960s.

Oddly, Chuck also racked up a single-game Iowa mark for total offense, but it was less than his passing yardage. He was thrown for 22 yards in losses, which reduced his total for the day to 398.

Long shattered his own school passing best of 345 yards in the Penn State game earlier this season, and he wiped out the Hawkeye total-offense record of 371 by Pete Gales against Purdue in 1980.

"I've loved the way Chuck Long plays ever since he was in high school," said Northwestern Coach Dennis Green of the Wheaton, Ill., product. "We tried to recruit him, but he loved Iowa more."

Did Green think alma mater Iowa might have been pouring it on in the late stages?

"Nothing like that bothers me," replied Green. "I don't have to worry about what other people do, just what I do."

Sad Statistics

The Wildcats lost their fourth game in five starts this year, and in their five meetings against Fry-coached Iowa teams, they've been shelled by a combined 253-37.

"We really needed this game," said Fry. "I just wish we had played Northwestern last week and then caught Illinois this week.

"The three emotional games we played to start the season caught up with us when we went to Illinois. But that's just the way the schedule fell.

"I challenged our team to come go out and see if we could improve after the way we were embarrassed at Illinois. And when you pass for 575 yards (another school record), I'd say we did a pretty good job.

"You always hate to see anybody lose by that score, but I'm not going to be the guy to tell our walk-ons who get in for only a few plays to roll over and play dead."

After Long had passed for 287 yards in the first half, Fry said he told the team he wanted Chuck to stay in the game until he broke his record and got to 400 yards.

Why 400? "Because it sounds better than 300," said Fry with a grin.

Wildcat Has Good Day

Meanwhile, Northwestern sophomore quarterback Sandy Schwab had a fair day himself. He hit 25 of 40 passes for 251 yards but surrendered three interceptions — to Mike Stoops, Ken Sims and Steve Brown.

Tailback Ricky Edwards caught 11 of Schwab's throws for 108 yards in the free-wheeling show.

But Iowa had two receivers who accounted for more yardage than that with just five catches each, Harmon piling up 122 yards and Moritz 114. Smith's two catches netted 105 yards.

Smith outmaneuvered Northwestern strong safety Dean Koester to work himself into the clear for the record-setting pass from Grogan, and in a foot race few will overhaul Rapid Robert.

"It was my first chance for a touchdown this year," said Smith, "and I was really concentrating on making the catch before I took off. It was a real thrill for me because my mother was here to see me play for the first time."

Statistics

	NW	Iowa
First downs	22	32
Rushes-yards	25-27	39-138
Passing yards	304	575
Return yards	-2	37
Passes	29-46-3	28-43-0
Punts	7-44.9	1-42
Fumbles-lost	2-0	3-1
Penalties-yards	6-69	8-85

SCORING

Northwestern	0	7	7	7	— 21
Iowa	17	17	14	13	— 61

I — Long 1 run (Nichol kick)
I — Olejniczak 18 pass from Long (Nichol kick)
I — FG Nichol 45
NW — Schwab 9 run(Duvic kick)
I — Phillips 3 run (Nichol kick)
I — Phillips 8 run (Nichol kick)
I — FG Nichol 32
I — Moritz 19 pass from Long (Nichol kick)
NW — Edwards 5 run (Duvic kick)
I — Harmon 60 pass from Long (Nichol kick)
I — Smith 86 pass from Grogan (Nichol kick)
I — Helverson 15 pass from Robertson (Kick failed)
NW - Harvey 6 pass from Burton (Duvic kick)
A — 66,125

Individual Statistics

RUSHING

N'WESTERN	No.	Yds.	IOWA	No.	Yds.
S.Burton	5	27	Phillips	13	61
Weeks	1	5	Gill	7	31
Edwards	8	4	Bush	3	28
R.Burton	1	2	Granger	2	20
Robertson	1	2	Jackson	2	11
Ignatowicz	2	0	Grogan	1	9
Schwab	7	-13	Buggs	1	6
			Harmon	1	-6
			Long	9	-22

PASSING

Northwestern	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.
Schwab	25	40	3	251
S.Burton	4	6	0	53
Iowa	**Comp.**	**Att.**	**Int.**	**Yds.**
Long	23	33	0	420
Grogan	3	7	0	128
Robertson	2	3	0	27

RECEIVING

N'WESTERN	No.	Yds.	IOWA	No.	Yds.
Edwards	11	108	Harmon	5	122
Harvey	7	107	Moritz	5	114
Jenkins	3	34	Broghamer	3	45
Halik	3	13	Oleiniczak	3	28
E.Andrsn	2	17	Phillips	3	21
Coates	2	20	Smith	2	105
R.Burton	1	5	Happel	1	53
			LoveHordan	1	23
			Helverson	1	15
			Granger	1	14
			Hayes	1	14
			Hammann	1	12
			Hufford	1	9

TACKLE LEADERS

N'WESTERN	U.	A.	IOWA	U	A
Bodditi	7	5	Davis	9	3
Woods	5	1	Creer	6	1
Koester	5	1	Sims	5	2
Lofton	5	0	Hooks	4	1
Quelding	4	3	Chambers	3	2
Bennett	4	3			
Flaherty	4	3			

Season Records

IOWA			NORTHWESTERN		
51	Iowa State	10	0	Washington	34
42	Penn State	34	0	Syracuse	35
20	Ohio State	14	10	Indiana	8
0	Illinois	33	0	Wisconsin	49
61	Northwestern	21	21	Iowa	61
	Purdue			at Michigan	
	at Michigan			Minnesota	
	Indiana			at Purdue	
	at Wisconsin			Michigan State	
	at Michigan State			at Ohio State	
	Minnesota			Illinois	

The Grogan-to-Smith bomb gave Iowa a 55-14 lead midway in the last quarter and erased the old Kinnick Stadium record of 82 yards by Michigan State's Kirk Gibson on a pass from Charlie Baggett in 1975.

Tailback Eddie Phillips led Iowa's ground attack with 13 carries for 61 yards and two touchdowns on short runs. Owen Gill, hampered by injuries lately, played sparingly and had 31 yards in seven tries.

Time-Consuming Drive

Iowa consumed almost half the first quarter on a 14-play, 74-yard march after taking the opening kickoff, with Long sneaking for the final yard.

Early in this advance, however, starting tight end Mike Hufford suffered a knee injury. Later, brother Paul, an important cog in Iowa's defensive line, also hurt a knee.

Their injuries tempered Fry's enthusiasm afterwards, and the coach called it "a costly victory" if the two are lost for any length of time.

"The doctor wouldn't even make a guess on how long they might be out," said Fry, and he added that he didn't know if Paul Hufford's was the same knee that had required rehabilitation after being severely injured in a high school wrestling match.

Olejniczak, who has had his own injury woes after breaking a leg in 1980, replaced Mike Hufford and made a diving catch of Long's 18-yard pass in the end zone for the second touchdown.

That march, incidentally, showed just how effective Long was on this day. His passes accounted for all 80 yards — five completions in six attempts.

Record Builder

Nichol broke the Iowa career record with his second extra point, then began adding to it with a 45-yard field goal before the first quarter ended.

Schwab's nine-yard scoring run interrupted the onesided proceedings, but on Iowa's first play after that, Long unloaded a 50-yard pitch to Moritz to set up the first touchdown by Phillips.

At this stage, just midway in the second period, Long had already clicked on 14 of his 19 attempts for 253 yards — an excellent day for most passers.

An eight-yard sprint around end by Phillips hiked the count to 31-7, and Nichol tacked on a 32-yard field goal as time expired in the opening half.

The teams traded touchdowns to begin the third quarter, Long firing his 19-yarder to Moritz and Edwards scoring from five yards out for the Wildcats.

Long capped his brilliant performance late in the quarter and went to the bench after teaming with Harmon on their 60-yard effort.

Iowa was in a seemingly hopeless third-and-25 situation at the time, and Harmon brought the fans to their feet with a roar as he began shedding Wildcats before bulling into the end zone with three of them unable to stop him.

D.M. Preps Shine

Then came the Grogan-to-Smith pass, followed on Iowa's next possession by a 15-yard scoring strike from third-string quarterback Cornelius Robertson to Scott Helverson, a junior reserve wide receiver from East Des Moines.

Another former Des Moines prep had a memorable day, too. Linebacker George Davis, a redshirt freshman from Dowling of West Des Moines, led the Hawkeye defenders with 12 tackles, nine of which were unassisted.

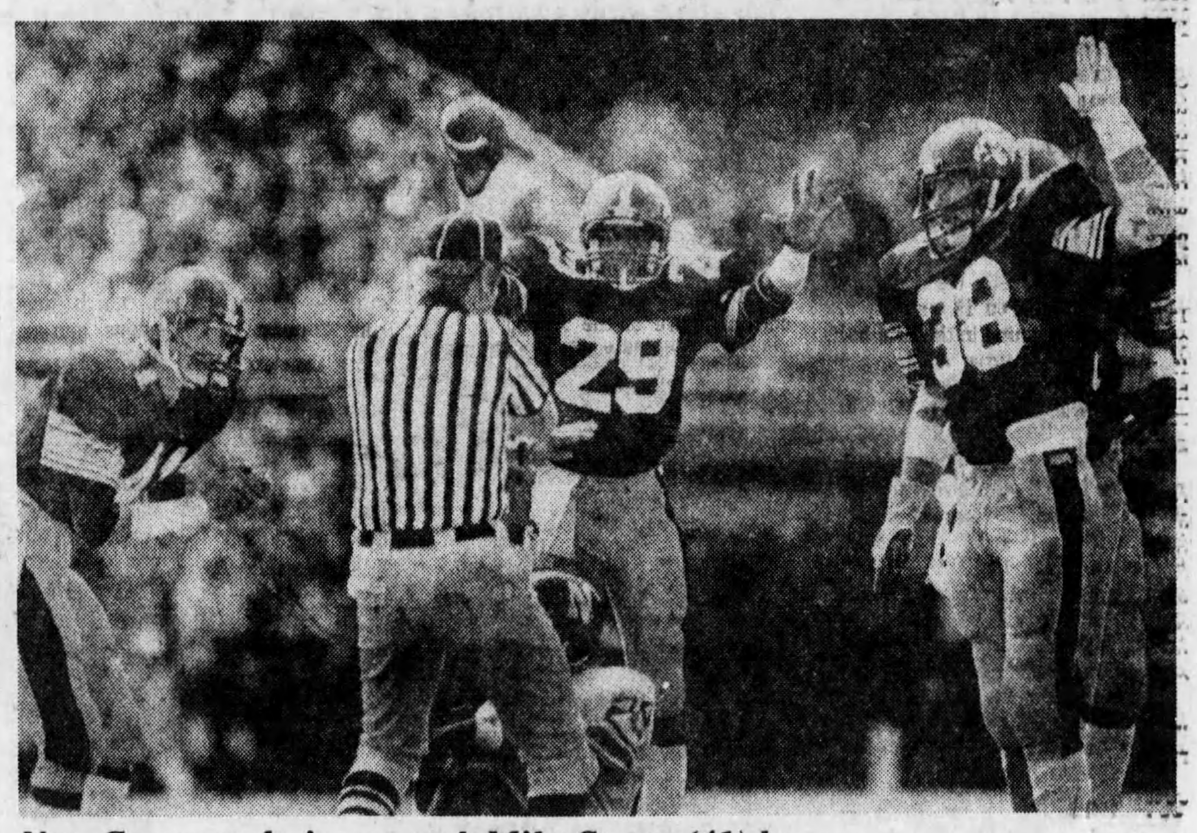
Northwestern got its other touchdown in the final minute on a six-yard pass from sub quarterback Steve Burton to Jon Harvey.

The Hawkeyes hiked their Big Ten record to 2-1 and will be at home again next Saturday against Purdue.

"We have a lot of courageous guys," said Fry. "We've had to hold so many of them out of practice with injuries, but they keep coming back.

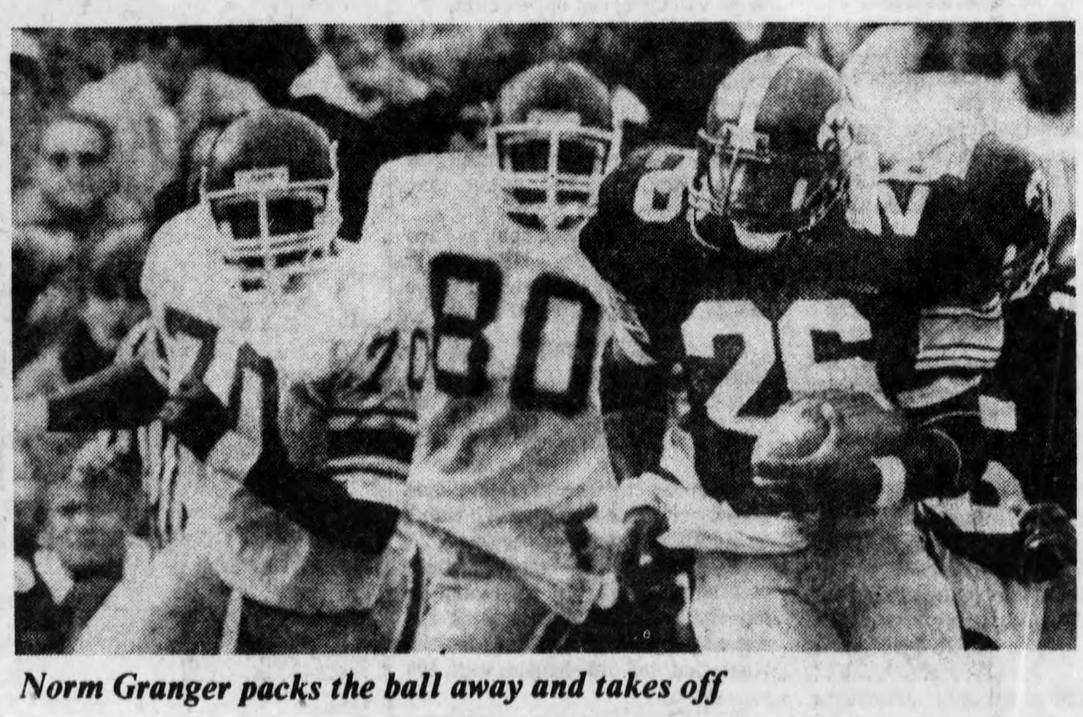
"We're starting to run out of people at certain positions. Barring injury, we should do all right the rest of the season. We have a good football team."

Saturday the Hawkeyes couldn't have been much better.



Nate Creer says he intercepted; Mike Stoops (41) begs; Kevin Spitzig (38) signals first down; but official says no

George Little leaps to thwart a pass



Norm Granger packs the ball away and takes off