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AP photo

Miami's Dan Marino eyes his record 37th touchdown pass Sunday

Raiders ruin Marino's day

MIAMI (AP) - Dan Marino, who is creating a new standard for National Football League quarterbacks in only his second professional season,

reached another plateau Sunday. But a couple of guys who may some day join him

in Pro Football's Hall of Fame cut into his celebration. Marino threw for 470 yards and four touchdowns to shatter the NFL season record of 36 that he tied

last Monday night. He now has 40 for the season. But it was Mike Haynes and Marcus Allen who prevalied as they led the Los Angeles Raiders to a 45-34 win in a see-saw shootout that just about guaranteed the defending Super Bowl champs a spot in the playoffs.

Haynes started Miami's problems by picking off a Marino pass on the Dolphins' first series and returning it 97 yards for a touchdown. He compounded them in the fourth quarter with a 54yard return of another interception that set up a

touchdown that gave the Raiders an 11-point lead. And Allen, the Most Valuable Player of last year's Super Bowl, ran for three touchdowns, including a 52-yarder that clinched the game with 1:43 left. He had 156 yards on 20 carries.

"It was very nice to get the opportunity to break the record, but it would have been nicer if we'd had

the opportunity to win," said Marino, whose 40 TD passes put him four better than Y.A. Tittle of the 1963 New York Giants and George Blanda of the 1961 Houston Oilers of the old American Football League. Both did it in 14 games, the same number that Marino has now played.

If Marino was playing for records — the Dolphins, now 12-2, have clinched the AFC East — the Raiders were playing for survival. And they survived — at 10-4, the only way they can miss the final AFC wild-card spot now is if they lose both their

remaining games and the New England Patriots win "There's no question it was a big win," said Raider Coach Tom Flores. "It's one more step

toward what we're looking for and that's a wild-card

The game between two of the league's best teams, which continually swung back and forth, swung for the final time midway through the fourth period and

With the ball on his own 25-yard line, L.A. quarterback Marc Wilson avoided a Miami rush, and fired to Dokie Williams, who had gotten behind William Judson, for the score that put Los Angeles ahead 27-24.

it was in the Raiders' direction.

Krieg's 5 TD passes put Seattle into lead

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Mike Tice caught Dave Krieg's club-record fifth touchdown pass in a 38-17 Seattle victory over the Detroit Lions Sunday and then revealed something about the red-hot Seahawk quarterback.

"I think a lot of things were said at the beginning of the season that Dave Krieg was not the quarterback to get us into the Super Bowl," the tight end said with a smile.

"Well, he heard those comments. Maybe not outwardly but inwardly he's out to show people he's a touchdown passing day and credited winner. Well, he doesn't have to his offensive line and wide receivers show anybody in my opinion. David for a job well done. Krieg's a winner. He knows how to "It doesn't matter how you score get the job done. He's playing the as long as you score," the modest best football of any quarterback in former free agent from defunct 8. the NFL. He's right up there with Danny Marino."

helped the streaking Seahawks, who don't come into the dressing room backed into the National Football League playoffs earlier in the day, down passes." record their eighth straight win and move into sole possession of first place in the AFC West.

The Seahawks, who learned they had qualified for the playoffs for the be," he said. second straight year when New England's loss was announced during their first quarter, improved backs. their record to 12-2 as Denver lost. deadlocked with Seattle for first place in the AFC West.

Krieg, No. 2 in the NFL behind Miami's Marino with 29 touchdown passes, broke open a close game with a 51-yard TD strike to speedy

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rookie Daryl Turner with 1:43 gone in the final quarter. The score came with Seattle ahead only 21-17.

"David Krieg is just playing outstanding football," said Seattle Coach Chuck Knox. "He just keeps getting better week after week. He just keeps making the big play after the big play."

Krieg shrugged off his five- good.

Milton College of Wisconsin said. "Throwing five touchdown passes is Krieg's dazzling performance something that just happens. You thinking you can throw five touch-

Detroit Coach Monte Clark said the Seahawks belonged in first place in their division.

"They're right where they should

However, he refused to call Krieg

"There are a lot of quarterbacks interception. The Broncos, 11-3, started the day out there who are better," he said. Joe Montana fired a pair of first-"But today he was one of the best."

Chiefs 16, Broncos 13

KANSAS CITY, Mo. - Nick Lowery kicked three fourth-quarter field goals, including a 42-yarder

with 1:56 to go, to lift Kansas City. After Lowery's final field goal, Denver kicker Rich Karlis experienced a nightmarish replay of his last-second failure of the week before.

The Broncos pounded to the Chiefs' 25 and called on Karlis to kick the tying field goal with 10 seconds left. But, just as he had done the week before in a 27-24 loss to Seattle, his kick in the final seconds hit the upright and was no

The loss dropped Denver, whose 10-game winning streak was snapped by the Seahawks the week before, to 11-3. The Chiefs broke a four-game losing skid and went to 6-

49ers 35, Falcons 17

ATLANTA — San Francisco's defense created six turnovers, converting two into touchdowns on Gary Johnson's 33-yard fumble return and Dana McLemore's 54-yard interception return, as the 49ers gained their ninth straight road

The 49ers also got a five-yard scoring run from Roger Craig after one of the NFL's premier quarter- Keena Turner raced eight yards to the Atlanta nine with a pass

half touchdown passes — 64 yards to Freddie Solomon and six yards to Dwight Clark — as the NFC West champions lifted their record to 13-

1, marking only the 14th time in • Please turn to page 4B: NFL

Barry Davis eyes lowa's mat record

CEDAR FALLS -- Barry Davis moved five steps closer to becoming Iowa's winningest wrestler late Saturday night en route to the 126pound title at the Northern Iowa

No team scores were kept, but the Hawks were obviously the most dominate team, crowning six champions and having four runners-up. owa did all this without the services of all-Americans Duane Goldman (190) and Greg Randall (134). Both are nursing minor injuries.

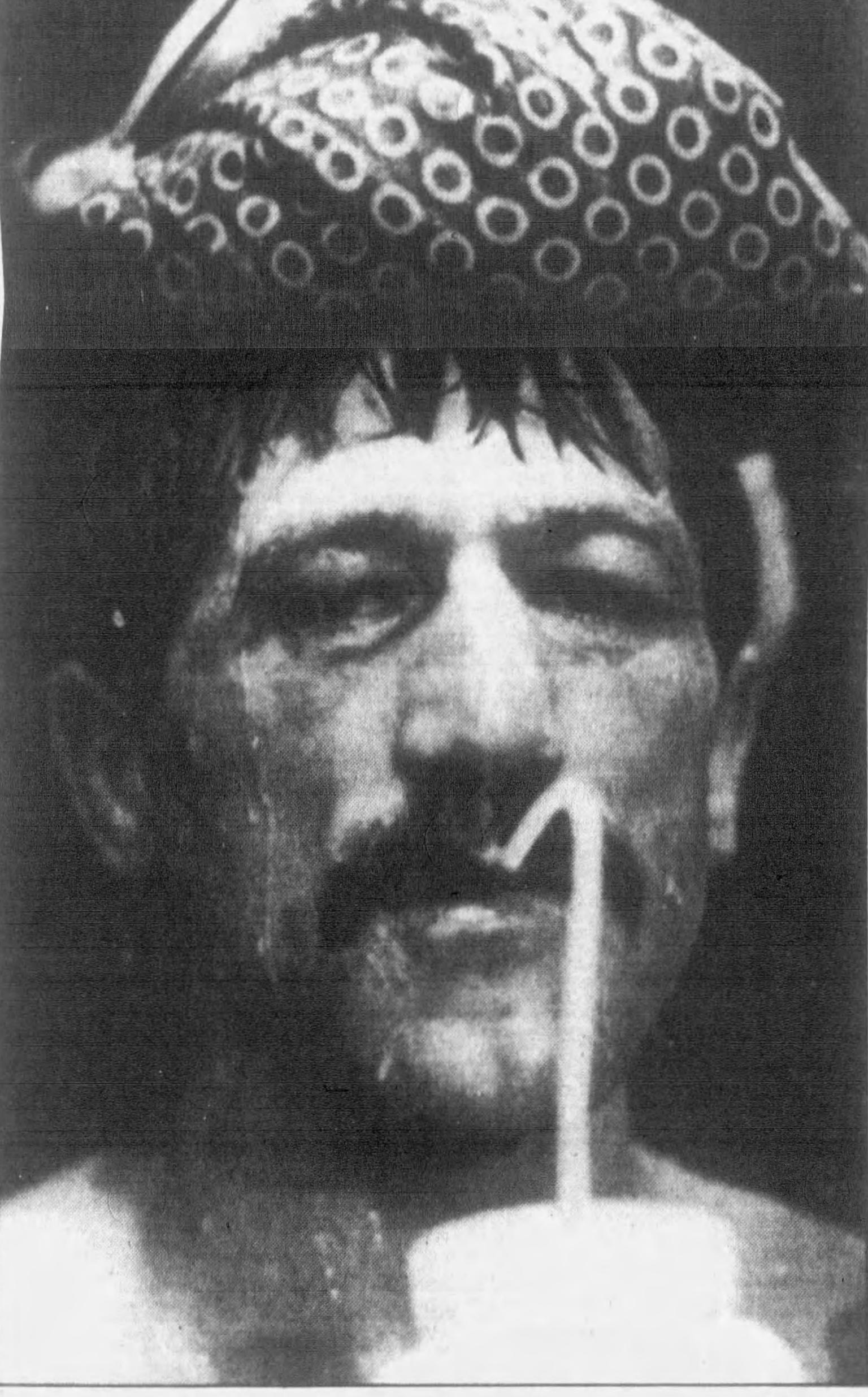
With the five wins Saturday, Davis raised his season record to 15-0 and his career mark to 134-8-1. Davis needs just eight victories to pass Ed Banach, who is tops in Iowa history with a 141-9-1 record.

Davis, a three-time state prep champ from Cedar Rapids Prairie and a two-time NCAA titlist, pinned his first four foes before thrashing Kyle Pressler of the Sioux Empire Wrestling Club, 21-12, for the title.

Other champs for the top-ranked Hawks Saturday were David Ray at 134, Kevin Dresser at 142, Jim Heffernan at 150, Marty Kistler at 158 and Lindley Kistler at 167. Matt Egeland (118), Royce Alger (158), David Martin (177) and Steve Wilbur (heavyweight) all finished sec-

Heffernan and Marty Kistler remained unbeaten.

Once again, Marty Kistler squared off against teammate Alger for the 158-pound title. Kistler beat • Please turn to 2B: Wrestling



MY ACHING HEAD — Luigi Minchillo of Italy sips on some water and has an ice bag on his head after losing the WBA junior middlweight title fight to Mike McCallum of Jamaica in Milan late Saturday night.

Fry's Hawkeyes catch a Rainbow in Hawaii, 17-6

By Gus Schrader

Gazette sports columnist ONOLULU, Hawaii — Until Iowa discovered a his 96 total yards. walk-on runner named Rick Bayless and Chuck Long rediscovered his receivers in the fourth quarter, the Hawkeye football team seemed headed for some kind of "Redemption Bowl" Saturday night.

The Hawkeyes stormed back to score 14 points in the fourth quarter for a 17-6 victory over the fired-up yarder on fourth down to Scott Helverson with 6:28 Hawaii Rainbows, sending the winners to their fourth straight post-season game with heads held high. Iowa (7-4-1) will play Texas (7-3-1) in the Freedom Bowl at Anaheim, Calif., Dec. 26.

Until the final quarter out here in mid-Pacific, however, that bowl game was getting desperate for some kind of winning touch. Iowa had lost two and tied one in its previous three games, and Texas earlier Saturday had suffered its third loss in four games. But, oh, that fourth quarter!

IN CASE YOU nodded off in front of your TV set slightly different version. back there at 2 a.m., you missed one of the most

inspiring Iowa finishes in many games. The Rainbows, eyeing this as their "bowl game" after being overlooked with the third best record (7-3 until then) in the school's history, were making a luau of Iowa's best efforts with a 6-3 lead before the first 50,000 crowd in beautiful Aloha Stadium, located just a couple of miles from the battleship Arizona memorial in Pearl Harbor.

In the final 15 minutes, Bayless, the lightly regarded freshman from Hugo, Minn., carried 13 times for 84 of

And Long, still tossed on the horns of a dilemma about his final season of college competition, completed six of seven passes for 53 yards. Among them was a three-yard pass to tight end Jonathan Hayes for the game's first touchdown with 11:03 to go and an eightremaining.

"Yes, I did go out of bounds on my pass route for that touchdown catch," admitted Helverson, "but I was pushed out by Hawaii's No. 7, Kurt Kafentzis. If a receiver is pushed out of bounds, he's still eligible, and the officials didn't make any issue of it.

"I WAS OPEN early, but I don't think Chuck saw me. When he had to scramble, I cut back toward the middle and got open so he could hit me perfectly."

Long, who completed 16 of 25 for the game, had a

"I did see Scott immediately after he broke," he said, "but the Hawaii man was on him and it might have been a tight squeeze. So I waited until he broke inside. The big danger in scrambling is you are in danger of losing your receivers, but Scott did a great job of getting

On the TD pass to Hayes, who caught seven of Long's passes for 44 yards, Long said: "We caught Hawaii sleeping a little on that one. Jonathan was the only

We'll certainly have to see about putting Rick (Bayless) on scholarship.. Rick did a tremendous job of carrying the ball. 99

-Hayden Fry

receiver we sent out and he was wide open behind his

Bayless, a youngster whose first name is even incorrectly listed as "William" in Iowa's football brochure, is so humble he looks forward to making the traveling squad because then he gets to eat with his teammates. As a non-scholarship player, he cannot eat at the training table back home.

"WE'LL CERTAINLY have to see about putting Rick on scholarship," beamed Coach Hayden Fry. "I'll talk with Carl Jackson (assistant who coaches Iowa running backs). Rick did a tremendous job of carrying the ball.

"I'm going to join the medics, shuffling all our players who were wounded. We knew Owen Gill probably would be able to play only a quarter or two, and that's what happened. He had two bad ankles and a shoulder injury."

Gill played only the first 20 minutes and gained 33 yards in 11 carries. Bayless got 96 yards in 16 trips after Gill limped out, and he caught two passes for 42 yards. One of them was a little shovel pass up the middle from Long for 37 yards to set up Tom Nichol's 41-yard

field goal with 1:08 left in the first quarter. "I should have gone all the way on that one, and I thought I was going to until somebody caught me," said Bayless, a refreshingly modest kid who insisted, "I really don't know how I run when I carry the ball because our high school was so small that we never shot game films, so I never got to see himself in action.

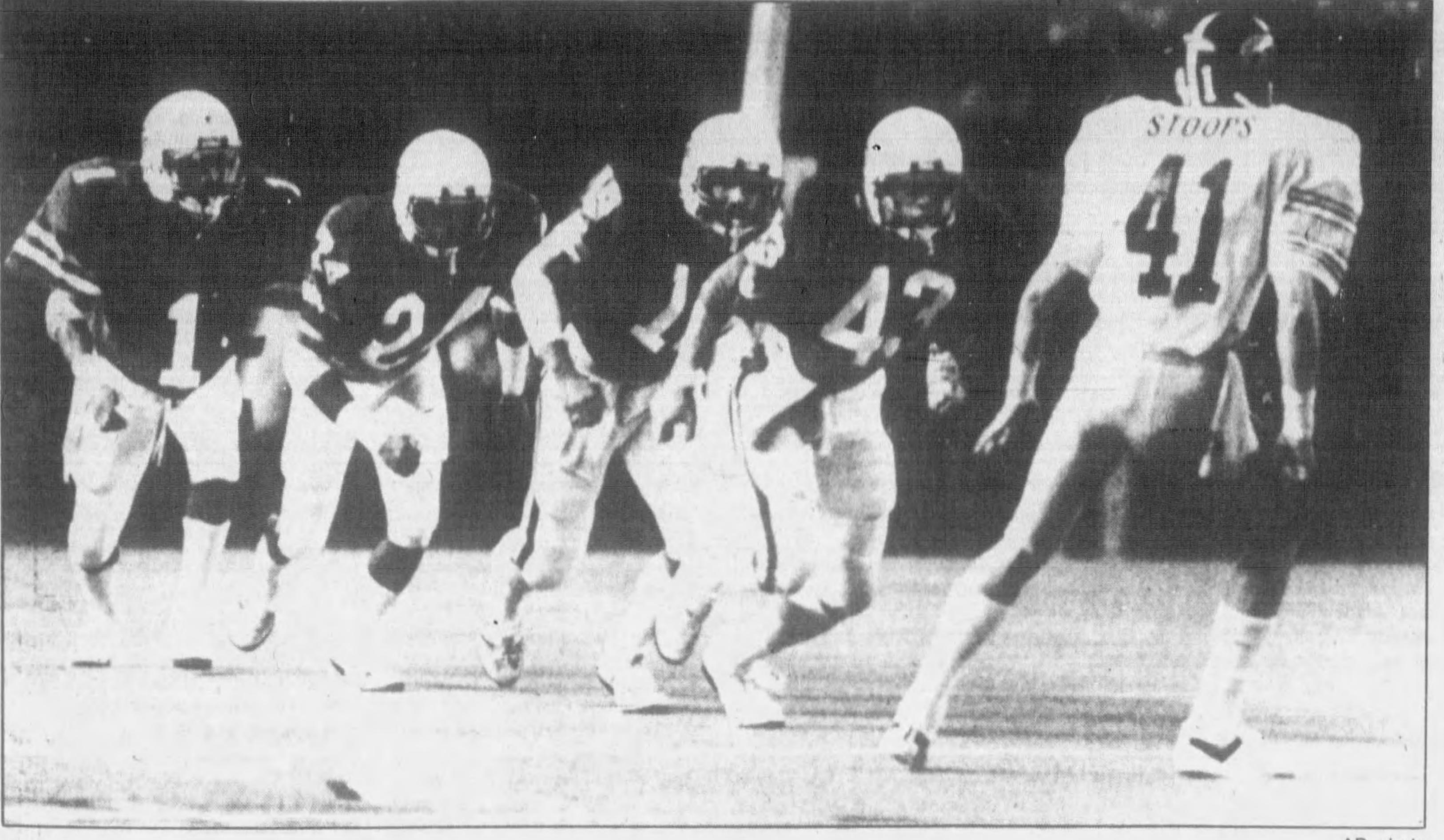
"I had carried the ball only 10 times (for 42 yards) all season before tonight. When Owen Gill was hurt, the coaches told me to be ready. No, I had no idea whether Owen would be able to come back in the second half. The guys gave me some great blocks, and I just did my

BAYLESS WAS asked if he thought anyone stayed up until 2:30 a.m. Sunday in Hugo, Minn., to hear the Iowa game broadcast.

"Yes, my folks probably did," he said. "They can get WHO radio at night. I didn't start listening to Jim Zabel broadcast Iowa games until after Iowa began talking to me a couple of years ago. My mother worked in real estate with Wally Hilgenberg (former Iowa and Minnesota Vikings star), and he told the lowa coaches to look at me."

"I'm awfully proud of my team," said Fry. "We were

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AP photo

Four Hawaii receivers confront lowa defender Mike Stoops with a little trickery Saturday night in Honolulu. On the play, called the "Rattlesnake", all four receivers run the same pattern while another performs on the other side of the field.

lowa 'proud' to go bowling with Texas

By Gus Schrader Gazette sports columnist

ONOLULU, Hawaii — Iowa's football team, which is scheduled to arrive at the Cedar Rapids airport about 6:30 a.m. Tuesday, didn't have much chance to think about Texas after defeating Hawaii 17-6 here Saturday night.

"Is that for sure?" asked Coach Hayden Fry when newsmen told him the Longhorns had accepted the bid to play Iowa in the Freedom Bowl Dec. 26 at Anaheim, Calif.

Fry and three members of his staff - Bill Brashier, Carl Jackson and Donnie Patterson — are native Texans. Fry used to coach against Texas when he was at SMU.

"Texas stands for the best in Southwest Conference football, and they have a tremendous team," Fry said. "We'll be proud to play them in the Freedom Bowl."

Several Hawkeye players were asked what they thought about playing the Longhorns.

"It will be a big challenge for us," said Herbie Wester, 280-pound offensive tackle.

"I'm not ready to think about Texas just yet, as I'm hoping for a little time to relax out here," said George Little, senior tackle who had seven unassisted tackles against

'Horns take Freedom bid

It's official.

Iowa will meet Texas in the Freedom Bowl Dec. 26 at Anaheim,

The Longhorns accepted a bid from the Freedom shortly after losing to Texas A&M Saturday night, according to the Dallas Morning-News.

It was previously believed the Longhorns would wait until Sunday morning to make a decision on the Freedom Bowl. But the Dallas newspaper said Texas Coach Fred Akers polled his team after the loss to A&M and the players voted to play in the bowl.

'Even with the loss, Texas is a good team for us," said Freedom Bowl executive director Tom Starr. "They were ranked No. 1 in the nation at one time this year."

Iowa boosted its record to 7-4-1 with a 17-6 win at Hawaii Saturday night. Texas is 7-3-1 after consecutive losses to Baylor and A&M.

Hawaii, including three for 18 yards in losses.

Two of Little's stops were sacks of QB Raphel Cherry. Once Little grabbed the elusive Cherry and swung him around until he could score a clean, Dan Gable-type take-

"I had to hang on for dear life," smiled Little, "because I knew what a dangerous runner Cherry is if he gets loose in the open field."

Paul Hufford, Iowa's other all-Big

Ten senior tackle, said Cherry was even quicker than Rickey Foggie, Minnesota's speedy frosh.

Fry said part of the reason the Hawks didn't wilt in the heat and humidity was he kept them off the beaches and surf here on Oahu from the time they landed Wednesday. The players expected to spend much of Sunday and Monday relaxing, however, before returning

Chuck Long, his confidence seem-

ingly restored by completing six of seven passes in a superb fourth quarter, said he "probably would decide within a week or two before the Freedom Bowl --- about whether to stay with the Hawkeye in 1985 or go pro." He and tight end Jonathan Hayes may have another season if they desire. Fry has let everyone know out here how much he hopes Long stays at Iowa.

Iowa may get some of its injured players back for the Dec. 26 contest. One of them should be fullbacktailback Owen Gill, the school's alltime rushing leader. However, fullback Tim Sennott is out for sure with knee surgery planned. Defensive end Dave Strobel didn't make the trip because of a bad knee.

Ronnie Harmon, who made the trip and hobbled around on crutches, said about his replacement, Rick Bayless: "He did a fine job, really coming through in the

Scott Helverson, who caught Iowa's second touchdown pass, was asked if he had ever seen formations like Hawaii pulled several times.

"I saw that rattlesnake play, in which four wide receivers line up in a stack, once in USA Today," he

owa beats Hawaii

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crippled and yet we were able to out-condition Hawaii and win this game in the fourth quarter. It's a real tribute to our players. They sucked it up and won it. Actually, when we were down 6-3, we were in better shape than Nebraska and Oklahoma had been out here the last two seasons, because they were behind more than that in the second them were my fault. That pass that

football team. We couldn't block one that kept us from scoring, and them at all for three quarters, and we couldn't get any pass protection. We weren't crisp, and I like to think Hawaii had an awful lot to do with that. I can see why Brigham Young scored only 18 points on them."

Fry and his players praised to 28 yards net rushing in this one, push. but he scared the Hawkeyes and their 3,400 (estimated) fans with his antics.

INDEED, IOWA saw more "exotics" than anyone would expect even in this island paradise. Hawaii used

experienced defense, or they might ence called no penalty. said Fry.

Dick Tomey, Hawaii coach who accepted the defeat sadly but gracefully, said the Rainbows have had the "rattlesnake" in their bag of tricks for eight weeks without using it. They had showed the swinging gate previously, however.

Cherry was sacked three times Freedom Bowl. for 22 yards — twice by George Little and once by Paul Hufford but he still completed 16 of 35 times for 23 yards. passes for 186 yards. Hawaii was far ahead of Iowa in yardage after three quarters, but the Hawks finished up beating their foes in the statistics for the 17th straight game. "We have to think about this

game very briefly and then put it into the proper perspective," said Tomey. "Nothing can take away from the fact that these guys had a great season. They hurt, and I hurt. "Iowa was the better team tonight. They made the key plays when they had to, and we didn't. There's not much difference be-

CHERRY WAS ONE of 29 seniors who stayed on the field after the shower for nearly an hour. Cherry Stadium in Bloomington.

tween the two teams."

was last seen brandishing a bottle full of champagne that some friend had given him, hopefully for a happier ending to his pro career.

"Chuck Long is a fine quarterback, and he stayed cool until the finish, hitting those two touchdown passes," Cherry said. "We were shot down by two big turnovers. Both of was intercepted in the end zone (by "Hawaii's got a really tough Iowa's Devon Mitchell) was a big then that fumble gave Iowa the chance to score its first touchdown."

Richard Pryor, Iowa freshman from Elizabeth, N.J., recovered Cherry's fumble on the Iowa 42.

Iowa went 58 yards in eight plays, including Long's two short passes to Raphel Cherry, Hawaii's agile, quick Hayes and one to Robert Smith quarterback who has been his before his cute little touchdown team's leading rusher on options arch to Hayes. Bayless had runs of and scrambles. Cherry was limited one, 12 and seven yards in that

Iowa's defense stymied the tiring Cherry, who runs better than he throws, and the Hawks got the ball on their 10 after a punt.

THE 90-YARD drive took 14 plays, and Bayless got 45 of the its "rattlesnake formation" in which yards on eight runs. Long passed to four receivers lined up in a closely Hayes for 11. The Hawkeyes figured spaced vertical row at one side. they deserved a touchdown before They also pulled the "swinging the final one to Helverson. Smith gate" play in which Cherry hiked was grabbed in the end zone before the ball to a back lined up behind the ball arrived, but the split crew the rest of the team at one side. of three Big Ten officials and four "Thank goodness we've got an from the Western Athletic Confer-

have killed us with those plays," "I guess none of them could find a flag to throw," grinned Fry. "But I guess the officiating evened out. We have no complaints."

Fry noted the Hawks also lost Tim Sennott, starting fullback, with damage to his knee ligaments in the opening quarter. Sennott will require surgery and will miss the

Fred Bush and Eddie Polite took over at fullback, Bush carrying eight

After Iowa went ahead 3-0, Hawaii moved ahead 6-3 on field goals of 24 and 42 yards by Richard Spelman. The big difference in that stretch was Fred Hemphill, who intercepted a pass each by Long and Kevin Harmon, who came in for one play at halfback.

The temperature was 75 degrees and the humidty 74 percent when the game began, but it was unusual that the Hawkeyes didn't seem to wilt as many mainland teams do when they play here. The big crowd poured into the area at 10 a.m. when the parking-lot gates were opened. The fans tailgated in a fashion that lowans have not seen since the game, signed autographs for the Minnesota Vikings quit playing fans who lingered and didn't get a their games in old Metropolitan

Dubuque beats Mount Mercy

defeated Mount Mercy, 77-63, in a three technical fouls. men's college basketball game Sun-

Dubuque's Jay Herkelman led all scorers with 26 points, 18 on free throws. Teammate Lemuel Rowans chipped in 17 points and was 9-for-9 from the charity stripe.

The Mustangs (4-4) were paced by Ellis Paige and Paul Gavin with 12 and 11 points, respectively.

DUBUQUE - Dubuque hit 37 of Mount Mercy Coach Kevin Tou-45 free throws as the Spartans hey was ejected after receiving

> Dubuque 77, Mount Mercy 63 Mount Mercy: Ellis Paige 6 0-0 12, Bobby Kintzel 1 3-4 5,

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9 10, John Nelson 3 2-3 8. Totals 20 37-45 77

Half - Dubuque 31, Mount Mercy 26, Fouls - Mount Mercy 29, Dubuque 13. Fouled out - Kintzel, Herb, Akers. Technical fouls - Dubuque, Tim Lundquist; Mount Mercy Coach Touhey 3, ejected. Rebounds - Mount Mercy 20 (Autman 8), Dubuque 30 (Lundquist 10).

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more regular season games.

Rams 34, Saints 21

ANAHEIM, Calif. - Eric Dickerson, continuing his assault on O.J. Simpson's NFL single-season rushing record, ran for 149 yards as Los Angeles built an early lead and held

league history to gain 100 yards 11 NFC East. times in a season, carrying 33 times Thurman's return — the third years ago.

Packers 27, Buccaneers 14

GREEN BAY, Wis. - Lynn Dickey rushed for one touchdown and passed for another to rally Green Bay from a 14-0 third-quarter deficit.

down runs from Eddie Lee Ivery on 29 yards for a touchdown with a sloppy field conditions to improve first-quarter fumble as the Carditheir record to 6-8. Tampa Bay fell nals, stung by turnovers for the past to 4-10 with its third straight loss.

Oilers 23, Steelers 20

HOUSTON - Houston placekicker Joe Cooper, a mid-season replacement for injured Florian Kempf, booted a 30-yard field goal with 9:07 left in an overtime to hand Pittsburgh its first overtime loss in history.

Pittsburgh's record dropped to 7-7. The Steelers' overtime record is now 5-1-1.

The Oilers are 3-11.

Bengals 20, Browns 17

CLEVELAND - Jim Breech, redeeming himself for an earlier miss that would have tied the game, booted a 35-yard field goal about five minutes into overtime to keep Cincinnati's slim playoff hopes alive.

NFL history a team has won 13 or The Bengals, 6-8, overcame a 10point deficit late in the game, tying it 17-17 with one second to play on a 1-yard touchdown pass from rookie quarterback Boomer Esiason to tackle Anthony Munoz, who had lined up as a tight end on the play.

Cowboys 26, Eagles 10

PHILADELPHIA — Dennis Thur-Dickerson, in his second NFL man's 38-yard interception return season, joined Simpson and Earl for a touchdown triggered Dallas Campbell as the only runners in back into a tie for the lead in the

against the Saints to run his 1984 touchdown interception of his cavardage total to 1,781, with two reer - came with 6:46 gone in the games remaining. Simpson set the first period, and Dallas never league record of 2,003 yards 11 trailed. The Cowboys boosted their record to 9-5 with two games remaining.

Tony Dorsett gained 110 yards on 22 carries to go over 1,000 yards for the seventh time in eight years.

Cardinals 33, Patriots 10

FOXBORO, Mass. - St. Louis The Packers also got two touch- linebacker Thomas Howard rambled month, capitalized on New England mistakes.

The triumph kept St. Louis, 8-6, within one game of first place in the NFC East. New England was left with an 8-6 record and slim hopes for an AFC wild-card playoff berth.

Giants 20, Jets 10

EAST RUTHERFORD. N.J. -Touchdown runs by Rob Carpenter and Joe Morris, two field goals by Ali Haji-Shiekh and cornerback Mark Haynes' goal-line interception with about four minutes to play gave the New York Giants the

The victory moved the Giants back into a first-place tie in the hot NFC East race with a 9-5 record. The Jets, 6-8, lost their sixth in a

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