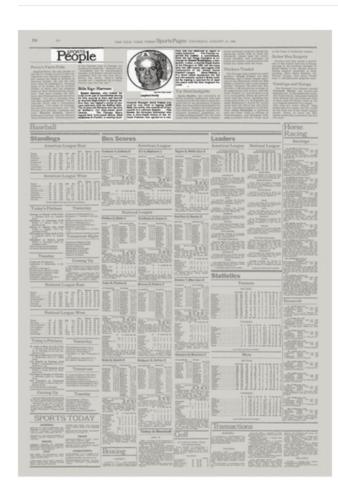
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Ronnie Harmon, who rushed for 2,442 yards and 22 touchdowns during his four seasons at Iowa and starred at Bayside High School in Queens before that, has signed a series of one-year contracts with the Buffalo Bills. The 22-year-old Harmon was the first of Buffalo's two first-round draft choices. . . . The Chicago Bears signed their first-round choice, Neal Anderson of Florida, a running back.

General Manager Jerry Vainisi also said he was close to signing Todd Bell, the safety who missed all of last season in a contract dispute. . . . Tim Green, the Syracuse linebacker who was a first-round choice of the Atlanta Falcons, has agreed on a contract and was expected to report to camp tomorrow. . . . The Falcons acquired Ed Luther, a quarterback, from the San Diego Chargers in exchange for Ronnie Washington, a linebacker. Luther, a fourth-round choice of the Chargers in 1980, left the team after the 1984 season and signed with Jacksonville of the United States Football League. . . . Steve Nelson, a Pro Bowl inside linebacker for the last two seasons, ended a 26-day holdout by signing a contract for at least two years with the New England Patriots.

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