

Gazette Grid Picks

	Mark Dukes	Gus Schrader	Jim Ecker	Bob Denney	Chip Marshall	J.R. Ogden	Mike Hlas	John Millea	Bob Hilton	Becky Stover	Bill Dunn	Scoop Longshot
Iowa at Northwestern	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa
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Knox at Cornell	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Corn	Knox	Corn
Buena Vista at Luther	BV	Luth	BV	BV	BV	BV	BV	BV	BV	BV	BV	Luth
Upper Iowa at Dubuque	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	Dub	UIU
Wisconsin at Illinois	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Wis
Indiana at Minnesota	Minn	Ind	Minn	Minn	Ind	Minn	Minn	Minn	Minn	Minn	Ind	Ind
Oklahoma State at Nebraska	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	Neb	OSU	OSU
Miami, Fla. at Notre Dame	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	ND	Miami
Georgia at Alabama	Ala	Ga	Ala	Ga	Ala	Ga	Ala	Ga	Ala	Ala	Ga	Ala
Syracuse at Florida	Fla	Fla	Fla	Fla	Fla	Fla	Fla	Fla	Syra	Fla	Fla	Syra
Concordia, Wis. at Concordia, Ill.	Ill	Ill	Wis	Wis	Wis	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Ill	Conc
Last week's record	11-4	10-5	10-5	10-5	7-8	10-5	10-5	11-4	8-7	11-4	10-5	6-9
This season's record	37-23	40-20	38-22	37-23	31-29	35-25	36-24	39-21	37-23	40-20	33-27	28-32

Hot Hawks will tame 'Cats

By Scoop Longshot
Gazette prognosticator

EVANSTON, Ill. — Here I am sittin' on the dock of the bay (or is this Lake Michigan?) watchin' the tide come rollin' in.

Yeah, I'm sittin on the dock of the bay wastin' ti-i-i-me.

I come to Sweet Home Chicago, the home away from home for Hayden and the Born Again Hawkeys. After stopping Illinois' No. 2 college football team last week, it's time to get after No. 1, Denny Green's Northwestern Machine.

The Machine always seems to be in bad need

of repair after Iowa comes a callin'. Scores like 59-0 are the rule, and the Hawkeys are always the rulers.

This year the result will be a lot different. I say Iowa gets held to 58 points, while the Wild and Crazy Cats will tally three and look groovy doin' it. Dig?

Meanwhile, the folks in Lawrence, Kan., can stop worrying about The Day After. That's cause The Day Of will be bad enough when Iowa State nukes the Kansas Jaywalks. My bright orange crystal ball picks the Cyclones by 24-20.

Yours truly thinks the Gridpicks race might

be gettin' a little out of hand. I'm 12 games back after a semi-stupid 6-9 week. Of course, I haven't caught my second wheeze yet.

Last week's honors go to Battlin' Becky Stover, Jivin' John Millea and Maudlin Mark Dukes. All posted 11-4 marks. Becky has moved into a tie for the overall lead with Gus "I'm Not Looking Back, But They're Still Gaining On Me" Schrader.

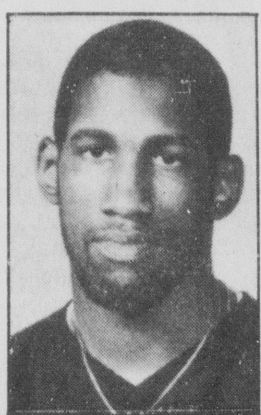
After pickin' Illinois over the Hawks last week, I'm not givin' any Longshot Laurels. I'm also not givin' out my phone number, address or credit card numbers.

Iowa's Harmon tops loop runners

SCHAUMBURG, Ill. (AP) — Iowa's Ronnie Harmon has taken over the Big Ten Conference lead in all-purpose running and teammate Chuck Long is second in passing efficiency.

Harmon is averaging 198.5 yards per game rushing, catching passes and returning kicks for a narrow lead over Ohio State's Keith Byars, who has a 195-yard average. Iowa's Owen Gill is ninth in all-purpose running with a 98-yard average.

Harmon also is second in the league in scoring with 36 points and third in rushing with an average of 114 yards a game. Iowa's Tom Nichol is third in kick scoring with 27 points on 15 extra points and four field goals and Gill is ninth in rushing, averaging 75.7 yards a game.



Ronnie Harmon

Long has a passing efficiency rating of 139.3 to rank behind Ohio State's Mike Tomczak, who is at 163.0. Long has completed 56 of 93 passes for 759 yards and six touchdowns. The Iowa quarterback

is fourth in the conference in total offense, averaging 187 yards a game.

Iowa's Bill Happel is tied for 13th in receiving with 13 catches for 184 yards. Harmon is second in kickoff returns with a 25.3-yard average and teammate Robert Smith is fifth in punt returns, averaging 5.5 yards. Punter Gary Kostrubala is averaging 39.7 yards to rank seventh in that category.

In team categories, Iowa is first in total offense (423.7 yards a game), second in scoring (30.7), third in rushing (216.0) and fourth in passing (207.7). The Hawkeys are second in the league in rushing defense, giving up 117.5 yards a game.

Chiefs' Blackledge handling new role

NEW YORK (AP) — At a time when many quarterbacks are going through a learning period in the National Football League, Todd Blackledge has to learn on the job.

Thrust into a starting role this year with the Kansas City Chiefs because of a preseason injury to veteran Bill Kenney, the second-year quarterback has managed to

get passing grades from his coach at the proverbial school of hard knocks.

"I'm learning a lot on the field the hard way," Blackledge said by telephone Wednesday at the New York Jets' weekly press conference.

Blackledge, who will start for the Chiefs when they entertain the Jets Sunday, said that his evolution into

the No. 1 job has been eased by quarterback coach Pete McCulley.

"He's one of the best one-on-one coaches I've ever been associated with," said Blackledge, who played for Joe Paterno at Penn State. "He's a very good teacher, very positive. I've learned a great deal about NFL quarterbacking from him."

McCulley worked with Kenney and helped build one of the league's most formidable passing attacks at Kansas City. Last year, Kenney had 4,348 passing yards while completing 346 of 603 passes, 24 for touchdowns.

ISU cage tickets almost gone

Associated Press

Season basketball tickets at Iowa State University are nearly sold out for 1984-85, school officials said Thursday.

Only 800 season tickets are still on sale. The deadline for buying season tickets is Oct. 26 and the cost is \$119 for 17 home games.

Iowa athletic ticket manager Jean Kupka, meanwhile, said Hawkeye basketball games will be sold out for the eighth consecutive year. Carver-Hawkeye Arena, which will house Iowa games for the third season, seats 6,000 public season

ticket holders, 6,000 students, and 3,000 faculty-staff.

Iowa State ticket manager Dick Mathias said if any single-game tickets are sold this year, they will be available only for games during holiday and student break periods. Those games would be Brandon University on Nov. 24, Colorado State on Dec. 22, Morgan State on Jan. 3 and Abilene Christian on Jan. 8.

Orders for tickets to those games, if available, will be accepted beginning Nov. 1. Single-game tickets are \$7 each.

Kennedy downed by Dubuque Sr., 33-23

DUBUQUE — Dubuque Senior set the tone of the football game by scoring on its first two possessions as the Rams defeated Cedar Rapids Kennedy, 33-23, in Mississippi Valley Conference play Thursday.

Running back Brad Peck put Senior on the scoreboard with a two-yard run that capped a 12-play, 70-yard drive. On the next series, the Rams drove 56 yards on seven plays as Tim McDonald punched in from the one-yard line, making it 12-0.

Kennedy got its first score on a Brad Pospisil field goal, but the Rams' Duane Drish scored on an 85-yard kick return and with the extra point Dubuque Senior led 19-3.

A Cougar touchdown pass from quarterback Larry Thomas to Paul Goode cut the score to 19-9. And

with 43 seconds remaining in the first half Kennedy's Mark Hoper recovered a Senior fumble on the Rams' 10.

However, a quarterback sack and a third-down interception by Senior's Jay Blake ruined Kennedy's scoring opportunity.

Thomas was replaced in the second half by Mark Dixon.

Dixon came through with two touchdown passes. The first was a 64-yard pass play to Goode; the second pass was to Jim Moen that covered 10 yards.

The Cougars, however, could not close the gap as the Rams countered with two touchdowns of their own.

Kennedy dropped to 1-3 in the conference and 1-4 overall, while Senior upped its record to 2-1, 3-2.

Iowa visits Northwestern

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averaging 423.7 yards per outing. The Wildcats are last at 247.6. Defensively, Iowa is second in the league and 20th nationally in rushing defense, while Northwestern is eighth in the Big Ten in scoring defense to Iowa's seventh place.

Green, an Iowa tailback in the late 1960's, said his team's improvement is a matter of "playing smarter football."

"We're still not where we want to be at this point — we should have a couple more wins — but we're getting there," Green said. "Our offense is still inconsistent, especially the passing game."

Green said his team improved its overall body weight and strength 10 percent since last year. A closer look reveals Iowa's defensive line averages 257.6 pounds to Northwestern's 237, while the Wildcats average 257 on offense to Iowa's 267. That gives you an idea of how slim the 'Cats were before Green's weight program began.

The fact Harmon and Gill have been clicking for Iowa overshadows the matchup between outstanding quarterbacks Long and Northwestern's Sandy Schwab. Schwab is having an off year, completing only 48 percent of his passes compared to 57 percent last year. He's thrown nine interceptions.

Long is ranked No. 15 nationally in passing efficiency and No. 2 in the Big Ten with 759 yards, and has five interceptions compared to the eight he had in 1983 prior to the Gator Bowl. Long is still nursing a

Offensive Lineups

IOWA (2-2, 1-1)	NORTHWESTERN (1-4, 1-2)
Bill Hoppel (187)	SE Marc Bumgarner (213)
Herb Wester (280)	LT Dave Ostrowski (254)
Bill Glass (270)	LG Mario Zappala (246)
Mark Sindinger (240)	C Phil Leonard (272)
Kelly O'Brien (272)	RG Steve Hofmann (256)
Mike Hight (276)	RT Jack Vonderberg (258)
Jonathan Hayes (240)	TE Ralph Jackson (234)
Chuck Long (204)	QB Sandy Schwab (185)
Scott Helverson (200)	WB/FL/WB Tony Coates (166)
Ronnie Harmon (194)	RB/HB Tracy Parsons (198)
Owen Gill (226)	FB Casey Cummings (225)
Tom Nichol (201)	P John Duvic (166)

Defensive Lineups

IOWA	NORTHWESTERN
Mike Hooks (226)	LE/OLB Alex Meyer (216)
Paul Hufford (242)	LT Keith Cruise (264)
Jeff Frost (286)	NG Ted Karras (253)
George Little (254)	RT Steve Hofmann (256)
Dave Strobel (230)	RE/OLB Ellyer Bennett (212)
Kevin Splitz (215)	LB/ILB Jim Tarkenton (222)
Larry Station (233)	LB/ILB Kevin Morgan (214)
Keith Hunter (200)	RC/C Kevin Brown (186)
Nate Creer (190)	LC/C Jon Keith Galloway (181)
Mike Stoops (176)	SS Charles Plant (181)
Devon Mitchell (191)	FS Scott Sanderson (190)
Gary Kostrubala (210)	P Shawn Carpenter (180)

Time and Place: Saturday, 1:30 p.m., Dyche Stadium, Evanston, Ill.

Attendance: 40,000-plus (expected); tickets available.

Radio: Iowa originating stations, WHO, Des Moines; KGRN, Grinnell; WWT-FM and KXIA-FM, Cedar Rapids; KWPC, Muscatine; KGLO, Mason City; KCJJ and KXIC, Iowa City; KSTT, Davenport.

Series: Iowa leads 30-14-3. Iowa has won last 10 meetings, including 6-2-1 in Iowa City last year. Northwestern last won in 1973 in Evanston (31-15).

ISU visits Kansas

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schedule, it has the home-field advantage, and Coach Mike Gottfried appears to have more offensive weapons at his disposal.

The Cyclones have ridden the passing combination of Alex Espinoza to Tracy Henderson, but the production tapers off quickly. Tommy Davis is the leading rusher with 132 yards, and Richard Hanson is the club's No. 2 receiver with 16 catches for 141 yards.

Espinoza has completed 82 of 146 passes for 994 yards and 7 touchdowns. Henderson has caught 37 balls for 602 yards and 5 TDs.

ISU's Henderson needs 10 catches for 43 yards to break Otto Stowe's career school records of 132 for 1,751 yards.

THE JAYHAWKS have Robert Mims, the Big 8's No. 3 rusher with 351 yards, and they have the No. 10 man in Lynn Williams. Kansas boasts four of the league's top nine receivers, with Skip Peete, Mims, Johnny Holloway and Richard Estell. And quarterback Mike Norseth, a 58 percent thrower, ranks ahead of Espinoza in passing efficiency.

Norseth completed 14 of 18 passes for 130 yards in the fourth quarter at North Carolina, thus earning the starting berth this week over Mike Orth, who ranks 11th in the Big 8 in passing.

"We've been happy with our offense," said Gottfried. "We basically are playing pretty well (on offense)."

Saturday's game might determine which team escapes the lower rungs of the conference standings this season.

"We've been picked for eighth in the pre-season polls and I'd like to prove those predictions erroneous," said Gottfried, who has a 5-9-1 record in two years at Kansas since arriving from Cincinnati.

Offensive Lineups

IOWA STATE (2-2)	KANSAS (1-3)
Tracy Henderson (182)	SE Richard Estell (195)
Bruce Westmeyer (199)	LT Jim Davis (245)
Eric Hunsbaker (264)	LG Paul Swenson (245)
Channon Knowles (256)	C Bennie Simecka (265)
Vince Jasper (253)	RG Doug Certein (265)
Kevin Eggleston (294)	RT Bob Pieper (265)
David Smith (252)	TE Mike Norseth (205)
Alex Espinoza (191)	QB Lynn Williams (200)
Tommy Davis (190)	RB/LB Lyle Williams (225)
Richard Hansen (170)	WB/TE Skip Peete (185)
Robbie Minor (175)	FL/NB

Defensive Lineups

IOWA STATE	KANSAS
Lester Williams (224)	DE Phil Forte (220)
Steve Little (264)	DT/MG Jay Hoyer (250)
Barry Moore (255)	DT/DE Robert Tucker (240)
Jim Luebberts (239)	DE/LB David Smith (215)
Dennis Gibson (213)	WOLB/LB Guy Gamble (225)
Jeff Brissell (235)	MLB/LB Willie Pless (215)
Tim Iverson (212)	SOB/LB Rick Redden (210)
Joe Jackson (186)	LCB Sal Lewis (180)
Kevin Williams (175)	RCB Alvin Walton (185)
Anthony Moore (196)	FS Wayne Ziegler (190)
Anthony Davis (188)	SS Arnold Fields (190)

Time and Place: 1:30 p.m. (Iowa time) at Memorial Stadium in Lawrence, Kansas.

Attendance: 35,000 (expected); 51,500 capacity.

Television: Delayed game broadcast — Tonight 11 p.m. on WO-Des Moines; Sunday 11 p.m. on KCRG-Cedar Rapids; Tuesday 7 p.m. on Heritage Cablevision.

Radio: Cyclone Radio Network featuring WMT-FM (96.5) and KOEL-AM (950).

Series: Lawrence leads series, 34-24-5.

The Cyclones were picked for seventh.

ON DEFENSE, the Jayhawks boast Willie Pless, an all-Big 8 linebacker last year as a sophomore. Pless has 56 tackles this year, including 42 solo.

The Cyclones counter with linebacker Jeff Braswell and defensive back Anthony Mayze, both with 29 stops. Lester Williams, now listed as a starting defensive end again after playing linebacker, is third with 27. Williams twisted a knee in practice Wednesday, and will not play Saturday, according to Criner. Criner said Thursday that junior tailback Al Watson and sophomore safety James Newbill, injured two weeks ago, also will not be able to play. But the Cyclone coach said Willie Everett, the starting defensive end in the season opener at Iowa, will be back Saturday. He has missed the last three games.



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Cubs love Sandberg, but their MVP votes are split

Ryne Sandberg has the National League's "Most Valuable Player" award wrapped up.

The Cubs' Gold Glove second baseman is a good hitter, with power to all fields. He's a dynamic fielder (he's committed only six errors) with out-of-this-world range and possesses a strong and accurate throwing arm. Arguably, he's the best base runner in baseball since Jackie Robinson was stealing home regularly.

And yet he's only 25 years old!

Still, Sandberg may not fare as well in balloting for the selection of the Cubs' team MVP.

What's that you say? How can the NL's top player not be named the best on his own ballclub?

Well, some of the Cubs players cast their votes for team honors earlier this week at Wrigley Field.

"Sandberg's a great player, he's had a phenomenal year," said Cubs ace right-hander Rick Sutcliffe the day after Chicago bombed the San Diego Padres, 13-0, in Game 1 of the National League Championship Series.

"But my personal MVP has been Jody Davis. He's the guy that's done the most for me this season. He's been great . . . his (pitch) selection and his location, and his ability to keep base runners honest."

DAVIS, THE Cubs' catcher, has his own pick.

"Ryno's the league's MVP, no doubt about it," drawled Davis. "But I like (right fielder) Keith Moreland.

"He gets overlooked by a lot of people, but he carried this team on his shoulders for a solid month."

Moreland earned the NL "Player of the Month" award



Chip Marshall
Gazette
sportswriter

after batting .360 with five home runs, 32 runs batted in and eight game-winning hits during August.

But his choice for the Cubs' MVP is center fielder Bob Dernier.

"I can't say enough about the guy who plays next to me out there," said Moreland with all his heart. "Bobby's got so much enthusiasm, he gets us going. And he's saved my face more than a couple of times this year."

"I'd vote for 'Sarge,'" said Cubs first baseman Leon Durham, nominating left fielder Gary Matthews. "He's the man."

The Sarge has co-winners in mind. "Larry Bowa and Ron Cey. They've been our day-in, day-out leaders."

Don't feel bad, Ryne. At least one of your teammates likes your chances.

"Ryno can do it all," noted Bowa on his choice. "He's the best player in the league, period!"

SANDBERG'S SPEED alone made for a big play in Game 2 of the NLCS Wednesday. It allowed Dernier to

run from first to third on his ground ball out to Padres third baseman Luis Salazar in the first inning. Dernier then scored the game's first run on Matthews' RBI ground out and the Cubs went on to post a 4-2 victory.

"He (Salazar) had no other choice," claimed Dernier afterward. "If he had even looked me back, Ryno would have beaten it out and we'd have runners on first and second, no outs and 'Sarge' coming up. Salazar did the right thing."

Dernier, who was off on the pitch, never hesitated after seeing Salazar field Sandberg's grounder and throw to first baseman Steve Garvey on the play.

"Zim (Cubs third coach Don Zimmer) knew I was going to try it if the situation came up," Dernier said. "Garvey's arm isn't as strong as it used to be. I knew it would have taken a perfect throw to get me."

Most observers felt amateur umpire Dave Slickemeyer, one of four Chicago area umpires standing in for the striking Major League field judges, was out of position on the play.

He was, by about 15 feet, but replays clearly showed that Slickemeyer, of Des Plaines, Ill., made the correct call.

HALL OF FAME radio-TV announcer Jack Brickhouse, who broadcast more than 5,000 Cubs games before retiring three years ago, is still very active around Cubs park.

Brickhouse tossed out the ceremonial first-pitch prior to Game 2 and is still employed by WGN as a good will ambassador. He returned to the broadcasting booth late

in the season when Cubs general manager Dallas Green invited him to share part of the Cubs' 1984 glory.

"This has been the kind of year Cubs fans have been waiting for, well, forever," said Brickhouse, the pride of Peoria, Ill. "They deserve it (NL East Division title). Win or lose, the Cubs always had their die-hard followers. Those same fans are now a part of a winner."

MURPHY'S Bleachers, a nicely-renovated tavern located directly behind the center field bleachers at Wrigley Field, was an absolute madhouse before, during and after Tuesday's and Wednesday's games.

Minus playoff tickets, people from as far as Los Angeles and New York flew to Chicago just to be near the action.

Oh, they drank a few beers, too.

GONE, BUT NOT forgotten department: Sutcliffe, George Frazier and Ron Hassey all sport their mugs in the Cubs' NLCS magazine-program, which is sold inside the ballpark for \$3. They're pictured with shots of other team members, including, oddly enough, former Cubs outfielder Mel Hall.

Hall, remember, was the main bait used in the June 13, seven-player trade that brought Sutcliffe, Frazier and Hassey to Chicago from Cleveland.

Oh well, he did help the Cubs win a few games during the first leg of the pennant race, right?



AP Photo

LOOKING GOOD — Mrs. Joan Kroc, the widow of the McDonald's founder and former owner of the San Diego Padres, shows off her uniform Thursday night before Game 3 of the National League Championship Series in San Diego. Mrs. Kroc now owns the team, and threw out the ceremonial first pitch.

Padres beat Cubs

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the score was," said Frey, who is trying to guide the Cubs to their first pennant since 1945. "We beat them pretty good two nights over there, and it didn't seem to affect them tonight, and I don't think tonight will have any effect on us."

Templeton's double sparked a three-run fifth inning against Cubs right-hander Dennis Eckersley. The Padres finally had found a chink in the Cubs' pitching armor, which had held San Diego to only 11 hits and two runs in the two previous playoff games in Chicago.

Game Four of the series will be played here Saturday night with Game Five set for Sunday, if necessary. The Padres say they will start Tim Lollar while the Cubs will go with Scott Sanderson.

Eckersley, 10-8 during the season, lasted only 5½ innings for the Cubs and gave up nine hits.

PERHAPS IT was the change in venue, as much as Templeton's spark, that enlivened the Padres, winners of the NL West this season. Returning home after suffering in the unfriendly confines of Wrigley Field, the Padres played before the largest crowd ever at Jack Murphy Stadium, 58,346. The previous record was 52,134 set on July 4 this year against the Cubs.

As the starting lineups were announced, Templeton led the crowd in cheers, waving his hat and seeming to express the Padres' frustration as he called for fan support for this first division winner for San Diego.

Terry Kennedy, previously hitless in the playoffs, started the winning fifth-inning rally with a single. McReynolds, also hitless, singled, and Kennedy went to second. One out later, Templeton doubled to the wall in left-center, and both runners scored easily.

Whitson then bloomed out to second, and Alan Wiggins singled up the middle. He was thrown out trying to stretch the single, but Templeton scored, and San Diego led 3-1.

Tony Gwynn, who led the NL with a .351 batting average and had three hits on this night, started the sixth inning with a single and went to second on a ground ball. Graig Nettles drove Gwynn home with a

single and chased Eckersley. Kennedy singled off George Frazier, sending Nettles to second, and McReynolds, who had 20 homers during the season, followed with his homer to left on a 2-2 pitch.

THE NL still used substitute umpires as the regulars continued to strike. Only once, however, was there any potential trouble, and that came as the Cubs batted in the sixth inning. With two out, Moreland was called out on a checked swing strike after an appeal to first-base umpire Frank Campagna, a 40-year-old explosives test operator for the Army.

This time, Moreland exploded, arguing that he had checked his swing. The TV replay showed he probably had, but the call stood.

For the first time in the series, the Cubs failed to score in the first inning, and Bob Dernier was not responsible for Chicago's first run.

Moreland and Ron Cey took care of these oversights in the second inning. Moreland led off with a double off Whitson, 0-1 with a 9.00 ERA in three starts against the Cubs this year. Cey followed with a single to center, and Moreland scored easily ahead of the throw of center fielder McReynolds.

And the Cubs were ahead 1-0.

THE CUBS machinery then ground to a crunching, gear-splitting halt as Whitson took command, throwing a mixture of fastballs and off-speed breaking pitches. He gave up only one walk over the next three innings as the Cubs, for the first time in the series, seemed powerless to put anything together.

The Cubs' defense, an often overlooked cog in their system, kept the game as close as it was.

With two out in the third inning and Gwynn at the plate, Cubs catcher Jody Davis threw out Wiggins trying to steal second. Wiggins had stolen 70 bases during the season, but he was not quick enough to beat the strong-armed throw of Davis.

In the fourth, the Padres got the leadoff runner aboard when Gwynn singled through the right side. Steve Garvey then hit a slow roller to the veteran Larry Bowa at shortstop. Bowa fired point blank at Ryne Sandberg at second, and the relay nailed Garvey for a rally-killing double play.

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LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

THURSDAY'S RESULT

National League

San Diego 7, Chicago 4

(Chicago leads series, 2-1)

TONIGHT'S GAME

(All Iowa Times)

American League

Kansas City (Leibbrandt 11-7) at Detroit (Wilcox 17-8), 7:25 p.m.

(Detroit leads series, 2-0)

SATURDAY'S GAMES

American League (If Necessary)

Kansas City at Detroit, noon

National League

Chicago at San Diego, 7:25 p.m.

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Thursday's Result

METRO

Dubuque Senior 33, Kennedy 23

TONIGHT'S GAMES

METRO

Regis vs. Washington at Kingston

Jefferson at Linn-Mar

Dyersville-Beckman at Prairie

LaSalle at Iowa City Regina

Marion at Independence

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

Regis vs. C.R. Washington at Kingston

C.R. Jefferson at Linn-Mar

Wilton at West Branch

Iowa City High at Iowa City West

EAST CENTRAL IOWA

Dyersville-Beckman at C.R. Prairie

C.R. Jefferson at Linn-Mar

C.R. LaSalle at Iowa City Regina

Benton Community at Iowa Valley

WAMAC

Marion at Independence

Amos at Tipton

Manitowish at Vinton

Maquoketa at West Delaware

TRI-RIVERS

Central City at Albion

Ed-Co at Maquoketa Valley

North Linn at East Buchanan

Starmont at Springville

East Dubuque, Ill. at Center Point

EASTERN IOWA HAWKEYE

Clear Creek at Mount Vernon

Durant at West Liberty

Wilton at West Branch

Salon at Mid-Prairie

MID-EAST

East Central at Preston

Midland at Clinton

Lincoln Comm. at Guttenberg

Walton at Clear Lake-Lowden

Sperling at

SOUTH IOWA CEDAR

BGM at Belle Plaine

HLV at Williamsburg

English Valleys at Montezuma

Shourner at Keola

Benton Comm. at Iowa Valley

NORTHEAST IOWA

Oelwein at Charles City

Waverly-Shell Rock at Decorah

New Hampton at Crestwood

Prairie du Chien, Wis. at Waukon

UPPER IOWA

Valley at MFL

Sumner at Postville

North Fayette at South Winneshiek

West Central at Elkader Central

BIG EIGHT

Wal. East at Cedar Falls

Marshalltown at Wal. West

Mason City at Fort Dodge

Wal. Central at Wal. Columbus

OTHER AREA TEAMS

Ankeny at South Tama

Washington at DeWitt Central

Tri-County at Cardinal Eldon

Western Dubuque at Coscoda

Pekin at Lane Tree