

SPORTSWeekend



Today
San Diego at New York, 7 p.m.
Sunday
San Diego at New York, 6:55 p.m.
Tuesday
New York at San Diego, 7:20 p.m.
Wednesday
New York at San Diego, 7:20 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 22
New York at San Diego, 7:20 p.m., if necessary
Saturday, Oct. 24
San Diego at New York, 7 p.m., if necessary
Sunday, Oct. 25
San Diego at New York, 6:55 p.m., if necessary
All Games on Fox

Big boys often stumble

Not since 1989 has big winner won World Series

NEW YORK (AP) — Their season has been one big highlight reel, from David Wells' perfect game to El

WORLD SERIES

Duque's debut to Derek Jeter's clinching triple in the AL championship series.

And, oh, the numbers they've piled up: 24 series in a row without losing any, 48 straight games of holding a lead, 114 victories in the regular season.

Yet here's one sobering stat for the New York Yankees and their fans: Not since the 1989 Oakland A's has the top-winning team gone on to win the

■ San Diego (Kevin Brown 20-8) at New York (David Wells 21-4)

World Series.

So it was no surprise that after taking the No. 4 subway from Grand Central Terminal, Tony Gwynn arrived at Yankee Stadium for the first time in his life Friday and pronounced his underdog San Diego Padres ready to play.

"It's our chance to put our city on the map," Gwynn said.

To do that and take their first title, the Padres will have to topple baseball's most successful team. Coming off a season in which they set an AL mark for victories, the Yankees will try to win their record 24th crown.

"I think there is always going to be a place in history for us," said David

Wells, who will pitch Game 1 tonight against Kevin Brown.

The Padres hope to make their own October mark after surprising both Houston and Atlanta in the NL playoffs.

"We have been underdogs every time and we are still underdogs in this series and we look forward to that," Padres postseason hero Jim Leyritz said. "We like the challenge."

"I think there is pressure on both sides," he said. "They have had a great season so far. We have had a pretty good season, I think."

Leyritz, who helped the Yankees win the 1996 World Series and will serve as the Padres' designated hitter at New York, is just one of many players here with ties to both teams.

■ Turn to 5C: Series



San Diego Padres player Tony Gwynn fields a ball during practice Friday for the World Series that begins tonight at Yankee Stadium in New York.

AP photo

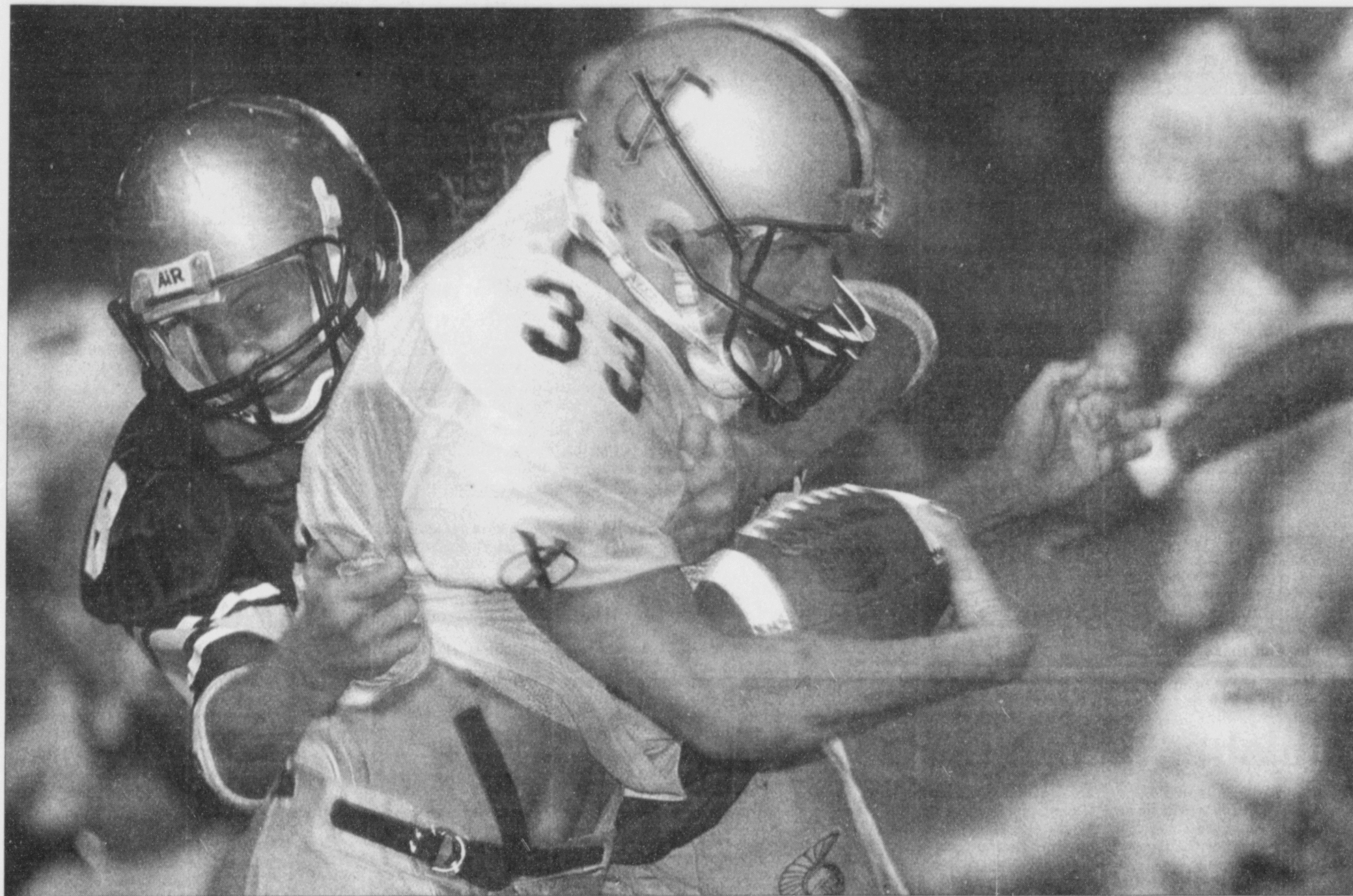


Photo by Dan Luedert, Gazette intern

Iowa City West linebacker Chris Richardson (left) hauls down Cedar Rapids Xavier's Brian Shede ran for a gain early in the first period of their game Friday in Iowa City.

Richardson a 1-man show

By Chad Leistikow

Gazette Johnson County Bureau

IOWA CITY — Anytime two tough football defenses collide, it's like buying a PowerBall ticket: a contest of numbers.

On Friday, Iowa City West owned the winning number — 18 — and the payoff

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was a 20-0 victory over stingy Cedar Rapids Xavier at Trojan Field.

No. 18, West's Chris Richardson, was a one-man wrecking ball Friday. He demol-

ished Xavier for a career-high 226 rushing yards on only 15 carries, and caught two passes for 44 additional yards.

More staggering yet: Richardson accounted for 12 of West's 20 points on a pair of touchdown runs, nine of West's 13 first downs, and 270 of West's 341 total yards!

And, as a linebacker, Richardson recorded one sack and helped limit the Saints to 100 total yards and zero points.

"We came in knowing that if we were going to run against these guys, it was going to have to be smash-mouth football," Richardson said.

And who better to "smash mouths" than a 6-foot-1, 180-pound halfback?

"Chris did an excellent job," understated West Coach Reese Morgan. "He really did. He made some big plays for us."

With both teams struggling to move the ball early, Richardson broke loose for some big-gainers.

Minutes after he uncorked a 59-yard run wound up in a missed West field goal, Richardson struck again. He blazed up the left sideline for a 74-yard touchdown run.

Nate Kaeding's extra point gave the second-ranked Trojans a 7-0 lead with

4:47 left in the first half.

Xavier (4-3) missed plenty of first-half opportunities. The Saints recovered three West fumbles (two in Trojan territory), had a 27-yard field goal blocked by Nick Boyd, squandered an almost-certain 87-yard touchdown on a dropped pass by Zach Schreiber, and couldn't take advantage of seven Trojan penalties.

West (7-0) got things under control in the second half behind Richardson's running and a hounding defense.

"In the beginning, we were shooting

■ Turn to 4C: West

Kennedy all over Hempstead

By Jeff Linder

Gazette sportswriter

So much for playing down to the level of your opponent.

Cedar Rapids Kennedy exhibited explosive offense for two quarters and killer defense for all four, and handed Dubuque Hempstead a 42-0 lump in a Mississippi Valley Conference football game Friday night at Kingston Stadium.

The Cougars (5-2) could have been pardoned for a lackluster performance. After all, Hempstead hadn't dented the win column. Kennedy refused to be caught napping, though, registering four first-quarter touchdowns to turn it into a rout early.

"You see it all the time. A team with a bad record comes out against a pretty good team

KENNEDY 42 HEMPSTEAD 0

and beats them," said Kennedy's Derek Keilkopf.

"But we weren't going to lose to that team. We took control from the start."

The Cougars joined Cedar Falls at the top of the MVC Mississippi Division standings after the Tigers lost, 22-16, to Cedar Rapids Prairie.

It took five plays and 104 seconds for Kennedy to exert its dominance.

Quarterback Phillip Coonrod hooked up with Bryan Rempt in the right flat, and Rempt trotted into the end zone for a 22-yard touchdown.

It only got worse for the Mustangs (0-7). On their third play from scrimmage, Jim Gordon fumbled a pitch, and Kennedy's Josh Zaruba pounced on it at the Hempstead 14.

The Cougars scored four plays later when Keilkopf spun into the end zone from 2 yards out, making it 14-0 with the game only 4½ minutes old. It was the first of Keilkopf's three touchdowns.

Keilkopf added a 34-yard scoring jaunt late in the quarter, and Coonrod spotted Rempt for a 15-yard tally as the first-period horn sounded.

The first-quarter numbers certainly didn't lie. Kennedy amassed 167 yards and held the

Turn to 4C: Kennedy

Iowa State is Frese's team now

AMES (AP) — Jayme Olson is gone from Iowa State's basketball team, though definitely not forgotten. Janel Grimm, too.

This is Stacy Frese's team now.

Whatever direction the Cyclones go in the 1998-99 season, it will be Frese, a 5-foot-8 junior

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guard, who points the way.

"She is the leader now," coach Bill Fennelly said Friday. "This is her team. She's literally going to take this team on her back."

Frese is ready. She transferred from Iowa two years ago and was named the Big 12's newcomer of the year last season, when she averaged a team-leading 15.9 points and 5.8 assists as Iowa State went 25-8 and reached the second round of the NCAA tournament.

Yet for all Frese did, the team still revolved around Olson and Grimm, the seniors, the veterans who had been through the bad times at Iowa State as well

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as the good. No more.

"It didn't really hit me until we started playing pickup games and you realize that Jayme and Janel are not here and we don't have any seniors on our team," Frese said. "Obviously since I'm the point guard, that kind of automatically puts me into that role."

"I think the team is following behind and I think that will be fine," she said.

Frese is one of just four Iowa State players who have significant Division I experience. Megan Taylor returns after a sensational season in which she started all 33 games and was named the Big 12's freshman of the year. Sophomore Erica Hagen and junior Monica Huelman

both started several games and need to improve if Iowa State is to keep winning.

Any other help the Cyclones get will have to come from newcomers. Fennelly signed a six-player recruiting class that he feels will add depth, athleticism and, most important of all, size.

That group includes 6-foot-4 Angie Welle, 6-3 Jessica Jackson and 6-3 Alyssa Shriver. Also new are 6-1 Tracy Gahan, 6-foot Ashley Homeyer and 6-foot Desirée Francis, a transfer from Kirkwood Community College. Kelly Cizek, a 6-1 forward, joined the team after playing volleyball at Iowa State last year.

"On paper, we felt we did what we had to do to give us a chance," Fennelly said. "And there's nothing I've seen this fall to make me think we haven't accomplished that. They're the kind of kids we thought (they would be) when we recruited them and maybe even better."

Fennelly fully expects to have

a freshman starting at center, probably Welle or Jackson. While both are talented, he admitted the thought of starting a first-year player is unsettling after being able to count on the steady play of Olson and Grimm during his first three seasons at Iowa State.

"I think there's no question this year that it's going to be one of those things where the ball is going to go into the post and something is going to happen. I just hope it's more good than bad," Fennelly said.

"It's going to be a layup one time and everybody's going to go, 'Oh, wow, they're better than Jayme,'" he said. "Then the next time they're all going to say, 'Where's Jayme and Janel.'"

Fennelly's hope is that he can get 25 to 30 points from his post players, regardless how many or who they are. He also said he wants to keep the pressure off his freshmen.

"The pressure's on Stacy and Megan," Fennelly said. "Let's be honest. There's no pressure on



AP photo

Iowa State's Stacy Frese (left) and Megan Taylor pose for a photo during the annual Iowa State media day at Hilton Coliseum in Ames on Friday.

Angie Welle or Tracy Gahan because anytime there's a mistake, it's always going to be, well, they're freshmen. What do you expect? It's a honeymoon period for them.

"That's the way we're trying to take it — just play defense and make layups and be fundamentally sound and we'll be OK," he said. "I think they can. I really do."

PREP FOOTBALL

City High wallops Senior

Quarterback Nick Linder and the Iowa City High defense teamed up to crush Dubuque Senior, 42-0, and return the Mississippi Valley Conference's Valley Division back into a two-team race Friday in Dubuque. Linder completed 11 of 18 passes for 218 yards and a pair of scores to lead the Class 4A No. 5 Little Hawks, 6-1 overall and in conference play. Three of

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the passes went to Steve Pfaller, who finished with 110 yards and a touchdown.

The City High defense stepped up to pitch its second shutout of the season. The Little Hawks bent but didn't break, allowing the Rams (4-3, 4-3) inside City High's 15-yard line twice in the first half only to stop them on fourth downs. City High also intercepted two of three Dubuque Senior passes.

Senior's Brandon Hedley rushed 28 times for 140 yards.

A group of City High rushers pounded the Ram defense. Joe Walker, subbing for injured Matt Carlson (toe), had a 38-yard touchdown run.

Sophomore Hakim Hill, Iowa receiver Kahlil Hill's brother, added a 10-yard jaunt late in the third quarter. Justin Coyer rushed seven times for 51 yards and a touchdown.

■ WILLIAMSBURG 27, CLEAR CREEK-AMANA 7 — The Raiders defense stood tall as they recorded five sacks and three interceptions against CC-A.

Williamsburg also used a balanced offensive attack as four different players rushed for touchdowns.

Lee Wetjen led the team with 11 tackles and also rushed 18 times for 84 yards with one touchdown.

Williamsburg raised its record to 4-1 in district play, 6-1 overall. Clear Creek-Amana falls to 1-4, 1-6 overall.

MVC

School	Conf.	All
Mississippi Division		
Cedar Falls	5-2	5-2
C.R. Kennedy	5-2	5-2
C.R. Xavier	4-3	4-3
C.R. Prairie	3-4	3-4
Dubuque Wahlert	3-4	3-4
C.R. Jefferson	2-5	2-5
Dubuque Hempstead	0-7	0-7

Valley Division		
Iowa City West	7-0	7-0
Iowa City High	6-1	6-1
C.R. Washington	4-3	4-3
Dubuque Senior	4-3	4-3
Waterloo West	3-4	3-4
Waterloo East	2-5	2-5
Linn-Mar	1-6	1-6

THURSDAY'S RESULTS		
C.R. Washington 16, Waterloo East 8		
Dub. Wahlert 46, C.R. Jefferson 20		

FRIDAY'S RESULTS		
C.R. Kennedy 42, Dub. Hempstead 0		
C.R. Prairie 22, Cedar Falls 16 (OT)		
Iowa City High 42, Dubuque Senior 0		
Iowa City West 20, C.R. Xavier 0		
Waterloo West 33, Linn-Mar 32 (OT)		

NEXT THURSDAY'S GAMES		
Cedar Falls at Dubuque Senior		
Waterloo West at C.R. Washington		

NEXT FRIDAY'S GAMES		
C.R. Kennedy at Iowa City High		
C.R. Prairie at Linn-Mar		
C.R. Xavier at Dubuque Wahlert		
Dubuque Hempstead at Waterloo East		
Iowa City West at C.R. Jefferson		

West

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ourselves in the foot," Richardson said. "Things started clicking in the second half."

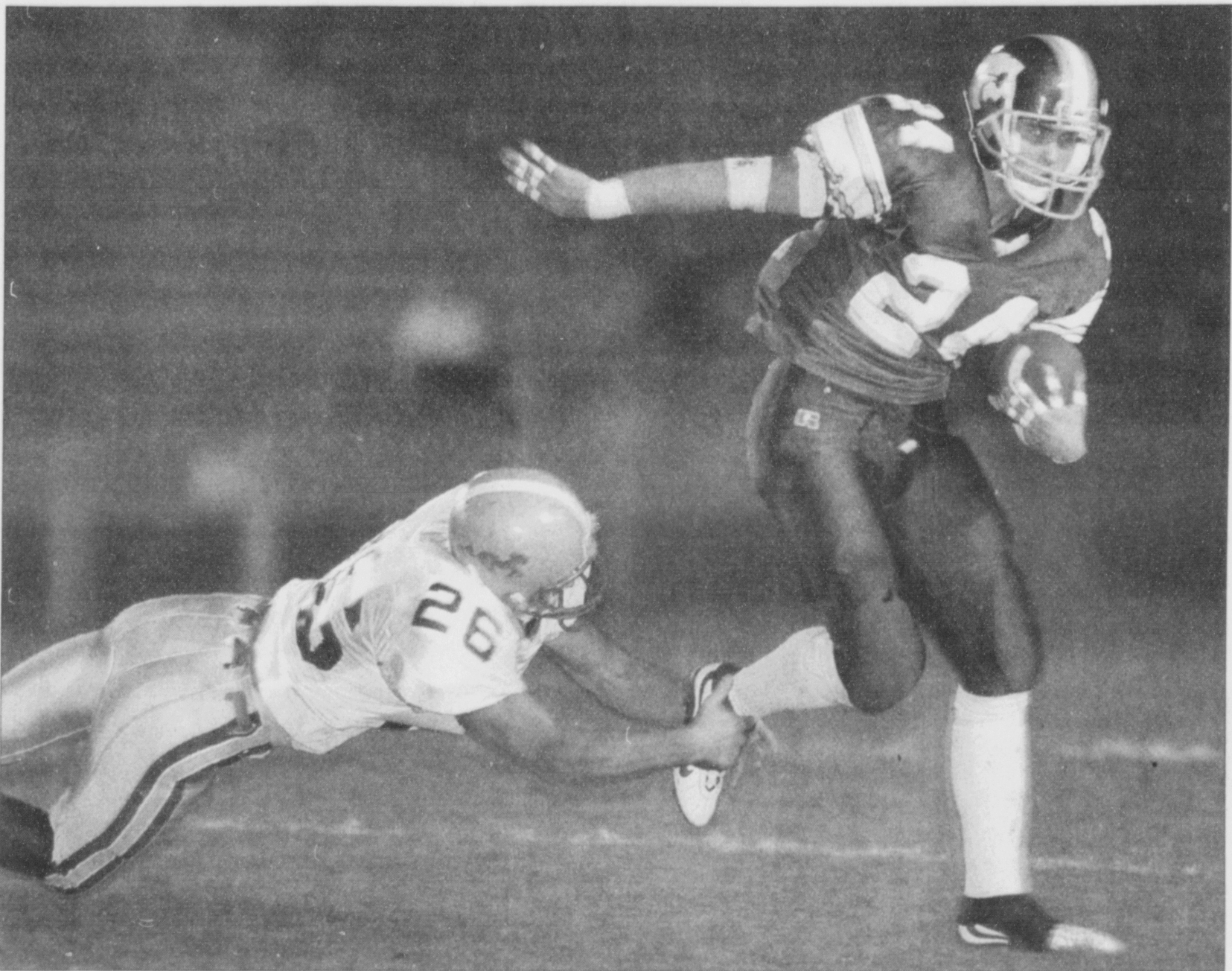
A 29-yard catch and 16-yard run by Richardson helped set up a Bruce Davis 1-yard touchdown plunge in the third quarter to make it 14-0, then Richardson tacked on a 20-yard scoring run with 2:46 remaining as insurance.

Richardson's 226 yards, incidentally, were shy of the school-record 296 by Carlos Honore in 1994.

Defensively, both teams were outstanding. West intercepted quarterback Tom Ekland five times, including two by Davis. Ekland had a rough night, hitting just 4 of 24 passes for 41 yards.

"We played great defense, and that allowed us to have an opportunity," Morgan said.

Xavier sacked West quarterback Kevin Long six times, three coming by senior Mike Zacher.



Gazette photo by Miranda Meyer

Dubuque Hempstead's Tony Ball (26) grabs onto the foot of Cedar Rapids Kennedy's Derek Keilkopf during the first quarter of their game Friday night at Kingston Stadium.

Kennedy

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Mustangs to 12.

"That might have been the finest quarter of football we've played this year," said Kennedy Coach Don Knock. "We just came out tonight and took care of business."

Knock had little trouble keeping his troops' attention this week, despite Hempstead's shoddy record.

"All week long, there was punishment if we didn't fly to the ball," said Kennedy linebacker Brad Mohwinkle. "We would have to run to the end of

school property."

There shouldn't have been any extra laps by the defenders after Friday's performance. Hempstead managed just 83 yards of total offense.

"That's been our problem all year," Hempstead Coach Roger Baylor said. "Kennedy is a big physical team, and they have nice speed, too."

Keilkopf finished his hat trick with a 6-yard run late in the second quarter. He had 131 yards in the opening half, and finished with 125 yards on 20

rushes.

"The line did a good job opening holes for me," said Keilkopf, who upped his season total to 871 yards.

"(Hempstead) played pretty good at times, but not good enough to handle us."

The final score wasn't the only impressive shutout for the Cougars. Kennedy did not commit a penalty all night.

"I don't think any of my teams have ever gone through a game without a penalty," Knock said. "That's pretty impressive."

Matt Young scored the Cougars' final touchdown, a 1-yard plunge with 9:35 left in the game.

Kennedy probably needs a split in its final two games to grab a postseason spot. The Cougars are at No. 6 Iowa City High next week, then closes at home against Dubuque Wahlert.

"Those are two big games," Knock said. "We have to keep improving and getting better."

Hempstead is at Waterloo East next Friday.

Dubishar keys Prairie

Jesse Dubishar's second run in overtime, a six-yarder, let Prairie top Cedar Falls, 22-16, in a Mississippi Valley Conference prep football game in the UNI-Dome.

Dubishar scored after Prairie (3-4) stopped the Tigers (5-2) on their overtime possession, forcing Jon Eastman to miss a 25-yard field goal.

Tom Hughes led the Hawk attack, connecting on 14 of 23 passes for 230 yards and two touchdowns. He hit Chigizoe Ejiasi with a 67-yard score in the second quarter and found Ejiasi again from the 11 as the half-time buzzer sounded.

Ejiasi had four catches for 112 yards and Gary Mackey had 6 receptions for 102 yards.

Cedar Falls scored first on a 30-yard field goal by Eastman. They also scored twice in the second quarter, on 20- and 1-yard runs by Terrance Freeney, who totaled 154 yards.

■ WATERLOO WEST 33, LINN-MAR 32 (OT) — Waterloo West's Sean LaCoste completed 14 of 26 passes for 261 yards and three TDs — including the game-winner in OT — to send Linn-Mar home empty.

LaCoste hit John Mullesch on a 10-yard pass play to give the Wahawks (3-4, 3-4) the lead in overtime. Linn-Mar then scored on a 6-yard pass from Buzzy Bussewitz to Dan Cole but the snap on the extra point sailed high and the kick failed.

Clark returns, spurs Maquoketa

By Jeff Dahn
Gazette sportswriter

The Maquoketa Cardinals welcomed back star receiver Curtis Clark Friday night, who had been missing in action since breaking a leg the second week of the season.

If you didn't believe it before, believe it now and forever: the rich do get richer.

Clark made a couple of leaping, acrobatic catches for touchdowns to help spur the already powerful Cardinals past Marion, 30-0, in a Class 3A District 4 game at Thomas Park Field.

"It felt great to be back out

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there," said Clark, who caught four Tadd Crist passes for 60 yards, including touchdown grabs of 13 and 15 yards. "It was amazing how Tadd and I connected right away. I really haven't run many routes with him this year at all."

Crist, a 6-foot-4, 185 senior with a rocket arm, completed nine of 14 throws for 131 yards and the two TDs. He was elated to have his favorite target back in tow.

"It makes a guy a lot more confident having (Clark) out there," Crist said. "We can spread it out a little bit more.

We had a great week of practice and I think this was actually one of the better games we've played."

It came at the right time. Maquoketa improved to 4-1 in district play (6-1 overall) and kept pace with front-running West Delaware (5-0, 7-0). The teams meet next Friday at Maquoketa.

"We said this was the most important game of the three we have left," Maquoketa Coach Mark Hillebrand said. "Having Curtis Clark back made a heck of a difference in our passing game, and our offensive line really controlled things inside."

Clark and Crist were not the Cardinals' only weapons.

Tailback Seth Wing carried 15 times for 94 yards, scored on runs of 2 and 3 yards and intercepted a pair of passes from his strong safety position.

Fullback Josh Costello carried six times for 94 yards, including a 64-yard run on Maquoketa's first play from scrimmage that led to Crist's and Clark's first touchdown connection 3:16 into the game.

When everything was totaled, the Cardinals had 250 yards rushing and 131 passing while limiting Marion to 212 total.

"That's a very good football team," Marion Coach Dave Messerli said. "We knew they had

WEEK 7 LEADERS

These are the rushing and passing leaders reported to The Gazette last night or Thursday. For a more detailed listing of individual performances, check out the prep football page Sunday. And, coaches, call in your stat leaders to Gazette sportswriter Jeff Dahn today between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. at 1 (800) 397-8258 or 398-8258. And fax your game stats to 368-8973.

Player, School	Rushing	Yards
Brian Schultz, Tipton		241
Owen Buckmaster, Lansing Kee		230
Chris Richardson, Iowa City West		226
Eric Caves, Montezuma		225
Jordan Wagner, Linn-Mar		173
Passing		
Dustin Tippie, English Valleys		353
Sean LaCoste, Waterloo West		261
Brian Brown, Independence		260
Tom Hughes, C.R. Prairie		230
Nick Linder, I.C. High		218



Photo by Melanie Kimbler, Gazette intern

Maquoketa's Seth Wing rushes for a first down during Friday's football game against Marion at Thomas Park.

some weapons coming in, but we thought we could stop them and we couldn't. This is one of the best Maquoketa teams I've seen. They're 6-1 for a reason."

Messerli lamented his team's play up front.

"We cannot control the line of scrimmage and that's been our problem all year," he said. "You have to be able to do that against the good teams."

Maquoketa led, 23-0, at half-time thanks to both Crist-to-Clark TD passes, Wing's 2-yard plunge and a 23-yard field goal

from Jake Denger. Denger, who kicked at Cedar Rapids Prairie last year, had a school record string of 22 straight PATs stopped in the second quarter.

The Cardinals completed the scoring when Wing capped a 12-play, 94-yard, 6-minute, 3-second drive with a 3-yard TD run with 20 seconds left in the third period. Most of Maquoketa's offensive starters — including Crist, Wing and Clark — didn't play the fourth quarter.

Marion's Matt Wyckoff rushed for 94 yards on 14 carries.

Stamp powers Lisbon

Quinn Stamp passed for two touchdowns and rushed for another two to guide Lisbon to a 35-14 Class A District 6 win over host Olin.

After playing to a 14-14 half-time score, Lisbon came out fired up and shut down the Lions. Tyler Jones' long kickoff return to open the half set up a J.J. Butteris run to give Lisbon (6-1, 4-1) the lead for good.

Stamp, who completed 3-of-9 passes for 95 yards, connected

AREA ROUNDUP

with Jones on a 49-yarder in the fourth quarter for Lisbon's final tally.

Jessie Von Behren rushed for 213 yards for Olin (2-5, 0-5).

■ CENTER POINT-URBANA 54, CAMANCHE 13 — The Stormin' Pointers used excellent defense and special teams play to score 24 fast points en route to victory.

Derrick Schantz led the way on defense with a 96-yard interception return for a touchdown, and Justin Bishop had an 83-yard interception return for a touchdown.

Ben Wyckoff scored on a 53-yard punt return before the end of the first quarter.

The victory moved the sixth-ranked Stormin' Pointers to 7-0 on the season, the loss dropped Camanche to 2-5 in the district.

■ MOUNT VERNON 28, MONTICELLO 7 — Class 2A fourth-ranked Mount Vernon remained undefeated against Monticello (3-4, 3-2).

Running back Alex Morf ran the ball 24 times for 223 yards and a touchdown. Doug Wumkes threw for three touchdowns as the Mustangs pulled away in the second half, after leading 14-7 at the half.

■ LANSING KEE 32, NORTH LINN 7 — Owen Buckmaster rushed for 230 yards to lead Lansing Kee (4-2, 3-2) in Class A District 6 action at Troy Mills.

North Linn (4-3, 2-3) managed just a first-quarter Nick Hampton touchdown in the loss.

■ TIPTON 34, CENTRAL CITY-SPRINGVILLE 0 — The Tipton Tigers ran away with this one at home over Central City-Springville. The Tigers were helped out by the powerful running of Brian Schultz. Schultz ran away from the Catbirds, compiling 241 yards on 24 carries. With the victory, Tipton moved to 3-2 in Class 2A District 6, while Central City-Springville fell to 1-4 in the district.

■ ALBURNETT 24, NORTHEAST 20 — Matt Strand rushed for touchdowns of 2, 10, and 9 yards to lead the Class 1A ninth-ranked Pirates, who as a team rushed for 273 yards, to victory at Goose Lake.

Alburnett led 16-0 at the half then withstood 20 second-half points from the Rebels. Alburnett is still perfect at 7-0 overall and 5-0 in district play.

QB House shatters passing records

MOUNDSVILLE, W.Va. (AP) — Nitro High School quarterback J.R. House set national high school career records for attempts and completions Friday night.

House, a senior, went into Friday's game against John Marshall needing 10 attempts to break the record of 1,401 set by former Shreveport, La., quarterback Josh Booty, who played from 1990-93.

He needed six completions to break the record of 872 held by current Kentucky quarterback Tim Couch. Couch set the record from 1992-95 playing for Leslie County (Ky.) High School.

House was 20-of-31 for 183 yards and one touchdown in Nitro's 34-32 victory.

House started the game needing 588 yards to break Couch's career passing yardage record of 12,104.

SPORTSDAY

EVENTS OF AREA INTEREST

College cross country

- Iowa (women), Northern Iowa, Cornell, Coe, Luther (women) at Iowa State Memorial Classic, 11 a.m.
- Grinnell (men), Upper Iowa, Luther (men) at Wisconsin-LaCrosse Invitational
- Iowa (men) at Minnesota

College football

- Iowa at Indiana, 11 a.m.
- Cal Poly-SLO at Northern Iowa, 1:30 p.m.
- Coe at Upper Iowa, 1:30 p.m.
- Wartburg at Luther, 1:30 p.m.
- Ripon at Grinnell, 1:30 p.m.
- Cornell at Loras

Men's college golf

- Cornell at Central Ryerson Classic

Women's college golf

- Cornell, Coe, Luther, Grinnell at Central Classic

College rowing

- Iowa at Head of Charles in Boston

Men's college soccer

- Luther at Cornell, 1 p.m.
- Grinnell at Ripon
- Mount Mercy at Clarke
- Upper Iowa at Buena Vista
- Women's college soccer
- Luther at Cornell, 3 p.m.
- Grinnell at Ripon
- Upper Iowa at Buena Vista
- Coe at Wisconsin-Osh Kosh

Girls' swimming

- Kennedy, Jefferson, Washington, Prairie, Linn-Mar at Mississippi Valley Conference Championships in Dubuque

Men's college swimming

- Iowa at October Shootout

Women's college tennis

- Grinnell at Midwest Conference Championships in Madison, Wis.

College volleyball

- Illinois at Iowa, 7 p.m.
- Wichita State at Northern Iowa, 7 p.m.
- Illinois College at Grinnell, noon
- Mount Mercy at Wartburg Invitational
- Coe at Aurora Invitational
- Iowa State at Oklahoma

Prep volleyball

- Jefferson, Washington, Kennedy, Linn-Mar, Prairie, Xavier at Mississippi Valley Conference Championships at Kennedy, 9 a.m.
- Marion at Wamac Conference Championships in Manchester

ON TELEVISION

(Live and first-run events only)

- Auto racing**
- NASCAR Late Model/Chevrolet Twin 125's. 3 p.m. TNN
- NASCAR Pepsi 400. 7 p.m. TNN

Baseball

- World Series, Game 1: San Diego Padres at New York Yankees. 6:30 p.m. KFXA

College football

- Iowa at Indiana. 11 a.m. KGAN
- Minnesota at Ohio State. 11 a.m. ESPN
- Wisconsin at Illinois. 11 a.m. ESPN2
- Central Michigan at Northern Illinois. 11 a.m. FSC
- Texas Tech at Colorado. 12:30 p.m. KFXA
- Norfolk State at Hampton. (Tape) 2 p.m. ESPN2
- Purdue at Penn State. 2:30 p.m. KCRG
- Auburn at Florida. 2:30 p.m. KGAN
- Louisville at Tulane. 2:30 p.m. FSC
- Clemson at Florida State. 5 p.m. ESPN2
- Michigan at Northwestern. 6 p.m. ESPN
- Kansas at Nebraska. 6 p.m. FSC
- Kentucky at LSU. 8 p.m. ESPN2
- Southern California at Washington State. 9:15 p.m. FSC

Golf

- Las Vegas Invitational, Fourth Round. 4:30 p.m. ESPN

Horse racing

- Spinster Stakes/Kelso Handicap. 3 p.m. ESPN

Gymnastics

- Visa American Cup. (Tape) 3 p.m. KWWL

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COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

- Friday**
- IOWA COLLEGES
- Carroll def. Wartburg, 8-15, 16-14, 15-8, 15-9
- Purdue def. Iowa, 15-8, 1-15, 15-11, 15-11
- Northern Iowa def. SW Missouri State, 15-8, 15-9
- Wartburg def. Mount Mercy, 15-5, 15-9, 15-1

AURORA INVITATIONAL

- Rockford def. Coe, 15-12, 15-11, 15-9
- Aurora def. Coe, 15-10, 15-13, 15-11, 15-9, 15-5

COLLEGE FIELD HOCKEY

- Friday**
- AT IOWA CITY
- Iowa 6, Penn State 2

- Goals — Iowa: Kerry Lessard 3, Tiffany Fodera, PSU: Sonia Valla, Maegen Gine, Assists — Iowa: Michelle Willen, Gina Carr, Natalie Dawson 2, Sarah Thorn PSU: none

MEN'S SOCCER

- Friday**
- AT CLARK FIELD
- Coe 8, William Penn 0

- Goals — Brandon Hronec, P. Guasta, McCann, Baister, Griffin, O'Brien, Vincent, Mayoral, Assists — Baister 2, Hronec 3, P. Guasta, McCann

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

- Friday**
- Schedule
- IOWA STATE
- 4 — Exhibition (Iowa's Team) 7 p.m., 11 — Exhibition (Shen of Russia) 7 p.m., 14 — Northern Iowa def. SW Missouri State, 16 — at Kansas, 20 — at Texas Tech, 24 — at Missouri

- December
- 1 — Northern Illinois 7 p.m.; 4 & 4 — Insight Women's Classic, Tucson, Ariz. 12 — Drake (ESPN+Plus/CTN) 1 p.m.; 20 — at Northern Iowa 2 p.m.; 30 — Buffalo 7 p.m.

- January
- 2 — at Oklahoma 5 — Texas 7 p.m.; 9 — Kansas 2 p.m.; 13 — at Colorado 14 — Texas A&M 2 p.m.; 20 — at Texas Tech, 24 — ACC Big 12 Challenge (ESPN2) 24 — at Clemson, 28 — Nebraska 3 p.m.; 30 — at Missouri

- February
- 3 — Oklahoma State 7 p.m.; 7 — at Nebraska (FOX Sports) 10 — at Kansas State, 13 — Colorado 14 — Kansas 2 p.m.; 20 — at Missouri 7 p.m.; 27 — at Baylor

- March
- 24 — Big 12 Tournament, Kansas City, Mo.; 12-15 — NCAA Sub-Regionals; 20-22 — NCAA Regionals; 28 — NCAA Final Four, San Jose, Calif.

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TENNIS

Friday

(Seedings in parentheses)

CA TROPHY

At Vienna, Austria

Singles Quarterfinals

Karol Kucera (1), Slovakia, def. Jonas Burman, Sweden, 6-3, 6-2

Todd Martin, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., def. Cedric Pioline, France, 6-4, 6-3

Pete Samaras (1), Tamsa, Fla., def. Tim Henman, Britain, 6-4, 6-3

Greg Rusedski, Britain, def. Patrick Rafter (2), Australia, 6-3, 7-6 (7-3)

Doubles Quarterfinals

Neil Broad, Britain, and Robbie Koenig, South Africa, def. Georg Buehner, Germany, 6-3, 6-2

Yevgeny Kafelnikov, Russia, and Andrei Yakimov, Russia, def. Joshua Eagle and Andrei Florjanc, Australia, 7-6 (8-6), 6-7 (4-7), 6-1, 6-3

EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Zurich, Switzerland

Singles Quarterfinals

Lindsay Davenport (1), Newport Beach, Calif., def. Amanda Coetzer (6), South Africa, 6-3, 6-1

Inna Soriya, Romania, def. Dominique Van Rossum (8), Belgium, 6-4, 6-6

Yanai Williams (2), Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., def. Mary Pierce (7), France, 6-4, 6-1

Nathalie Tauziat (4), France, def. Barbara Schett, Austria, 4-6, 7-5, 6-1

Doubles Quarterfinals

Andrei Pavel, Romania, and Sergiu Sargisjan, Armenia, def. Sebastian Larroche and Daniel Nestor, Canada, 6-3, 1-6, 6-3

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TRANSACTIONS

Friday

BASEBALL

American League

Toronto Blue Jays — Named Lloyd Moseby first-base coach. Sent LHP Ben Van Ryn outright to Syracuse of the International League.

National League

Philadelphia Phillies — Purchased the contract of LHP Sean Fesh from San Diego of the Arizona Fall League. Placed OF Ruben Amaro, Jr. on the voluntarily retired list.

Frontier League

CANTON CROCODILES — Named Robert Jones general manager and Carla Bonner sales coordinator.

FOOTBALL

Arena Football League

Hartford — Announced the resignation of Chuck Shelton, coach.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

Anaheim Mighty Ducks — Loaned LW Mike LeClerc to Cincinnati of the AHL.

New York Islanders — Traded LHP Tom Chorske and a 1999 eighth-round draft pick to the Washington Capitals for a 1999 sixth-round draft pick.

Columbus Penguins — Assigned G Jean-Sebastien Aubin to Kansas City of the IHL.

Washington Capitals — Acquired LW Tom Chorske and a 1999 eighth-round draft pick from the New York Islanders for a 1999 sixth-round draft pick. Signed D Sergei Gonchar to a two-year contract.

American Hockey League

Adirondack Red Wings — Loaned LW Darcy George to Toledo of the ECHL.

Lance Ward to Miami of the ECHL.

International Hockey League

Des Moines Buccaneers — Recalled G Trevor Keefe from Dayton of the ECHL.

Houston Aeros — Signed D Norm Maciver. Signed D Travis Van Tighem and assigned him to Austin of the WPHL.

East Coast Hockey League

Columbus Chill — Added F Steve Mackinnon to roster.

Dartmouth Bombers — Added LW Calvin Crowe and G Chris Batcher to the roster. Received D Kaspara Ashtenaker, RW Mike Sylvia, and D Tom Nemeth on assignment from Cincinnati of the IHL.

Huntington Blizzard — Waived D Jon Pirroni. Added D Jamie Skoski to the roster.

Mobile Madladers — Received D Lance Ward on loan from New Haven of the AHL.

Mobile Mysticks — Added F Stacey Raxwold and D Ryan Schmidt to the roster. Waived F Thierry Rychman and D Nico Pavia.

New Orleans Brass — Received RW Jon Jorick on assignment from Hamilton of the AHL. Placed C Mike Pozzo on the 10-day injured reserve list.

Peoria Rivermen — Added RW Anthony Aquino to the roster.

United Hockey League

Flint Generals — Waived G Ryan Miles.

COLLEGE

Mid-American Conference — Suspended football official Harold Denies for one game for making an incorrect call during a game on Oct. 10.

Nevada — Suspended QB David Neill from the football team until criminal charges against him are resolved.

Yamaguchi State — Named Mike Florak baseball coach.

AUTO RACING

Today's Lineup

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NASCAR BUSCH SERIES

At Madison

1. (85) Shane Hall, Simpsonville, S.C., Chevy, 33.998 seconds, 132.361 mph.

2. (93) Dave Blaney, Hartford, Ohio, Pontiac, 34.136, 131.748.

3. (4) Jeff Purvis, Clarksville, Tenn., Chevy, 34.178, 131.644.

4. (99) Glenn Allen, Jr., Cincinnati, Chevy, 34.211, 131.537.

5. (6) Joe Bessey, Scarborough, Maine, Chevy, 34.224, 131.487.

6. (47) Andy Santerre, Cherryfield, Maine, Chevy, 34.266, 131.326.

7. (80) Buckshot, Jr., Monticello, Ga., Pontiac, 34.275, 131.291.

8. (77) Ed Berrier, Winston-Salem, N.C., Ford, 34.281, 131.268.

9. (63) Casey Alwood, Nashville, Tenn., Chevy, 34.284, 131.257.

10. (177) Matt Kenseth, Lansing, Mich., Chevy, 34.295, 131.214.

11. (22) Adam Petty, Concord, N.C., Chevy, 34.295, 131.214.

12. (74) Randy LaJoie, Norwalk, Conn., Chevy, 34.300, 131.199.

13. (33) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Kannapolis, N.C., Chevy, 34.304, 131.165.

14. (50) Joe Buford, Nashville, Tenn., Ford, 34.303, 131.193.

15. (30) David Green, Owensboro, Ky., Pontiac, 34.346, 130.951.

16. (34) Mike McLaughlin, Waterloo, N.Y., Chevy, 34.382, 130.892.

17. (30) Todd Bodine, Chemung, N.Y., Chevy, 34.414, 130.892.

18. (60) Kerry Earnhardt, Kannapolis, N.C., Chevy, 34.420, 130.700.

19. (43) Kevin Gribble, Mechanicsville, Va., Chevy, 34.420, 130.700.

20. (20) Blaise Alexander, Montoursville, Pa., Chevy, 34.460, 130.586.

21. (59) Hermie Sadler, Emporia, Va., Chevy, 34.467, 129.994.

22. (34) Tony Stewart, Chesapeake, Va., Ford, 34.495, 130.454.

23. (64) Curtis Markham, Fredericksburg, Va., Chevy, 34.525, 130.340.

24. (8) Bobby Hill, Midland, Texas, Chevy, 34.708, 129.653.

25. (81) Wayne Grob, Mechanicsville, Va., Chevy, 34.647, 129.623.

26. (61) Elliott Sadler, Emporia, Va., Chevy, provisional.

27. (60) Jeff Krogh, Kamiah, Idaho, Ford, provisional.

28. (89) Ashton Lewis, Fernandina Beach, Fla., Ford, provisional.

29. (21) Johnny Chapman, Stony Point, N.C., Ford, provisional.

30. (14) Patty Moise, Jacksonville, Fla., Ford, provisional.

31. (12) Scott Hansen, Concord, N.C., Chevy, provisional.

32. (70) Eric Jones, Chevy, provisional.

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