



On the ball

The Nebraska soccer team defeated Arkansas 8-0 on Sunday. The Huskers have won their last two games 15-0. PAGE 7



Celluloid celebrity

Nebraska's budding film industry adds "Walking Girl" to its all-star lineup. The independent feature now is being shot in Gretna. PAGE 12

VANE POINTS TO RAIN

Cool and dreary, high 67. Cloudy tonight, low 53.

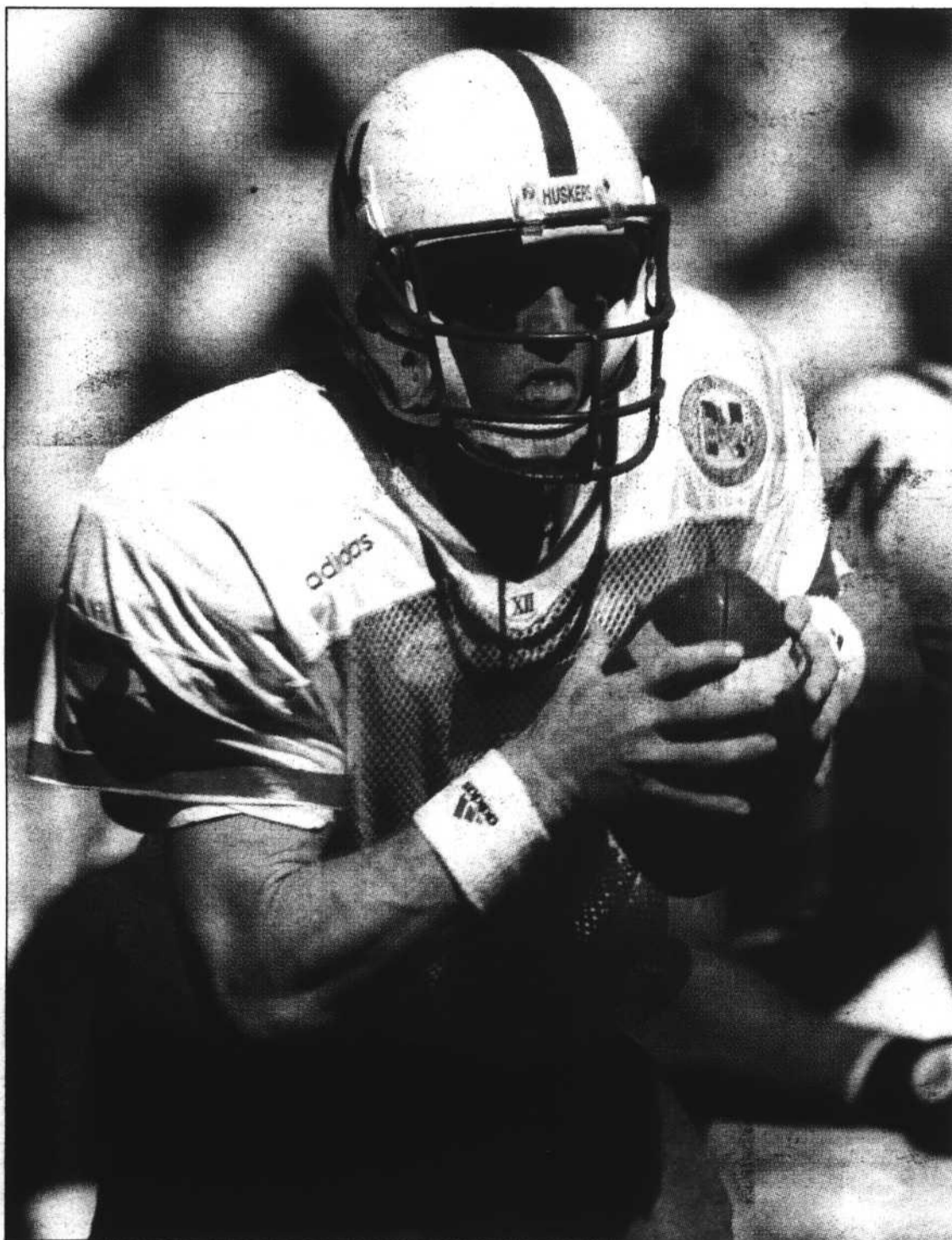
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Salvation in Seattle



MATT MILLER/DN

SCOTT FROST, who was named player of the game Saturday, led the Huskers to a 27-14 win over Washington.

NU, Frost bite Husky tails

BY DAVID WILSON
Senior Reporter

SEATTLE — Three hundred and sixty four days after a 19-0 loss to Arizona State, Nebraska regained its national respect.

A 27-14 upset of second-ranked Washington Saturday pro-

pelled the Cornhuskers from seventh to third in the Associated Press poll and rekindled thoughts of a run for a national championship.

"Throughout the whole pre-season and the first two games, we never doubted ourselves," NU defensive tackle Jason Peter said. "We knew we could get it done."

Though some did doubt the

Husker power after a 38-24 victory over Central Florida last week.

Speculation was put aside Saturday as Nebraska dominated the line on both sides of the ball. The Huskers tallied 384 yards on the ground against a Washington defense that had been top in the

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Jury vindicates two deputies in fatal shooting

BY TED TAYLOR
Assignment Reporter

Two county sheriff's deputies were cleared of any wrongdoing by a Lancaster County grand jury Friday in the shooting death of a man near Raymond earlier this month.

The two deputies — Andrew Miller and Jeff Bliemeister — shot and killed Bryan Hoover, 23, after he walked out of his grandfather's farmhouse pointing a rifle at them on Sept. 2. They had been called to the house after Hoover made suicidal threats to police.

Seven witnesses and 73 pieces of evidence were presented to the grand jury during 1½ days of testimony, said Lancaster County Attorney Gary Lacey during a news conference Friday afternoon.

Who those witnesses were, and of what that evidence consisted, could not be released, Lacey said.

Lancaster County Sheriff Terry Wagner released the names of the two deputies Friday.

Miller had nearly seven years experience and Bliemeister had about

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TERRY WAGNER
Lancaster county sheriff

1½ years of service when the shooting occurred.

Both deputies were placed on paid administrative leave for five days after the shooting, but have been reinstated, Wagner said.

"The deputies involved in this case did an excellent job," he said. "I'm proud of them for the job that they did."

Wagner said the deputies used "professionalism and restraint" during the incident, which ended when Hoover would not comply with their verbal commands.

Separate investigations by the Sheriff's Department and the Lincoln Police Department also cleared the two deputies of any criminal wrongdoing in the incident, he said.

Supporters light night in memory of Harms

BY CHAD LORENZ
Senior Editor

A cold, light breeze blew past 30 people crowded around a gray stone bench at dusk Sunday evening. Each one held a slender white candle to represent the light that one former UNL student gave to the world. Though the breeze blew out some of the 30 flames, the candle holders turned to each other to relight the black wicks.

The memory of Candi Harms, a freshman who was kidnapped, raped and murdered in 1992, will live forever, they said, because of an S-shaped bench that now sits on the northwest corner of greenspace at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Friends, family and friends of family gathered to dedicate the memorial — almost five years after Harms disappeared.

Todd Sears, who was Candi's boyfriend when she was kidnapped,

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SANDY SUMMERS/DN

CAROLYN MAY protects a pair of candles from the wind Sunday night at the dedication ceremony for Candice Harms' memorial.