



# Ducks are once again the king of the state

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The Ducks have done it. The Oregon football team has recaptured the bragging rights of the Civil War and have a date with destiny at the Rose Bowl on Jan. 2 versus the Penn State Nittany Lions.

Entering Civil War, everyone from Zig Zag to Ashland knew there was much more than just bragging rights on the line for the Ducks. All the Ducks had to do was go to Corvallis and pick up a victory and say "thank you very much" for the Pac-10 Championship.

The Oregon State Beavers had no plans of letting the Ducks take the conference title that easily.

Players were quoted saying, "People in Eugene are going to have to wait a little longer to buy those tickets (for the Rose Bowl)."

At 12:30 p.m. all of the talk stopped as the two teams went to war. The temperature on the field was a bone-chilling 38 degrees, rain

and 23 mph winds gusted through Parker Stadium. It had all the makings of another great Civil War.

Both teams were unsuccessful on their opening drives. The Ducks went four and out, and the Beavers were unable to pick up a yard on the fourth down at Oregon's 34-yard line. The Ducks offense could not catch well-thrown passes by O'Neil due to the wetness of the ball, and Oregon State wasn't able to get much past Gang Green on the ground.

"The weather conditions were not real conducive to our offense," said Oregon head coach Rich Brooks.

On the next Oregon drive the Ducks went to the ground attack. In the past this was not a strong point for the Ducks, but on this drive it was the deciding factor.

On seven consecutive plays the Ducks stayed on the ground, cutting and slashing their way through the Beavers' defense. Oregon running back Dino Philyaw gained 27

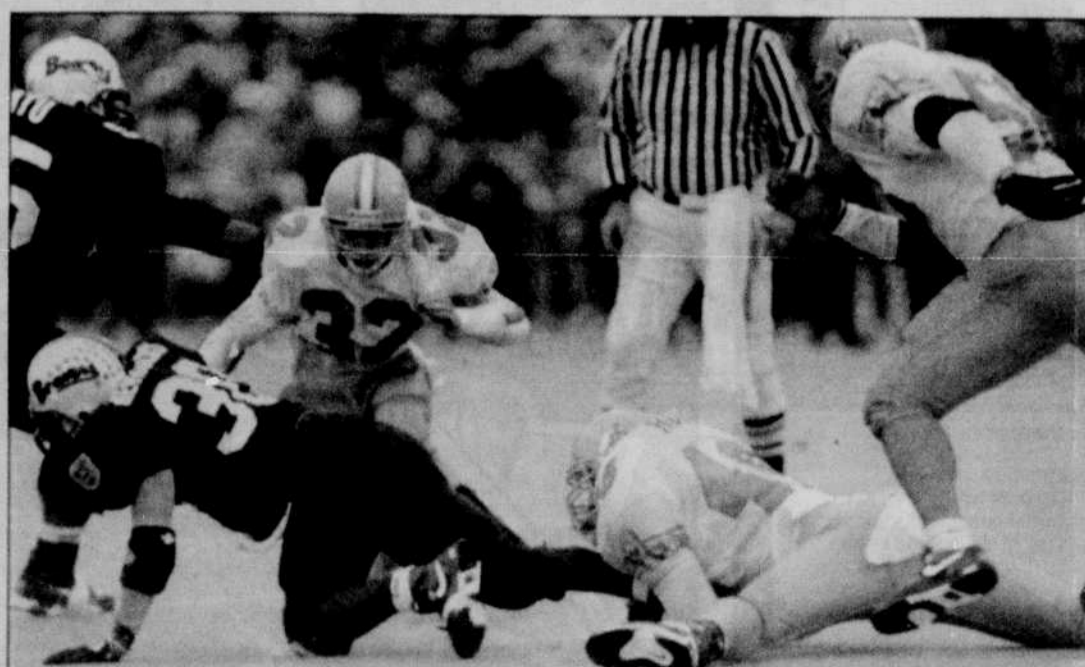
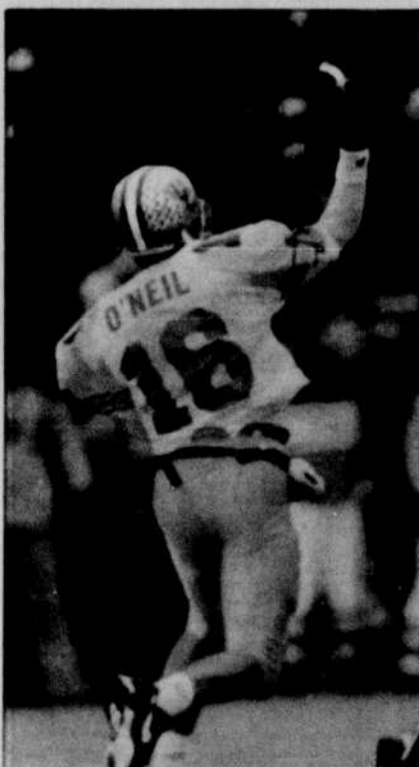
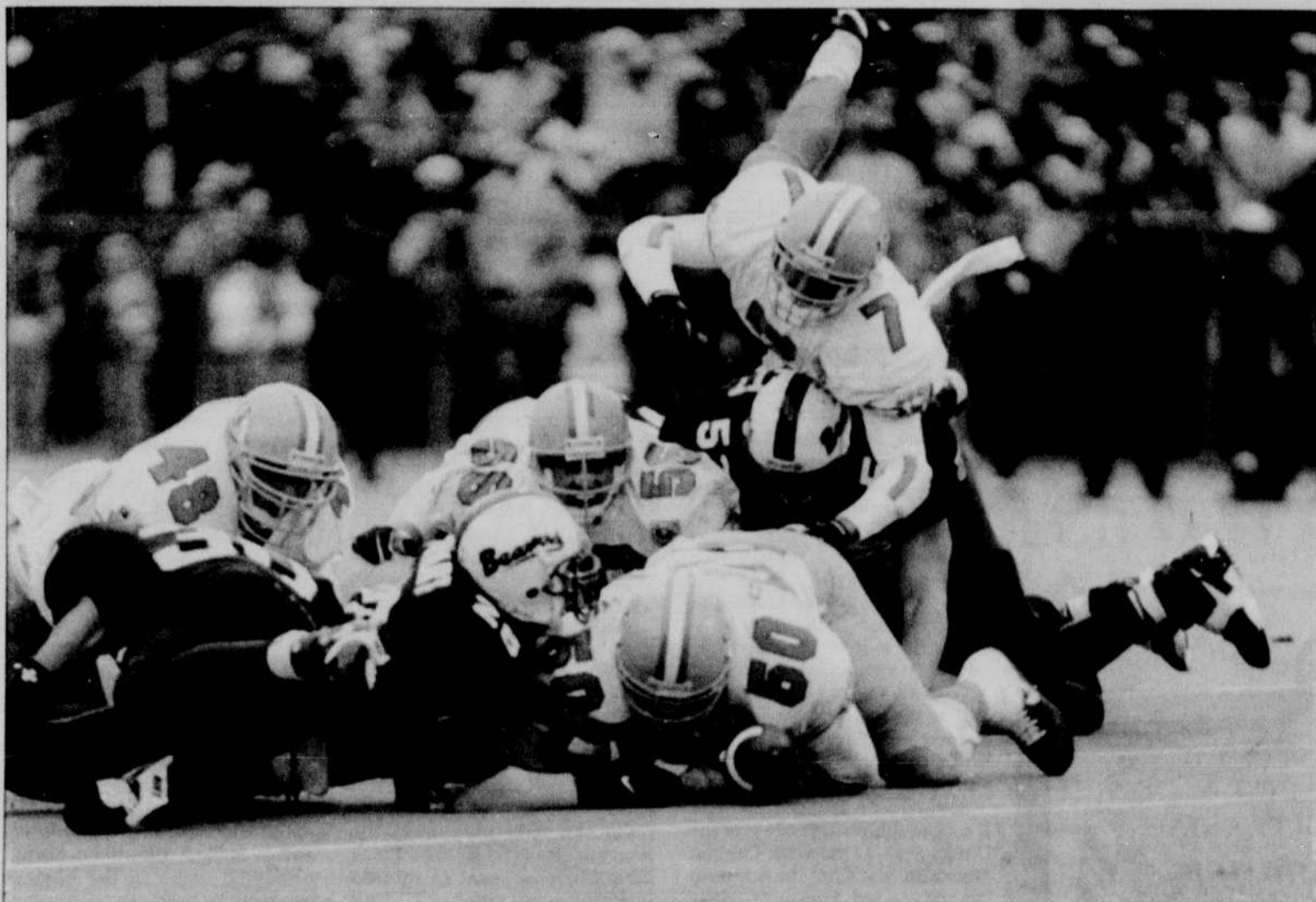
yards on five rushing plays. The Ducks had moved all the way down to the Beavers 18-yard line and were left with a third and four situation.

The "Quack Attack" went back to what it is known best for — the pass. Quarterback Danny O'Neil rolled out to his left and found Philyaw waiting in the flat for the short dump pass. Philyaw caught the ball and trotted into the end zone unscathed.

Oregon kicker Matt Belden added the extra point to give the Ducks an early 7-0 lead with 7:21 remaining in the first quarter.

The Beavers came back on the attack trying to erase the Ducks' lead. Oregon State put together a 13-play drive that moved them all the way down to the Ducks 34-yard line once again. The Beavers' potential scoring drive came to an end when the offense was hit with a false start and personal foul penalty con-

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Danny O'Neil (left) was accurate in crunch time for the Pasadena-bound Ducks while the rest of the Oregon offense (above) was more than willing to listen to the senior signal-caller. All eyes were on the ball Saturday as the swarming Duck defense (far above) held Oregon State to 13 points.

## OREGON VS. OSU

### TEAM STATS

	OREGON	OSU
Yards gained rushing	127	260
Yards lost rushing	6-13	12-39
Net yards rushing	114	221
Passes	11-25	3-7
Passes intercepted	0	0
Net yards passing	173	63
Total plays	60	74
Total offense	287	284
First down running	8	13
First downs passing	7	2
First downs penalties	2	0
Total first downs	17	15
Punting	6-176	7-217
Punt returns	1-6	3-15
Kickoff returns	2-22	3-39
Interception returns	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-fumbles lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-yards	4-29	8-85
Third-down conversions	4-14	6-18
Quarterback sacks by	1-1	2-2
Time of possession	22:38	37:22
Field goals	1-1	0-0
Scoring	17	13

### INDIVIDUAL STATS

OREGON				
Rushing	tc	yg	yl	net
Whittle	13	45	2	43
Philyaw	13	42	1	41
O'Neil	6	23	10	132
McLemore	1	11	0	11
Jones	2	6	0	6
Passing	pc	pa	lg	td
O'Neil	11	25	31	2
Pass Receiving	no.	yds	td	lg
McLemore	4	73	0	31
Ricketts	3	50	0	31
Philyaw	2	37	2	19
Johannsen	1	9	0	9
Whittle	1	4	0	4
Punts	no.	ave.	lg.	
Belden	6	29.3	45	
Punt returns	no.	yds.	lg.	
O'Berry	1	6	6	
Kickoff returns	no.	yds.	lg.	
O'Berry	1	20	20	
Reinhardt	1	2	2	

### SCORING

Oregon	7	3	0	7	17
OSU	0	6	7	0	13
Oregon — TD Philyaw pass from O'Neil (Belden kick good)					
OSU — TD Cross 0 punt return - Lund kick failed					
Oregon — FG Belden 34yards					
OSU — TD Shanklin rush (Lund kick good)					
Oregon — TD Philyaw pass from O'Neil (Belden kick good)					