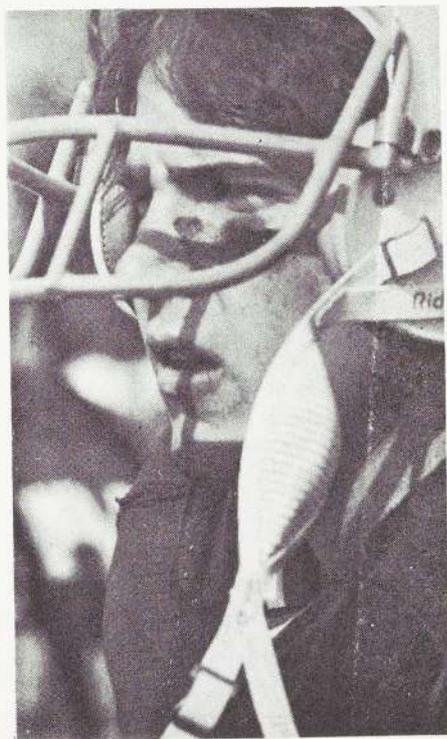


**Close ...
but
no cigar**

Gridders lose close game to Yakima

With the score tied at 17 all after the first overtime, Stu Gaussoin (right) watches anxiously as Dave Linneman (above) makes a dive for a Yakima player preventing a first down. Yakima's number 25 is helped to the turf by Rocky Schneider (32) and Marty Pinz (41) as the Cougar defense proved their toughness.



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