

NCAA OFFICIAL SCORING SUMMARY

Clemson

N.C. State

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Date October 20, 1990 Site Carter-Finley Stadium Attendance 46,500

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Final
Clemson	3	6	8	7	24
N.C. State	14	0	3	0	17

CLEMSON- Gardocki 38 yard field goal 10:11 1st
 NCS- Davenport 60 yard pass from Jordan (Hartman kick) 7:43 1st
 NCS- Davenport 19 yard run (Hartman kick) 1:27 1st
 CLEMSON- ~~Davis~~ ^{Dexter} 52 yard fumble return (Pass failed) 7:19 2nd
 CLEMSON- Smith 14 yard pass from Cameron (Cameron run) 9:51 3rd
 NCS- Hartman 22 yard field goal 2:20 3rd
 CLEMSON- Hall 1 run (Gardocki kick) 3:02 4th

Time of Game: Kickoff 12:11 End of Game 3:30 Total Elapsed Time 3:19

Officials Referee: Jim Knight; Umpire: Tom Lock; Linesman: John Godbold; Line Judge: Ernie Cag
 Field Judge: Billy Smith; Side Judge: Dave Wyant; Back Judge: Scott Green

Temperature High 50's Wind NE 10 MPH Weather Sunny

N.C. STATE WOLFPACK VS. CLEMSON TIGERS PLAY-BY-PLAY

Carter-Finley Stadium October 20, 1990

Weather: Sunny, High-50's, Winds 10 mph from NE

Coin Toss: NCSU wins toss and defers. Clemson will receive and defend S goal.

FIRST QUARTER

15:00 Fowble kick fielded by Ryan at tw0. 18 return Royal

1-10 C-20 Cameron rolls right and picks up 13 Edmond

1-10 C-33 Pitch back to Williams, gain of only two Merritt
PENALTY -- NCSU Dead ball (personal foul - 15-yards)

1-10 50 Hall rushes right for just two Merritt

2-8 S-48 Cameron completes pass to Smith for 7 yards J.Johnson

3-1 S-41 Williams picks up four off right tackle Austin

1-10 S-37 Cameron incomplete to Fields, nailed by Campbell over middle

2-10 S-37 Cameron complete to Thomas, gain of four Snake

3-5 S-33 Cameron completes pass to Ryans for 9-yards runs out of bounds

1-10 S-24 Williams rushes off left tackle for 1 yard Austin

2-9 S-23 Williams option right gains only 1 Haynes

3-8 S-22 Pack figures draw and stops Williams for one yard gain T.Lawrence

4-7 S-21 Gardocki attempts 38-yard Field Goal. IT'S GOOD

CLEMSON 3, NCSU 0 SCORING DRIVE: 59 yards in 12 plays, 4:43 Elapsed (10:11)

10:11 Gardocki's kick fielded by George in endzone, 25-return Mouzon

1-10 S-25 Mainor runs up middle for two yards Bodine

2-9 S-27 Mainor again sees orange up middle, 2-yds J.Johnson

3-6 S-29 PENALTY -- Clemson Dead Ball (off-sides - 5-yds)

3-1 S-34 Downs takes Jordan pitch right for one-yard Hammond

1-10 S-35 Jordan's pass incomplete over middle to Downs

2-10 S-35 George on draw play for 5-yards Hammond

3-5 S-40 Jordan hits WR Davenport for a 60-yard TOUCHDOWN down rightside
PAT - Hartman's attempt is good

NCSU 7, CLEMSON 3 SCORING DRIVE: 75 yards in six plays, 2:28 elapsed (7:43)

7:43 Fowble's kick fielded by Ryans in endzone, 19-return Burton

1-10 C-19 Cameron rolls and hits Fields for 16-yards Campbell

1-10 C-35 Cameron rolls left and hits Smith for 13-yards Snake

1-10 C-48 Cameron pressured by M.Thomas, passes incomplete to D.Thomas

2-10 C-48 Cameron keeps and gains only two-yards T.Lawrence

3-8 50 Cameron sees safety blitz and throws incomplete to Smith

4-8 50 Gardocki punts to George, Fair catch at 14, 37-punt

1-10 S-14 Manior finds little in line, gains but one Hammond

2-9 S-15 Jordan finds Mainor out of backfield, 17-yard pickup Mouzon

1-10 S-32 Downs is stacked up at line, gains one yard McDaniel

2-9 S-33 Downs takes pitch to left for only three yards Kirkland

3-5 S-36 PENALTY-Clemson Pass interference - 10-yards
(nullifies Henderson INT)

1-10 S-46 Jordan hits George out of backfield, gain of 12 O'Neal

1-10 C-42 Downs zig-zags on draw for three yards Hammond
2-7 C-39 Mainor off right tackle for two yards McGlockton
3-5 C-37 Jordan comes out of pocket, goes upfield for 18 yards Mouzon
TIMEOUT -- CLEMSON (1)

1-10 C-19 Jordan pitches to Davenport on the reverse, #2 TOUCHDOWN
PAT - Hartman's attempt is good

NCSU 14, CLEMSON 3 SCORING DRIVE: 86 yards in 8 plays, 4:10 elapsed (1:25)

1:25 Fowble's kick if fielded by Witherspoon at 17, 6-yard return Royal
1-10 C-23 Cameron pressured and runs for nine yards Haynes
2-9 C-32 Hall carries up middle for only 2 yards Logo

1-10 C-34 Cameron hits wideopen Hall, dropped
2-10 C-34 Cameron goes right for six yards Austin

TIME OF POSSESSION: N.C. State 6:38, Clemson 8:22
END OF FIRST QUARTER: N.C. State 14, Clemson 3

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SECOND QUARTER ---

3-4	C-40	Cameron finds Fields over middle for 8 yards	Campbell
1-10	C-48	Kennedy hit at line falls for one yard	Logo
2-9	C-49	Cameron passes to D.Thomas on right for 10 yards	T.Lawrence
1-10	S-41	Cameron incomplete to Smith, defended J.Johnson	
2-10	S-41	Cameron fumbles snap (minus 1 rushing) recovered by Logo	
1-10	S-42	Jordan keeps to the left for one yard	Kirkland
2-9	S-43	Jackson takes pitch out to the right, 1-yd gain	Kirkland
3-8	S-44	Jordan's pass intended for Davenport, incomplete PENALTY - Clemson Pass Interference (15-yards)	
1-10	C-43	Jordan on option left faces all orange, no gain	Hammond
2-10	C-43	Jordan scrambles forever, sacked for 13 yards PENALTY - NCSU Clipping (declined)	McDaniel
3-23	S-44	Jordan hits Davenport for four yards	Sheppard
4-17	S-48	Poag shanks punt OofB, no return, 25-punt	
1-10	C-28	Cameron is sacked by M.Jones, counted as no play PENALTY - Clemson clipping (15 yards)	
1-25	C-13	Kennedy rushes for 7 yards	Edmond
2-18	C-20	Cameron's pass incomplete across middle	
3-18	C-20	PENALTY - Clemson delay of game (5 yards) TIMEOUT - CLEMSON (2)	
3-23	C-15	Cameron airs it out incomplete to Smith, Savage defense	
4-23	C-15	PENALTY - NCSU Running into Kicker (5 yards)	
4-15	C-20	Gardocki punt is downed at 16, 64-yard punt	
1-10	S-16	Mainor plows up middle for five yards	Hammond
2-5	S-21	Shaw finds daylight to left for 13 yards	Simmons
1-10	S-34	Jordan complete to Shaw, breaks tackle for 12	McDaniel
1-10	S-46	Mainor fumbles (gain of six on play) fumble lost Recovered by Davis and returned for a 52-yard TOUCHDOWN	
PAT: Clemson attempts two, Cameron's pass in incomplete to Smith, J.Johnson defends			
NCSU 14, CLEMSON 9 SCORING DRIVE: 52-yards, no plays. no time elapsed (7:19)			
7:19	Gardocki kicks goes OB (PENALTY - Clemson illegal proc. (5 yards) Gardocki's 2nd kick fielded by George on 8, 23-return		Sheppard
1-10	S-31	Jordan completes pass to Davenport for 4 yards	Henderson
2-6	S-35	Shaw runs left for only one yard	Simmons
3-5	S-36	Jordan is sacked by J.Johnson (goes as no play) PENALTY - Clemson personal foul (10-yards)	
1-10	S-46	Shaw takes pass out of backfield for six yards	J.Johnson
2-4	C-48	Downs goes wide right for just one yard	McDaniel
3-3	C-47	Mainor stacked up at the orange line, gain of 1	McDaniel
4-2	C-46	Poag's punt is downed at the 11, 36-punt	

1-10	C-11	Williams is hit in backfield by M.Thomas, loss of one	Thomas
2-11	C-10	Cameron is chased left OB, sacked by T.Lawrence, loss of 2	
3-13	C-8	Williams gain of only one, tripped up by Haynes	
4-12	C-9	Gardocki's punt rolls dead	
		PENALTY - NCSU running into kicker (5 yards)	
4-7	C-14	Gardocki punt downed by George at 33, no return yardage	
1-10	S-29	Jordan's pass is complete to George, gain of 8	Hammond
2-2	S-36	Shaw rushes for two yards and FD	J.Johnson
1-10	S-38	Shaw collects pass and goes left sideline for 16	D.Davis
		PENALTY - Clemson unsportsmanlike conduct (DB) 15 yards	
1-10	C-31	Jordan dumps off to George for nine yards	Geter
2-9	C-22	Jordan's pass is complete to Harrison, minus two, fumble lost	
		Fumble caused by McDaniel, Kirland recovers fumble	
1-10	C-24	Cameron to Smith for 18 yards	Snake
1-10	C-42	Cameron complete to Thomas for 11 yards	Snake
1-10	S-47	Cameron pass is complete to Ryans, gain of 3	Savage
2-7	S-44	Cameron pitches to Ryans for six yards	Vinson
3-1	S-38	Cameron complete to Ryans for two yards and FD	
1-10	S-36	Cameron's pass sails out of bounds over Ryans	
2-10	S-36	Kenndy is popped at line by Henry, gain of two	Henry

TIME OF POSSESSION: N.C. State 9:18 (15:56), Clemson 5:42 (14:04)
 HALFTIME SCORE: N.C. State 14, Clemson 9

NCAA QUICKIE STATISTICS

First Quarter

Half

Third Quarter

Final

(Circle One)

TEAM

	NC STATE Home	CLEMSON Visitors
Score.....	14	9
First Downs.....	14	12
Rushes—Yardage (Net).....	22 — 75	19 — 56
Passing Yardage (Net).....	146	101
Rushing—Yardage Lost.....	1-13	3-4
*Return Yardage (Net).....	0	52
Passes—Att.-Comp.-Int.....	12 — 11 — 0	19 — 11 — 0
Total Ofense—Yards.....	221	157
Punts (Number-Average).....	2 — 30.5	3 — 51.6
Fumbles—Lost.....	2 — 2	1 — 1
Penalties—Yards.....	38 — 25	8 — 80
Possession Time.....	15:56	14:04

*Return of Punts, Intercepted Passes and Fumbles (not kickoffs).

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

NC STATE Home					CLEMSON Visitors				
	Att.	Net Yards	TD	Long		Att.	Net Yards	TD	Long
Rushing					Rushing				
MANIOR	7	19	0	6	CAMERON	6	27	0	13
DAVENPORT	1	19	1	19					
Passing					Passing				
JORDAN	12-11-0	146	1	1	CAMERON	19-11-0	101	0	1
Pass Receiving					Pass Receiving				
DAVENPORT	3	68	1	60	SMITH	3	38	0	18
Punting					Punting				
POAG	2	30.5	36		GARDOCKI	3	51.6	64	

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THIRD QUARTER

15:00 Gardocki's kick sails out of endzone
 1-10 S-20 Downs takes Jordan pitch and gains only one O'Brien
 2-9 S-21 George finds big hole up middle, gains 14 Hammond

 1-10 S-35 Jordan's pass complete to Shaw, gains six Henderson
 2-4 S-41 Downs has nowhere to go, gains one McGlockton
 3-3 S-42 PENALTY - NCSU DB illegal proc. (5 yards)
 3-8 S-37 Jordan's pass is caught by Davenport out of bounds
 4-8 S-37 Poag's punt fielded by Davis at 23, 5-ret., 40-punt

 1-10 C-28 Williams tries to go wide left, gain of six J.Johnson
 2-4 C-34 Williams blasts thru line and trips, but gains 12

 1-10 C-46 Cameron is sacked by M.Jones for minus four
 2-14 C-42 Cameron is again sacked by BIG Mike Jones, loss of 8
 3-22 C-34 Cameron hits Witherspoon, goes down left sideline for 56 J.Johnson

 1-10 S-10 Williams dances around for two yards Merritt
 2-8 S-8 Williams is chased out of bounds by J.Johnson/T.Lawrence loss of one
 3-9 S-9 PENALTY - Clemson illegal proc. (5 yards)
 3-14 S-14 Cameron hits T.Smith for 14-yard TOUCHDOWN pass
 PAT - Cameron finds his way in endzone for two points
 CLEMSON 17, NCSU 14 SCORING DRIVE: 72 yards in 8 plays, 2:41 elapsed (9:51)

 9:51 Gardocki's kick taken by George in endzone, 20-return
 PENALTY - Clemson Dead ball personal foul (15 yards)
 1-10 S-35 Shaw rushes up middle for two yards McDaniel
 2-8 S-37 Jordan complete to R.Lawrence for 7 yards D.Davis
 3-1 S-44 Shaw stumbles at line, no gain Brewster
 4-1 S-44 Poag punts to O'Neal, minus three return, 40-punt Knight
 PENALTY - Clemson clipping (6-yards)

 1-10 C-7 Williams tries the middle for two yards Giannamore
 2-8 C-9 Williams again to the middle and for two again Akins
 3-6 C-11 Williams is hit for a loss rolling left, loss of 7 Campbell
 PENALTY - Clemson illegal motion declined
 4-13 C-4 Gardocki's punt fielded by George, 23-return, 51-punt Simmons

 1-10 C-32 Jackson hit in backfield on draw, loss of 3 Bodine

 1-13 C-35 Jordan complete to George for nine yards Nunn
 3-4 C-26 Jordan finds wide-open Shaw over middle for 15 Brewster

 1-10 C-11 Mainor trips at line, falls for two yards Bodine
 2-8 C-9 Jordan's pass incomplete to George in endzone
 3-8 C-9 Jordan hits George out of backfield, gains 7 Simmons
 TIMEOUT NCSU (1st of 2nd half -- 4:44)
 PENALTY - NCSU Delay of game (5 yards)
 4-6 C-7 Hartman's 23-yard FG attempt is blocked by J.Johnson

 1-10 C-20 Kennedy fumbles on handoff, two yard loss,
 Fumble recovered by Giannamore

1-10 C-17 Shaw rushes for three yards J.Johnson
2-7 C-14 Jordan's pass is INT by D.Davis in EZ, nullified by PENALTY
PENALTY - Clemson roughing the QB (7 yards)

1-6 C-7 George rushes for no gain McDaniel
2-6 C-7 Shaw tries the righth side for three yards Richard
3-6 C-4 Pass is incomplete to Davenport in endzone
4-6 C-4 Hartman attempts 22-yard FG, this one is GOOD

NCSU 17, CLEMSON 17 SCORING DRIVE: 13 yards in four plays, 2:07 elapsed (2:20)

2:20 Fowble kick fielded by Witherspoon, return of eight yards Burton
1-10 C-27 Cameron's pass is complete to Smith, gain of 11 J.Johnson

1-10 C-38 Blunt's first carry gains one yard T.Lawrence
2-9 C-39 Blunt off left tackle, gain of four Haynes
3-5 C-43 Cameron's pass is dropped by Blunt, Haynes defending
4-5 C-43 Gardocki's punt rolls dead at 8, 49-punt

1-10 S-8 Cotton's first carry is 14 yard gainer up middle O'Neal

1-10 S-22 Jordan's pass is complete to Davenport, but loses 4 Nunn

TIME OF POSSESSION: N.C. State 8:39 (24:35), Clemson 6:21 (20:25)

END OF THIRD QUARTER: N.C. State 17, Clemson 17

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 FOURTH QUARTER

	2-14	S-18	George is stacked up and losses one	Sizer
	3-15	S-17	George rushes for eight yards	O'Neal
	4-7	S-25	Poag's punt if fair caught by Henderson, 46-punt	
1-10	C-44		Cameron's pass incomplete to Hall, defending J.Johnson	
2-10	C-44		Cameron's pass in incomplete to Williams, Haynes covering	
3-10	C-44		Cameron's pass is knocked down by Joe Johnson	
4-10	C-44		Gardocki's punt is downed at 24, 32-punt	
	1-10	S-25	Downs on draw is hit in backfield, loss of 3	McDaniel
	2-13	S-22	Jordan's pass complete to Shaw for 3 yards	Simmons
	3-10	S-25	Jordan throws strike to Davenport for 15	Nunn
			TIMEOUT (2nd in 2nd half) 11:35	
	1-10	S-40	Jordan's pass complete to R.Turner for 10 yards	Kirkland
	1-10	50	Jordan is sacked by Sheppard, loss of eight	
			PENALTY - NCSU Delay of Game (5 yards)	
	2-23	S-37	Jordan dumps off to George and loses four yards	Kirkland
	3-27	S-33	Jordan hits Byrd for 11 yards	Kirkland
	4-16	S-44	Poag punts a wobbly duck only 20 yards	
1-10	C-36		Williams around the right side for 17 yards	Snake
1-10	S-47		Williams tries right side for five yards	Merritt
2-5	S-42		Williams shows power off right side for four yards	Austin
3-1	S-38		Williams follows Long for four yards and FD	Savage
			TIMEOUT CLEMSON (1st of 2nd half) 7:04	
1-10	S-34		Williams stood up in backfield by M. Jones, loss of two	
2-12	S-36		Williams dances around the line for five yards	Haynes
3-7	S-31		Williams finds giant hole on right, gains 15 and FD	Snake
1-10	S-16		Williams likes right side, gain of three	
2-7	S-13		Williams hit by Haynes and fumbles, Haynes recovers fumble, loss of 2	
	1-10	S-16	Shaw tries middle for two yards	Bodine
	2-8	S-18	Jordan's arm hit by Hammond on throw, pass inc. (no play)	
			PENALTY - NCSU Holding (Nine yards)	
	3-17	S-9	Mainor finds no hole, gain of 2	O'Brien
	4-15	S-11	Jordan scrambles/sacked/FUMBLES, loss of five	Hammond
			Fumble caused by Hammond, recovered by Brewster	
1-G	S-6		Williams up the middle for five yards	Austin
2-G	S-1		Hall up the middle for TOUCHDOWN	
			PAT: Gardocki's kick is GOOD	
CLEMSON	24, NCSU	17	SCORING DRIVE: Six yards in two plays, :41 elapsed (3:02)	
3:02			Gardocki's kick returned 25-yards by George, FUMBLES, recovered by	
1-10	S-27		Kennedy rushes for three yards	Haynes
2-7	S-24		Williams finds wall of Red, loss of six	Bartlett
			PENALTY - NCSU/CLEMSON personal fouls (offsetting)	
3-15	S-30		Williams runs around the left for big gain of 22	J.Johnson
1-G	S-8		Kennedy tries the right side for four yards	Campbell
2-G	S-4		Kennedy goes left this time for two yards	Haynes
3-G	S-2		Kennedy stopped for one yard gain	Haynes

TIME OF POSESSION: N.C. State 7:08 (31:43), Clemson 7:52 (28:17)

FINAL SCORE: CLEMSON 24, N.C. STATE 17

NCAA FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

NC STATE

Home

Rushing	Att.	Gain	Lost	Net	TD	Long
MANIOR	9	23	0	23	0	6
DOWNS	8	11	3	8	0	3
GEORGE	5	27	1	26	0	14
JORDAN	6	19	26	(7)	0	18
DAVENPORT	1	19	0	19	1	19
JACKSON	2	1	3	(3)	0	1
SHAW	8	26	0	26	0	13
COTTON	1	14	0	14	0	14
Totals	40	140	33	107	1	19

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yards	TD	Long	Sacks
JORDAN	26	22	0	221	1	60	3
Totals	26	22	0	221	1	60	3

Pass Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DAVENPORT	5	79	1	60
MANIOR	1	17	0	17
BYRD	1	11	0	11
GEORGE	6	41	0	12
SHAW	6	58	0	16
HARRISON	1	(2)	0	(3)
LAWRENCE	1	7	0	7
R. TURNER	1	10	0	10
Totals	22	221	1	60

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
POAG	6	193	32.3	40
Totals	6	193	32.3	40

Field Goals	Att.	Made	Long
HARTMAN	2	1	22
Totals	2	1	22

All Returns	Punts			Kickoffs			Intercepted		
	No.	Yds.	LP	No.	Yds.	LP	No.	Yds.	LP
GEORGE	2	23	23	4	93	25	.	.	.
Totals	2	23	23	4	93	25	.	.	.

CLEMSON

Visitors

Rushing	Att.	Gain	Lost	Net	TD	Long
CAMERON	8	30	15	15	0	13
WILLIAMS	26	114	19	95	0	22
HALL, H	3	5	0	5	1	2
KENNEDY	8	20	2	18	0	7
RYANS	1	6	0	6	0	6
BLUNT	2	5	0	5	0	4
Totals	42	180	36	144	1	22

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yards	TD	Long	Sacks
CAMERON	26	14	0	182	1	56	3
Totals	26	14	0	182	1	56	3

Pass Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
SMITH	5	63	1	18
THOMAS, D	3	25	0	10
RYANS	3	14	0	9
FIELDS	2	24	0	16
WITHERSPOON	1	56	0	56
Totals	14	182	1	56

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
GARDOCKI	6	287	47.8	64
Totals	6	287	47.8	64

Field Goals	Att.	Made	Long
GARDOCKI	1	1	38
Totals	1	1	38

All Returns	Punts			Kickoffs			Intercepted		
	No.	Yds.	LP	No.	Yds.	LP	No.	Yds.	LP
D. DAVIS	1	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
O'NEAL	1	(3)	(3)	.	.	.	.	.	.
RYANS	.	.	.	2	37	19	.	.	.
WITHERSPOON	.	.	.	2	11	8	.	.	.
Totals	2	2	5	4	48	19	.	.	.

NCAA FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	<u>NC STATE</u> Home	<u>CLEMSON</u> Visitors
First Downs	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>
Rushing	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>
Passing	<u>8</u>	<u>11</u>
Penalty	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>
Rushing Attempts	<u>40</u>	<u>48</u>
Yards Gained Rushing	<u>140</u>	<u>180</u>
Yards Lost Rushing	<u>33</u>	<u>36</u>
Net Yards Rushing	<u>107</u>	<u>144</u>
Net Yards Passing	<u>221</u>	<u>182</u>
Passes Attempted	<u>26</u>	<u>26</u>
Passes Completed	<u>22</u>	<u>14</u>
Had Intercepted	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Offensive Plays	<u>66</u>	<u>74</u>
Total Net Yards	<u>328</u>	<u>326</u>
Average Gain Per Play	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.4</u>
Return Yards	<u>23</u>	<u>54</u>
Fumbles: Number—Lost	<u>4 — 4</u>	<u>3 — 3</u>
Penalties: Number—Yards	<u>7 — 49</u>	<u>12 — 113</u>
Interceptions: Number—Yards	<u>0 — 0</u>	<u>0 — 0</u>
Number of Punts—Yards	<u>6 — 193</u>	<u>6 — 287</u>
Average Per Punt	<u>32.2</u>	<u>47.8</u>
Punt Returns: Number—Yards	<u>2 — 23</u>	<u>2 — 2</u>
Kickoff Returns: Number—Yards	<u>4 — 93</u>	<u>4 — 48</u>
Possession Time	<u>31:43</u>	<u>28:17</u>
Third-Down Conversions	<u>4 of 12</u>	<u>5 of 15</u>
Sacks By	<u>3 — 14</u>	<u>3 — 26</u>

FUMBLE
RETURN
52 Yds

COACHES QUOTES

N.C. State Wolfpack versus Clemson Tigers
Oct. 20, 1990 * Raleigh, N.C.

NCSU HEAD COACH DICK SHERIDAN: "You couldn't have asked for a better effort after the performance last week. We played hard, but the turnovers hurt us. We cannot make mistakes like that against the number two defense in the country."

"Davenport performed very well. We wanted to get the ball in his hands and he responded well."

"It is hard to feel good after a loss like this. We have to go back to work, and prepare hard for next week. We just cannot keep making costly mistakes against top defensive units like we faced today."

COACH KEN HATFIELD OF CLEMSON: It was a real hard fought game on both side. We didn't play as good as we could and I think maybe last week's game (against Georgia Tech) might have taken something out of us. We made too many mistakes and the penalties hurt us. But we also came up with some big plays ourselves, maybe the biggest might have been the screen pass to Derrick Witherspoon when we needed a lot of yardage.

I think maybe in the second half, and the fourth quarter especially, our depth paid off for us. I believe the pressure our defense put on them the second half played a big part in the outcome. Coming up with those two fumble recoveries certainly helped our situation.

We knew that people had had a hard time running against N. C. State because their defense has given some people problems this year. That is why we came out with our passing to start with at the beginning.

We told our team at halftime that they would have to go out there and overcome some of the difficulties we had encountered in the first half. They did that although it might not have been pretty, we got a 'w' and that's what counts. People have had a tendency to underestimate N. C. State. They had a good game plan for us and I'm just thankful we came out on top. We thought they would overplay the run and that played a big part in us coming out with the passing to start out with.