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Little sets mark in Owls' win

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Two weeks earlier, Robsawne Little lay on the field of Bensalem's stadium, with no feeling in his legs and a burning in his spine.

"I was really scared," he remembered. "I couldn't move my legs."

But before he was carried off the field, he began to get some feeling back in his legs. And after his performance in the Owls' 23-8 win at Neshaminy on Friday night, there was no doubt about the strength being back in those legs.

Little rushed for 236 yards on 27 carries, and on a 92-yard touchdown run in the first period he became Bensalem's all-time leading rusher, breaking Edmund Robinson's record of 2,006 yards.

"Ed was one of the best," Little said of Robinson, who is now at Syracuse. "The record was something I wanted."

"He needed about 40 yards for the record, and he made his thousand tonight, too," said Owls coach Jack Klebe. "They're two different types of runners. Ed was strong and could run over people, and once he was behind you he was gone. Rob has a quicker burst of speed. He can change speeds real quick."

The quick cuts may have been tougher for Little to make in the muddy field at Neshaminy, but they were what kept defenders away from him most of the night.

"Today it was one cut and go," he said. "It was a little advantage, but [defenders] still had chances."

Bensalem had seven first downs rushing, and Little was the rusher on five of those. It seemed that when Neshaminy defenders had him, he would slip out of their grasps for extra yardage.

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