

# Neshaminy on Top

## Pennridge Routed 25-6

### STATISTICS

	P	N
First downs	15	12
Rushing yardage	112	193
Passing yardage	157	17
Passes intercepted by	10-17	1-4
Fumbles lost	0	0
Punts	3-40	4-38
Yards penalized	85	30

LANGHORNE — Neshaminy took advantage of its good field position Friday night to score three times in the first half and gain a 25-6 victory over visiting Pennridge.

Of the four Neshaminy touchdowns, only the first came on a drive longer than 50 yards, when the Redskins moved 71 yards with the opening kickoff to gain a 6-0 advantage. The other scores all resulted on drives that started in Pennridge territory.

And the majority of Neshaminy's attack which gave it its first victory after an opening loss to Bishop Egan last weekend was on the ground. The Redskins totaled 193 yards on the ground and only 17 in the air on one completion in four attempts.

Pennridge, on the other hand, racked up 112 yards on the ground and 157 in the air on 10 completions in 17 attempt, but was hampered by seven fumbles. The Rams, going down to defeat in their opener, lost only one of the seven fumbles, but the other six served only to slow down and at times halt drives.

Mark Spadaccino capped Neshaminy's first TD march with a four-yard run for the 6-0 lead. Neshaminy upped the count to 18-0 before Pennridge scored late in the first half.

The two Redskin scores in the second period came on a two-yard run by Jim Snyder and a two-yard run by Doug Mason. Dave Slotter put Pennridge on the boards before the halftime intermission with an eight-yard end sweep for six points.

Neshaminy pushed across its final TD in the last period when Steve Sroba bailed in from the 1.

Pennridge	0	6	0	—	6	
Neshaminy	6	12	0	7	—	25
Pennridge scoring: Touchdown — Slotter (8, run).						
Neshaminy scoring: Touchdowns — Spadaccino (4, run); Ryder (2, run); Mason (2, run); Sroba (1, run). Conversion — Romanoski (placement).						

## Big League Standings

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
St. Louis	91	58	.611	—
San Francisco	79	68	.537	11
Cincinnati	76	69	.524	13
Chicago	77	73	.513	14 1/2
Atlanta	75	73	.507	15 1/2
Pittsburgh	71	76	.483	19
Philadelphia	70	78	.473	20 1/2
Houston	67	82	.450	24
New York	67	82	.450	24
Los Angeles	67	81	.453	23 1/2

X-Playing night game.  
**Yesterday's Results**  
 New York 2, Pittsburgh 0.  
 Houston 4, St. Louis 2.  
 Philadelphia 3-1, Chicago 1-9.  
 Los Angeles 2, Atlanta 0.  
 Cincinnati at San Francisco, night.

**Today's Games**  
 Pittsburgh (Veale 12-13) at New York (Seaver 14-10), night.  
 Chicago (Hands 16-9) at Philadelphia (L. Jackson 12-17).  
 St. Louis (Bries 17-9) at Houston (Cuelar 16-10).  
 Atlanta (Stone 6-3) at Los Angeles (Sutton 8-14).  
 Cincinnati (Arrigo 11-8) at San Francisco (Bolin 8-4).

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Detroit	94	54	.635	—
Baltimore	85	64	.570	9 1/2
Boston	79	69	.534	15
Cleveland	80	71	.530	15 1/2
New York	78	70	.527	16
Oakland	76	73	.510	18 1/2
Minnesota	69	79	.466	25
California	63	86	.423	31 1/2
Chicago	62	87	.416	32 1/2
Washington	58	91	.389	36 1/2

**Yesterday's Results**  
 Boston 3, Minnesota 0.  
 Cleveland 10, Baltimore 2.  
 Chicago 2, California 1.  
 Detroit 3, Oakland 0.  
 New York 4-2, Washington 2-1.

**Today's Games**  
 California (Wright 9-5) at Chicago (Peters 4-12), night.  
 Oakland (Dobson 11-13) at Detroit (McLain 29-5).  
 Baltimore (Phoebe 14-14) at Cleveland (Tiant 20-9).  
 New York (Downing 2-2) at Washington (Schoen 0-0).  
 Minnesota (Chance 14-14) at Boston (Pizarro 6-7).

## Tigers Blank A's 3-0; Wilson Raps 7th Homer

DETROIT (AP) — Detroit's Earl Wilson walloped his seventh home run of the year and scattered 10 hits for a 3-0 victory over Oakland Friday night that edge the Tigers closer to their first American League pennant in 23 years.

The victory, combined with second place Baltimore's 10-2 loss in Cleveland, cut Detroit's magic number for clinching the pennant to five. Any combination of Tiger victories or Oriole losses totaling five wraps it up.

Wilson, who hit his 33rd career homer for an insurance run in the eighth inning, worked his way out of jams in the last three innings to stretch the Detroit's staff's complete game string to seven straight.

The Tigers jumped to a 1-0

lead off loser Jim Hunter, 12-13, on Dick McAuliffe's leadoff homer in the fourth. It was McAuliffe's 16th homer run of the season.

	ab	r	h	bj	Detroit	ab	r	h	bj
McMerris ss	4	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	1
Cronley cf	4	0	0	0	Stanley cf	3	0	1	0
Sequi p	0	0	0	0	Northrup rf	3	1	2	0
Cater 1b	3	0	1	0	Whorton lf	3	0	1	0
Bando 3b	4	0	2	0	Cash 1b	3	0	0	0
RJackson rf	4	0	2	0	Freehan c	3	0	1	1
DGreen 2b	4	0	1	0	Wert 3b	3	0	1	0
Keough lf	4	0	0	0	Trzewski ss	3	0	0	0
Duncan c	2	0	0	0	Wilson p	3	1	1	1
Paoliani c	0	0	0	0					
Gospar cf	1	0	1	0					
Webster ph	1	0	1	0					

Total	33	0	10	0	Total	28	3	8	3
Oakland	0	0	0	0	Detroit	0	0	0	0
Detroit	0	0	0	0	DP—Oakland 3, Detroit 2. LOB—Oakland 7, Detroit 1. 2B—Freehan, HR—McAuliffe (16), Wilson (7). SB—Campanaris.				

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hunter (L, 12-13)	7	7	2	2	0	6
Sequi	1	1	1	1	0	0
Wilson (W, 13-12)	9	10	0	0	1	9

PB—Freehan, T—2:15. A—25:45.

## Astros Stall Cards With 4-2 Triumph

HOUSTON (AP) — Danny in the fourth, but by then the Combs and Steve Shoemaker had bailed. Astros had jumped on loser Roy