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STATISTICS N 5 First downs Rushing yardage Passing yardage 66 266 66 49 Passes Passes intercepted by Fumbles lost 4-9 4-7 0 1

Punts

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Easton turned loose a savage ground game last night, rolling up 266 yards, but only crossed the goal line twice as the Red Rovers stopped visiting Neshaminy, 13-0, before some 7,000 fans in Cunningham Stadium.

Yards penalized

For Easton, which picked up 18 first downs as compared with only five for Neshaminy, it was John Cappellano, the hard-driving Red Rover fullback, who led the charge.

Cappellano drove for 107 yards on the ground in 17 carries and scored Easton's first touchdown on a long run and added its only extra point.

But the Easton defense was worthy of as much credit for the victory as the offense since it stopped the Redskins with only 132 yards overall - 66 through the air and the same amount on the ground.

It didn't take Easton long to punch its first six points across, and it came on alert defense. Mike Zimmerman pounced on a Neshaminy fumble at the Easton 36 to stop a sustained Redskin drive. Four plays later, Cappellano shot over the center of the line, cut to his left and went in standing up without a and being laid on him. The defense again paved the sions — Cappellano (39, run); Jones (3, run). Converhand being laid on him.

way for the second Red Rover score. After Neshaminy took the kickoff, Easton's defensive unit put on a strong stand to halt Neshaminy forcing it to punt to the Easton 20.

The Red Rovers launched an 80-yard drive for the game's second touchdown from there. It took Easton 12 plays to cash in and the score came mainly through quarterback Gary Rute's passing.

Easton picked up only 49 yards through the air in the entire game on four completions, but two of those connections for 42 of the total yardage came in this drive.

Rute singled out Bob Hosier and Cappellano for passes covering 28 and 14 yards, respectively, to move the Red Rovers into scoring position once again. With 10:33 remaining in the half. Mike Jones fought for the final three yards and the 13-0 lead after Cappellano's extra point.

- NESHAMINY Ends—DeMezza, Swenson, Vosburgh. Tackles—Geyer, Ivins, Pulak, Sauerbry,
- Haynes. Guards-Madden, Beccone, Chychota, Spa-
- daccino.
- Center-Ciambrello. Backs-Rakita, Dadnz, Munski, Jay, Pasquine, Forchetti. EASTON
- Ends-Corallo, Zito, Piergallini, Price.
- Tackles-Zimmerman, Vargom, Gadwell,

Lehr, Gruppo. Guards—Noto, Billheimer, Mattes, Wortel-li, Amato, Schoeneck.

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