

Neshaminy '11' Routs Egan



Neshaminy High's Harry (The Horse) Schuh (89) gives a stiff arm to Egan's John Zokovitch (left) while another Egan defender applies a tackle in the second period last night. Schuh, an

All-State second team selection last year, shook off both defenders and romped to a 17-yard touchdown. Neshaminy rolled, 41-6. (Courier-Times Sports Photo By Stan Michaels)

'Roughriders' Pick Up 395 Yards Rushing, Wallop Eagles, 41-6

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Neshaminy High School hit the football jackpot on the first try last night and ran roughshod over Bishop Egan Catholic High School of Lewistown, 41-6.

STATISTICS		Nesh.	Bish.	Egan
First downs	.....	14	13	15
Yards rushing	.....	395	177	140
Passes attempted	.....	1	1	2
Passes completed	.....	1	1	2
Yards passing	.....	27	0	0
Net yards	.....	422	177	140
Punts	.....	0	2	2
Punting average	.....	0	57.5	57.5
Fumbles recovered	.....	2	0	0
Yards penalized	.....	0	10	10

Franny McCullum and Jack Stricker scored a pair of touchdowns each on long runs to spark the Redskins to a crushing victory before an opening night crowd of 6,500 fans, the largest first game throng in the history of Lower Bucks County football. The "Roughriders" of Neshaminy rolled up a bruising 395 yards on the turf and continually ripped "Captain Jack's Raiders," Egan's defensive unit to shreds under the brutal onslaughts of Harry (The Horse) Schuh, Stricker and surprising McCullum.

The Eagles of Egan put together only one sustained offensive movement last night and drilled 69 lengths to score with Al Pezullo, a 5-10, 155-pound sophomore, barreling over the wide stripe from six yards out in the third period.

Neshaminy, the defending Lower Bucks County Football League champions, got the 1960 pigskin season off to a flying start last night by winning.

Bensalem Township will go to the post today at 2 o'clock when the Owls play host to Bridgeton of the Inter-County Football League. Bensalem will send an all-veteran array against the Dragons.

Stricker, Neshaminy's "Mr. Outside," spun four yards and outraced Egan on another jaunt of 57 yards for a pair of TD's. Schuh, the 230-pound fullback, gashed out 17 yards to hit the scoring column in the second quarter.

Neshaminy's other marker came in the third period when substitute Johnny Rothrock carved his way 25 yards into "Touchdown" Land.

Egan's best offensive threat was 5-7, 148-pound Phil Rotunno. Rotunno was worked 13 times and had nearly five yards per carry with 64 yards credited to himself.

Quick Score

Neshaminy wasted no time in getting in front of the Eagles. In five plays the "Roughriders" marched 65 yards with McCullum running 34 yards to hit the scoring column, Bill Schemberg, the left-footed extra point booter, missed his only try in six.

Egan's Mike Creed fumbled four plays later and Neshaminy's Alan Hall, a 5-0, 155-pound end, fell on the ball 64 yards later, 44-yard line. Five plays later, aided by a personal foul penalty, Stricker sliced over from four yards away. Schemberg's boot was true and Neshaminy led, 13-0.

On the last play of the first period Stricker fled 57 yards around the right end to give Neshaminy, the County powerhouse in football, a 20-0 bulge.

McCullum was given the assignment of scoring again in the second period and took the "package" of chilling yards to score standing up. Coach John Petercusk's eleven upped the count to 27-0.

Time ticked away as the half neared when the Redskins took over on the Egan 45-yard line. McCullum picked up eight yards and Stricker fired a pass to Schuh goal for 19 more. Bruce Evans bolted two yards and Schuh took over again. The big boy started the end for 17 yards and Neshaminy's 33rd point of the contest, Schemberg made it 34-0 at the half.

Egan took the second half kickoff and spun 69 yards through the middle of the "Savages", Neshaminy's forward wall, and broke the scoring ice on 14 plays. Pizzulo skipped into the end zone from six yards away. An attempted kick for the PAT went astray on a poor pass from center.

Neshaminy rested the varsity most of the second half and only used the big guns in spots. Rothrock, a 145-pound sophomore, scored for the "Skins" in the third period. He climaxed a 65-yard advance with a 25-yarder around left end.

Cards Trim Phils, 4-1

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—The groundskeeper St. Louis Cardinals trimmed the Philadelphia Phillies 4-1 Friday night, powered by Walt Morán's three-run homer in the fifth.

The game, and its five innings by now, was the first of a three-game series.

Moran slammed the home run the left field corner, the 25th of the season off lower Boston Red Sox. He was the only one to get on base and a double to start Moran and a walk to Ben Bogert.

The Cardinals have been 12-16 since the All-Star break. They are now 2-10 in their last 12 games. The Phillies are 1-10 in their last 12 games. The Phillies have lost seven of their last 12 games.

Philadelphia kept its home lead a complete shutout as Bobby DeLoraine pitched a 7-inning shutout and earned the win in the fifth. He pitched a total of 7 2/3 innings.

The Cardinals scored runs with the aid of the home run in the fifth and the Phillies scored runs with the aid of the home run in the fifth.

Philadelphia	R	H	E	St. Louis	R	H	E
1st	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2nd	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3rd	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5th	3	5	0	0	0	0	0
6th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	3	4	1

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All Alone Now



John Petercusk (left) of Neshaminy High School will guide the Redskins this season in the capacity of head coach. Petercusk was an assistant coach at Neshaminy for four years and then was elevated to co-head coach Harry Franks, who spent eight magical years at the helm of Neshaminy, resigned last season and Petercusk assumed complete control. He is shown showing "concern" during last night's 41-6 lacing of Bishop Egan. (Courier-Times Sports Photo)

Browns To Unleash Powder Keg Offense

CLEVELAND, Ohio (UPI)—The Bobby Franklin of Mississippi; Cleveland Browns will unleash a "powder keg" offense, fueled by quarterback Mill Plum in an effort to wrestle the National Football League's Eastern Division championship from the New York Giants.

The offense features the passing of Plum, the powerful rushes of All-Pro fullback Jimmy Brown and the outside flashes of halfback Bobby Mitchell.

The Browns' offense got its nickname from San Francisco coach Red Hickey after his 40ers fell before the Browns, 26-24, in an exhibition game.

"They certainly are an explosive team," Hickey said. "Playing them is like sitting on a powder keg—and every once in a while it goes off."

Coach Stresses Pass

Coach Paul Brown, convinced that his team needed more than the strong shoulders of fullback Brown, placed heavy emphasis on the pass during summer drills.

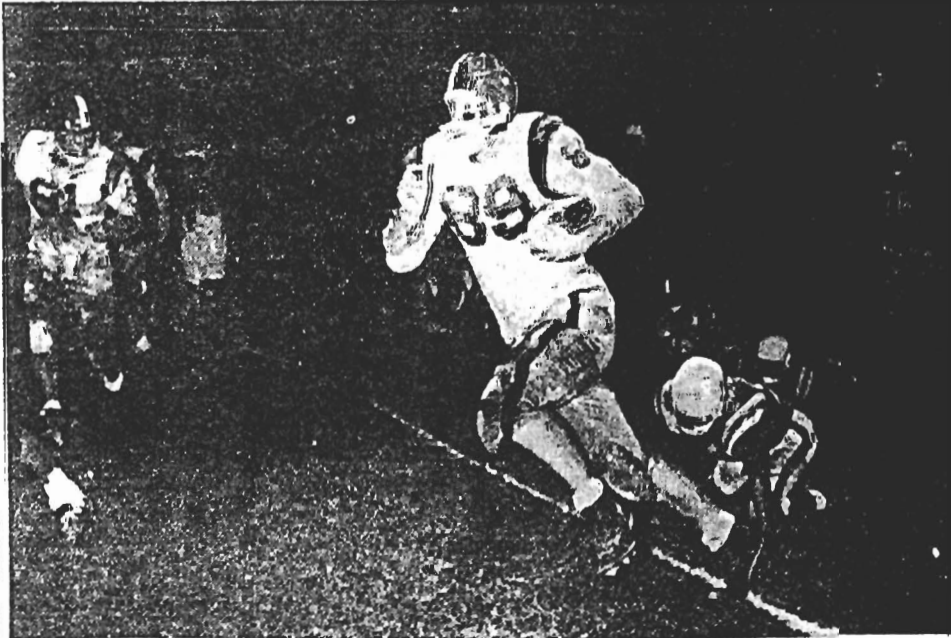
Plum appears to be firmly entrenched in the signal-calling spot, although he had to fight off the challenge of Len Dawson, Brown's choice in a trade with Pittsburgh.

The major enigma in the Browns' future is the deep defensive secondary. Battling for open-teams created by the retirement of Warren Lahr and Kenny Konz are Mike McCormack, nine-year vet the trade of Junior Wren and Eric Ray Renfro, Plum, Brown rookies Dick Mostrado of Kent, and company.

This turnover surprised the shakeup of three years ago when 13 players departed after Cleveland's only losing season.

Despite the revisions, the Browns retained the core of their team including tackle and captain Warren Lahr and Kenny Konz and Mike McCormack, nine-year vet the trade of Junior Wren and Eric Ray Renfro, Plum, Brown rookies Dick Mostrado of Kent, and company.

Schuh Displays Free-Wheeling Tactics



It only took a pass to Harry Schuh (89) to cause a crowd of 6,500 fans to gasp last night at Neshaminy High School. Schuh caught a pass in the open and legged it 19 yards before being upended in the

second period. He scored two plays later. Neshaminy cruised to an easy 41-6 triumph over Lewistown's Bishop Egan Catholic in the opener for both schools. (Courier-Times Sports Photo By Stan Michaels)

Neshaminy Harriers Defeat Bishop Egan

Joe Trachy brought a little joy to Bishop Egan fans last night by pacing first in the district cross-country meet between Bishop Egan and Neshaminy High School, which was held during the game at the Eagles-Redskins football game. Neshaminy won the meet, however, 20-25.

Trachy's time of 12:04 for the 1.7-mile and two-tenths mile distance was enough to give him the individual win but the Redskins, defending Lower Bucks County cross-country League champions, took the next five positions in the boys' race.

The order of finishing was as follows: Trachy, BE, 2. Fredrick Lahr, N. 3. Leonard Footnott, Bish, N. 4. Bill Plunk, N. 5. Sandford Renzold, N. 6. Bill Yang, N. 7. Bob Murphy, BE, 8. Tom Davidson, BE, 9. Ray Hearnie, BE, 10. Bill Saborsky, BE.

Officials for the meet were Dave Proctor, starter and head timer, and Dick Webster, clerk of the course.

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