Turns out Braxton Miller is okay. The Buckeyes' sensational sophomore proved too much for Penn State to handle, rushing for two touchdowns and throwing for a third, as OSU stayed unbeaten with a 35-23 win in Happy Valley. Ohio State (9-0, 5-0) assumed sole possession of first place in the Leaders Division of the Big Ten, while Penn State (5-3, 3-1) saw their winning streak end at five games.

OSU linebacker Ryan Shazier returned a Matt McGloin interception for a touchdown to break a 7-7 tie in the third quarter, and the Buckeyes went on to dominate the quarter with a bruising no-huddle rushing attack featuring Miller, Carlos Hyde and Rod Smith. Miller quieted the white-clad crowd with two touchdown runs in the period, including a 1-yarder of the ankle-breaking, jaw-dropping variety that has become his trademark, as the Buckeyes surged to a 28-10 lead.

The Nittany Lions would make it interesting with a long touchdown drive early in the 4th quarter, but Miller put it out of reach with a 72-yard touchdown pass to Jake Stoneburner on a 3rd-and 5 play with six minutes remaining. The Ohio State defense didn't allow a touchdown until the 4th quarter, and the Buckeyes once again survived a blocked Ben Buchanan punt for a touchdown.

Guess What?....Slow Start

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