

Baseball Players Learn By Errors

Albemarle Bulldogs' baseball team finished the season with a two win-ten loss record to take last place position in the conference.

Coach Nye said that it was a very disappointing season for all concerned. The two main factors in the record of the team were lack of hitting and fielding errors. These were due to lack of experience on the part of most of the players. There were only a couple of boys who played steady ball. The pitching was good throughout the season but the lack of hitting hurt badly.

"If it is possible to learn by mistakes we should have the smartest place team ever in the conference," stated Mr. Nye.

Second Place Is Won By Albemarle

Bill Sweet and the mile relay team led Albemarle's track team to a second place in the Bi-Conference Track Meet April 4 at North Rowan High School.

Sweet broke his own conference record in 120-yard high hurdles and also won the 440-yard dash.

The mile relay team of Terry Mabe, Bill Mauldin, Lester Bivens, and Sweet set a new conference record when they broke the old one set by Albemarle last year.

Although these records were set by Albemarle, Statesville still won the meet. Albemarle placed second; Concord, third; Kannapolis, fourth; then came North Rowan, West Rowan, South Rowan, Children's Home, Asheboro, and East Rowan.



Albemarle Track Team Wins South Piedmont Conference Meet

Albemarle Wins First South Piedmont Conference Meet In History Of School

Albemarle's Senior High track team won the first South Piedmont Conference Track Meet in the history of Albemarle, April 27, in Kannapolis.

The Bulldogs scored a total of 36 points for first; Concord, with 34.5 placed second; Kannapolis was third with 33.9; Statesville scored

33.1 for fourth; South Rowan, with six points was fifth; and Asheboro came in with one-half point for sixth place.

"This is the first time Albemarle as a team has won a conference title," Coach Frazier joyously remarked. "I am well pleased with the showing we made."

"Going into the mile relay, the boys knew they would have to win it to win the meet. Win it they did! We were in the lead all the way, sometimes by as much as 30 to 40 yards.

"The boys put forth a lot of effort, and I'm mighty proud of them."

Sports Contests Decided At ASHS

This school is very fortunate in that it has had an excellent home-room intramural sports program under the direction of Coach Gantt. Regrettably, only a few of the students gain any recognition. Therefore, a few of the poor, weak boys and girls are going to be honored in these unusual athletics.

The winner of the 100 yd. dash to the lunchroom ended in a dead heat between Ronald Sells and Wayne Dry.

If Janice Hearne and Jane Crutchfield are not included, the fence hurdles to the parking lot was won by Skippy Baldwin, who was followed closely by Louis Morton.

Richard Aldridge will be attacked by the fellow members of his mechanical drawing class for having the best aim with a compass.

Jimmy Nance will be jumped next because of his sure-shot T-square.

The rating of Most Dangerous Chemist will be conferred upon Lloyd Crisco just as soon as the smoke clears.

Asbestos gloves will be the prize given Sammy Lowder and Arthur Sells for having the hottest typewriters.

There are several different fields in which the rating of Expert has been reached. First is Johnny Furr and his putt-putt playing. Next is in the field of sleeping in class. Gary Barringer has this honor all tied up. Last will be in the field of yo-yo. There seems to be a tie between Bill Crawley and Joe Franklin.

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Monty Montgomery has been selected as a member of the All-Conference baseball team. The Greensboro Daily News chose Monty for his fine work at the shortstop position.

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