

Bolivia Skunks Leland, 6 To 0

By JIGGS POWERS
LELAND — Bolivia's Bears, coached by Joe Best, took a major step toward the 1971 Brunswick County Conference baseball championship here, Wednesday night, when it handed Leland's Tigers a 6-0 shutout defeat.

Bolivia, now 7-3 overall, is 2-0 within the Brunswick County loop.

Coach Tom Langdon's Tigers from Leland are the defending conference champions, having won the title the past two seasons.

Bolivia's George Irving kept the defending champs well in hand throughout the ballgame, allowing not a single Tiger to reach third base. Irving, a righthander, gave up only 4 hits, whiffed 11 batters and walked but 1.

Shaun Spencer and Billy Milligan worked on the mound for the Langdon team, with Spencer being charged with the beating. He gave up 5 runs, 7 hits, fanned 3 and walked 1. Milligan, who relieved Spencer in the 4th inning when Best's charges tallied four times to clinch the battle, gave up one hit, one run, struck out none and walked four.

Don Watkins, the veteran Bruin catcher, hit 3 for 4 to lead his team at the plate, with one of his knocks being a run-scoring triple. Aaron Wescott added 2 for 2 for the Bolivians.

For Leland, Donnie Sellers and Elmore Sullivan were each 1 for 2.

In that Bolivia 4th, 1st-Baseman James Mintz got things going by dropping a swinging bunt in front of the plate and Catcher Bobby Child of the Tigs threw into rightfield attempting to get him at first-base. Aaron Wescott singled and David Watkins walked to load the bases. Milligan came in to pitch for Leland and immediately walked Mike Simmons to force in Mintz with a run. He walked Charles West, scoring Wescott with another marker. Don Watkins singled in David Watkins and Simmons before a bit of slipshod base-running by the Bears

ended the frame.

Bolivia has a non-loop game with Penderlea, at Penderlea, Thursday at 4 p.m., hosts Leland at Bolivia, Friday in a 7:30 game that counts in the loop standings. Leland has a home-game with Waccamaw in conference play, Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

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Tigers 000 000 0-0-4-1

George Irving and Don Watkins; Shaun Spencer, Billy Milligan (4) and Bobby Child.

Bruins Defeat Tigers Again

By JIGGS POWERS
BOLIVIA — Randy Rabon, 155-pound junior outfielder, whaled out a grand slam homer in the first inning here for his Bolivia Bears, Friday night, and Coach Joe Best's club went on to an 8-5 Brunswick County Conference baseball triumph over the Leland Tigers.

It was the second straight win for Coach Best's charges against last year's B-CC defending champs from Leland. Bolivia is now 3-0 at the top of the county league and is 8-3 overall. Leland, coached by Tom Langdon, stands 2-2 in the circuit and is 3-8 overall.

Bolivia was 3-0 in the B-CC, 8-3 overall following the game here, Friday night. Leland, 2-2 in the conference, was 3-8 altogether after the contest.

Randy Rabon's homer was the big lick in the contest. With two out in the first inning, Don Watkins walked, Mike Simmons was safe when Shortstop Roger Corbett of the Tigers erred Simmons' grounder and then George Irving had an infield hit to load the bases. Randy Rabon's bases-loaded four-master followed. His "big one" came on a 3-2 count.

Another Rabon, Wayne, was the winning pitcher for Bolivia. George Irving started for the Bruins, gave up 7 hits, fanned 3, walked 3 and allowed 3 runs in going

Hardy Breaks Pirate Track Mark In 100

By JIGGS POWERS
SHALLOTTE — With Amos Hardy's new school record in the 100-yard dash sparking the action, Coach Jim Marshall's Shallotte Pirates romped over West Columbus in a 94-33 track decision here, last Wednesday.

Hardy ran the 100 in the record time of 9.9. The time is well under the official Waccamaw Athletic Association mark of 10.2, set by Hallsboro's George Webb in the 1965 Official WAA Track and Field Meet.

Only times and distances recorded in the official meet of the conference, annually, count in the WAA record book. Hardy will have a chance at that record this week during the Official WAA Track and Field Meet, being held at Boys' Home track at Lake Waccamaw.

Hardy also won the long jump and tied with Team-mate Elton Stanley in the 220 dash to be big man in the dual meet. The summary.

100-yard dash—Hardy (S), 9.9; 220—Tie Hardy and E. Stanley (both of Shallotte), 22.0; 440—Thompson (WC), 54.1; 880 run—Milligan (S), 2:16; 880 relay—Shallotte, 1:35.

Mile run—Carmichael (S), 5:23; Mile relay—Shallotte, 3:50; 2-Mile run—Ward (S), 12:18; 120-yard high hurdles—C. Stanley (S), 16.7; 180-yard low hurdles—Smith (WC), 21.5.

Shotput—Lanier (WC), 41-3; Discus—Reeves (S), 126-0; High jump—M. Hardy (S), 5-8; Long jump—A. Hardy (S), 20-6½; Pole vault—Clemmons (S), 10-0.

the first four frames. Wayne Rabon relieved and allowed 4 runs, three hits, fanned 1 and walked 3 over the final 3 innings.

Bolivia has a non-loop game at Penderlea on Tuesday afternoon; hosts Waccamaw here, Thursday night and goes to Leland on Friday for another B-CC meeting. Leland has a non-league battle against Acme-Delco, Monday; goes to Waccamaw Tuesday; has Bolivia at Leland, Friday night.

Shallotte's Pirates New WAA Track Champs

By JIGGS POWERS
(Waccamaw AA Publicist)

LAKE WACCAMAW — Coach Jimmy Marshall's Shallotte Pirates stayed well in the running most of the way, then swept the first two places on the fleet heels of Amos Hardy and Elton Stanley in the 220-dash and went on to cop their first Waccamaw Athletic Association Track and Field championship in some five years by the narrow margin of two points.

WAS POSTPONED
The decision came in the

1971 Official WAA Track and Field Meet held on the Boys' Home track here, Thursday, after the meet had been rained out the day before.

Shallotte scored 62 points, Elizabethtown's Cougars and Hallsboro's host Tigers tied for second-place in the meet with 60 points each, Fairmont's Golden Tornadoes were next with 32 points, Tabor City's Red Devils had 15 points, West Columbus Vikings had 10.

GREAT FOR JIM
For Marshall, it was a double-victory. Not only did

he bring the WAA award back to his Alma Mater in his first year as track coach after graduating from East Carolina University; but he also did it with a win over his old coach, Doug Henderson, now mentor at Elizabethtown.

The Hallsboro Tigers, winners of the event the past two years, led with only three events to go in the meet. Then, Shallotte swept first and second places in the 220, with Amos Hardy and Elton Stanley finishing in that order on respective times of 23.0 and 23.2. That gave The Pirates the lead they never lost.

WIN BY TWO

Came the final event, the mile relay and Shallotte needed at least a second-place to finish ahead. And, the Bucs did just that, with the team of Myles Hardy, Thomas Inman, David Carmichael and William Burney being runner-up with a run of 3:41.6.

Elizabethtown's team composed of Jimmy Autry, Horace Kemp, Willie Murphy and Carl Rhodes, turned the mile in 3:40.5, but still had only 60 points, the same as Hallsboro finished with, both a couple of points off the Pirates' winning count.

MCKENZIE SHINES
Five records fell in the big meet, along with another being tied.

Rick McKenzie of Elizabethtown, already the holder of the 120-yard high hurdles mark at 15.9 which

he'd set in 1970, again lowered that standard to 15.5. He also added a new record for the 180-yard low hurdles from 21.3 to 21.1. He ran the latter time in Monday's preliminary, did the same in the regular meet, Thursday. His 12 points paced his team's individual effort. The old low hurdle mark belonged to Calvin Stanley, Shallotte, set in 1969; tied by Carl Rhodes, ETown, in 1970.

Amos Hardy and Elton Stanley both ran the 100-yard dash in 10.2 for the lone

record-tie in the meet. Both joined George Webb of Hallsboro, who had set this mark in 1965 as co-holders of the record.

MORE NEW MARKS
Other new records included those in:

The 800-yard run, set by Tabor City's Randy Wright at 2:04.8, snapping the 1970 record of 2:07 set by ETown's Stuart Carson; the shotput, when Hallsboro's Mike Deik heaved the shot 51-feet, 9¼ inches, to better his own mark of 50-9¼ set in the prelims.

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