Raiders roll, 34-14

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LINCOLNTON - Jim Biggerstaff-coached South Point Red Raider teams continue to be tough on the Lincolnton Wolfpack. The Big Red won for the fifth time in four years over the 'Pack here last night, 34-14.

The Raiders, young and inexperienced but who are coming on strong as the season progresses, shook loose from a 14-14 halftime tie, scoring three times in the second half while holding the Wolfpack scoreless. South Point and North Gaston

are now the only two unbeaten teams in the county and area. The Raiders ran their conference record to 4-0 and their overall mark to 4-0-1 with the victory.

South Point and Shelby share first place in the Southwest 3-A circuit, the Golden Lions being hard-pressed for a 14-11 victory at R-S Central last night. The Ralders last night used a

balanced attack on good rushing and good passing for the victory. They had 321 yards in total offense.

South Point under Biggerstaff hasn't lost a conference game since late October of 1970 to Shelby, 14-13. In their last 30 games, the Raiders have blitzed 27 rivals while losing only one and tying two for the best mark in the county and area.

"We woke up in the second half last night," said Biggerstaff, whose team goes to Chase next week. "We were doing a lot of standing around on de-fense in the first half but played a tougher defense in the last half.

"It was a real good win and our young kids are coming along and maturing. I'm glad to see our offense finally coming alive. We've scored 62 points and got a lot of yards rushing and passing during the last two weeks. And, of course, our defense has been real good."

Tim Williams got the Raiders on the board first in the opening quarter last night when he intercepted a David Eaker pass and ran it in from 10 yards out. Dennis Grier kicked the first of his four extra points for a 7-0 Raider lead.

LINCOLNTON .came right back on a 49-yard drive with Billy Murphy scoring from 12 yards out and Larry Lindsay booted the extra point. Junior halfback Robert Adams, team's leading rusher for the night, sent the Raiders ahead 14-7 when he shook loose on a

nice 45-yard touchdown jaunt.

But Lincolnton tied it right back up. Murphy fumbled at the three of South Point, but teammate Ricky Beam recovered in the end zone and it was tied 14-14 at the half.

South Point then dominated play in the last half. Wayne Fewell scored a pair of touchdowns on the option play from 12 yards and 40 yards and Bobby Mann closed the Big Red scoring on a four-yard run. The Raiders finished with a 14-point fourth quarter.

Adams carried nine times for 104 yards for the Big Red while Fewell had 85 yards in 14 carries. Fred Dalrymple carried 11 times for 104 yards for the Wolfpack and Murphy eight times for 52 yards.

The Raiders go to Chase next week while Lincolnton is at Burns.

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Score by Quarters

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Scoring touchdowns, South Point:
T. Williams (10-yard pass interception): Adams (45-yard run):
Fewell (runs of 12 and 40 yards);
Mann (4-yard run).
PAT: Grier 4 (placements)
Scoring touchdowns, Lincolnton:
Murphy (12-yard run): Beam
(fell on fumble in end zone for
touchdown).
PAT: Lindsay 2 (placements).

Football results

West Meck 7, Hunter Huss 0

North Gaston 24, East Gaston 0

Gaston Day 54. Greensboro Day 0

South Point 34, Lincolnton 14

Kings Mountain 33, Cherryville 14

Shelby 14, R-S Central 11

Burns 26, Chase 2

Great Falls, S. C., 8, Blacksburg, S. C. 6

East Rutherford 14. Crest 0

Oak Hill 38, Bessemer City 14