



Reaching for a rebound in last Tuesday night's game with the Manteo Redskins is

Ronnie Ferebee, forward for the Perquimans Pirates. The Pirates defeated the Red-

skins 85 to 65. (Photo by Eric Skinner.)

Perquimans Pirates defeat Manteo Redskins Tuesday

By ERIC SKINNER

The Perquimans Pirates defeated the Manteo Redskins at Manteo high school on Tuesday night February 1 with a score of 85-65. The Pirates outscored the Manteo Redskins in the first, second and fourth quarter.

Through the hands of Troy Jackson, James Riddick, Brad Frierson, and Melvin Coston the ball was thrown, dribbled, kicked, shot, and almost slam dunked.

Jackson, Perquimans high pointer opened up with a jumpshot that sent the team sizzling. A steal from Melvin Coston, George Long and several fast breaks gave the Pirates a lead at the end of the first quarter 21-8.

Starting off the second quarter, Dennis Hunter, Jackson, Ferebee, Riddick and Coston worked as an iron curtain, stopping any advances the Manteo Redskins made toward their goal, while the Pirates doubled their score, making the half time score 50-31. Alternates Charles Leigh, Teton Reid and George Long were

called in during the third quarter in place of the starters.

The Manteo Redskins started the third quarter with a surprising comeback, penetrating the Pirates curtain scoring 24 points offensively while holding the Pirates to 15 points. The score at the end of third quarter was 65-55 pirates.

Coach Webster said, "We have to play our game, not theirs!"

The Pirates played the fourth quarter holding the Redskins to 10 points and scoring 20 points, making the final score 85-65 Pirates.

Troy Jackson achieved career total of 1032 points in the Perquimans vs. Murfreesboro game Friday, February 4. The Pirates defeated the Raiders 74-67.

During Friday's game, not only did the Pirates defeat the Murfreesboro Raiders they also achieved a dream. The dream to score 1000 points in a high school career.

This dream came to Troy Jackson, who received the award along with a

32 point high in Friday's game.

During the first quarter the Raiders led 18-17, with Leigh 2, Long 4, Riddick 4, Hunter 3, and Jackson 6. Leaving the first quarter and entering the second the Pirates still fell to the Raiders defense and left the half 33-36 favor the Raiders.

At half-time the Perquimans Varsity Basketball team gave Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cox their thanks, for their kindness shown towards them, on the trip to Manteo on February 1st.

The third quarter opened and closed with a top of the key jump-shot by Jackson. Leaving the Raiders to trail at the end of the third 53-45.

Stall, was the name of the fourth quarter, as the Perquimans Pirates, went into a four corners offense, and left the final score 74-67.

Perquimans points, came from Charles Leigh 12, Troy Jackson 32, James Riddick 12, George Long 3, Teton Reid 4, and Dennis Hunter 9. The Pirates will face Currituck on February 11, in Currituck.

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25. High scorers for Perquimans were Arvin Johnson with 7 points, and Guan Skinner with 6 points. For

the Nets, Ray Thomas scored 13 points, and Keith White scored 12 to spur their team to an easy victory.

REC HAPPENINGS
by **Bobbi Veon**
Perquimans Co. Parks & Recreation Director

Midget Basketball — On February 2, the Devils upset the Bucks 17 to 16 in a thriller! High scorers for the Devils were William Fowler, with 9 points and Everett Larabee, with 6 points. Derek Scaff had 2 points. For the Bucks, Derek Rogers and Anthony Turner shared the scoring efforts with 10 and 6 points respectively.

In the second game of the evening, the Royals beat the Nuggets 28 to 19. High Scorers for the Royals were Troy Boyce with 12 points, and Lester Whitehurst and Joey Fincham each had 6 points. Cousins JoJo and Willie Parker scored 15 and 4 points respectively for the Nuggets.

Standings as of February 4 are Royals-7-0; Bucks-4-3; Devils-2-5 and Nuggets-1-4.

Midget tournament begins Saturday, February 12. Games will be played at 10, 11, and 12 at the Union Gym.

Junior Basketball — Perquimans traveled to Edenton on Tuesday, February 1 to play the Nets. The Nets out-played Perquimans and won 46-

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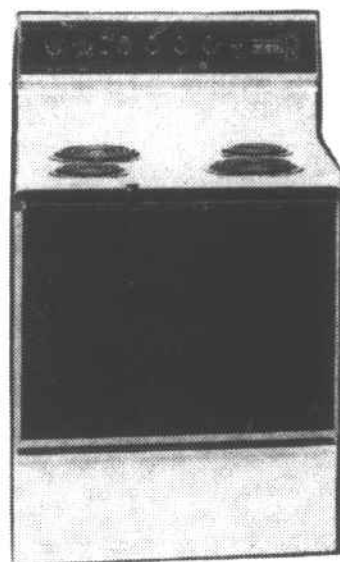
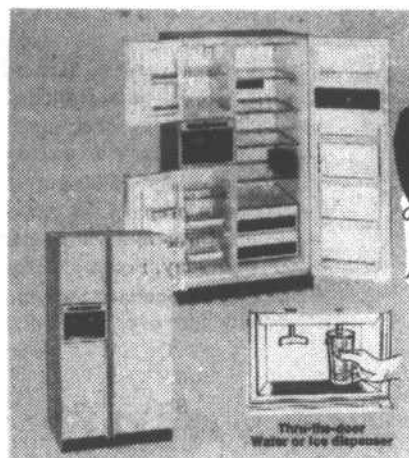
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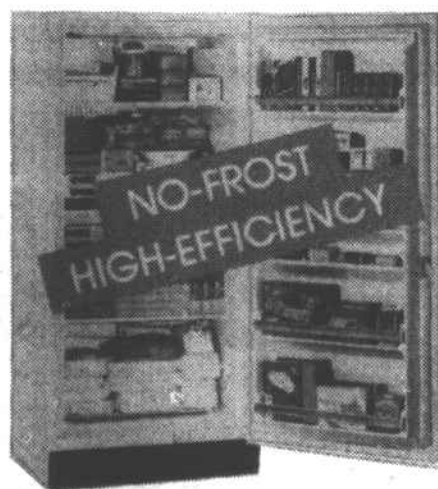
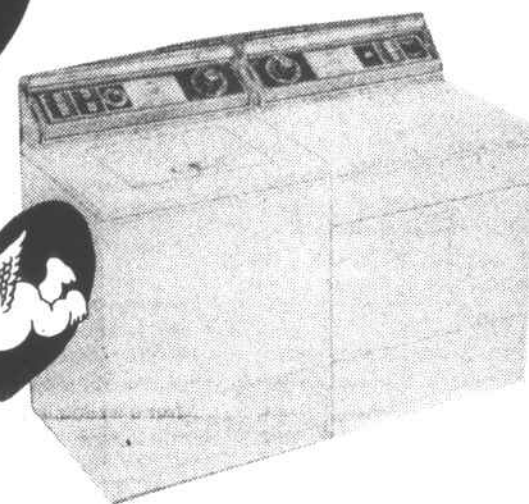
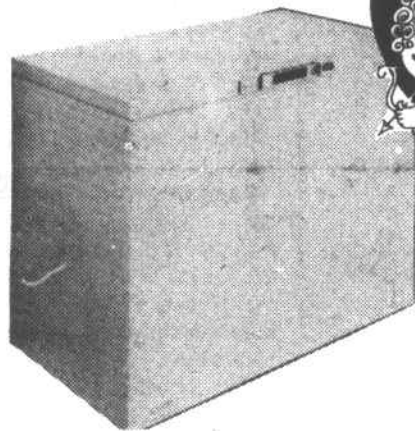
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