



Words of encouragement

Jim Dickey, head football coach at Kansas State, speaks to annual All-Area football banquet at the

Salina Country Club. The 12 members of the team and their coaches were honored Saturday,

a week later than normal due to bad weather last week. (Journal Photos by Bob Kelly)



Meeting of the minds

Area coaches with players on the All-Area team join Kansas State's Jim Dickey (second from left in front row). The coaches

are (front row from left) Everett Gouldie, Eastern Heights; Paul Dennis, Abilene; Bill Nondorf, Brewster and Jim Walden, Oakley; (back row) Steve Herrmann, Herington; Leonard White, Marion; John Hoffman, McPherson; Ron Shipman, assistant coach at Concordia, and Dave Zumwalt, Hoxie.

# Top area grididders are honored

The Salina Journal's 1978 All-Area football team was honored at a banquet Saturday at the Salina Country Club.

The event was a week late because of the weather.

The top 12 players in the area, and the area Coach of the Year, Paul Dennis of the Class 4A state champion Abilene Cowboys, were selected by Salina Journal sportswriter Harold Bechard after hours of deliberation.

Plaques were presented to the players' parents inscribed with the players name. The players also posed for a color picture.

The week's delay because of the

weather caused some problems, but all the athletes and coaches made it to the banquet, although Herington's Mark Chalker, involved in a wrestling match at Southeast of Saline, couldn't make it for the color picture. His picture, in black and white, was taken at the banquet.

Dan Zimmerman from Oakley was supposed to be wrestling in Burlington, Colo., but chose the trip to Salina instead. Ben Sexton of Abilene, one of the top heavyweight wrestlers in the state, made it between appearances at the wrestling tournament at Clay Center.

Four of the players bypassed the American College Test (ACT) to attend. They'll take the test later.

Jim Dickey, who coached the Kansas State Wildcats to their best football season since 1955, was the featured speaker.

The new KSU coach directed the Wildcats to a 4-7 overall record and a 3-4 mark in the Big Eight. He was runner-up to Tom Osborne of Nebraska as Big Eight Coach of the Year.

Dickey told the honored athletes that "athletics are the most rewarding thing that will happen to you."

He told the young athletes the next four to five years will be the most enjoyable of their lifetime.

Athletes at Kansas State are a concern of the coaches, he said. He stressed they are guided in athletics, ac-

ademics and social life, to get the right blend of all three phases of their college careers.

"We, at Kansas State, know a lot about our players," he said. "We talk to them about every phase of their life. It's important to know as much about a young man as possible."

He said it takes an outstanding young man to say "no" to the many temptations today, including narcotics. Athletes are educated on the dangers of narcotics, he said.

"They're smart and intelligent," he stated. "They know right from wrong, the difference between being foolish and being educated."

According to report

## AAU suspends top swimmers

NEW YORK (UPI) — Five of the nation's top swimmers have been suspended from international competition for two years by the Amateur Athletic Union for violating curfew and drug usage rules, the New York Times reported Saturday.

The action means the five swimmers will be ineligible for the 1980 Summer Olympics in Moscow.

In addition, 13 teen-aged girls, including Tracy Caulkins, have also been barred from international meets for three months for violating the AAU disciplinary code. Caulkins won five gold medals in the world championships and is one of the United States' main hopes for the 1980 Olympics in Moscow.

According to the report, the AAU refused to reveal the names of the five swimmers who drew the more severe penalties, which take effect in January. But the list reportedly includes Marc Foreman, a junior at the University of Tennessee.

Others reportedly involved in the violations, which occurred during a Colorado training session for a meet in Canada, were Steve Tallman, a 22-year-old University of Washington student; Jan Ujevich, a 17-year-old

breaststroke specialist from Pittsburgh; Beth Harrell, an 18-year-old student at North Carolina State; and Gina Layton, 18, a student from Darien, Conn.

Some of the swimmers allegedly involved in the curfew violation during a meet in Austin, Tex., were reported to include Joan Pennington, 18, a University of Texas student; Cynthia Woodhead, 14, winner of three gold medals in the world championships; and Kim Linehan, 15, winner of two bronze medals at the world championship meet.

Names not revealed

According to the story, Michael F. Troy, California-based chairman of the International Swimming Division of the AAU, confirmed that 18 athletes were barred but would not reveal names.

"The main thing," Troy said, "is that the athletes know that there is such a code and that it will be enforced. All of the swimmers and their coaches were required to sign an acknowledgement of this before it was implemented last August."

Troy said the girls will be allowed to participate in the one major event of their three-month suspension period — at Harvard in January — as representatives of their clubs.

# Pitt passes rip the Colts

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — Baltimore Colts coach Ted Marchbroda said he thought the steady snow that covered the field of Three Rivers Stadium would be an "equalizer."

Pittsburgh Steelers coach Chuck Noll thought the snow might enable his team to pass well against the Colts.

Marchbroda was wrong; Noll was right.

### 240 yards passing

Terry Bradshaw riddled the Colts' secondary for 240 yards and three touchdowns passing Saturday to lead Pittsburgh to a 35-13 victory that pushed the Steelers' record to a league-best 13-2 and assured them a home field advan-

tage through the AFC playoffs.

"We figured everybody would have a tough time with footing and we felt the Colts would have people who couldn't come off the ball well, who couldn't cut and run," said Noll. "We felt our passing game would be successful."

Marchbroda admitted Noll's pregame assessment was correct.

"The slippery conditions hampered our defense on the pass rush," Marchbroda said.

Bradshaw, who left the game early in the fourth quarter, increased his league-leading TD pass total to 26 with a 31-yard scoring pass to John Stallworth, a 12-yarder to Randy Grossman and a 29-yarder to Jim Smith.

Grossman's reception was his first score of the season and Smith's TD catch was the first of his career. Stallworth was forced to leave the game in the second period due to a stomach virus.

The steady snow and freezing temperatures probably contributed to eight turnovers in the game. Bradshaw lost a fumble and was intercepted twice, and Colts' quarterback Bill Troup lost two fumbles and threw two interceptions. Baltimore running back Joe Washington fumbled once.

Franco Harris scored the Steelers' other two touchdowns on plunges of three and two yards in the second quarter.

Baltimore got its two TDs when

Troup hit Roger Carr with a five-yard scoring pass late in the second period and Derrel Luce recovered a Bradshaw fumble and returned it 44 yards for a score in the third period. Toni Linhart's second point-after attempt bounced off the left upright and was no good.

The Steelers dominated the first half, gaining 221 total yards while holding the Colts — badly missing injured quarterback Bert Jones — to just 66 yards.

	Balt	Pitt
First downs	11	20
Rushes-yards	26-100	48-139
Passing yards	29	234
Return yards	186	121
Passes	8-19-2	12-21-2
Punts	6-37-3	4-32-8
Fumbles-lost	5-3	1-1
Penalties-yards	6-50	6-35

## Ravens defeat Fort Hays State

ATCHISON — Benedictine College defeated Fort Hays State for the second time this year Saturday night, taking a 67-64 decision on its home court.

The win brought Benedictine to a 6-4 season mark and dropped Fort Hays to 2-4.

Fort Hays: Wilson 5-5, Giles 1-0, Pauls 4-1, Meltz 2-0, Rust 2-3, Finch 4-1, Jones 1-0, Brewer 2-0, Befort 0-0, totals: 22-20-23. Benedictine: Forey 9-3, Hart 1-2, Tascur 1-1, Tolbert 1-0, Floyd 10-4, Ransom 1-4, Schuester 1-0, totals: 24-19-22.

## College Basketball

Friends 37 40-77  
At Bethel 49 41-90  
Friends: Wendell 1-0, Zoglaman 1-3, Revels 5-2, Keady 3-0, Ravestien 0-1, Sheffield 6-3, Hoskin 5-5, Wallis 4-2, Freeman 5-1, Beaker 0-1. Totals: 22-13-24.  
Bethel: Regier 5-2, Curtis 4-2, Moses 3-2, Hinton 1-3, Ellis 6-3, Bluma 1-0, Goering 3-4. Totals: 32-24-10.

## College Basketball

Southwestern 50 40-90  
At Tabor College 40 36-76  
Visitors: Hogan 9-2, Hodkinson 4-3, Williams 3-2, Wilke 6-3, Cheadle 10-0, McDonald 2-1-1, Gish 1-0-0, Scovell 1-1-1, Mossman 2-1-2, Schmidt 0-1-2. Totals: 38-14-19.  
Home: Stutzman 6-0-1, Nahlinny 6-0-0, Hobbs 3-4-8, Riddle 6-4-8, Rogers 5-1-2, Brubacher 1-0-1, Raber 4-0-0, Denton 2-2-2. Totals: 30-16-22.

Nebraska Wesleyan 34 29-73  
At Sterling 43 52-95  
Visitors: Miller 2-2-5, Halford 2-4-2, Reckewey 3-0-3, Otto 7-1-3, Lashley 0-0-2, Barrett 0-1-0, Jefferson 2-0-5, Westrup 1-0-2, Carrall 9-4-2, Saltoon 3-0-4, Stahr 0-0-0. Totals: 31-15-23.  
Home: Lewis 2-0-2, Barley 18-10-4, Unruh 1-0-2, Moreland 2-0-1, Mack 2-2-3, Palfenier 6-0-2, Turner 5-0-2, Bayack 1-0-1, Carter 2-1-4, Stacey 0-0-2, Beel 0-0-2, Paul 2-0-3. Totals: 41-13-28.

## Girls Basketball

Scandia 4 9 15 23  
At Millerville 22 38 54 63  
Visitors: Morgan 2, Johnson 9, Larson 8, Melby 4.  
Home: Breen 2, Fuller 11, Tate 10, Callin 14, Shannon 2, Empson 2, Hoard 2, Rauch 12, Ensign 8.

## Baker defeats Bethany Swedes

LINDSBORG — Poor free-throw shooting by Bethany College was a major factor Saturday night as the Swedes dropped a 102-87 decision to Baker College.

Bethany could muster only 54.8 percent from the free throw line, hitting on only 23 attempts. Baker sank 24 of 31 free throws for 77 percent and also shot better than 50 percent from the field.

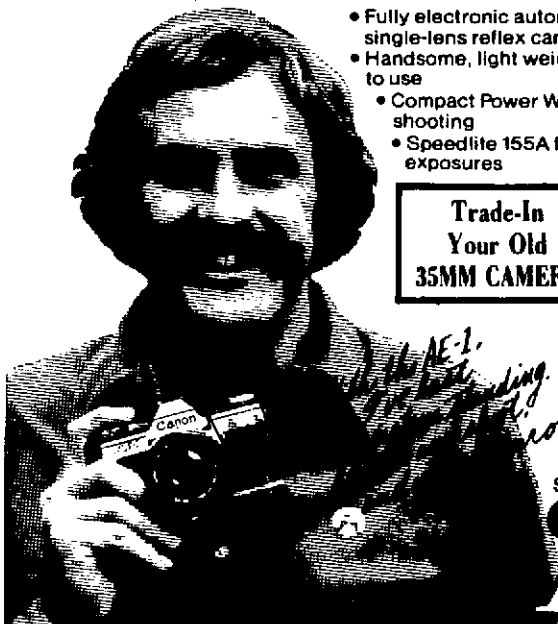
Leading Baker were Doug Allison with 17 points and Johnnie Seals and John Payne with 16 apiece. Mike Calla-

way contributed 14 points to lead Bethany scorers.

The loss dropped Bethany to a 2-4 season mark, while Baker improved its record to 4-5.

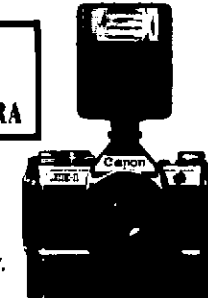
Baker 52 50-102  
At Bethany 34 53-87  
Visitor: Baker: Baile 1-0-1, Norman 5-1-4, Butler 4-0-4, Fritz 1-1-4, Fuller 1-0-3, Van Acker 3-3-2, Seals 6-4-2, Allison 6-5-3, Rhodes 1-4-1, Bibbs 1-2-4, Payne 7-2-2, Ross 3-2-4, Thrasher 0-0-3, Young 0-0-1. Totals: 39-24-38.  
Bethany: Stephens 4-1-2, Laughlin 1-0-0, Anderson 4-2-1, Zupan 3-3-2, Koland 1-4-1, Niernberger 4-4-4, Hagerman 2-3-4, Widrig 1-1-3, Jones 1-0-3, Carrier 6-1-3, Callaway 5-4-5. Totals: 32-23-28.

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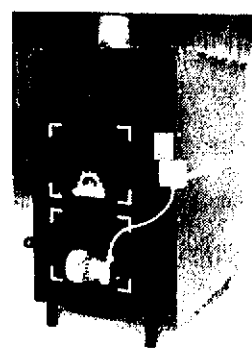


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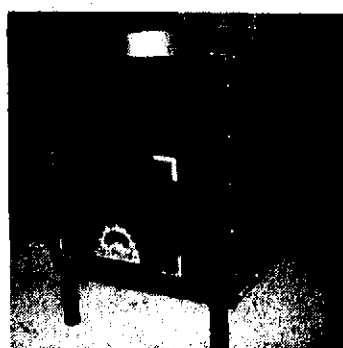
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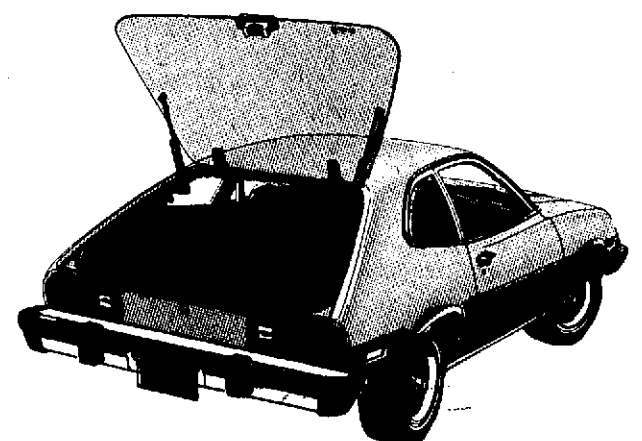


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