

Miller City's Successful 'A' Mentor Will Succeed Ziemke

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It was a little over a year ago that Leroy A. (Cot) Marquette first applied for the head basketball coaching position at Ross high school.

Today, "Cot" Marquette's wish came true. Fremont Board of Education, meeting in noon day session in the GUSDORF building, approved Marquette as the new head basketball coach of the Little Giants, succeeding Al Ziemke who resigned the post early in February after 11 years at the helm. Ziemke continued as head coach until the completion of the 1957-58 season.

In March, 1957, Marquette sent an inquiry to Supt. A. E. Rupp concerning the Ross basketball job. Marquette had just completed his second successful season in a row at Class "A" Miller City and said he had heard rumors that the Fremont position was open. It wasn't. However, the Miller City mentor said in case it ever was open, he was interested.

And, Marquette's interest mounted.

and D ball with Daytona, Fla. one year, Green Bay, Wisconsin one year and Harrisburg, Pa. another year.

Marquette employs the fast break type offense in basketball and a pressing defensive game.

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