

state's victory sent it against nebraska in the battle for fifth. iowa state reached the finals for the first time in history by squeezing past colorado, 55-52, in the cyclones will meet kansas, surprise 73-56 winner over missouri, the pre-meet favorite.

tournament notes : missouri fell victim to the jinx which has kept ~~any~~ all defending champions from repeating in losing its semifinal to kansas the tigers were facing a double whammy in that they never had beaten the jayhawkers~~xixx~~ in four previous tries on this court..... chuck rolles, 5-6 cornell foreward , closed the second round of play in second place on the individual ~~scoring~~ rolls with 40 points... . he collected 30 of them in the loss to nebraska and still trails bacher by 16 going into the final ~~anyvix~~ ~~playx~~ session..... ~~normstewart~~ missouri's norm stewart collected only 14 points against kansas, but ~~hexyvaultedxintovaghtxhyplusxvnx~~ they were enough to vault him into eighth place among the tournament's all-time career scorers with 126. he came into the affair with ~~98~~ 96 and has scored 30 in two tourney games... he climbed past med park, a former teammate, who held tenth place at 120, and colorado's bob jeangerard , who closed his career last year with 124.

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