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kansas city.... for once phog allen's analysis of his basketball team's victory was no more pungent than the time of day.

" well, we won't have to play in the afternoon anyhow", he only half-kidded when asked for his quick conclusions following ku's 79-62 thumping of colorado in the opening bout of the 1953 big seven tournament.

" we've had experience with those afternoon games and we don't like it ", he continued. " we like to play 'em all at night over here. "

only what the doctor meant was that first-round loser s play matinee contests, the consolation bracket being unraveled all the way by that method. the jayhawkers have lost only once in first round play, bowing 48-58, to kansas state in the 1949 affair.

" wez a couple of our regulars, born ( b.h. ) and patterson ( harold ) were not up to par , but some of our sophomore played well . any game you win is a good game. right now i'm happy. i'll wait until tomorrow to think of the bad things. "

the veteran mt. oread wizard singled out three sophomores for shiny mention, guard dallas dobbs; and forwards gary padgett and harold mcelroy. dobbs whisked two successive 20-foot right hand sets early in the third period to help demolish the buffaloes' sagging defense, and overall collected 13 points, his seasonal high. he used only nine shots from the field in scoring six goals. more