

high to date. lane's 20-point outburst against nebraska vaulted him into the individual tourney scoring lead at 48.

both waller and lane's demonstrations were direct results of what drake tabbed "the best half an oklahoma team has played since 1947."

the so ners ripped nu reaptedly on the break, blocked them off the bacboards, grabbed most of the deep rebounds and s on a fine job of team defense.

kansas edged missouri, 69-67, in the first game deep te lim ing through the last 15 minutes without a field goal. the bankers , however, covered fiercely and dragged down every defensive rebound in the late clutch to reach the king row for the fifth time in eight years. like ou, kansas has bagged one previous meet title.

kansas edged missouri, 69-67, in the upper bracket semifinal, despite limping through the last 15 minutes with but one field goal. missouri set a new tournament high for missed free throws at 23 , missing six clusters of one-and-one efforts in the final half.

it will be the fifth king row appearance for the kansans, who , like oklahoma, have bagged one previous tournament flag. tipoff time is 9:45 . nebraska and missouri meet in a 8 p.m. opener for third place.

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