

winning their games by such top heavy scores that many people considered them phenomena who sprang up from nowhere. With three sophomores in the line up, one senior and one junior, the Oklahomans stole the Big Six show most of the season.

Nebraska had a team of four seniors and one junior that was supposed to run away with the race. In her early season games, although beaten by Indiana, Ohio State, Minnesota, and other Big Ten schools by close scores, Nebraska still looked like she had some latent power which she was not showing. However, her season's play in the Big Six was disappointing.

Kansas State had lost her Big Six scoring champion, Groves, and was not expected to figure in the championship running. This was true of Iowa State where Coach Menze had lost heavily of his regulars, but he had inherited the Ames, Iowa, state high school champion team which enrolled intact at Iowa State College. However, the boys were small for Big Six competition, and with their inexperience and small stature they did not attain the hopes of the Iowa State followers.

Missouri proved to be the giant-killer, whipping Nebraska in an early season game at Lincoln that caused real speculation. However, she proved to be an insend out team, winning some games in a spectacular fashion then lapsing and dropping back to near-mediocrity in others.

Kansas lost four of her five regulars and had one senior returning, Fred Pralle, who was the Big Six high scoring champion. It was necessary for him to score 22 points from a guard position against Missouri in the final game to achieve this result. After the Big Six season Pralle joined the Kansas City, Kansas, Healeys in the National A.A.U. championship at Denver, where he almost single-handedly won the national championship for the Kansas entry.

Pralle was picked on a great many of the All-American college and A.A.U. teams. At the A.A.U. tournament at Denver he was chosen as the most valuable player.

Pralle was elected co-captain along with Sylvester Schmidt, of the Jayhawkers. Kansas lost her first game to Oklahoma at Lawrence by 49-46 score. With an unconvincoing team comprised largely of sophomores, together with Pralle, Kansas continued to win her games by small scores until the latter part of the season shen she developed a powerful attack, burying the Missouri Tigers in a final game at Lawrence 56 to 36. Kansas won the Big Six championship by winning her last nine straight games and finishing with a percentage of .900.