

## BASKETBALL

Kansas won the 1938 Big Six basketball championship, her seventh championship in the ten years since the organization of the conference. After losing her first game to Oklahoma, Kansas put on a sensational drive down the championship highway. By winning the last nine straight championship games the Jayhawkers surprised even their most ardent supporters by beating out highly touted and favored teams, such as the Cornhuskers, the Tigers and the Sooners.

Two versatile players will be missing from next year's basketball group. Fred Pralle, senior, co-captain, all-Big Six guard, and high scorer in the Big Six conference, was picked as an all-America selection by leading basketball critics of the country. Sylvester Schmidt, co-captain, was the only other senior on the squad.

This year's race will undoubtedly be the most sensational that the Big Six conference has ever faced. Oklahoma, with practically her entire team intact, is the most serious threat to the Jayhawker's hopes. Missouri, Iowa State, Nebraska and Kansas State boast of powerful squads. Surely this season coming up should be a thriller for the basketball fan who thrives on upsets.

## The schedule:

- January 7 - Kansas at Norman
- January 10 - Kansas State at Lawrence
- January 14 - Kansas at Lincoln
- January 18 - Missouri at Lawrence
- January 20 - Kansas at Manhattan
- January 23 - Kansas at Ames
- February 14 - Nebraska at Lawrence
- February 20 - Iowa State at Lawrence
- February 25 - Oklahoma at Lawrence
- March 2 - Kansas at Columbia