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1939-40 MISSOURI VALLEY CONFERENCE BASKETBALL REVIEW

CONFERENCE GAMES

	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	O.	Pts.	Ave.	O.Ave.	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	O.Pts.
Oklahoma A. & M.	12	0	1.000	499	300	41.6	25.0	14.3	.823	588	471		
Creighton	8	4	.667	429	427	35.8	35.6	3.4	.429	259	258		
Drake	7	5	.583	455	428	37.9	35.7	6.7	.462	565	562		
Washburn	6	6	.500	386	436	32.2	36.3	4.4	.500	315	323		
Tulsa	5	7	.417	370	372	30.9	31.0	8.8	.500	597	533		
Washington	2	10	.167	343	409	28.6	34.1	5.3	.625	250	254		
St. Louis	2	10	.167	316	426	26.3	35.5	2.4	.333	214	231		
Totals	42	42	.500	2798	2798	33.3	33.3	42.33	.560	2788	2632		

ALL GAMES

Ave. O.Ave.		W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	O.Pts.	Ave.	O.Ave.
34.6 27.7		26	3	.897	1087	771	37.5	26.6
37.0 36.9		11	8	.579	688	685	36.2	36.0
43.5 43.2		13	12	.520	1020	990	40.8	39.6
39.4 40.4		10	10	.500	701	759	35.1	38.0
37.3 33.3		13	15	.464	967	905	34.6	32.3
31.3 31.8		7	13	.350	593	663	29.7	33.2
35.7 38.5		4	14	.222	530	657	29.4	36.5
37.2 35.1		84	75	.528	5586	5430	35.1	34.2

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Oklahoma A. & M. College of Stillwater, Okla., won the 1939-40 Missouri Valley Conference basketball championship without the loss of a single game, something accomplished only six times previously in the 33 years of title play. The deliberate-playing Cowboys, with more punch than usual, swept through 12 consecutive conference contests, overpowering all opposition with a 41.6-point offensive average and a 25-point defensive mark.

The last time a Missouri Valley championship was won without the loss

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