

BIG SIX BASKETBALL OFFICIALS1941-'42

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Browning, Bud	Phillips Petroleum Corp. Wichita, Kansas
2. Breithaup, Clarence	Central High School, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
3. Carroll, Parke	The Journal- Kansas City, Mo.
4. Curtis, Ab	419 Petroleum Bldg. Fort Worth, Texas
5. Duvall, Grable	3105 Washington St. Kansas City, Mo.
6. Grossman, Lee	Jewish Community Center Omaha, Nebraska
7. Hinshaw, Ab	Mid-Continent Airlines Omaha, Nebraska
8. Harrison, Pops	University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa
9. Hogue, Eddie	3801 Terrace, Kansas City, Mo.
10. Hyatt, Charles	Phillips Petroleum Corp. Bartlesville, Oklahoma
11. Hinkhouse, D. J.	Beloit High School, Beloit, Kansas
12. House, L. A.	Southwest High School, Kansas City, Mo.
13. Kemper, Gene	Topeka Daily Capital, Topeka, Kansas
14. Lance, John	Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kansas
15. North, Jack	Register-Tribune, Des Moines, Iowa
16. O'Sullivan, Ted	916 Walnut St. Kansas City, Mo.
17. Pressley, Moe	1908 Spencer St. Omaha, Nebraska
18. Pullian, Dick	Crystal Cleaners, Grand Island, Nebraska
19. Quigley, E. C.	St. Mary's, Kansas
20. Reigert, Mike	
21. Roper, Max	2933 Wondover St. Lincoln, Nebraska
22. Skradski, Andrew	400 N.5th St. Kansas City, Kansas
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COMPLETED SCHEDULE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS BASKETBALL
GAMES 1941-1942

<u>December 17th</u>	<u>Denver University</u>
December 18th	Bothel College
X <u>January 6th</u>	<u>University of Oklahoma</u>
X <u>January 14th</u>	University of Missouri
X <u>January 17th</u>	University of Nebraska
X <u>January 19th</u>	Iowa State College
X <u>January 24th</u>	<u>Kansas State College</u>
January 29th	University of Iowa
January 31th	DePaul University
February 2nd	Wichita University
<u>February 10th</u>	<u>Creighton University</u>
X <u>February 14th</u>	<u>University of Nebraska</u>
X <u>February 16th</u>	<u>Iowa State College</u>
<u>February 20th</u>	<u>Oklahoma A. and M.</u>
February 25th	Oklahoma A. and M.
X <u>February 27th</u>	University of Oklahoma
X <u>March 3rd</u>	Kansas State College
X <u>March 6th</u>	<u>University of Missouri</u>

UNDERScoreD----HOME GAMES

X - *Completed Games*

Condensed Information on
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA BASKETBALL

Location--Lincoln, Nebraska
Population--81,984
University Enrollment--9,500
(Including summer school and
Medical College at Omaha.)
Male Students, Regular Session--4,500
Coliseum Capacity--8,500

Administrative Staff

Major L. McC. "Biff" Jones, Director
of Athletics and Head Football Coach
*Lt. Col. W. H. Browne, Assistant
Director of Athletics
John K. Selleck, Business Manager of
Athletics
Gregg McBride, Athletic Publicity
Director
*On leave of absence with the Army.

Lettermen Not Returning

Don Fitz, guard
Al Randall, center

Major Lettermen Returning

John Fitzgibbon, forward
John Thompson, forward
Sidney Held, guard
Les Livingston, forward
Hartmann Goetze, center
Max Young, guard

Basketball Coaching Staff

A. J. Lewandowski, Head Coach
Charles Armstrong, Assistant Coach
Paul Amen, Freshman Coach
Elwyn Dees, Trainer

Minor Lettermen Returning

Lyle King, center
Charles Vacanti, guard
John Hay, Forward

Outstanding Sophomores

Allen Artman, forward
John Bottorff, guard
Robert Bramson, forward
Kenneth Elson, forward
George Gribble, forward
Warren Marquiss, guard
Robert Heinzelman, guard

Admission to Home Games

Season Book (8 games).....\$4.00
Reserved Seat Admission (game)... 1.00
General Admission (game)..... .50

University of Nebraska
1941-42 Basketball Schedule

December	12	- University of South Dakota	at Lincoln
	15	- Indiana University	Bloomington
	16	- University of Kentucky	Lexington
	20	- University of California (UCLA)	Lincoln
	22	- University of Oregon	Lincoln
	27	- University of Minnesota	Minneapolis
	29	- University of Detroit	Detroit
	30	- State University of Iowa	Iowa City
January	6	- Kansas State College	Lincoln
	12	- University of Missouri	Lincoln
	17	- University of Kansas	Lincoln
	31	- Iowa State College	Ames
February	2	- Kansas State College	Manhattan
	7	- Iowa State College	Lincoln
	14	- University of Kansas	Lawrence
	16	- University of Oklahoma	Norman
	21	- University of Oklahoma	Lincoln
	28	- University of Missouri	Columbia

1941-42

University of Nebraska

Basketball Roster

No.	Player	Home	Position	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Experience
17	Artman, Allen	Kearney	F	6-0	156	20	0
13	Bottorff, John	Lincoln	G	6-2	163	19	0
15	Bramson, Robert	Omaha	F	5-11	164	19	0
16	Dworak, Tom	Lincoln	F	5-9	151	18	0
4	Elson, Kenneth	North Platte	F	6-0	156	19	0
8	Fitzgibbon, John	Tobias	F	5-11	181	19	1 Major
20	Fuller, Perry	Hastings	F	6-0	147	19	0
5	Goetze, Hartmann	St. Joseph, Mo.	C	6-1	185	22	2 Majors
11	Gribble, George	Greenwood	F	5-10	143	18	0
19	Hay, John	Lincoln	F	6-1	162	20	2 Minors
7	Held, Sidney	Lincoln	G	6-4	194	21	2 Majors
18	Heinzelman, Robert	Falls City	G	6-0	165	19	0
23	King, Lyle	Lincoln	C	6-3	195	21	2 Minors
21	Leininger, William	Loup City	C	6-2	172	19	0
6	Livingston, Leslie	Hastings	G	6-0	156	21	1 Major 1 Minor
10	Marquiss, Warren	Omaha	G	5-11	152	21	0
12	Rice, Thomas	Lincoln	F	6-0	154	20	0
22	Rupp, William	Grand Island	G	6-1	146	27	0
3	Thompson, John	Lincoln	F	5-10	161	19	1 Major
14	Vacanti, Charles	Omaha	G	6-0	177	21	1 Minor
9	Young, Max	Lincoln	G	6-3	185	20	1 Major

1940-41 Big Six Standings

	W	L	Pct.	FG	FT	PF	Pts.	Opp.
Iowa State	7	3	700	147	113	119	407	355
Kansas	7	3	700	150	119	140	419	411
Nebraska	6	4	600	143	99	132	385	375
Oklahoma	5	5	500	154	97	136	405	391
Kansas State	3	7	300	140	79	120	359	383
Missouri	2	8	200	146	51	124	343	403

Leading Scorers

	Games	FG	FT	PF	Pts.	Average
Engleman, Kansas	10	63	39	16	165	16.50
Nicholas, Iowa State	10	33	37	23	103	10.30
Allen, Kansas	10	33	34	15	100	10.00
Held, Nebraska	10	35	27	15	97	9.70
Budolphson, Iowa State	10	41	13	20	95	9.50
Ford, Oklahoma	10	32	29	27	93	9.50
Fitz, Nebraska	10	32	22	22	86	8.60
Horacek, Kansas State	10	32	15	8	79	7.90
Schneider, Iowa State	10	31	13	13	75	7.50
Gregg, Missouri	7	22	8	8	52	7.43

Nebraska's 1940-41 Record

Conference Games		Non-Conference	
33--Kansas State	23	39--South Dakota	40
29--Oklahoma	40	35--Marquette	20
32--Kansas State	35	40--Kentucky	39
40--Missouri	29	36--Minnesota	43
38--Iowa State	35	24--California	30
41--Iowa State	36	46--Stanford	57
38--Kansas	44	38--Oregon State	61
38--Missouri	36	31--Wisconsin	46
43--Oklahoma	42		
53--Kansas	55		

Thumbnail Sketches
University of Nebraska
Basketball Squad

FORWARDS

No. 3--John Thompson, Lincoln, Neb., won a first string berth as a sophomore last season. Aggressive, fast and an excellent floor man. A son of Dean T. J. Thompson, University of Nebraska faculty athletic representative.

No. 4--Kenneth Elson, North Platte, Neb., one of the finest sophomore prospects on the squad. An all-state high school performer at Curtis, Nebraska.

No. 8--John Fitzgibbon, Tobias, Neb., fourth high scorer on squad last season. A junior in school. Good dribbler and clever shot. Catcher on baseball squad.

No. 11--George Gribble, Greenwood, Neb., a small, aggressive chatterbox, who may be used as a "spot" performer. Weighs only 143 pounds. Baseball his favorite sport.

No. 12--Thomas Rice, Lincoln, Neb., a sophomore, 6-footer, bidding for a varsity squad assignment. Should develop into a steady player.

No. 15--Robert Bramson, Omaha, Neb., a fast, clever ball handler. Sophomore in school. Hails from Omaha Central High.

No. 16--Tom Dworak, Lincoln, Neb., size his only handicap.

No. 17--Allen Artman, Kearney, Neb., keen eye and good team man. Sophomore with a good chance to make varsity group.

No. 19--John Hay, Lincoln, Neb., senior in school. Clever under basket. Has heart set on making major award. Won minor letters his sophomore and junior years.

No. 20--Perry Fuller, Hastings, Neb., a sophomore from a high school that has developed some of the best cagers in the state.

CENTERS

No. 5--Hartmann Goetze, St. Joseph, Mo., only out-state player on squad. Has played all three positions past two years in winning two major awards. Slated to start at center.

No. 21--William Leininger, Loup City, Neb., no previous experience. Stands 6-2 and can also be used at forward.

No. 23--Lyle King, Lincoln, Neb., a willing performer, aggressive and effective under the net. Weighs 195 pounds and stands 6-3. Won minor letters past two seasons.

GUARDS

No. 6--Leslie Livingston, Hastings, Neb., a veteran with plenty of scrap. A good "spot" player and clever ball handler. Has earned one minor and one major letter.

No. 7--Sidney Held, Lincoln, Neb., an all Big Six conference guard. Fourth high scorer in conference last year and third in field goals made. Stands 6-4 and weighs 194 pounds. Pitcher and outfielder on baseball team.

No. 9--Max Young, Lincoln, Neb., substitute guard last year and slated for first team assignment. Played high school ball at Bethany high. Stands 6-3.

No. 10--Warren Marquiss, Omaha, Neb., played his high school basketball at Omaha Benson. Did not compete last season and starts this year with a sophomore ranking.

No. 13--John Bottorff, Lincoln, Neb., a member of one of Jackson high's fine cage squads. Quite definitely a varsity prospect.

No. 14--Charles Vacanti, Omaha, Neb., senior having won a minor letter two years ago. A 6-footer. Came from Omaha Technical high.

No. 18--Robert Heinzelman, Falls City, Neb., looks like a great prospect. A tall boy, aggressive and good man under the basket.

No. 22--William Rupp, Grand Island, Neb., because he has been out of school several years may prove a handicap. Was an outstanding performer at Grand Island high.

1941-1942---BASKETBALL AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS---1941-1942

Lawrence, Kansas

Member of the Big Six Conference

The 1940-41 Final Big Six Standings

	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	Op.Pts.
KANSAS	7	3	.700	419	411
Iowa State	7	3	.700	406	354
Nebraska	6	4	.600	384	376
Oklahoma	5	5	.500	404	391
Kansas State	3	7	.300	358	381
Missouri	2	8	.200	343	403

1940-41 Kansas Record

Conference		Non-Conference	
31	Oklahoma 42	35	Texas 27
44	Iowa State 41	48	Texas 45
48	Missouri 41	42	Fordham 53
46	Kansas State 41	35	Temple 40
44	Nebraska 38	41	Loyola 40
35	Missouri 24	54	Wichita 39
50	Kansas State 45	26	Oklahoma A&M 30
55	Nebraska 53	34	Oklahoma A&M 31
29	Iowa State 41		
37	Oklahoma 45		
		Won 5	Lost 3
	For Season		
	Won 7 Lost 3		
		Won 12	Lost 6

Lettermen Back

John Buescher, forward	Ralph Miller, forward
Vance Hall, forward	Marvin Sollenberger, guard
T.P. Hunter, forward	Charles Walker, guard
Bob Johnson, guard	

Lettermen Lost

Bob Allen, center	Ed Hall, guard
Jim Arnold, forward	John Kline, guard
Howard Engleman, forward	Norman Sanneman, forward

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

Basketball Schedule

1941 - 1942

December	17 - Wednesday	Denver University	at Lawrence
December	18 - Thursday	Bethel College	Newton
January	6 - Tuesday	University of Oklahoma	Lawrence
January	14 - Wednesday	University of Missouri	Columbia
January	17 - Saturday	University of Nebraska	Lincoln
January	19 - Monday	Iowa State College	Ames
January	24 - Saturday	Kansas State College	Lawrence
January	29 - Thursday	University of Iowa	Iowa City
January	31 - Saturday	DePaul University	Chicago
February	2 - Monday	Wichita University	Wichita
February	10 - Tuesday	Creighton University	Lawrence
February	14 - Saturday	University of Nebraska	Lawrence
February	16 - Monday	Iowa State College	Lawrence
February	20 - Friday	Oklahoma A. & M.	Lawrence
February	25 - Wednesday	Oklahoma A. & M.	Stillwater
February	27 - Friday	University of Oklahoma	Norman
March	3 - Tuesday	Kansas State College	Manhattan
March	6 - Friday	University of Missouri	Lawrence

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

BASKETBALL

Squad Roster

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Exp.	Age	Home
Ballard, Jack	G	6'6"	201	0	19	Kansas City, Mo.
Black, Charles	F	6'4"	190	0	20	Lawrence
Blair, Don	G	6'1"	182	1	19	Ottawa
*Buescher, John	F	6'1½"	160	1	21	Beardstown, Ill.
Ettinger, Don	G	6'1½"	190	0	19	Independence, Mo.
Evans, Ray	C	6'1"	184	0	19	Kansas City, Kan.
Fitzpatrick, Bob	F	5'11½"	172	0	19	Salina
*Hall, Vance	F	6'	169	1	20	Downs
*Hunter, T.P.	F-G	6'3"	170	2	24	Centralia, Ill.
*Johnson, Bob	C	6'	163	2	21	Kansas City, Kan.
Kissell, Max	F	5'11"	161	0	19	Portis
Mathews, Bill	F	6'3"	172	0	19	Kansas City, Mo.
Miller, Dick	F	6'1"	169	1	20	Chanute
*Miller, Ralph	F	6'1½"	170	2	22	Chanute
Richmond, Browder	F	6'	158	1	21	Kansas City, Mo.
*Sollenberger, Marvin	G	6'1"	180	1	21	Hutchinson
Turner, Paul	F	6'1"	182	0	19	Kansas City, Kan.
*Walker, Charles	G	6'2"	173	1	21	Hutchinson

*- Denotes lettermen

The Jayhawk Coach

Dr. Forrest C. Allen

The "Knut Rockne of Basketball", Dr. Forrest C. "Phog" Allen, goes into his 25th year as head coach at the University and his 32nd year in the coaching game this winter. The record of the dean of American basketball coaches now shows 24 conference championships in 31 years of coaching. Brilliant coach, author, organizer and researchist, Doctor Allen has made many contributions to the advancement of the game.

Forrest Clare Allen was born at Jamesport, Mo., Nov. 18, 1885. He played basketball when the game was in its infancy, competing on the Independence, Mo. high school team. It was there that he first met Dr. James Naismith, inventor of the game of basketball, who was coach at K.U. at that time.

In 1904 Forrest Allen entered the University of Kansas. During his college career, he lettered in basketball in 1905, 1906 and 1907, and in baseball in 1906 and 1907.

The following year, 1908, saw Allen off on the start of his coaching career, with a championship basketball team at K.U. The next year he turned out another title winner on Mount Oread. That same season Doctor Allen also was coaching the Haskell Indian team which won 19 of 24 games and the cage team of Baker University, twenty miles away.

This concluded Allen's coaching efforts for three years, while he pursued the study of medicine. In 1912 he became coach of all sports at Missouri State Teachers College at Warrensburg and his service as a coach has been continuous from that time.

At Warrensburg, Allen coached a winner in basketball every year for seven years. In addition to the Mules winning seven cage titles under his tutelage, the football team also enjoyed considerable success.

In the fall of 1919 he became director of athletics at the University of Kansas, and before the basketball season was over was coaching that sport. In a short time he had put the Jayhawks back up in the championship bracket, a spot which they have been at or near ever since. In one stretch, from 1922 through 1927, Kansas basketball teams won six straight conference championships.

Two years ago a Jayhawk quintet added another bright page to K.U. basketball history by fighting its way to the finals of the National Collegiate tournament. There, a "hot" Indiana team trounced Kansas.

Doctor Allen has been prominent in the progress made by the game. He was one of the founders of the National Basketball Coaches Association and is a past president of that organization. For many years he has been a member of the National Basketball Rules Body.

As a member of this latter organization the Kansas coach has done extensive research in trying out proposed changes in the rules. He was one of the backers of the new streamlined backboards and gave a thorough trial to the Bask-O-Lite goals. In addition he has sponsored the idea of 12 foot goals to offset the height of young giants.

Primarily through Allen's efforts, basketball found a place on the program of the Olympic games in 1936. Previously he had endeavored to get basketball in the 1932 Olympics, but failing there had kept working until the game was included for the first time at Berlin.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball tournament also was an Allen project. He spent a great deal of time working on the organization of this "world series of basketball".

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Published by the McGraw-Hill Co. four years ago was Doctor Allen's book "Better Basketball"; a 490 page volume of "technique, tactics and tales." His first book, which sold widely, was entitled "My Basketball Bible."

Doctor Allen, a human dynamo, never knows an idle moment. His main job at the University is that of director of the department of physical education. The number of students enrolling in the four year major in this department has been increasing every year since the major was instituted in 1937.

Notwithstanding a lengthy class schedule in addition to his administrative duties, Coach Allen suits up for practice much of the time. One of his foremost ideas is that a coach should demonstrate the way he wants things done, rather than merely lecturing about them.

At 56, the handsome and debonair Jayhawk coach declares that he looks forward to the coming campaign with more enthusiasm than any other season in his coaching career.

1941-42 Kansas Prospects

As unpredictable a team as Dr. F.C. Allen has ever faced a season with, will take the court for the Jayhawks this winter. Questions of physical wellbeing and men playing up to their natural ability are very much in the picture.

Two trick knees may wreck the Jayhawks' chances this season. Ralph Miller's famous knee held up during football, but will be put to much greater strains on the court. Miller, lanky forward, was second high scorer in the Big Six during the 1939-40 season, the last time he was in action on the court. Big things are expected of him.

To add to the uncertainty, Marvin Sollenberger, junior guard, suffered a recurrence of an old high school knee injury recently and he may be bothered by that all season. Sollenberger, husky guard, is the only regular returning from last year's Big Six co-champions.

Other lettermen back in action this season are T.P. Hunter, forward or guard; Vance Hall, forward; John Buescher, forward; Charles Walker, guard; and Bob Johnson, guard, who like Miller was a letterman on the 1940 squad. Don Blair and Browder Richmond are squadmen back.

Up from last year's outstanding first freshman team come Jack Ballard and Charlie Black, forwards; Paul Turner, center; and Ray Evans and "Red" Ettinger, guards. Max Kissell, sophomore forward, is the most improved player on the squad and should be a valuable reserve.

Evans, the finest Jayhawk court prospect in recent years, is expected to take over the "quarterback" spot left vacant by the graduation of Bob Allen. Evans is a superb all-around ball player.

Miller, Evans and Sollenberger look like certain starters this season, with letterman John Buescher likely to hold down a forward berth. The fifth regular probably will be either Charlie Black, T.P. Hunter or Charlie Walker. Nothing is certain about the lineup, however.

Reserve strength will be no problem with the fine crop of sophomores on hand, but whether some of the men in key positions will perform up to their natural ability is an item of concern.

The Jayhawks should have their usual polished ball handling team, and power on offense should be plentiful. The defense, while not as reassuring, has possibilities of developing fast.

Dr. F.C. Allen's Basketball Coaching Record
(1= Championship.)

		Position	Games		Schools in Conference
			Won	Lost	
1908	University of Kansas	1	7	2	
1909	"	1	10	2	
1913	Warrensburg Teachers	1	16	0	
1914	"	1	16	2	
1915	"	1	16	0	
1916	"	1	16	2	
1917	"	1	16	1	
1918	"	1	16	1	
1919	"	1	16	1	
1920	University of Kansas	3	9	7	9
1921	"	4	9	9	9
1922	"	1*	15	1	9
1923	"	1	16	0	9
1924	"	1	15	1	9
1925	"	1	15	1	9
1926	"	1	16	2	10
1927	"	1	10	2	10
1928	"	4	9	9	10
1929	"	5	2	8	6
1930	"	2	7	3	6
1931	"	1	7	3	6
1932	"	1	7	3	6
1933	"	1	8	2	6
1934	"	1	9	1	6
1935	"	2	12	4	6
1936	"	1	10	0	6
1937	"	1*	8	2	6
1938	"	1	9	1	6
1939	"	3	6	4	6
1940	"	1*	8	2	6
1941	"	1*	7	3	6

*Co-championship

University of Kansas

1940-41 Individual Scoring Records

Following are individual records for last season of those players who are back in action this year:

Player	No. Games Played	CONFERENCE (Ten Games)			NON-CONFERENCE (Eight Games)			Total Pts.	Ave.
		FG	FT	PTS.	FG	FT	PTS.		
Hall, f	18	15	17	47	5	8	18	65	3.6
Buescher, f	14	6	8	20	12	5	29	49	3.5
Hunter, f-g	15	11	6	28	2	2	6	34	2.2
Sollenberger, g	15	7	5	19	4	4	12	31	1.2
Johnson, g	6	0	0	0	3	1	7	7	1.2
Walker, g	14	2	2	6	0	0	0	6	.4

PERSONAL SKETCHES

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS BASKETBALL

1941-1942

BALLARD, JACK- guard or forward- 19 -sophomore in college of liberal arts and sciences; home, Kansas City, Mo.; graduate of Southwest high school in Kansas City, 1940; coached by Mel Bishop. The most promising big man Doctor Allen has had in some time. However, needs a good deal of polishing and may not see much action this season. Played center in high school and was a first string man on last year's crack K.U. freshman team.

BLACK, CHARLES- forward- 20 -sophomore in school of engineering; home-Lawrence; graduate of Southwest high school in Kansas City, Mo.; played under Coach Mel Bishop. Has the natural ability to be an outstanding ball player, but was not overly consistent as a freshman last year. Played freshman ball at the University of Wisconsin before coming to K.U. Has weight as well as height and is a fine ball handler. Has hot streaks on pivot shots, at which times he is virtually unguardable.

BLAIR, DON- guard or center- 19 -junior in school of education; home-Ottawa; graduate of Ottawa high school, 1939; played under Coach Bill Kincaid. Won a freshman numeral in 1940. Did not see enough service to letter last year, but is expected to play more this season. Has looked much improved this winter. Good ball handler.

BUESCHER, JOHN- center or forward- 21 -junior in school of education; home, Beardstown, Ill.; graduate of Beardstown high school, 1938; coached by Clyde McQueen. Tall and skinny. Is known to his teammates as "The Thin Man". A superb ball handler. A likely starter at a forward position and can also play the "quarterback" post. Played forward last year and was in the starting lineup for several games. Was the standout on the 1939 freshman team. An excellent scorer in workouts, but has yet to do as well in games. Fine rebound man, despite being skinny. A letterman.

ETTINGER, DON- guard- 19 -sophomore in school of education; home, Independence, Mo.; graduate of William Chrisman high school in Independence, 1940; coached by Charles Huhn. First string fullback on the Jayhawk football team this fall. Suffered a back injury in football, but it is not expected to bother him. First string guard on last year's freshman cage quintet. Has a world of fire and drive, but needs a great deal of polishing.

EVANS, RAY- guard- 19 -sophomore in college of liberal arts and sciences; home, Kansas City, Kan.; graduate of Wyandotte high school, 1940; played under Coach Ashley Elbl. A great prospect. Equally outstanding on offense and defense. Ace of the Wyandotte high team which won 28 straight games in 1940. Drives for the basket on the fast break, reminiscent of Fred Pralle, Kansas' All-American guard of 1938. A dazzling passer. Good long shot as well as hot one-hand shooter. A defensive star; held Howard Engleman, 1941 varsity ace, to a total of 10 points in the two varsity-freshman games last year. First string football halfback.

HALL, VANCE- forward- 20 -junior in college of liberal arts and sciences; home, Downs; graduate of Downs high school, 1939; coached by Paul Starbuck and Cade Suran. Won a freshman numeral in 1940. Lettered last year at forward. Averaged only 3.6 points a game during the season, but nevertheless was high scorer among the Jayhawk cagers who are back in action this winter. A fine shot, he averaged around 17 points a game his senior year in high school.

HUNTER, T.P.- forward or guard- 24 -senior in school of education; home- Centralia, Ill.; graduate of Central high school in Oklahoma City, 1937; coached by Clarence Breithaput. A letterman the past two years. Won several games for the Jayhawks last season with his work on rebounds. Very effective around the basket. The lanky senior developed into a good defensive man last winter and saw a good deal of service at guard, as well as working at forward. The easy going Oklahoman is one of the most popular men on the campus.

JOHNSON, ROBERT- guard- 21 -senior in school of education; home, Kansas City, Kan.; graduate of Shawnee Mission high school at Merriam, 1938; played under Coach Harold Reade. Freshman numeral winner in 1939. Played forward as a sophomore, lettering that year. Was shifted to guard last season. Is fast and has a lot of drive. Works hard and is a fine ball hustler. Can play center also.

KISSELL, MAX- forward- 19 -sophomore in college of liberal arts and sciences; home, Portis; graduate of Portis high school, 1940; coached by Max Kurman. A sensation at this small Class B high school, averaging 20½ points a game as a senior. Did not make the first freshman five last year, but is looking much better this winter. His all-around game is considerably improved. An excellent two hand shot. Also very accurate on free throws.

MILLER, RALPH- forward- 22 -senior in school of education; home- Chanute; graduate of Chanute high school, 1937; played under Coaches Dale Skelton and Tony Lockyear. One of the two greatest Kansas high school basketball players of all time, the other being "Red" DeBernardi. Averaged 19.7 points a game during his three years of high school basketball, playing against the best teams in the state. This winter will be the first season of college basketball he has played without physical handicaps. Played with a "bad" knee as a sophomore and junior. Laid out last year to strengthen the joint and it now appears to be healed. Second high scorer in the Big Six in 1940. Superb at feinting a guard out of position. An excellent shot and a great passer. Quarterback in football.

SOLLENBERGER, MARVIN- guard- 21 -junior in school of engineering; home- Hutchinson; graduate of Hutchinson high school, 1938; played under Coach "Chop" Cairns. Played a year of basketball at Hutchinson Junior College, before coming to K.U. Won a starting berth as a Jayhawk sophomore last year and is the only regular returning from last season's team. His defensive play is the best feature of his game and he also is a fine rebound man. Wears glasses on the court. Suffered a recurrence of an old high school knee injury recently and will have that to worry about this winter.

TURNER, PAUL- forward- 19 -sophomore in school of education; home-Kansas City, Kan.; graduate of Shawnee Mission high school at Merriam, 1940; coached by Harold Reade. A star on last year's crack K.U. freshman team. Has a beautiful one-hand shot and his play is characterized by continual hustle. Good rebound man and a fine ball player on defense. May not break into the starting lineup this year, but will be a valuable replacement. A fine prospect for the future. Not a giant, but ruggedly built.

WALKER, CHARLES- guard or center- 21 -senior in school of engineering; home, Hutchinson; graduate of Hutchinson high school, 1938; another of "Chop" Cairns' boys who has made good at K.U. Got a late start at K.U., not reporting for basketball until the second semester of his sophomore year. Has improved greatly every year. A smooth, methodical type of ball player, who may be used at the "quarterback" post part of the time. Is rangy and a good defensive player. Wears glasses on the court, like Sollenberger, his high school teammate. A letterman.

1940-41 Leading Big Six Scorers

Name	School	Pos.	Games	FG	FT	Pts.	Ave.
1. Howard Engleman,	Kansas	f	10	63	39	165	16.5
2. Gordon Nicholas,	Iowa State	c	10	33	37	103	10.3
3. Bob Allen,	Kansas	c	10	33	34	100	10.0
4. Sid Held,	Nebraska	g	10	35	27	97	9.7
5. Al Budolfson,	Iowa State	f	10	41	13	95	9.5
6. Hugh Ford,	Oklahoma	c	10	32	29	93	9.3
7. Don Fitz,	Nebraska	g	10	32	22	86	8.6
8. Jack Horacek,	Kansas State	f	10	32	15	79	7.9
9. Carol Schneider,	Iowa State	g	10	31	13	75	7.5
& Dale DeKoster,	Iowa State	g	10	28	19	75	7.5
11. Herb Gregg,	Missouri	f	7	22	8	52	7.4
12. Garnett Corbin,	Oklahoma	f	10	31	11	73	7.3
13. A.D. Roberts,	Oklahoma	f	10	27	17	71	7.1
14. Chris Langvardt,	Kansas St.	c	10	25	19	69	6.9
15. Allie Paine,	Oklahoma	g	10	29	10	68	6.8
& Loren Mills,	Missouri	g	10	29	10	68	6.8