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LAWRENCE, Kan., March .---Ninety players had at least some part in the Big Six basketball games in the season just closed, participation ranging from the scoring of Groves of Kansas State, who set a new record of 154 points in 10 conference games, down to some subs who had a few minutes participation, but did not figure in the scoring at all.

In the 30 conference games, points totalled 2089, and by odd co-incidence, six of the 30 games were won with scores of 39. The six teams made 1632 points in their non-conference games.

Kansas, while scoring low totals, held opponents to even lower levels, and had a season's "offense ratio" ---ratio of points to opponents---of 1.30. Kansas State had a decidedly even year, winning four of eight non-conference games, five out of 10 conference tilts, and scoring a total of 705 points to 708 for the opponents.

All teams made more than half their chances for free throws, and Oklahoma did better than two-thirds. Individually, three of the 90 players had perfect records for the season in free throws, Nelson of Oklahoma missing none in nine chances; Durand of Kansas missing none in seven; and Rushmore of Iowa State coming through on both his free throw chances. Flemming of Iowa State made the most free, 58, and missed 29, giving him a percentage of .667.

Based on reports to Dr. F. C. Allen, secretary of the Big Six, are the following team averages:

		<u>Big Six Conference Games</u>									
		--Free Throws--					--Points--		Offense		
W	L	Pct.	Gls	Md	Msd	Pct.	PF	Ttl	Opts	Ratio	
Kansas	8	2	.800	130	92	70	.568	103	352	270	1.30
Nebraska	8	2	.800	156	65	57	.538	106	378	304	1.26
Oklahoma	7	3	.700	131	95	44	.684	116	357	335	1.07
Kan. Stat	5	5	.500	163	59	57	.509	116	385	372	1.03
Missouri	2	8	.200	111	77	64	.546	110	299	400	.75
Iowa St.	0	10	.000	104	110	75	.595	121	318	408	.78
Totals				795	499	367	.576	672	2089	2089	

		<u>Big Six--Season's Record--Conference and Non-Conference</u>									
Kansas	15	4	.789	246	169	116	.593	178	661	507	1.30
Nebraska	13	7	.650	289	146	117	.555	212	724	665	1.09
Okla.	12	4	.750	205	146	71	.673	186	556	516	1.08
Kan. St.	9	9	.500	298	109	101	.519	213	705	708	.96
Missouri	7	9	.437	197	120	106	.531	162	514	580	.88
Iowa St.	3	15	.167	190	181	126	.589	204	561	680	.83
Totals	59	48		1425	871	637	.577	1155	3721	3656	

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