

Late Free Throws Push Eagles Past Wildcats

Gary Buchanan hit a pair of free tosses with nine seconds remaining to push the Kingman Eagles past the Mulvane High School Wildcats, 50-48, in a Chisholm Trail League game last Friday.

The contest was tight all of the way. The score was tied 13 times and the lead changed hands on 15 occasions. Mulvane held a 12-10 first period lead and the score was knotted at 26-26 at intermission. By the end of the third period, Kingman held a 44-41 lead. Mulvane battled back to tie the score at 46-46 on a short jump shot by Jim Carr with 5:08 remaining. Mark Cranston gave Mulvane a brief lead when he canned a pair of free throws.

Kingman again tied the score at 48-48. The Eagles controlled a rebound with 1:45 left in the game. They played for the final shot, hitting Buchanan under the basket. He was fouled, which set up the winning free tosses.

Brent Fleming paced the scoring for Mulvane with 16 points. Cranston netted 10 points. The box score follows: Jim Carr, 2-

1-2; Brent Fleming, 8-0-3; Forrest Wise, 0-0-1; Jesse Morgan, 4-1-1; David McKinney, 0-0-2; Jerry Shoemaker, 4-0-4; Mark Cranston, 3-4-5; Curtis Roberts, 0-0-1.

The Wildcats hit just 21 field goals on 55 attempts for a rather chilly 38 percent.

Mark Cranston led the Wildcats in rebounding. The 6-3 junior center grabbed 12. Brent Fleming gathered in 9 rebounds and Jerry Shoemaker had 8. David McKinney and Jesse Morgan had two rebounds each.

Head Coach Larry Berger stated

that he was pleased with the squad's defensive performance. When asked about an outstanding defensive player, he answered, "The whole team; they all did an excellent job on defense."

'B' TEAM WINS

Mulvane High School "B" team erupted for 28 points in the third period and went on to hand the Kingman reserves a 69-56 loss.

The young Eagles got off to a fast start and leaped out to an 18-12 first period margin. They

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held a one-point—29-28—lead at halftime.

Kent Hughes and Mike Nichols paced the scoring for Mulvane with 18 points and 16 points, respectively. Mike Alumbaugh had 12 tallies. The box score: Brad Sorenson, 1-0-0; Mike Dulaney, 0-1-0; Mike Alumbaugh, 4-4-2; Jeff Crawford, 1-0-3; Ed Stunkel, 4-0-4; Mike Nichols, 7-2-0; Sterling Borthwick, 2-0-1; Kent Hughes, 8-2-1; Don Ramsey, 0-0-1; Steve Jackson, 0-0-1; Kent Hurd, 0-0-1; Forrest Wise, 3-0-3.

Ed Stunkel topped the rebounding for the Mulvane reserves with 14. Forrest Wise had seven rebounds and Kent Hughes was credited with six.