

WILDCATS COP DISTRICT TOURNEY; MEET KINGMAN IN REGIONAL TEST

Due to icy underfooting and blocked roads, Haven basketball officials postponed the scheduled opening of their Regional tournament until Friday night. The announcement was made at 10:30 A. M. The Friday night schedule follows:

7 P. M.

Mulvane vs. Kingman Eagles

8:30 P. M.

Haven vs. Greensburg

The Mulvane Wildcats copped their own district basketball tournament last Friday night by overcoming a rugged, stubborn Haven quintet by an uneasy tally of 52-48. Mulvane was ahead 29-25 at half-time which spelled Haven's doom. Fans were spellbound. So was coach Jim Parker.

In the consolation affair, Belle Plaine defeated Clearwater 56-54 in a last ditch thriller.

Scoring honors in the district final session here in Mulvane, against Haven, Gary Bowers and Jerry Leatherman paced the winners with 18 and 14 respectively. Joe Haines grabbed game honors with 27 points to his credit but his efforts went for naught.

The consolation affair was a scorcher from the fans standpoint. With 4 short seconds remaining in the tilt Russ Barner of Belle Plaine hit a field goal to send Clearwater to the showers by a losing game of 56 to 54. In an earlier game, Mulvane tossed Belle Plaine 60-36 for a shot at Haven.

MULVANE (52)

	fg	ft	f
Leatherman	7	0	2
Riddle	0	0	2
Greiner	1	2	5
Kincaid	3	5	5
Bowers	7	4	1
Kimble	0	1	2
Wenzel	0	0	3
Deaver	0	0	0
Reed	2	0	2
Geist	0	0	0

HAVEN (48)

	fg	ft	f
Royer	0	0	3
Gilmore	0	0	0
Cdman	0	0	0
Briggs	1	2	3
Kincaid	0	0	0
Haines	9	9	4
Lake	0	0	1
May	0	0	3
Collman	6	5	4
Smythe	0	0	0

Mulvane — Belle Plaine

MULVANE (60)

Leatherman	5	4	2
Riddle	1	0	1
Greiner	1	0	3
Kincaid	1	0	4
Bowers	5	2	1
Kimble	2	0	2
Wenzel	3	2	1
Deaver	0	1	0
Reed, D.	5	4	2
Geist	0	1	1

BELLE PLAINE (36)

	fg	ft	f
Skinner	2	0	0
Cushman	0	5	4
McMillan	0	0	0
Blasdel	1	2	2
Downing	0	0	0
Taylor	0	0	0
Doyle	0	0	0
Blasdel	3	6	4
Barner	3	5	3
Kennedy	0	0	1