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J dominates Big Eig **Big Eight Standings** Team Conference **Overall** thirdranked Jayhawks Wins Losses Wins Losses enter Wednesday Kansas 18night's showdown against Iowa State **Iowa State** 5 4 1 16 with an 18-1 overall record. For the Kansas State 6 14 first time since 1971, Kansas is 6-Nebraska 3 4 7 15 0 in the Big Eight. Missouri 8 13 8

Oklahoma 4 4 13 Oklahoma State 6 6 Colorado 1 6 Aaron Steckelberg/DN

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part of the frontcourt. LaFrentz is averaging 13.8 points and 8.5 rebounds per game. Williams said LaFrentz's levelopment had been a key to the Jayhawks' success.

"Raef's doing a lot of good things," Williams said. "We need him to stay active like he's been doing.

Kansas, which finished the month of January with a 10-0 record, starts three juniors, a sophomore and a freshman. True freshman Paul Pierce, who scored a season-high 25 points against Nebraska, is averaging 13.4 points per game.

All five Jayhawk starters average double figures in points, and none of Kansas' three seniors average more than six points per game.

Iowa State coach Tim Floyd says the Cyclones will have their hands full on Wednesday night when they travel to Lawrence to challenge the Jayhawks.

Iowa State is 16-4 overall and a surprising 5-1 in the conference good for sole possession of second place.

"They're terrific. They have great depth," Floyd said. "It'll be a difficult game.

But if the Jayhawks win Wednesday night, Floyd said, it wouldn't be because the Cyclones were on the road.

"It will be because the Kansas Jayhawks are a good basketball team."

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would reexamine Eierman's 1993-94

season today to see if he exceeded the

ready been cleared once by the NCAA,

Penrith said he thought Eierman would have no problem remaining eligible.

homa would have to be forfeited.

If he is deemed ineligible, Nebraska's dual victory over Okla-

Penrith said compliance officials

Since the hardship season has al-

team's competition.

20 percent limit.

The following year as a sophomore, he claimed All-American honors with 30-14 record at 142 pounds.

As a junior in 1993-94, Eierman battled Justin Ware for the starting spot at 142 for the first half of the season, competing in several open

But he missed the entire second half of the 93-94 season because of

Continued from Page 7 "I would like to play a lot better than I have and raise my level of play up a few notches," Brenden said. Brenden is a player who is very the deaths of his brother's girlfriend and one of his best friends in a car accident. Eierman was granted a hardship for the 93-94 season, and wrestled again as a junior in the 1994-95 season.

That would give him a fifth year to finish his fourth season of eligibility. However, Penrith said opposing coaches at last weekend's duals questioned the validity of the hardship. Under NCAA rules, a wrestler can be granted a hardship season if he com-

and never puts individual goals ahead of the team.

After weekend victories against the Sooners and Oklahoma State, Brenden to have on your team," Beck said, "not said, the Huskers still have hopes of the opposing team.'

dedicated to her teammates, Beck said, winning the Big Eight championship and earning a good spot in the NCAA Tournament next month.

'She's the type of kid that you want



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