REGIONAL

Truman swept Nebraska-Omaha and Emporia State, but they were on the verge of a fifth set against Central Missouri.

**Team Breakdown**

**Graybeal**

Junior labored for starting spot prior to regionals.

**MIAA**

**Adding a 12-team conference to the league would eliminate the need for two byes for men's and women's basketball teams.**

**Conference Expansion**

If the Bulldogs defeat the University of Nebraska-Kearney this weekend, the MIAA is on the verge of moving forward with a new league.

**MIAA Expansion**

A new 12-team conference would allow for a more competitive conference, which would benefit the Bulldogs in the future.

**Conference Expansion Benefits**

Although Wellman is not sold on the idea of expanding the conference, he believes that it would be beneficial in the long run.

**Conference Expansion Risks**

On the other hand, Wellman is concerned about the potential decrease in financial savings in travel costs that could come with expanding the conference.

**Conference Expansion Timeline**

The MIAA is currently in the process of expanding, and Wellman hopes that the conference will announce its decision in the coming months.

**Conference Expansion Options**

There are several options for expanding the conference, including adding new teams from different states or merging with other conferences.

**Conference Expansion Cost**

Expanding the conference would require significant financial investments, including travel expenses and facility upgrades.

**Conference Expansion Impact**

The impact of expanding the conference would be significant, as it would change the competitive landscape and provide new opportunities for the Bulldogs.