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American Amateur Wrestling Coaches Association

BY W. AUSTIN BISHOP, SECRETARY, WYOMING SEMINARY, KINGSTON, PA.

The American Amateur Wrestling Coaches Association, organized several years ago to promote the interests of amateur wrestling throughout the country, seeks the membership and wholehearted support and active cooperation of all persons directly or indirectly engaged in coaching, teaching, or promoting the sport.

As an institution for direct and concerted action in behalf of amateur wrestling and its wholesome development, the Association has been making a valuable contribution. As a clearing house for the dissemination of such useful and interesting information as the coaches desire, it will continue to serve.

The annual meeting of the Association is held at and in conjunction with the N.C.A.A. meet and has proven in itself, a strong inducement to attend. It has even been suggested that an additional meeting be held each year in connection with the football coaches' meeting in New York. The officers of the Association will welcome any further suggestions along this line.

The theme of the last meeting, held at the Bethlehem Club, March 18, 1936, was, "How May Amateur Wrestling Be Made More Popular?" Among the suggestions made, were:

- (1) Secure more extensive and effective publicity.
- (2) Educate the American public to differentiate between professional and amateur wrestling.
- (3) Wrestling fans are made, not born; use every possible means to teach them the game.
- (4) Insist on rigid enforcement of essential sanitary precautions.

Interesting and worthwhile discussion upon these subjects followed and will be treated at greater length in one of the Association "Bulletins." Meanwhile coaches are urged to send all types of information, ideas, experiences, etc., to the Secretary. He, in turn, will incorporate such information in the Bulletins which the members will receive from time to time throughout the year. Remember that the success of this publication will depend in a large measure upon the support of the members—their dues and the news they furnish for distribution.

Wayne Martin, winner of the 134-lb. championship in the N.C.A.A. meet at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia, was presented with the Coaches' Trophy as the outstanding contestant in the 1936 championships.

The following officers were elected and installed for the year 1936-37: President, Paul V. Keen, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla.; Vice-President, William Sheridan, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa.; Secretary-Treasurer, W. Austin Bishop, Wyoming Seminary, Kingston, Pa.

American Olympic Wrestling at Colleges

By DR. R. G. CLAPP,

Secretary American Olympic Wrestling Committee.

The colleges and their representatives played a leading part in the conduct of the 1936 American Olympic wrestling affairs. This applied to the competitive, managerial, and financial side.

SEMI-FINAL TRYOUTS.

Participation in the final American Olympic wrestling tryouts was limited to those who succeeded in qualifying from some one of the twenty semi-final tryouts which were held. Three of these semi-final tryouts consisted of National Collegiate, National Y.M.C.A., and National A.A.U. wrestling championships. The winners of the first four places in each weight class in each of these three meets qualified for the final tryouts. The other seventeen semi-final tryouts were district meets so arranged geographically so as to make it possible for every amateur wrestler who thought he had a chance to make the American Olympic Wrestling Team to try out with the least expenditure of time and money. The winner of first place in each weight class in each of these district meets qualified for the final tryouts. Six of these district meets were held under college auspices, and in a considerable number of the other district meets college representatives assisted in conducting them.

FINAL TRYOUTS.

The final tryouts were held at Lehigh University on April 16, 17 and 18, 1936. The meet was admirably conducted by the local manager, Colonel N. A. Kellogg of Lehigh. No previous meet had ever brought together such a large number of outstanding wrestlers, as the winners of practically every important amateur wrestling championship in this country participated. There were one hundred thirty-four competitors, eighty-six of whom were college or ex-college wrestlers. As usual, the college or ex-college wrestlers dominated the final tryouts, but for the first time in twelve years one non-college wrestler succeeded in making the American Olympic wrestling team. This was Francis Millard, representing the North Adams Y.M.C.A., a very fine wrestler who richly deserved the honor. Of the thirteen college representatives on the American Olympic team, nine were undergraduates and four graduates.

FINANCES.

Eight thousand dollars was the amount agreed upon as necessary to finance the American Olympic wrestling team. It was also agreed that all entry fees and net gate receipts from all semi-final and final tryouts should be donated to the American Olympic wrestling fund. These entry fees and net gate receipts amounted to \$4,284.71. Of that amount, \$3,553.26 came from the National Collegiate wrestling championships, the six district tryouts conducted by colleges, and the final tryouts at Lehigh University. The receipts from the final tryouts are considered as a college donation, because this meet was conducted by representatives of Lehigh University, and the large gate receipts from that meet came as a result of the interest in amateur wrestling which had been developed through the college sport at Lehigh. The entry fees and net gate receipts amounted to \$2,143.54. This amount far exceeded the receipts of any previous final American Olympic wrestling tryout. In addition, five per cent of the gross gate receipts of the 1935 National Collegiate wrestling meet, amounting to \$127.14, was donated to this fund. A collection taken at the Lehigh-Penn State dual wrestling meet in 1936 at Lehigh University netted \$104.42, making a total college donation to the American Olympic wrestling fund of \$3,784.82—almost one half of the amount necessary to finance the team. The major part of the balance was raised through the personal solicitation of Mr. C. W. Streit Jr., Chairman of the American Olympic Wrestling Committee. A comparison of the total amounts received from entry fees and net gate receipts from the three national championship meets may be of interest:

The National Collegiate championships at Washington and Lee University netted \$1,079.57.

The National Y.M.C.A. championships at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., netted \$144.68.

The National A.A.U. championships at Chicago netted \$6.73.

It was the opinion of those best qualified to judge that the 1936 American Olympic wrestling team compared favorably with any previous team to represent the United States in Olympic Games competition.

Olympic Wrestling in Berlin

BY W. H. THOM, COACH AMERICAN OLYMPIC TEAM.

Presenting a true picture of wrestling in the Olympics is very difficult. The statement of facts may dampen wrestling enthusiasm, but is necessary to show the need for improvement in this worldwide tournament.

The officiating in general was very unsatisfactory, except where the watch or measure were used to determine first place. This was true in wrestling, boxing, fencing, gymnastics and any sport in which first place was determined by judges. In wrestling, the United States is not the only country that feels this way, but England, Canada, Australia, India, Japan, and, in general, the English speaking people have the same opinion.

Without a doubt, the European continent is Greco-Roman minded in their wrestling. They had this particular style for years before adopting the catch-as-catch-can style, and right now it is evident that a great many favor the Greco-Roman wrestling. Practically the same officials that judged in the Greco-Roman tournament also acted in that capacity in the free style wrestling. As a great many of these men are well along in years, it is easy to see that they were educated in the Greco-Roman style and still favor that type.

It was also very evident that there is a close association of all the European countries in the tournament and to the writer there was a strong prejudice shown in the officiating where the European countries were against other countries. While they may war against each other, yet many are closely related, and all meet each other in dual meets and at the annual European meet; therefore, it is noticeable that there is a close European association.

The only solution the writer can offer to improve this situation is to work out an organization of all countries except those of the European continent as he feels that all of these other countries would welcome such an organization and that their viewpoint would pretty much coincide. Then, with an organization of this kind, such a group could present their problems to the International Rules Committee and get some results. It would help tremendously if we could get a pin fall instead of the touch or rolling fall. This point could be won with a little work, for at the last meeting, the touch fall was voted in by a majority of only one vote. Another big point that the organization could put through, is to confine the judging to a few select and competent judges, where some pressure could be put on them and force them to be fair. As it is now, there are so many that there are a great many unfair and incompetent, yet with so great a number, it is hard to put one's finger on the guilty ones. If we could only get these two points it would help a great deal toward satisfying all countries, except those of the European continent, and perhaps some of those would favor it.

If we are not going to attempt some plan of this nature before the 1940 Olympics in Japan, then we must prepare ourselves to go through another ordeal such as the one just experienced. Furthermore, we must prepare our boys with a great deal of training in Olympic wrestling as it now exists instead of sending good boys to slaughter as was done this year.

Under a great handicap the United States wrestling team won the team championship with a total of nine points, Sweden was second with seven, Hungary third with six, and Finland fourth with five points. The American Olympic team won the respect of all contestants and proved to the crowd that they were the most scientific in their wrestling. The Europeans were tremendously strong and demonstrated, without question, a great superiority in strength, while our boys showed a marked superiority in quickness in body and mind.

Frank Lewis, Oklahoma A.&M. won first for the United States in the 158 lb. class and proved that he is truly a great wrestler. Ross Flood, Oklahoma A.&M.; Francis Millard, North Adams (Mass.) Y.M.C.A. and Dick Voliva of Indiana University, were awarded second place in the 123, 134 and 174 lb. classes, respectively. All of these boys showed a superiority of wrestling technique and in the minds of a great many should have been first.

It may interest many to know that the wrestling team won great favor with the Olympic officials and with everyone on the steamer on the way across. At all times they conducted themselves as gentlemen and trained conscientiously.

The writer is proud to have had this fine bunch of boys represent the United States and considers it a great privilege to have coached them.



Rex Bartlett (Mgr.), Ralph Brown, William Keas, Port Roberison, Wayne Martin, Marshall Word, D.C. Matthews, Harry Broadbent, Bill Carr, Joe Kalpin, William Morris, Coach Paul V. Keen.

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA—NATIONAL COLLEGIATE A. A. AND BIG SIX CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS.

National Collegiate A.A. Championships

By A.E. Mathis, Wrestling Coach, Washington and Lee University.

The ninth annual National Collegiate wrestling championships held at Washington and Lee University, March 20 and 21, 1936, brought together seventy-two wrestlers from twenty-three colleges and universities.

University of Oklahoma won the team championship with 14 points. Central State Teachers College of Edmond, Oklahoma, was second, and Oklahoma A.&M., the defending champion, was third. Wayne Martin, sensational University of Oklahoma 134 lb. wrestler was chosen as the outstanding wrestler of the tournament.

The 1936 meet served as a semi-final American Olympic tryout, with the first four place winners in each weight qualifying for the final Olympic tryouts. This created additional interest in the meet, both from the standpoint of wrestlers and spectators, and helped to make the meet one of the best ever held.

Unfavorable weather conditions, with floods in several sections of the country, made it impossible for a number of teams to get to the meet. However, the Middle West, East and South were well represented and competition was of the highest caliber.

This was the first National Collegiate wrestling tournament ever held in the South, and the interest shown, through crowds and gate receipts, was very gratifying. It will undoubtedly be of great help to wrestling in this section where the sport has been developing steadily in high schools and colleges during the past few years.

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2. Dale Brand (Cornell College, Iowa)
3. Earl Thomas (Michigan)
4. George Hanks (Weatherford Thrs)

145-LB. CLASS.

1. H. D. Strong (Oklahoma)
2. Carl Kitt (Weatherford Thrs)
3. Byron Guernsey (Iowa)
4. Joe Kalpin (Oklahoma)

158-LB. CLASS.

1. Walter Jacob (Michigan State)
2. Bill Keas (Oklahoma)
3. Earl Kielhorn (Iowa)
4. { Hugh Bishop (Lehigh)
Caifson Johnson (Minnesota)

174-LB. CLASS.

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2. Dormer Browning (Oklahoma A&M)
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4. McCullough (Weatherford Thrs)

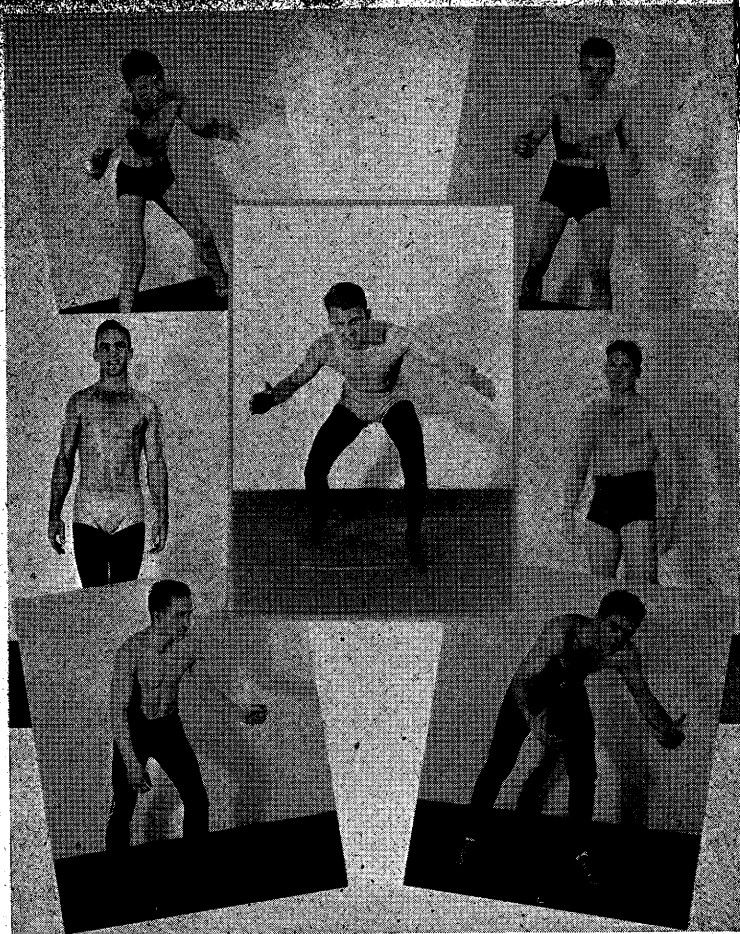
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Only three contestants in this class.

SIX CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS.



1, Wayne Martin (Oklahoma), 134 lbs., awarded "Coaches' Trophy" as best wrestler in 1936 tournament. 2, Ted Anderson (Edmond, Okla., State Teachers College), 123 lbs. 3, *H. D. Strong (Oklahoma), 145 lbs. 4, Harry Broadbent (Oklahoma), 174 lbs. 5, Duke Clemons (Central State Teachers College, Edmond, Okla.), 191 lbs. 6, Walter Jacob (Michigan State), 153 lbs. 7, *Howell Scobey (Lehigh), unlimited class.

NATIONAL COLLEGIATE A.A. CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS.

*Member American Olympic Team, 1936.

Western Conference (Big Ten)

By W. H. Thom, Coach Indiana University.

Followers of Big Ten wrestling were greatly encouraged with the added interest shown in the sport throughout the conference last season. The conference championship matches held at University of Iowa, March 13 and 14, 1936, were particularly good. Every university was represented except Purdue and Wisconsin, and each had some high caliber wrestlers; in fact, the writer had never seen a Western Conference meet where there were so many good men; nearly every match was a contest. In almost all of the weights the winner was decided only after a bitter contest, and there was not a great deal of difference between the first and second place men; in some cases even the third place man.



Front row—Clarence Hawkins (Asst. Coach), Ray Neal (Fr. Coach). Row 2—Coach W. H. Thom, Tom Bryce, **Willard Duffy**, **Bob Myers**, Milton Miller, Joel Weber (Mgr.). Back row—John Tatum, Frank Krahulik (Capt.), Charles McDaniel (Member American Olympic Team, 1936), Herb Graffis, Artie Peters (Capt.). Sinclair, Photo.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY—"BIG TEN" CHAMPIONS.

Individual Big Ten champions in boldface type.

In the 118-lb. class there was only a shade difference in the first three men. The first three men in the 126-lb. class were outstanding, but Duffy had the edge. The same was true in the 135-lb. class, with Larson having the edge over two promising sophomores. In the 145-lb. event all three men had been undefeated in dual season meets and a bitter battle ensued for title honors. Guernsey of Iowa and Peters of Indiana were outstanding in the 155 lb. division and Johnson of Minnesota and Krahulik of Indiana at 165 lbs. In the 175 lb. class Kielhorn of Iowa demonstrated unusual wrestling ability by stepping over his weight fifteen pounds to win, but was pushed to capacity by Heiser of Ohio State, while Silberstein of Illinois showed himself to be a real champion by defeating McDaniel of Indiana, national intercollegiate champion of 1935, in the unlimited.

TEAM POINT SCORES.

Indiana	23	Minnesota	11	Chicago	5
Iowa	22	Ohio State	6	Northwestern	2
Illinois	11	Michigan	7		

118 lbs.—Myers (Indiana), won; Rhoton (Ohio State), second; Blum (Illinois), third. 126 lbs.—Duffy (Indiana), won; Pakutinsky, (Illinois), second; Cameron (Michigan), third. 135 lbs.—Larson (Iowa), won; Thomas (Michigan), second; Miller (Indiana), third. 145 lbs.—Finwall (Chicago) (won; Fisher (Iowa) second; Mindten (Ohio State), third. 155 lbs.—Guernsey (Iowa), won; Peters (Indiana), second; LaVerde (Northwestern), third. 165 lbs.—Johnson (Minnesota), won; Krahulik (Indiana), second; Ginay (Illinois), third. 175 lbs.—Kielhorn (Iowa), won; Whitaker (Minnesota), second; Heiser (Ohio State), third. Unlimited—Silberstein (Illinois), won; McDaniel (Indiana), second; Wright (Michigan), third.

Missouri Valley I.C.A.A. (Big Six) Conference

By Coach Paul V. Keen, University of Oklahoma.

The conference acquired two new coaches during the past season in Guy Sapington at Missouri and James Cox at Kansas.

The Big Six Conference has tried several general rule changes that have speeded up matches. In dual meets all overtime bouts were dispensed with. In the conference tournament overtime bouts were dispensed with as well as time advantage watches. The bouts were divided into three periods of three minutes each. The first period on their feet and, unless terminated by a fall, the last six minutes were divided into two periods, with first one man taking the bottom position on the mat and then the other. At the end of nine minutes of wrestling the referee gave his decision. The meet was run off with very few complaints. Dr. R. G. Clapp officiated.

Every school in the conference had a dual meet schedule and all schools were represented at the conference meet held at the University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma, March 6 and 7, 1936.

Oklahoma, with the best team the university has had in years won the tournament by a large score, carrying off seven championships and a draw at 165 lbs. for a co-championship, a feat that has never been accomplished before. Oklahoma then went on to prove that they had a great team by winning the National Collegiate team championship held at Washington and Lee University, March 20-21, 1936, at Lexington, Va. Wayne Martin won the national 134-lb. championship and was chosen by the coaches as the outstanding wrestler in the tournament. Harry Broadbent won the 174-lb. title, Bill Keas won a second place at 158 lbs. and D. C. Matthews, 123 lbs. had a third.

Outstanding wrestlers in the Big Six Conference include Bill Morris, Oklahoma, and Hamilton, Iowa State, at 113 lbs.; Matthews, Oklahoma, and Hamilton, Iowa State, 126 lbs.; Martin, Oklahoma, and Duncan, Kansas State, 135 lbs.; Kalpin, Oklahoma, and Thomas, Iowa State, 145 lbs.; Keas, Oklahoma, and Wilson, Iowa State, 155 lbs.; Word, Oklahoma, and Wilson, Iowa State, 165 lbs.; Broadbent, Oklahoma, and Ferguson, Missouri, 175 lbs.; and Brown, Oklahoma, and Harrison, Kansas State, in the unlimited class.

TEAM POINT SCORES.

Oklahoma	42	Missouri	3½
Iowa State	18	Kansas	1½
Kansas State	17½	Nebraska	½

WINNERS OF CHAMPIONSHIPS IN PREVIOUS YEARS.

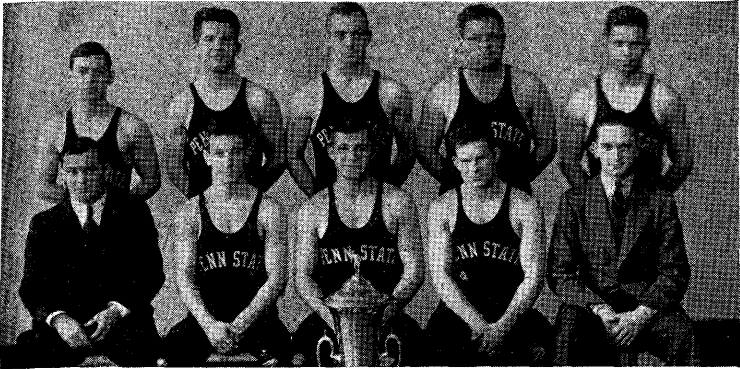
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118 lbs.—Morris (Oklahoma), won; L. Hamilton (Iowa State), second; Webster (Nebraska) and Harness (Missouri) tied for third. **126 lbs.**—Matthews (Oklahoma), won; R. Hamilton (Iowa State), second; Fansher (Kansas State), third. **135 lbs.**—Martin (Oklahoma), won; Duncan (Kansas State), second; Smith (Iowa State), third. **145 lbs.**—Kalpin (Oklahoma), won; Thomas (Iowa State), second; Berry (Kansas State), third. **155 lbs.**—Keas (Oklahoma), won; Wilson (Iowa State), second; Anneberg (Kansas) and Howe (Kansas State), tied for third. **165 lbs.**—Word (Oklahoma) and Jessup (Kansas State), tied for first; Buck (Iowa State), third. **175 lbs.**—Broadbent (Oklahoma), won; Ferguson (Missouri), second; Carleton (Kansas State), third. **Unlimited**—Brown (Oklahoma), won; Harrison (Kansas State), second; Stoecker (Iowa State), third.

Eastern Intercollegiate Championships

By William Sheridan, Lehigh University.

The thirty-third Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Championship was held at Princeton University March 13 and 14, 1936. An undefeated dual meet record by the Princeton team was responsible for greater interest being shown in Princeton than on any previous occasion. The three leading teams, Penn State, Lehigh and Princeton, staged a terrific battle right to the finish. The last bout of the tournament, a third place contest between Harkness of Harvard and Sterngold of Lehigh, determined the ultimate point winner. A decision for Sterngold would have tied Penn State for the title, and to win by a fall would have given Lehigh the meet. After a great fight, Harkness won a decision and Penn State took the title, to break up a five-year winning streak of Lehigh.



Front row—Coach Charlie Speidel, Samuel Wolfson, Jack Light (Capt.), Richard Waite, Randolph Cressman (Mgr.). Back row—Ray Brooks, Joseph Krupa, Ross Shaffer, Joseph O'Dowd, Jack Calvin.

PENN STATE—EASTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONS.

Individual Eastern Intercollegiate champions in boldface type.

This is the oldest collegiate wrestling tournament in the country, and interest by participants and colleges is decidedly on the up-grade. For the first time in the history of the event the coaches decided to award a trophy to the outstanding wrestler. Howell Scobey, Lehigh heavyweight, was selected as the winner, but he had keen competition from Triede of Princeton and Wolfson of Penn State.

Next year's championship will be held at Lehigh.

TEAM POINT SCORE.

Penn State	31	Yale	4
Lehigh	30	Pennsylvania	1
Princeton	26	Syracuse	0
Harvard	6	Columbia	0
Cornell	4		

118 lbs.—Sam Wolfson (Penn State), won; Richard Plamer (Princeton), second; Gregory Schallenberger (Cornell), third. **126 lbs.**—Rudolph Ashman (Lehigh), won; William Reed (Princeton), second; Howie Stoddard (Harvard), third. **135 lbs.**—Jack Light (Penn State), won; Hugh Ferry (Lehigh), second; Keats Bowie (Princeton), third. **145 lbs.**—Richard Waite (Penn State), won; Frank Gonzales (Lehigh), second; Don Taylor (Pennsylvania), third. **155 lbs.**—Richard Bishop (Lehigh), won; Hadlai Hull (Yale), second; Charles Powers (Princeton), third. **165 lbs.**—Morris Emory (Princeton), won; Joe Krupa (Penn State), second; Al Lindeke (Yale), third. **175 lbs.**—George Triede (Princeton), won; Ross Shaffer (Penn State), second; Jack Harkness (Harvard), third. **Heavyweight**—Howell Scobey (Lehigh), won; Joe O'Dowd (Penn State), second; Ben Chew (Princeton), third.

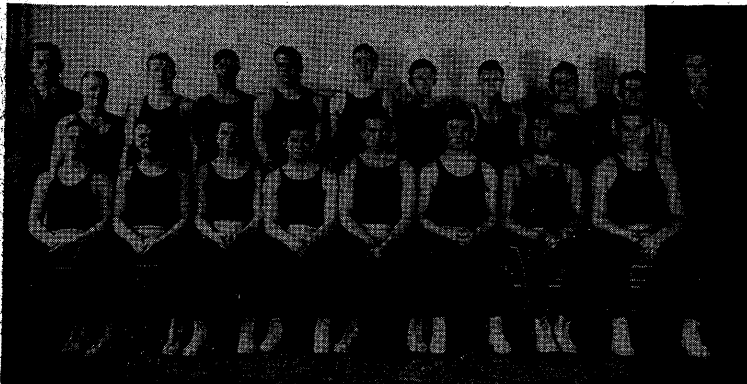
Southern Conference

By H. M. Read, Virginia Military Institute.

WRESTLING IN DISTRICT III

Wrestling in District III continued to be supported chiefly by a group of institutions in the Southern Conference. Non-conference schools which as usual sponsored the sport and turned out strong teams included the United States Naval Academy and Davidson College.

The fifth annual Southern Conference tournament, held at Virginia Military Institute, attracted a record number of team entries, eight, and a record number of individual entries, 41. The University of Maryland was represented by two entries, though not participating in dual meets.



Front row—**Thomas**(118 lbs.), **Crew**, **Basile**, **Shively**(145 lbs.), **Arenz**(155 lbs.), **Snitz**(165 lbs.), **Kaplan**(175 lbs.), **Bonino**. Back row—Coach **Mathis**, **Evans**, **Allison**, **Nielsen**, **Holland**, **C.Thomas**, **Beale**, **Payne**, **Levine**, **Palmer**, **Tucker**(Mgr.).

WASHINGTON AND LEE—SOUTHERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS.

Individual Southern Conference champions in boldface type.

Washington and Lee, with 33 points, regained the team title from Virginia Military Institute, with 30 points. For the second straight year these institutions, both situated in Lexington, Virginia, monopolized the individual titles, with the Generals capturing five to three for the Cadets.

Five individual champions successfully defended their titles. They were: Rowland **Thomas** (Washington and Lee), 118 lbs.; **Joseph Sherrard** (Virginia Military Institute), 126 lbs.; **Archie Witt** (V.M.I.), 135 lbs.; **Glenn Shively** (W.&L.), 145 lbs., and **Carl Arenz** (W.&L.), 155-lbs.

Wrestling was not confined to varsity teams, since freshman teams were developed at practically all schools supporting wrestling, and freshman dual meets were held regularly. In North Carolina, and farther South, as well as in Richmond, Virginia, Y.M.C.A. teams scheduled meets with some of the colleges.

Also in North Carolina the annual high school tournament was again conducted under the auspices of the University of North Carolina. Barium Springs Orphanage repeated as winner of the team championship, with 36 points. Other high school team scores were: Durham 32, High Point 28, Thomasville 9, Greensboro 0.

For the first time the National Collegiate A.A. championship tournament was held in the South. Washington and Lee University was the host team. Two District III wrestlers qualified for the final Olympic tryouts. They were **Vogel**, 174 lbs., of Navy, and **Bonino**, heavyweight, of Washington and Lee, both of whom were second place N.C.A.A. winners. It was **Bonino's** second year as runner-up.

DUAL WRESTLING MEETS IN DISTRICT III

Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.

- 14—No Carolina State 12
- 2—Navy 18
- 25—Army 3
- 26—North Carolina 6
- 23 1/2—Va Poly Inst 4 1/2
- 27—Duke 3

Davidson College, Davidson, N.C.

- 4—Duke 12
- 1—Virginia Poly Inst 28
- 11—Appalachian Thrs 16
- 18—North Carolina 20
- 18—Maryville 8
- 24—High Pt YMCA 10
- 22 1/2—Spray 4 1/2
- 24—Georgia YMCA 10

Duke University, Durham, N.C.

- 0—Washington & Lee 38
- 12—Davidson 18
- 12—No Carolina State 14
- 14—North Carolina 16
- 3—Virginia Mil Inst 27

North Carolina University, Chapel Hill, N.C.

- 20—Davidson 18
- 16—Duke 14
- 26—Virginia Poly Inst 6
- 4 1/2—No Car State 23 1/2
- 4 1/2—Navy 25 1/2
- 6—Virginia Mil Inst 26

North Carolina State College, Raleigh, N.C.

- 23 1/2—North Carolina 4 1/2
- 12—Virginia Mil Inst 14
- 23—Virginia Poly Inst 3
- 14—Duke 12
- 3—Washington & Lee 25

United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

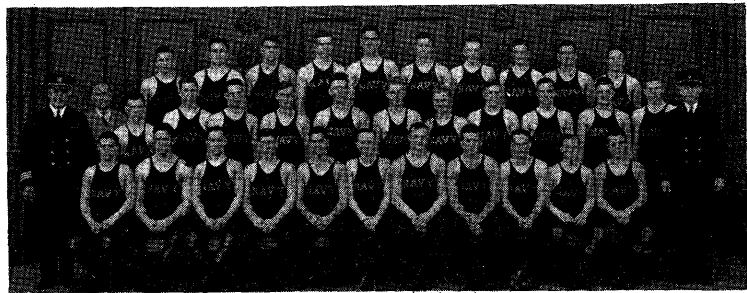
- 25 1/2—North Carolina 4 1/2
- 18—Virginia Mil Inst 12
- 10 1/2—Kansas State 15 1/2
- 16—Washington & Lee 12
- 6—Penn State 24
- 14—Pennsylvania 12

Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va.

- 28—Davidson 8
- 6—North Carolina 26
- 3—No Carolina State 23
- 4 1/2—Va Mil Inst 23 1/2
- 0—Washington & Lee 36

Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va.

- 38—Duke 0
- 36—Virginia Poly Inst 0
- 12—Navy 16
- 20—Michigan 6
- 20—Michigan State 8
- 25—No Carolina State 3



Front row—F.W.Silk, H.Player, N.J.Kleiss, S.S.Mann, J.J.Southerland, R.S.Rogers, R.W.Vogel, J.C.Hunter, J.H.Masters, R.A.Teel, E.R.Crawford. Row 2—Comdr. E.F.Perry (Officer Representative), Coach J.Schutz, C.E.Pond, H.D.Adams, E.F.Carnes, H.S.Hamlin, J.D.Carson, R.C.Millard, C.R.Doerflinger, E.B.Orr, S.R.Miller, J.R.Carison, D.E.Henry, R.R.Bradley (Mgr.). Back row—G.H.Abel, E.F.Woodhead, A.Minvielle, P.R.Byrum, J.A.Pridmore, J.C.Dyson, H.E.Miller, R.D.Mugg, V.B.Graff, H.E.Reece. Hayman, Photo

UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY, ANNAPOLIS, MD.

- 25 1/2—North Carolina 4 1/2
- 18—Virginia Mil Inst 12
- 10 1/2—Kansas State 15 1/2
- 16—Washington & Lee 12
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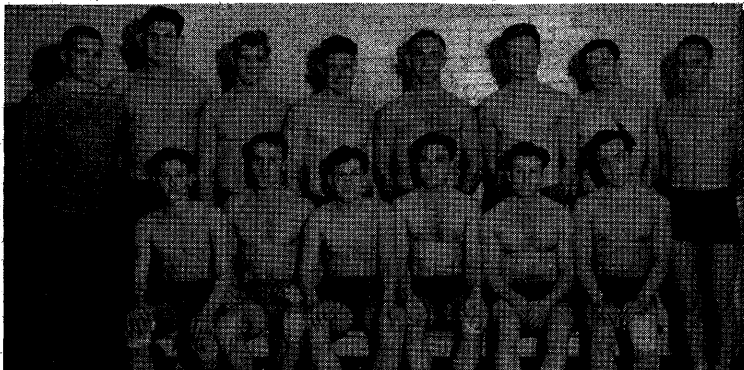
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Because of the large area covered by the Rocky Mountain Conference, making the traveling expenses of teams very expensive, the conference is divided geographically into two divisions—the Eastern Division, made up of the institutions in Colorado and Wyoming, and the Western Division, comprising the institutions in Utah and Montana.

WESTERN DIVISION

By Dr. G. H. Wight, Salt Lake City.

University of Utah outclassed all rivals in the wrestling championships of the Western Division of the Rocky Mountain Conference by winning five first place, two seconds, and one third. Utah State College took second place, and Brigham Young University third place. Individual first place winners were:



Front row—Monte English, John Cannon, Tom Bridwell, Robert Douglass, Darwin Greenhagh, **Jack Wilks**. Back row—Coach Pete Couch, Karl Schleckman, Art Holmgren, **Bert Hunt**, **Ken Banks**, Carl Welti, Milton Hess, Paul Huber. (Ed Bering absent.)

UTAH UNIVERSITY—WESTERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS.

Individual Western Division champions in boldface type.

118 lbs.—Jack Clark (B.Y.U.). **126 lbs.—Wilks (Utah)**. 135 lbs.—Bering (Utah). 145 lbs.—Buchanan (Utah State). 155 lbs.—Nelson (Utah State). 165 lbs.—**Banks (Utah)**. 175 lbs.—**Hunt (Utah)**. **Unlimited—Schleckman (Utah)**.



Front row—Loyd Elder (Capt.), Ray Rencher, Glen Nelson, Joseph Buchanan, Clinton Peterson, Otis Orton, Myrl Bench. Back row—Coach George Nelson, Earl Kohler, Grant Boam, Richard Stevens, Lawrence Gold.

UTAH STATE COLLEGE, LOGAN.

EASTERN DIVISION

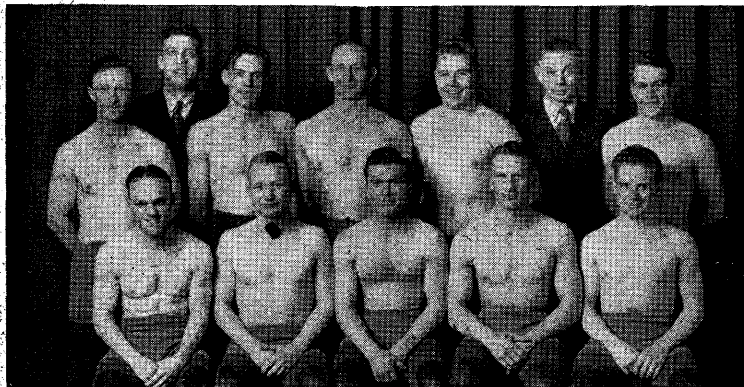
By John W. Hancock, State Teachers College, Greeley, Colorado.

Interest and participation in intercollegiate wrestling in the Eastern Division is greater than ever before. Reports from nearly every college indicate that there are more men out for the sport now than at any time in the past. This, together with increased interest in high school wrestling, has resulted in attracting much more public interest.

The schools of the Eastern Division of the Rocky Mountain Conference include the Universities of Wyoming, Colorado and Denver, Colorado School of Mines, Colorado State College, Colorado College, Western State and Greeley State Teachers College. The customary dual matches were held between institutions and as a climax the conference tournament was held at Greeley, in which Greeley State won the championship, with Colorado University second.

TEAM POINT SCORES.

Greeley State	37	Colorado Mines	8
Colorado	30	Wyoming	2
Colorado State	22	Denver	0



Front row—Stanley, Blake, English, Stolte, Martin. Back row—Rigby, Coach Hancock, White, Ackerman, Rose, Culbertson (Mgr.), Petronovich.

GREELEY STATE—EASTERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS.

Individual Eastern Division champions in boldface type.

In the individual competition, the champions of the Eastern Division, with second and third place winners, are as follows:

118 lbs.—Stanley (Greeley State), won; Fernandez (Colorado Mines), second; Whitehead (Colorado), third. **126 lbs.**—Carlson (Colorado), won; Smith (Colorado State), second; Martin (Greeley State), third. **135 lbs.**—English (Greeley State), won; Ledyard (Colorado), second; Fox (Colorado State), third. **145 lbs.**—Hertzberger (Colorado State), won; Blake (Greeley State), second; Staulker (Colorado), third. **155 lbs.**—Stolte (Greeley State), won; Sibly (Colorado), second; Schott (Colorado Mines), third. **165 lbs.**—Sauer (Colorado State), won; Steiner (Colorado), second; Messer (Colorado Mines) third. **175 lbs.**—Ackerman (Greeley State), won; Walt (Colorado State), second; More (Colorado), third. **Unlimited**—Rose (Greeley State), won; Moore (Colorado), second; Lantz (Wyoming), third.

UTAH STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, LOGAN

28—Brigham Young 8	0—Utah 23	28—San Jose State 6
11½—Utah 18½	10—California 24	43—San Jose State 3
25—Brigham Young 38		

Pacific Coast Conference

By Henry A. Stone, University of California.

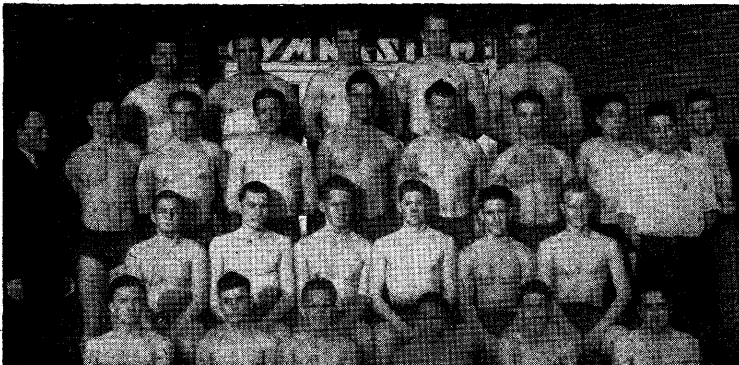
Wrestling continues to make progress on the Pacific Coast. In the Southern Division more than twice as many dual meets were scheduled than ever before. Many colleges are adding wrestling to their athletic program.



Front row—Jensen, Andersen, Ritchie, Shimoff, Fujioaka, Wada, Najima, Dalo. Row 2—Beamer (Mgr.), Gale, Winslow, Watt, Osoffsky, Feldmeyer, Evju, Johns, Teal, Coach Stone. Row 3—Howard, Gocke, Fortino, Eastman, Maxon, Griswold. Back row—Metzger, Stowell, Pollock, Merry, Ortlieb, Fellom (Capt.). (Smith and Benson absent.)

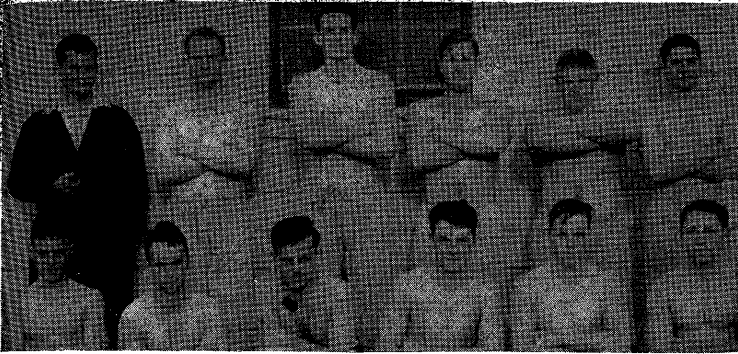
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA—SOUTHERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS.

Due to the sectional Olympic wrestling tryouts no intercollegiate tournament was held in the Northern Division this year. In these trials University of Idaho placed third, higher than any other college team. Collegiate winners in these trials were Paul Jones (134 lbs.) of the University of Idaho and Charles Semanick (191 lbs.), Washington State College.



Front row—H. Wise, R. Roumassett, J. Fiebig, N. Davin, E. Fisher, V. Hubbard. Row 2—G. Wenglein, S. Hosa, M. Rush, C. Lindgren, M. Olavarrri, G. Lear. Row 3—Coach Eugene B. Grattan, B. Allen, G. Nelson, R. Owens, B. Lanpher, E. Glover, P. Enos, V. Hill, W. Smith (Asst. Mgr.), J. Harper (Mgr.). Back row—J. DeMello, G. DuBois, J. Kelly, W. Hanson, M. Ucovitch.

SAN JOSE STATE COLLEGE, SAN JOSE, CALIF.



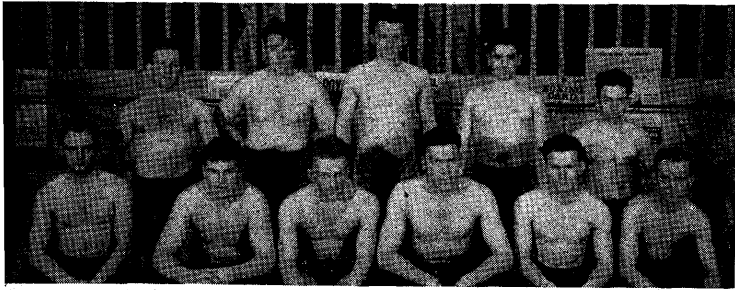
Front row—Edmonson, Amtrosini, Jockimson, Paine, Doudiet, Reese. Back row—Bowker(Mgr.), Noble, Allison, Knox, Lyons, McFarland(Capt.).

CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, DAVIS, CALIF.

The Southern Division tournament was held at Berkeley. University of California scored an overwhelming victory to win its seventh consecutive championship. San Jose State College and California Agricultural placed second and third, respectively.

The following selection of first, second and third places is based upon the collegiate tournament, district Olympic tryouts and results of various dual meets.

118 lbs.—Ritchie (California), won; W. Zook (Stanford), second; Edmonson (Calif. Aggri), third. **126 lbs.**—Teal (California), won; Fiebig (San Jose), second; D. Zook (Stanford), third. **135 lbs.**—Roumassett (San Jose), won; Tirada (U.C.L.A.), second; Morgan (Calif. Aggri), third. **145 lbs.**—Trowbridge (U.C.L.A.), won; Griswold (California), second; MacFarland (Calif. Aggri), third. **155 lbs.**—Gale (California), won; Dondiet (Calif. Aggri), second; Kerfoot (U.C.L.A.), third. **165 lbs.**—Benson (California), won; Brundage (Calif. Aggri), second; Allen (San Jose), third. **175 lbs.**—Fellom (California), won; Peers (U.C.L.A.), second; Allison (Calif. Aggri), third. **Unlimited**—Smith (California), won; DuBois (San Jose), second; Noble (Calif. Agri), third.



Front row—Stoddard, Pavkov, Leatham, Brado, Jones, Miller. Back row—Taylor, Sanner, Weisshaupt, Woods, Meneely.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, MOSCOW, IDAHO.

Coach Percy Clapp's team was first among collegiate entries in the Northwest Olympic trials at Seattle (including Washington, Washington State and Oregon state), and third among all entries, being headed by the Tacoma Y.M.C.A. and the Multnomah Athletic Club.



Front row—D.B.Armstrong, W.B.Cavin, H.B.Stoddard (Capt.), J.Piel, E.J. Petrenik. Back row—Coach Clifford J. Gallagher, Hayden Estey (Mgr.), J.C.Harkness, W.T.Glendingning. Notman, Photo.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASS.



Front row—Morgan, Shallenberger, Brownell (Capt.), Hartzsch, Mosher. Back row—Floros, George, Ostrynski, Cobb, Smith, Rathbun, Coach Walter C. O'Connell.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY, ITHACA, N.Y.



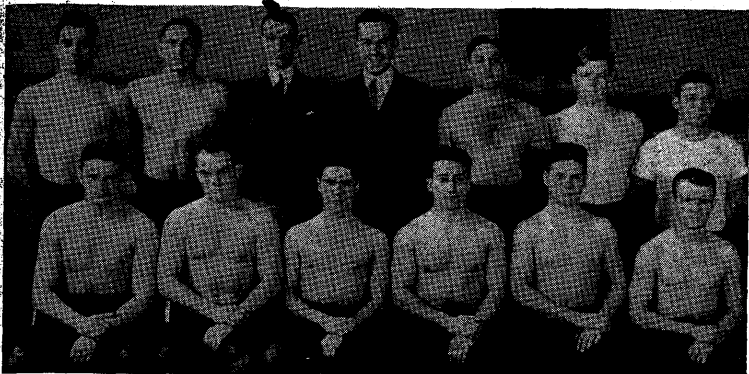
Front row—J.V.Quinn, M.S.Emory, G.B.Treide (Capt.), B.Chew, C.K.Bowie. Row 2—Coach James J.Reed, R.Palmer, C.A.Powers, W.W.L.Reed, G.B.Ross, H.C.ESSERTIER (Mgr.). Back row—E.Zanfrini (Trainer), L.H.Marks (Asst. Mgr.), H. Follansbee (Asst. Mgr.). Orren Jack Turner, Photo.

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, PRINCETON, N.J.

New England Intercollegiate Association

By O. J. Gallagher, Coach Harvard University.

Wrestling enjoyed a very successful season in 1936 in New England, particularly in the college group. Altogether there was a healthy growth in the sport. Interest increased to a noticeable extent, which was reflected in the cleverness of the contestants. More holds were used, more aggressiveness shown and sportsmanship was of the highest.

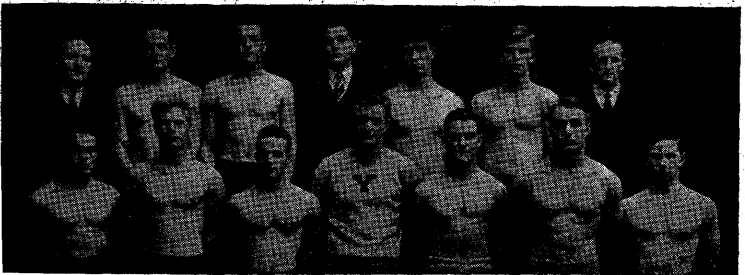


Front row—A.Senecal, F.A.Pease, F.K.Beaulieu (Capt.), H.H.Zooloornian, J.E.Lathrop, R.K.Cunningham. Back row—J.F.Keegan, S.G.Hall, W.G.Barney (Mgr.), J.N.Atlass (Asst.Mgr.), A.I.Sakiad, H.H.King, Coach R.K.Cole. Rice, Photo.

BROWN UNIVERSITY—NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONS.

The 1936 New England Intercollegiate Association championships were held in the gymnasium of Brown University. Competition was of the highest order and clearly demonstrated the progress in this branch of intercollegiate sport. Team point scores were as follows:

Brown	27	Yale	12
Tufts	25	M.I.T.	12
Springfield	13	Harvard	1



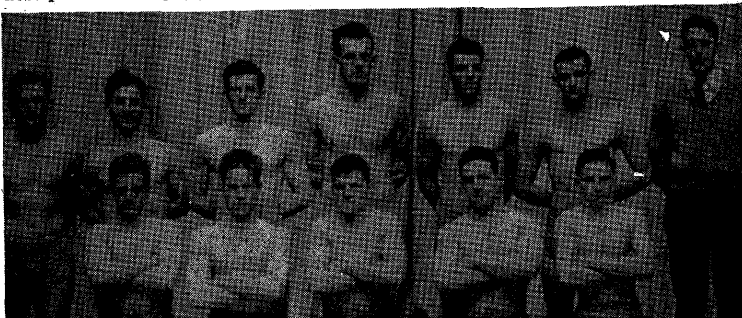
Front row—F.M.Rawolie, M.C.Walker, McK.Kinne, R.C.Graham (Capt.), H.A.Hull, A.W.Lindeke, H.L.Stern. Back row—Coach E.D.O'Donnell, G.H.Woodland, F.G.Fabian, P.B.Langmuir, N.Fish, R.Cutler, Asst.Coach J.R.O'Donnell. (H.M.Love absent.) Pach, Photo.

YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Interstate Championships

By J. W. Begala, Kent State University.

The third annual Interstate wrestling championships were held at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio, March 13 and 14, 1936. As in the past, universities and colleges situated in sections of five states were invited to participate, Western New York, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Michigan being represented. Kent State repeated in carrying off championship honors, with four first places and four seconds. Summary:

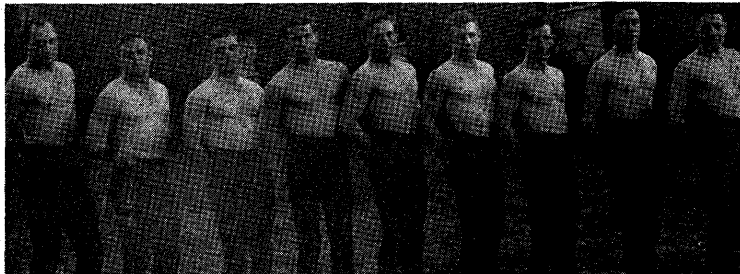


Front row—Graven, McCort, Eckert, Hach, Sthrol. Back row—Coach Begala, Dunlavy, Kegler, Wardell, Scott, Harrington, Barklow (Mgr.). (Carter absent.)

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY—INTERSTATE CHAMPIONS.

Individual Interstate champions shown in boldface type.

118 lbs.—R. Schauss (Case), won; D. Strohl (Kent), second; A. Roberts (Roch Mech Inst), third. **126 lbs.**—B. Graven (Kent), won; R. Mayer (Case), second; E. Scherer (Roch Mech Inst), third. **135 lbs.**—C. Eckert (Kent), won; A. Body (Case), second; C. Maxwell (Washington & Jefferson), third. **145 lbs.**—J. Vaughn (Case), won; E. Kegler (Kent), second; P. Crabbe (Akron), third. **155 lbs.**—G. Tornabene (Waynesburg), won; J. McCort (Kent), second; B. McSweeney (Case), third. **165 lbs.**—N. Carter (Kent), won; P. Harley (Case), second; Bartolette (Waynesburg), third. **175 lbs.**—G. O. Hach (Kent), won; J. Sullivan (Waynesburg), second; E. Kaufman (Akron), third. **Unlimited**—A. Demchak (Case), won; J. Wardell (Kent), second; W. Cummins (Waynesburg), third.



Hobbs, Cline Farthing, Claude Farthing, Moore, W. Norris, Crooks, B. Norris, Scott, Patterson.

APPALACHIAN STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, BOONE, N.C.

38—Win-Salem YMCA 0

18—Maryville 6

22½—Maryville 1½

27—Spray YMCA 3

28—Tennessee 0

26—Tennessee 0

19—Spray YMCA 11

16—Davidson 14

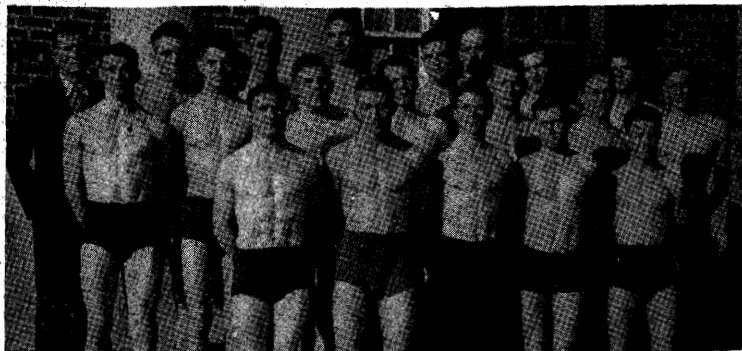
38—Vanderbilt 0

Intercollegiate Wrestling in Oklahoma

By E. C. Gallagher, Oklahoma A.&M. College.

The Oklahoma colleges continued their dominating position as leaders in amateur wrestling, with unusually strong teams at Oklahoma A.&M. College, University of Oklahoma, and Oklahoma Central State Teachers College of Edmond.

The state collegiate championship was decided on a percentage basis of dual meets won and lost. Final standing:

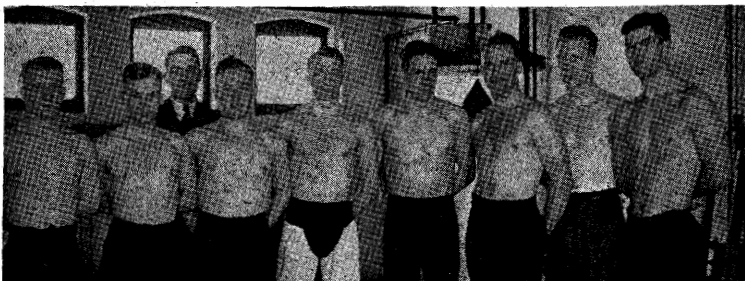


Front row—F. Parkey (Member American Olympic Team), H. Strong, D. E. White, M. Merritt, E. Young. Row 2—D. Scrivens, W. Freeman, C. Roberts, L. Fagg, E. Nazworthy, H. Burnell, G. Fennema. Back row—Coach E. C. Gallagher, L. Ricks, R. Kozlowski, W. Lorette, D. Browning (Capt.), J. Tomlinson, G. DuPree, H. Base.

OKLAHOMA A.&M. COLLEGE—STATE CHAMPIONS.

Teams.	Won.	Lost.	PC.	Teams.	Won.	Lost.	PC.
Oklahoma A.&M.	6	0*	1000	Weatherford Thrs.	1	4	.200
Oklahoma University .	3	2	.600	Tahlequah Thrs.	0	4	.000
Edmond Central	2	2*	.500	*Tie game.			

The above figures do not represent the relative strength of the various teams, as nearly all of the individual matches were extremely close, and a number of the meets were won by margins of only two or three points.



Russell Van Hoof, Lawrence Schilling, Coach George R. Gibson, Robert Cameron, Richard Webber, Kenneth Heacock, Jack Caton, Thomas Countryman, William Randall.

CARLETON COLLEGE, NORTHFIELD, MINN.



Front row—G. Guinlock, A. Haft, K. Wilbur. Row 2—R. Driscoll, K. Crotty (Capt.), Coach W. J. Davison, W. Deme, R. Lambert. Back row—R. Gertmenian, C. Blake, C. Starrett, W. Sargis, T. Crowe, A. Tarrow.

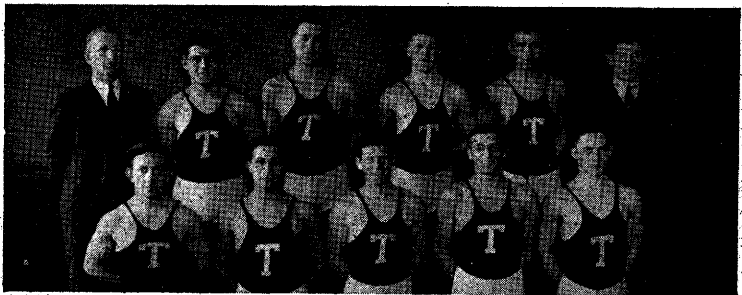
SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, SYRACUSE, N. Y.



Front row—Hocking, Fisher, Horner, Ulrich (Capt.), Nagle. Back row—Coach C. W. Mayser, E. Werner, G. Hetrick, Roeder, Raab, Raab, T. Floyd (Trainer).

Rice, Photo.

FRANKLIN AND MARSHALL COLLEGE, LANCASTER, PA.



Front row—Golubitsky, Demetriades, M. Stepansky, A. Stepansky, Davis. Back row—Coach Bohn, Miller, Landis, Holmgren, Borenstein, Burt (Mgr.).

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TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, PHILADELPHIA, PA.



Front row—S.D.Smith, McHaney, Coach Tom Jenkins, Lieut. Heitman (Officer-in-Charge), Cairnes (Capt.), A.C.Miller. Row 2—W.B.Bess (Mgr.), Sprague, R.A. Jones, Hopson, C.L.Curtis, Cherubin, W.A.Davis, Schermerhorn. Back row—Frolick, Dreier, Mrazek, A.D.Clark, J.J.Phelan, Barrett.

UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, N.Y.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE, STATE COLLEGE, PA.

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|-----------------|-------------|---------------|
| 19—Michigan 11 | 9—Lehigh 17 | 22—Syracuse 6 |
| 30—Temple 0 | 24—Navy 6 | 30—Cornell 0 |
| 36—Pittsburgh 0 | | |

CORNELL UNIVERSITY, ITHACA, N.Y.

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| 28½—Queens Univ 1½ | 18—Lehigh 20 | 12—Army 18 |
| 16—Syracuse 14 | 21—Columbia 9 | 0—Penn State 30 |
| 27—Colgate 5 | | |

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

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| 34—Mass Inst Tech 0 | 9—Princeton 15 | 23—Tufts 11 |
| 20—Brown 10 | 24—Pennsylvania 6 | 13—Yale 17 |
| 23—Springfield 3 | | |

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, SYRACUSE, N.Y.

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| 0—Lehigh 31 | 36—Roch Mech Inst 0 | 20—St Lawrence 8 |
| 17½—Columbia 10½ | 14—Cornell 16 | 6—Penn State 22 |
| 24—Army 6 | 40—Buffalo 0 | 29—Colgate 5 |

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, PRINCETON, N.J.

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|----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 26—Rutgers 0 | 24—Pennsylvania 6 | 17—Columbia 9 |
| 30—Lafayette 0 | 15—Harvard 9 | 17½—Yale 10½ |

UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, N.Y.

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| 6—Syracuse 24 | 3—Virginia Mil Inst 25 | 18—Cornell 12 |
| 24—Springfield 8 | 23—Tufts 9 | 0—Franklin-Marshall 34 |

YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

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| 30½—NwBritnYMCA 1½ | 22—Columbia 6 | 4½—Lehigh 25½ |
| 17—Brown 13 | 34—New York Univ 0 | 17—Harvard 13 |
| 26½—Tufts 1½ | 10½—Princeton 17½ | |

FRANKLIN AND MARSHALL COLLEGE, LANCASTER, PA.

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|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 33—Gallaudet 5 | 26½—Miami 7½ | 24—Gettysburg 8 |
| 16—Michigan 18 | 23½—Chicago 4½ | 23½—Temple 4½ |
| 32—Ursinus 5 | 38—Pittsburgh 0 | 34—Army 0 |
| 31—Tufts 5 | | |

The Junior Varsity defeated Haverford, 31-5, and Richmond Boys Club of New York, 27½ to 1½. F. E. Horner, H. S. Raab and G. M. Hetrick qualified for the Olympic finals. D. B. Nagle won the Middle Atlantic States 175-lb. championship.

CARLETON COLLEGE, NORTHFIELD, MINN.

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| 0—Minnesota 40 | 18—Minn Univ Farm 6 | 19—North Dakota 10 |
| 3—Minnesota 29 | 14—North Dakota 9 | 12½—Wisconsin 15½ |

As Carleton has had intercollegiate wrestling for only two years, the season was considered highly successful. Lost twice to Minnesota, barely defeated by Wisconsin, and won all other matches. Also winners of Northwest A.A.U. wrestling meet in Minneapolis with a total of 19 points. Schilling and Heacock won in their respective weights, 118 lbs. and 155 lbs., in the A.A.U. meet.

• INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING •

Growth of Interscholastic Wrestling

By B. E. WIGGINS, COLUMBUS, OHIO.

Representative of High School Athletic Federation on National Collegiate Wrestling Rules Committee.

The reports from the various sections of the nation during the past year are indicative of a very appreciable increase in intramural participation; and this is particularly true of those sections not previously active in secondary school wrestling of any character. Not only is this true of the larger cities, and in the so-called "wrestling belt" (Nebraska, Oklahoma and Iowa), but centers hitherto unreported as being active in the sport in any form are now heard from. The following excerpt from the Toledo (Ohio) schools is but one example of increased interest and participation:

"While we have not reached the city meet or dual meet stage this year, our high schools have had over three hundred boys in intramural competition during the winter months. This in itself shows that the sport has reached the recognition stage, and that we believe this activity to be well worth while and an integral part of our program."

Space does not permit of further citation of similar growth in both large and small city systems throughout the nation. A conservative estimate of the growth in figures would be 40 per cent. This, to the writer, is more satisfying than a reported increase of dual meet or other competition in Nebraska, California or Minnesota, for example.

The foregoing resume is in no sense to be construed as a denial of the value and inspiration of interscholastic competition. Aside from the inherent value of interschool meets in themselves, the novice or backward boy frequently becomes interested through the deeds of "the team." It may also be said that a school's representative group becomes more proficient if there is sound instruction in fundamentals in the intramural program. Each supplements the other.

In this age of "robot" aides in every phase of human effort, the writer feels that the necessity for *individual* brain, muscle and nerve initiative on the part of our boys and young men should be encouraged whenever and wherever feasible. An odd psychology persists as applied to foot ball and individual-combat sports. The average foot ball follower is rarely aroused when a player is injured; but the boy or young man who becomes hors de combat for the moment, at least, is an occasion for loud criticism, if not condemnation, be it in wrestling or boxing. There are more injuries, both temporary and serious, in one foot ball game, than occur in a representative meet on the mat. Adequately supervised competition, only, is here considered. Of course, the individual alone, and the individual as a cog of the team, when injured, is largely responsible for the spectators' attitude. But if the individual links of our body-politic are not strong entities in themselves, we cannot hope for a sound and thinking democracy.

Upon the whole, wrestling in the secondary schools of the nation has had a fruitful year. Professional wrestling has had both a harmful and a beneficial effect upon the amateurs. In one respect, it goes far beyond true wrestling in that there are few if any rules governing a match; and conversely, the "pro's" prowess is frequently an incentive to the weak or idle lad who has just drifted along without ambition to excel in anything. If it be true that "Those well equipped to fight, fight least," then the inspiration, whether it be from an Earl Caddock or an Olympic victor, becomes a real asset to the youth of America.

To those instructors and school principals who have encouraged, and worked under severe handicaps, to the end that our boys and young men might have alert minds and skillful bodies to meet life's tests, high credit is due. When the great nations of history lost their physical and mental virility through their neglect of former wise training of their youth, they decayed and fell. May we in

America profit thereby and retain our heritage. In the final analysis, boy-power and self-reliance rate higher than the machine.

Since it is an essential aim of the Rules Committee to safeguard all competitors, the "head scissors" has been barred in this year's rules. This hold, when vigorously applied by high school lads, frequently results in neck and ear injuries. And aside from probable injury during competition, the hold is a source of eventual ear disfigurement.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN OKLAHOMA

By Art Griffith, Tulsa Central High School.

High school wrestling in Oklahoma ranks first in the United States in interest, brand of wrestling and number of participants. There are about one hundred high schools in Oklahoma that feature wrestling, with about eighty having full dual meet schedules. Twelve schools took up the sport for the first time last year. There is not a school in Oklahoma where the sport has once been sponsored that has abandoned it. Twenty junior high schools also have wrestling teams.

Wrestling has developed to such an extent that it was found an open state meet would be so large, it would work a hardship on a boy going through such a tournament. Consequently the state was divided into four districts and a tournament held in each, at Geary, Ponca City, Elk City and Tulsa. The total entry list in these district tournaments numbered 320. Winner and runner-up in each weight were invited to the state meet, held at University of Oklahoma, Norman, March 13 and 14, 1936. This state tournament, with eight boys in each weight, was the most evenly contested tournament ever held in Oklahoma, and the class of wrestling the best ever seen in a high school event of its kind. Although no official team championship was awarded, unofficial honors went to Tulsa Central for the seventh time.

Individual winners in each class of the state high school tournament were: 95 lbs.—Parrish (Sand Springs). 105 lbs.—Fagg (Blackwell). 115 lbs.—Sodowsky (Blackwell). 125 lbs.—Stove (Tulsa). 135 lbs.—Benson (Tulsa). 145 lbs.—Thompson (Hobart). 155 lbs.—Champeau (Norman). 165 lbs. Hitt (Ponca City). 185 lbs.—Harrell (Ardmore).

A new organization, the Oklahoma Wrestling Coaches Association, has been organized, with membership open to all college and high school wrestling coaches of the state. Art Griffith, Tulsa, was elected president; Robert Cook, Hobart, vice-president, and Melvin Clodfelter, Ponca City, secretary-treasurer.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN NEBRASKA

By C. L. Carns, Omaha Technical High School.

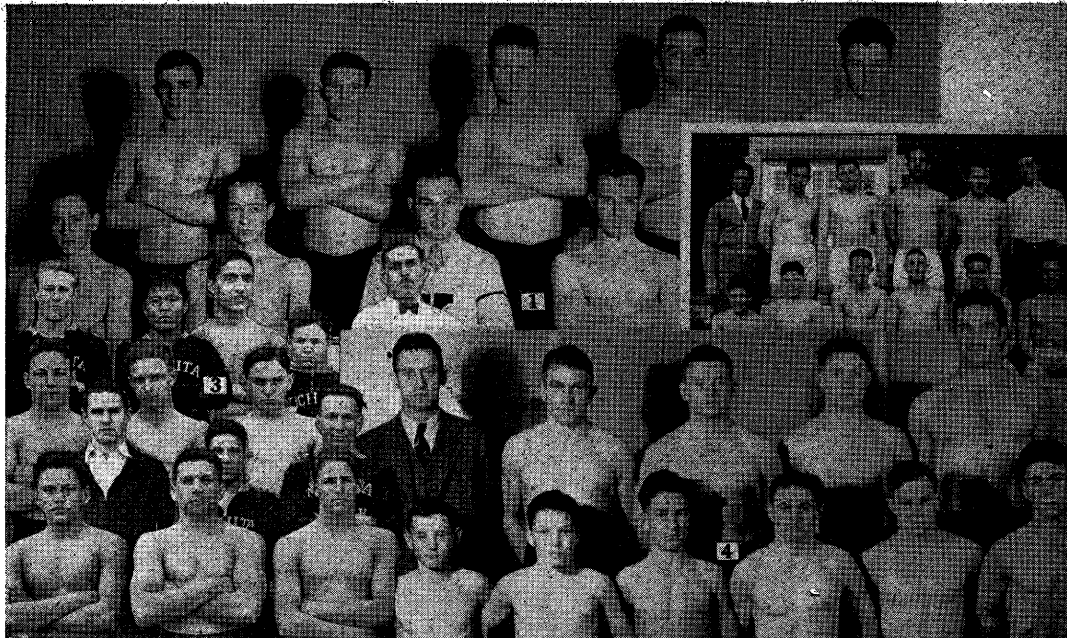
The eleventh season of wrestling in Council Bluffs and Omaha brought out the greatest interest and the most improved wrestling ability since inter-school competition was established.

Seven of the Omaha and Council Bluffs high schools held a double round robin tournament to determine the inter-city championship and at the end of the season another was held to decide individual championships. South High again demonstrated its superiority by winning all of its dual meets, thereby gaining permanent possession of the Baburek Trophy by winning it three times. Omaha Tech was second with nine victories and three defeats. Individual champions were as follows:

85 lbs.—Riplog (Tech). 95 lbs.—Bernth (South). 105 lbs.—V. Miller (Tech). 115 lbs.—Cherman (Jefferson). 125 lbs.—Campagna (Central). 135 lbs.—Svoboda (South). 145 lbs.—Longo (South). 155 lbs.—Petersen (Tech). 165 lbs.—Profeda (Lincoln). Unlimited—Arch (Thomas).

The state meet developed into another battle for first place between Omaha South and Omaha Tech, the former winning by three points, and Omaha Central getting a good third. Vitale of Central, Salerno of South, and R. Miller of Tech reversed results of the inter-city tournament by gaining decisions over the wrestlers who had defeated them in that event. Team scores: South 41, Tech 38, Central 27, Rokeby 3, Minden 2, Denton 1. Individual champions:

85 lbs.—Riplog (Tech). 95 lbs.—Bernth (South). 105 lbs.—Vitale (Central). 115 lbs.—O'Connor (South). 125 lbs.—Salerno (South). 135 lbs.—Svoboda (South). 145 lbs.—R. Miller (Tech). 155 lbs.—Petersen (Tech). 165 lbs.—Monaco (Tech). Unlimited—Hornstein (Central).



(1) COLBY HIGH SCHOOL, Co-Champions Kansas State—Front row: Norman Bryan, Milton Kuskä, Coach Fowler, Billie Melton. Back row: Virgil Palmgren, Lester Loftus, Bob Windle, Marion Boyert, Gilbert McLean.

(2) EAST HIGH SCHOOL, WICHITA, Co-Champions Kansas—Front row: Horwitz, Friedman, McClellan, Tanner, Snyder, George. Back row: Coach Kanehl, Gibbs, Adams, Sams, Jackson, Bradshaw (Mgr.).

(3) WICHITA (KANSAS) NORTH HIGH SCHOOL, Co-Champions Arkansas Valley League—Front row: Wilson LaMere, Lynn Herndon,

LeRoy Herrman. Row 2: Floyd Andrews (Mgr.), Robert Arteaga, Berry. Row 3: Robert Snell, Melvin Martin, Howard Snyder. Row 4: Harold Weldy, Walter Biye, Pedro Arteaga, Alvin Doty, Ray Schlotterbeck.

(4) OBERLIN (KANSAS) HIGH SCHOOL, -Champions North Kansas League—Front row: Donald Everst, Tom Townsend, Lloyderson, Eldon Cody, James Vavroch, Richard Shorey. Back row: Wm. Huey, Jay Gilbert, Byron McCartney, Harry Brown, Elmerney.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN KANSAS

By B. R. Patterson, Manhattan.

Wrestling as a high school sport in Kansas has not been very prominent. This is due, perhaps, to the fact that very few trained wrestling coaches are turned out of our colleges and universities. Only one college, Kansas State at Manhattan, maintains a wrestling coaching staff, and consequently only a few of our high school coaches receive any college training in the sport.

Colby and Oberlin are in the extreme northwest section of Kansas and in their high school conference wrestling is a major sport. Only one other section of the state carries on wrestling as a high school sport to any extent and that is in the Arkansas Valley region, in which Wichita, Wellington, Hutchinson, Newton and Douglass lie. In the state tournament last season Colby and Wichita East tied for first place with 24 points each. Decatur Community of Oberlin had 19, Hutchinson 15, Douglass 9, Wellington 6, Norton 5, and Hoxie, Junction City, Newton and Olathe each one point. Atwood failed to score. Individual state champions:

95 lbs.—Townsend (Oberlin). 105 lbs.—Porter (Norton). 115 lbs.—Pendleton (Wellington). 125 lbs.—Tanner (Wichita East). 135 lbs.—Corday (Wichita North). 145 lbs.—Loftus (Colby). 155 lbs.—Windle (Colby). 165 lbs.—Herrndon (Wichita North). 185 lbs.—Sams (Wichita East). Unlimited—Hackney (Oberlin).

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN IOWA

By Fred N. Cooper, Fort Dodge.

Iowa was one of the pioneers in interscholastic high school wrestling and its popularity is holding up well. Iowa has always felt that it was the only sport on its program that really gave the little fellow a chance to participate on equal terms with the big fellows. Foot ball coaches throughout the state are coming to recognize in wrestling an excellent developer of linemen. It teaches balance and a use of hands and feet that nothing else does quite so well.

District tournaments were held last season at Fort Dodge, Council Bluffs, Cresco and Eldora. Thirty-seven schools wrestled dual schedules and thirty-one sent men to the district sites. Fort Dodge, Cherokee, Valley Junction, and East Waterloo were district winners. In the final state meet final, held at Iowa Teachers College, Cedar Falls, twenty-four schools were represented and fifteen schools earned points.

Fort Dodge won the state meet, scoring 27 points, and after a very close battle Cherokee gained second place with 16 points, Clarion was close up with 15 and Valley Junction came next with 13.

Seven schools claimed the ten champions that follow: 85 lbs.—Bell (Clarion). 95 lbs.—Kressley (Waterloo East). 105 lbs.—Pazzi (Valley Junction). 115 lbs.—Sword (Eldora). 125 lbs.—Kuhn (Fort Dodge). 135 lbs.—Morgord (Clarion). 145 lbs.—Runneliote (Mason City). 155 lbs.—George (Cherokee). 165 lbs.—Grilling (Cherokee). Unlimited—Strom (Fort Dodge).

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN INDIANA

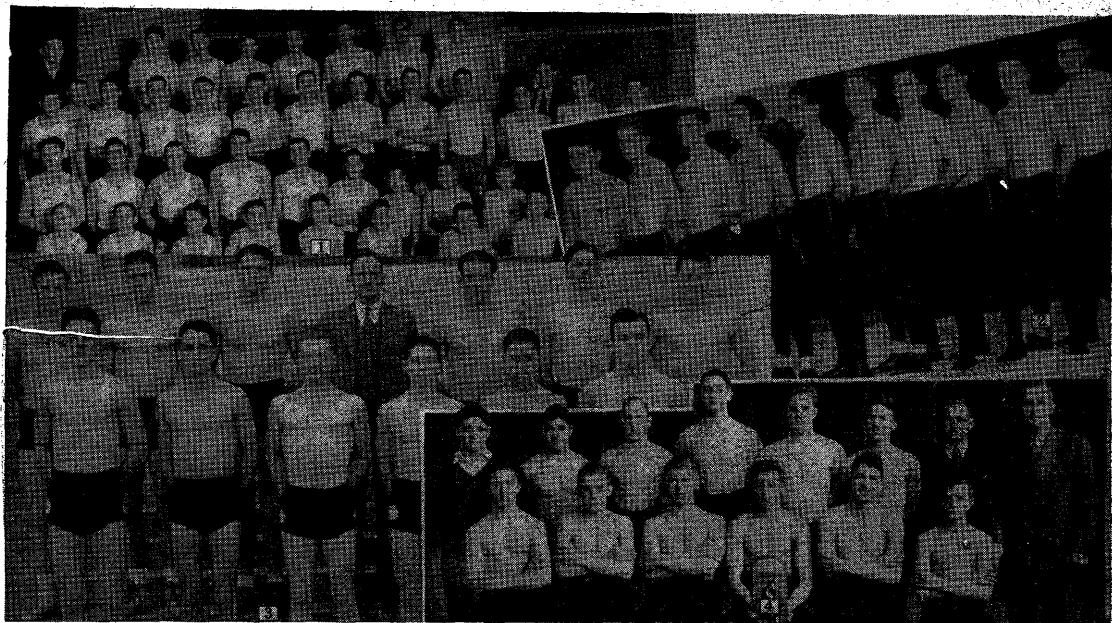
By A. B. Scott.

Indiana University, under the very capable direction of Athletic Director Z. G. Clevenger and George E. Schlafer of the physical education department, conducted the fifteenth annual high school tournament at Bloomington, February 28 and 29, 1936, in which fourteen schools participated. Hammond High won the team title for the second consecutive year, with 42 points. Bloomington was second with 29, Bedford had 27, and Washington of East Chicago 23 points.

Individual champions: 100 lbs.—Barbar (Roosevelt, East Chicago). 108 lbs.—Fredericks (Hammond). 115 lbs.—Janeczko (Hammond). 125 lbs.—Settle (Bedford). 135 lbs.—Funk (Hammond). 145 lbs.—Conley (Bedford). 155 lbs.—Gifford (Bloomington). 165 lbs.—Frankowski (Hammond). 175 lbs.—Skierge (Washington, East Chicago). Unlimited—Cutlich (Washington, East Chicago).

The coaches, in their annual meeting, voted to add a 90-lb. weight. They also voted against "stalling," and the matches were all fast and interesting.

The greatest obstacle to the growth of wrestling is lack of well trained coaches. Indiana University is the only teacher training institution in the state which prepares its physical education graduates to coach wrestling. Educators need to be convinced that wrestling offers the complete physical education program in the form of a wholesome sport. It needs only proper promotion and good publicity to make it attractive to spectators as well.



1—OMAHA TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL—Front row: Frum, Fluhr, Riplog, Meredith, Hansen, Hickok, Karaus, Frechin. Row 2: Shannon, V. Miller, Cleveland, Mittnacht, Brown, Nanfito, Blatt, Strom, Canada. Row 3: Jensen, Coach Carns, Distefano, Kopfle, Irvine, Thomas, Roy Shaw, Ray Shaw, Fleming, Cattano, Scigliano, Coach Greenberg, Phillips, Langford. Back row: Bolin(Mgr.), Bonofede, Petersen, R. Miller, Monaco, Rardin, Johnson, Owen. Dewell, Photo.

(2) HAMMOND (INDIANA) HIGH SCHOOL, Indiana State Champions—Miofsky, Goslin, Fredericks (Capt.), Gill, Janezsko, Funk, Hlinka, Frankowski, Buchanan, Mico, (LaMantia absent).

(3) TULSA CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL, Oklahoma State Champions—Front row: Bill Peck, Paul Lindsey, Hay Stone, Tom Sparks, Robert Kitt, Floyd Benson (Capt.). Back row: Bert Byrd, Bill Combs, Woody Wilson, Coach Art Griffith, Garold Jones, Vernon Logan, John Smith, Miller, Photo.

(4) GARFIELD HIGH SCHOOL, AKRON (OHIO) City Champions—Front row: Dickson, Guyher, Gearhart, Smole, Sibit, Bialy. Back row: Pappas (Mgr.), Napoli, Grossenbacher, Floasin, Waldron, Pappas, Asst. Coach Stanley, Coach M. Omeroid.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN MONTANA

By **Dr. T. B. Douglass**, Northern Montana College.

While interest among the high schools of Montana in wrestling is not highly developed, it is rapidly growing. Scarcity of equipment and lack of opportunity for competition are the principal drawbacks. Northern Montana College, by sponsoring the championship meet, is helping to solve the latter difficulty and the individual schools are meeting the first in their own way. Nashua, winner of second place in last season's meet, did all of its training on quilts thrown on the bare floor. Even with that handicap, Supt. H. L. Boyd was able to turn out a group of well trained wrestlers.

Great Falls in each of the three years the meet has been held has had little difficulty in winning first place. Under the able coaching of C. L. Paulsen much interest in wrestling is being created. In 1935 Belt was represented by one man, Kennedy, who won the 125-lb. class. In 1936 Coach L. V. Good brought six wrestlers. Kennedy was defeated in a return match with John Sabo of Great Falls, which was the feature event of the entire meet. First place winners (all of Great Falls) in the 1936 meet were as follows: 95 lbs.—Noble. 105 lbs.—Scotson. 115 lbs.—Pahl. 125 lbs.—Sabo. 135 lbs.—Olsen. 145 lbs.—Schile. 155 lbs.—Peck. 165 lbs.—Duley. 185 lbs.—Folsom.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN COLORADO

By **Willard N. Greim**, Denver.

High school wrestling in Colorado has been limited for the past ten years to the five Denver high schools. The weight classes have been modified slightly to include 175-lb. and heavyweight classes. This is not essential, but it seems to fit local needs.

The Denver teams gave exhibitions and met a number of teams from other cities interested in starting wrestling. As a climax the Colorado State College of Education, Greeley, decided to hold a state high school wrestling tournament. The Colorado High School Athletic Conference gave sanction to this meet and nine schools were represented. Greeley High won with 32 points, Olathe was second with 27, Fort Morgan had 20 and Greeley College High 18, Grand Junction, Montrose, Golden, Windsor and Fort Collins also competed.

Due partially to the fact that this tournament was set approximately four weeks after the close of the Denver individual championships, and because of previously scheduled departmental activities, it was impossible for the Denver high schools to compete. While this condition was not desirable from all points of view, it is probable that general interest in future tournaments was increased by the absence of Denver competitors, as they were clearly the outstanding wrestlers in the state. Individual state champions were as follows:

95 lbs.—Graham (Olathe). 105 lbs.—Snyder (Olathe). 115 lbs.—Gardner (Grand Junction). 125 lbs.—Erickson (Greeley). 135 lbs.—Whitehouse (Greeley). 145 lbs.—Stephens (Greeley). 155 lbs.—Schauerman (Fort Morgan). 165 lbs.—Myers (Olathe). 185 lbs.—Weigant (College High).

In the Denver city championship, North High won. As a team they were undefeated and had five individual champions, as follows:

95 lbs.—Joe Harvat (North). 105 lbs.—Vernon Lowery (Manual). 115 lbs.—James Gregory (West). 125 lbs.—Vernon Scott (East). 135 lbs.—Donnie Winterbourne (North). 145 lbs.—Bob Fisher (East). 155 lbs.—John Kauth (North). 165 lbs.—Morgan DeKalb (East). 175 lbs.—Joe Miner (North). Unlimited—Robert Maul (North).

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN WISCONSIN

By **George A. Martin**, University of Wisconsin.

Nine high schools at present are scheduling dual meets and twenty-nine sponsor the sport in an intramural way, with an average of sixty boys per school and a total of 1800 taking part. Mr. L. L. Cunningham of West Allis High School deserves a great deal of credit for the progress high school wrestling has made in Wisconsin during the past several years. No tourneys have been held as yet.

The Wisconsin High School Athletic Association has approved wrestling as an official part of their program, and from a questionnaire sent to the high schools on the subject the response was most encouraging, indicating rapid progress and interest for the immediate future. The University of Wisconsin wrestling team also has given a number of demonstrations and exhibitions which have greatly aided beginners in acquiring knowledge of the technique of the sport.



(1) TILDEN TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL, CHICAGO, City Champions—Front row: Santo, Boland, Stierer, Thomas, Post (Mgr.), Coach Hicks, Roman (Capt.), Fiolkowski, Rosner, Shintani. Row 2: Saracco, Porto, Gedwill, Junitz, Fenelon, W.Herman, Gruehke, Spitzer, Knox, Boyd, Barbaro. Row 3: Erickson, Concannon, Richardson, Roseland, Woehler, Cusumano, Toney, Reccia, Jensen, R.Herman. Row 4: Stefanik, Kostovich, Tamisumas, Radosovich, Lenczewski, Jensen, Patterson, Devine, Mehlan, Jankauskas. Back row: Fernandez, Carnahan, Porebski, Rynkua, Kramer, McGrath, D'Asto, Pfeiffer, Telander, Zaidliez.

(2) TECH HIGH SCHOOL, ATLANTA, GA.—1, William Holt (95); 2, Nick Vlass (115); 3, Sam Veal (125); 4, John Garmon (135); 5, Holland (145); 6, Clarence Bryant (155); 7, Callaway Stanford (165); 8, Quentin Conway (Unlimited).

(3) GREAT FALLS (MONTANA) HIGH SCHOOL—Front row: Ke Emerson, Pahl, G.Noble, Sabo, Schile, Peck, Duley, Folsom. Row 2: Soltetz, Anderson, Laypere, Nelson, Drga, Stanfield, Olsen, Sed Paulsen. Row 3: C.Noble, Kuschel, Fenton, Rossmiller, Johnson, S vig, Aznoe, Bourne, Penland, Belter. Back row: Baldwin, Watson, nuson, Saiterwaite.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

By Frank M. Crohn, San Diego High School.

The eleventh annual Southern California interscholastic wrestling tournament was held in the gymnasium of University of California at Los Angeles, April 4, 1936. The cooperation of the U.C.L.A. officials was of great assistance to Roy H. Moore, chairman of the California Interscholastic Federation Wrestling Committee, which did an exceptionally good job of putting this meet over. The 1936 tournament, the first one put on by these C.I.F. officials, is undoubtedly the beginning of a new and very wholesome era for interscholastic wrestling in California.

San Diego High won the team championship with six firsts, two seconds and one third, Whittier High was second, and Inglewood High third. Individual winners:

95 lbs.—Machado (San Diego). 105 lbs.—Fierro (San Diego). 115 lbs.—Kimmel (San Diego). 125 lbs.—Hottenstein (San Diego). 135 lbs.—Yamasaki (San Diego). 145 lbs.—Dedmon (Whittier). 155 lbs.—Barnes (San Diego). 165 lbs.—J. Ober (Whittier). 185 lbs.—F. Ober (Whittier).

Both San Diego and Whittier High Schools have large and successful intramural tournaments annually.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN PACIFIC NORTHWEST

By William W. Foster, Camas High School.

Last season, for the first time, an effort was made to initiate a Pacific Northwest high school wrestling tournament, and it turned out to be a success from every point of view. The tournament, which was sponsored by Camas (Washington) High School, had entries from the three Northwest states—Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Practically all of the best wrestling talent from those states was present and the competition keen.

Benson Polytechnic of Portland won first places in five of the weight groups and the team championship, with 97 points. Benson also gained a leg on the Bruce E. Thurber cup, a three-year trophy. Point scores of the other competing teams were: Tacoma Lincoln 43, Portland Franklin 35, Tacoma Stadium 17, Kuna (Idaho) 16, Salem (Oregon) 15, and Camas 15. Washington School for the Blind, Oregon School for the Blind and Vancouver (Washington) High School also competed. Individual winners:

105 lbs.—Hayashi (Lincoln). 112 lbs.—Saito (Salem). 118 lbs.—Solem (Franklin). 126 lbs.—Williams (Franklin). 135 lbs.—Neilson (Benson). 145 lbs.—Berglund (Benson). 155 lbs.—Abrams (Benson). 165 lbs.—Gibson (Benson). 175 lbs.—Nicholson (Lincoln). Heavyweight—Cavagnaro (Benson).

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN OHIO

By J. W. Begala, Kent State University.

Painesville and Chardon, although not in Cleveland proper, have been showing exceptional promise for the past few years. Both are east of the city and naturally meet as many Cleveland teams as possible each year.

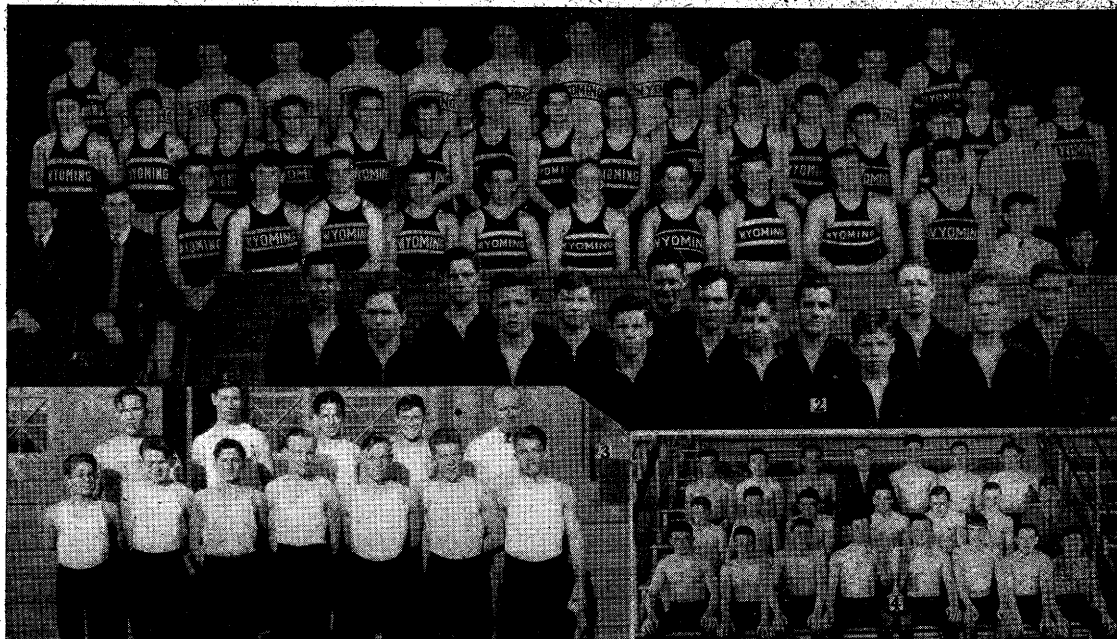
The Akron District has been enjoying a firm growth in interscholastic wrestling for the past four years. Last season was a banner one. The season was climaxed by an Akron city tournament, won by Garfield, which was well supported by the eight complete teams entered. The following high schools had wrestling teams and carried a full schedule during the season: Buchtel High, Kenmore, North, East, South, West, Goodyear, Garfield and Central.

Wadsworth High and Cuyahoga Falls have exceptionally strong teams. The latter has met defeat in a dual meet only once in three years.

Wrestling undoubtedly will be a major sport in this district within the next few years and high school coaches have proposed that Kent State University inaugurate either an annual Northeastern Ohio high school meet or a state championship tournament. It is very likely that such a competition will eventuate within the next two years. Interest in the sport already assures the success of such a meet and it also would greatly help high school wrestling in the section.

Columbus high schools held their twelfth annual city championship meet, with four teams competing and 60 entrants. West was victor, after a four-year reign by East.

Intramural activity is making marked progress. Also, in several of the Akron junior high schools wrestling fundamentals are taught during the regular physical education class periods.



(1) WYOMING SEMINARY, KINGSTON, PA.—Front row: Silversteen (Asst.Mgr.), Burke(Asst.Mgr.), Armstrong, Paskevich, Dodge, Bianco, LaTorre, Lee(Capt.), Kapec, Robinson, Zaleski, Yaple, James(Asst. Mgr.), Lurba(Asst.Mgr.). Row 2: Hartley, Donnelly, Bannevich, Storm, Polley, Zenier, Moore(Mgr.), Goodman, Symons, Saparito, Thomas, Tischler, Bevan, Nold, Kitchen, Coach W.A.Bishop, Parke. Back row: Estelle, Buntz, Barbose, Gosch, Tardoni, Chegwidan, Saylor, Troup, Pope, Gildea, Clementi, Baker, Thompson.

(2) BARIUM SPRINGS (N.C.) SCHOOL—Front row: Gaskill, Bolton, Beshears, Bosworth, B.Bosworth, Norman. Back row: L.Spencer, Elliot, Donaldson, Coach Jackins, D.Spencer, R.Spencer, Barnhill, Flowers.

(3) NORTH HIGH SCHOOL, DENVER, COLO.—Front row: Joe Harvat, Dean Haney, Tony Gravina, Wm.Gray, Raymond Reed, Donnie Winterbourne, Jack DeFeo. Back row: Robt.Maul, Joe Miner, Chas. Cash, John Kauth, Coach B.O.Moles.

(4) NORTH QUINCY (MASS.) HIGH SCHOOL, Massachusetts Inter-scholastic Champions—Front row: Tomry, Warner, Olsson, G.Cameron (Capt.), Coleman(Capt.), Hourahan, Ayles, W.Cameron. Row 2: Regan, Conroy, E.Cameron, DelGallo, J.Cameron, Pickett, DePointales (Asst.Mgr.). Back row: French, Scollin, Harding, Coach MacDonald, Orcutt, Doherty, Weden. (Shields(Mgr.) and Pope, absent).

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN PENNSYLVANIA

By Edmund Wicht, Secretary P.I.A.A.

The writer can answer only for the schools of the Pennsylvania Interscholastic A. A., of which there are 750. Of this number, 55 schools conduct programs of wrestling, an increase of 30 schools within two years that have extended their programs to include wrestling.

The number of P.I.A.A. member schools that actually participate in interscholastic wrestling, however, is not indicative of the increased interest in the sport, which has grown to such an extent that requests have been received at the P.I.A.A. office asking the Board of Control to establish definite rules governing interscholastic wrestling in Pennsylvania and provide a program of district, regional and state tournaments, and a committee was appointed to make a study of interscholastic wrestling in other member states of the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations. In the tournament held in District No. 3, which is located in Central Pennsylvania, much valuable information was obtained for the committee, while the schools that participated were enthusiastically in accord in making a request that a district tournament be again conducted this year. Two other tournaments, one in the suburban Philadelphia region and one in the Pittsburgh area, were also held. All tournaments were under the direct supervision of high school authorities and conducted in strict accordance with the regulations agreed upon by the group participating, with emphasis placed upon the necessity for protecting the health and physical welfare of the individual contestants. Although wrestling is a contact sport, it is undoubtedly one of the finest for the development of the individual athlete along lines of physical skill, mental alertness and sportsmanship.

The Board also permits district committees to conduct wrestling tournaments under Intercollegiate rules, with certain modifications made to fit the needs of high school participants.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA I. A. LEAGUE

By H. A. Fischer, Irwin, Pa.

The first season of competitive wrestling sponsored by the W.P.I.A.L., saw twenty-one schools of the district with representative teams competing in dual matches. A championship meet was held in Irwin in March, with 130 entrants for the two-day event. Canonsburg High dominated, with six firsts and two second places, for a total of 53 points. Greensburg was second, with 25, and Trafford third, with 17. Norwin had 16, Trinity 12, Blairsville 11, Kittanning 9, Carmichaels 6, Sewickley Township 3, Dormont 3, Rankin 2, Turtle Creek 1, Elizabeth 1. Bellevue, Pitcairn and Sewickley failed to score. Individual winners.

85 lbs.—Puchany (Canonsburg). 95 lbs.—Koon (Trafford). 105 lbs.—Fenton (Norwin). 115 lbs.—Blaysak (Canonsburg). 125 lbs.—Maytuf (Canonsburg). 135 lbs.—Breegle (Norwin). 145 lbs.—Chesnik (Canonsburg). 155 lbs.—Mollenaur (Canonsburg). 165 lbs.—Valla (Blairsville). Heavyweight—Paulasley (Canonsburg) (under 186).

PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

By W. Austin Bishop, Wyoming Seminary, Kingston, Pa.

The 1936 District No. 2 championship tournament, the first high school wrestling championship meet ever held in Northeastern Pennsylvania, and the second sponsored by the P.I.A.A., was held at Kingston High School, under the direction of Robert Dawson, District Chairman, and was a highly successful affair. It was regretted, however, that lack of experience deterred a number of representative local high schools from competing. Kingston won eight of the nine individual championships scheduled and the team title, with 47 points. Plains was second with 24, and Forty Fort third with 16. Individual winners in each class were as follows:

95 lbs.—Krichunas. 105 lbs.—Furtak. 115 lbs.—Edgar. 125 lbs.—Kuchinskas. 135 lbs.—Victor. 145 lbs.—Goff. 155 lbs.—Lewis (Forty Fort). 165 lbs.—Simon. 180 lbs.—Hooper.



(1) FORT DODGE (IOWA) HIGH SCHOOL—Front row: Dale Cummings, Muhl, Rhoades, Kuhn, Whinnery, Gargano, Black, Johnson, Tepfer, Bisacchi, Bales. Row 2: Staton, Thorson, W.Osmanson, Merryman, Brooks, Carlson, Merritt, Bennett, Cross, Whitted, Tuel. Row 3: Bestick (Asst. Mgr.), Heller, Williamson, Ostrem, Waful, Castagnoli, Strom, Acher, McTigue, Harris, Nemechek, Schaupp, Trauermann (Mgr.). Back row—Macek, Larson, Kehm, Rodenborn, Klinger, J.Brand, Coach Fred Cooper, L.Osmanson, Carlson, Sweeney, Wearmonth; Hart, Dean Cummings, D.Brand.

(2) UNION (N.J.) HIGH SCHOOL—Front row: Ray Thorpe, Frank McGrath, Norman Hansen, Andrew Haspel, William Severson, Charles Kees, Arthur Bond. Row 2: Coach Allan Chase, Robert Catula, Richard Bond, John Fecok, Charles Hoch, Robert Halsey, Frank Maher

(Mgr.). Back row: Ray Bamburak, Harry Morgan, George Bopp, Albert Fullwood, Leon Moorman, James Remacle.

(3) JOHN HAY HIGH SCHOOL, CLEVELAND, OHIO—Front row: Albanese (Asst. Mgr.), Beshara, Keckler, Incorvaia, McGraw, Phillips (Capt.), McNamara, Willey (Mgr.). Row 2: Coach Kester, Davis, Frantz, White, Deutchman, Mandell, Nagy. Back row: Cranford, Fazio, Stemen, Gersevic, Chojnicka, Brown, Hitesman, Taub, Gregory, Tozzer.

(4) WEST HIGH SCHOOL, COLUMBUS, OHIO—1. Coach C.C. Christman; 2. T. Hutt; 3. D. Grandstaff; 4. F. Hatfield; 5. D. Watts; 6. H. Allen; 7. D. Nolan; 8. M. Brandenberger; 9. C. Haines; 10. J. Frank; 11. J. Adams; 12. R. Wedemeyer; 13. H. Harrison.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN NEW JERSEY

By Harry E. Lake, Union, N. J.

For several years Newton was the only school to sponsor a representative team in New Jersey, although several schools promoted it on a group or interclass basis, but now the sport is being introduced on a varsity basis into many high schools of the state. In 1934 Union High School held the first N.J.I.A.A. wrestling tournament. Newton High easily won the team title and repeated in 1935. Last season saw a great deal of increased interest in wrestling. Several schools added it to their sport schedule and competition was keen. Sixteen schools entered the third annual state tournament, which Newton won for the third time, with Teaneck second, Union third, and Roselle Park and Freehold tied for fourth. So many bouts went the limit that it was decided to carry the competition over a two-day period in future tournaments.

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INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN MASSACHUSETTS

North Quincy High successfully defended its state interscholastic championship title at the tournament held at Tufts College, March 19-21, 1936, though hard pressed by a fighting Quincy High team, who had previously defeated North Quincy in a dual meet. Eleven schools participated. Four state champions were members of the Quincy High team, compared with two from North Quincy, but the second and third place totals amassed by the final winner decided the championship.

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In the fifth interscholastic meet, individual championships, for Rhode Island schools held at Brown University, Providence, on March 20, 1936, some forty boys took part. Competition was interesting and showed the progress made during the last few years in this sport by the high schools. Winners:

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WRESTLING IN THE CHICAGO PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

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(2) SAN DIEGO (CALIF.) HIGH SCHOOL—Front row: Machado, Fierro (Capt.), B.Kimmel, Hottenstein, Yamasaki, Martin, Barnes, Prevette, Schwartz. Row 2: Adair, Suarez, S.Kimmel, Negrete, Camacho, Westover, Fletcher, Mattei, Coppedge, Sumiyoshi, Ventura. Row 3: Coach Crosby, Zimmerman, Honda, Shimamoto, Burnett, Rood, Winther, Johnson, Schultz, Holmes, Scott. Back row: Cazessus, Vanderbilt, Martinez, Page, Gibbs, Nakamura, Kops, Skimin. Vreeland, Photo.

WYOMING SEMINARY, KINGSTON, PA.

The steady growth in interest in wrestling in the Wyoming Valley and North-eastern Pennsylvania generally, was again evidenced in 1936. Wyoming Seminary, at Kingston, with an eight-meet varsity schedule and regularly scheduled meets for its "B" and "C" teams, undertook the largest program. Seminary competitors included the freshman teams of Columbia, Penn State, Syracuse, Temple, Lehigh and Franklin and Marshall, while inclement weather forced the cancellation of dual meets with Cornell and the United States Military Academy plebes. In the six events contested Wyoming scored 165 points to 41 for opponents.

INTERSCHOLASTIC WRESTLING IN THE CLEVELAND DISTRICT

By Harold D. Kester.

For the past three years it has been necessary to hold elimination tournaments in the city championships because of the great number of competitors. Last season 150 boys took part in the eliminations, 40 eventually winning their way into the finals. The tournaments were featured by exceptionally good wrestling, which in many cases compared favorably with that witnessed in the high grade collegiate arena.

The whole season was especially interesting, due to the keen competition among the schools. John Hay High School of Cleveland won the district title with 10 victories and no defeats and also came out victorious with two firsts, two seconds and two thirds in the city tournament, at which the attendance was something over 3,000 paid admissions.

Much of the success in wrestling in the Cleveland district is attributable to the excellent work of two very active organizations, the Greater Cleveland Wrestling Coaches Association and the Wrestling Coaches and Officials Association. The former is an organization of active coaches who are always more than willing to work together for the advancement of wrestling. The Wrestling Coaches and Officials Association holds a clinic once a month, in which various phases of wrestling are discussed and demonstrated and each year awards a medal to the outstanding wrestler in the city tournament. Joe Incorvaia of John Hay was awarded the medal for 1936. As a result of these clinics there is excellent officiating and almost a total absence of injuries.

Individual city champions: 105 lbs.—Slopecky (Rhodes). 115 lbs.—Incorvaia (Hay). 122 lbs.—Gotoka (South). 130 lbs.—DiEdigio (Garfield). 135 lbs.—McNamara (Hay). 140 lbs.—Ertle (Chardon). 145 lbs.—Skeel (South). 155 lbs.—Hudson (Marshall). 165 lbs.—Bringman (West Tech). Unlimited—Porowski (South).

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING IN AKRON, OHIO

By F. F. Ongley, East High School.

The second annual high school tournament was held at John R. Buchtel High School March 27 and 28, 1936, under the sponsorship of the coaches of the teams entered, and under the management of F. F. Ongley of East High. Eight schools were entered as against five in the previous year. Team and individual championships were decided by the standing of the various schools at the close of the tournament, disregarding standing after dual meets. Tournament standings substantiated the results of dual meets in that the teams ended in exactly the same positions they held after dual meets. Garfield won, with 32 points; East was second, with 31 points, and Kenmore third, with 30 points. By unanimous decision of the scholastic coaches in the Akron area a slight change has been made for this season in scoring points in dual meets. Instead of 3 points for a decision, as is the custom in most leagues, only 2 points will be awarded. This method has been found to be more conducive to inspiring the boys to pin their opponents instead of merely "riding," and has done a great deal to improve the wrestling of the participants as well as in building up spectator interest. Individual champions for 1936 were:

95 lbs.—P. Weakland (East). 105 lbs.—Graham (North). 115 lbs.—Hubbard (Goodrich). 125 lbs.—Sellars (Kenmore). 135 lbs.—Sibit (Garfield). 145 lbs.—Couvδος (East). 155 lbs.—Gearhart (Garfield). 165 lbs.—Valley (Kenmore). Unlimited—Funk (Kenmore).

HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING IN NORTH CAROLINA

By R. E. Jackins, Barium Springs.

Interest in high school wrestling in North Carolina is greatly on the increase. Mount Airy, Salisbury, High Point, Thomasville, Greensboro, Durham and Barium Springs all had entries in the state meet last season, with a total of forty competitors. Barium, with a state championship high school record of three consecutive years, again won the title, with 41 points; Durham being runner-up, with 36. Barium had a perfect record for 1936, winning ten dual meets and losing none, and had four individual state champions in Gaskill, D. and R. Spencer, and Flowers. Among those that met defeat from Barium were Davidson College Freshmen and Atlanta Y.M.C.A.

Wrestling Officials

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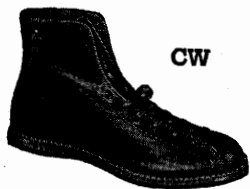
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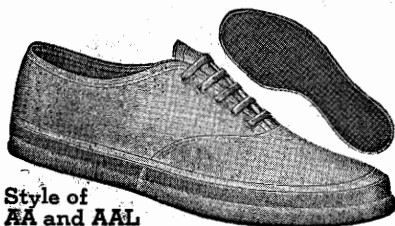


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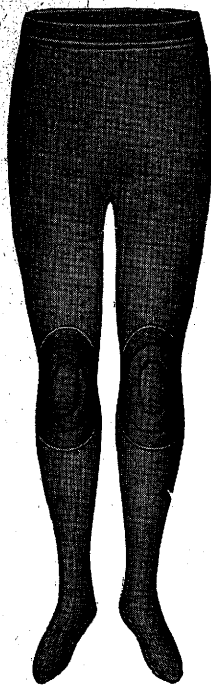
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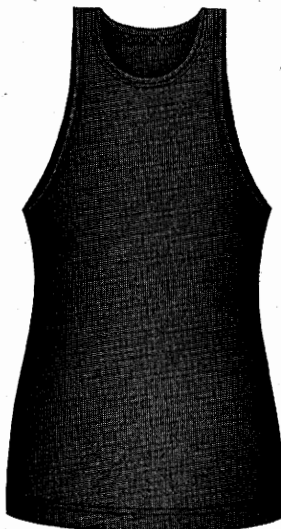
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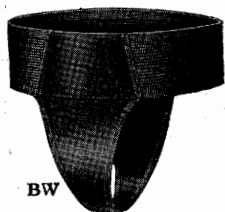
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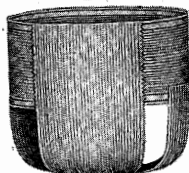
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