



COUNTY WRESTLING CHAMPIONS—These six boys were among winners in Steuben County Class B wrestling tournament Saturday at Canistota. Front (left to right)—Bernard Drak (112) of Canistota, Lawrence Travis (103) of Canistota, Walter Hamilton (95) of Savona. Back (left to right)—Ken Butler (133) of Canistota, Alan Katner (127) of Bath, DeNeil Ives (120) of Canistota.

Canisteo Wrestlers Capture Nine Steuben Championships

It came pretty close to being an unbroken parade of Canisteo winner's Saturday as schoolboy wrestling champions were crowned in Steuben County Class B.

Clarence Campbell's Canisteo kids captured 9 out of a possible 12 titles in the competition at Canisteo where big crowds looked on both in the afternoon and evening.

Fifty wrestlers from five schools competed. They were from Hammondport, Bath, Savona and Painted Post in addition to Canisteo.

Allen Katner (127 pounds) and John Hunter (175 pounds) gave Bath two crowns and Walter Hamil-

ton of Savona won in the 95-pound class. Otherwise it was a Canisteo sweep.

Bernard Drake of Canisteo won a semi-final match in 55 seconds. Harlan Cook of Canisteo (unlimited) won in the finals with a pin in 60 seconds.

Allen Katner of Bath defeated Dave Stewart of Canisteo in what was perhaps the best match of the day. The margin was 1-0.

Other Canisteo champs: Lawrence Travis, DeNeil Ives, Ken Butler, Curt Crandall, Edgar Russell, Ron Cook.

The Steuben champs will meet the Allegany County Class B champs Saturday night at Canisteo. Class A

schools of the two counties also will decide their titles Saturday at Canisteo with afternoon and evening competition.

Semi-Finals

103--Hill (H) defeated Yedinak (B).
Travis (C) defeated Cornell (PP).
112--Drake (C) defeated Scouten (PP).
Crocker (B) defeated McCann (H).
120--Ives (C) defeated Barden (PP).
Dunn (H) defeated Homes (S).
127--Stewart (C) defeated Benedict (S).
133--Butler (C) defeated Shirley (B).
Bartlett (PP) defeated Preset (S).
138--Crandall (C) defeated Dixon (B).
Ellison (PP) defeated Strait (H).
145--Russell (C) defeated Morse (S).
Neally (PP) defeated Hunt (B).
154--Campbell (C) defeated Root (B).
Potter (PP) defeated Conrad (H).

165--Cook (C) defeated Robinson (PP).
175--Shaw (C) defeated Dennison (H).
Hunter (B) defeated McAllister (PP).

Finals

95--Walter Hamilton (S) pinned Harry Hurd (C).
103--Lawrence Travis (C) pinned George Hill (H).
112--Bernard Drake (C) decisioned Dale Crocker (B).
120--DeNeil Ives (C) decisioned Billy Dunn (H).
127--Allen Katner (B) decisioned Dave Stewart (C).
133--Ken Butler (C) decisioned Stan Bartlett (PP).
138--Curt Crandall (C) decisioned Cliff Ellison (PP).
145--Edgar Russell (C) decisioned Bob Neally (PP).
154--Orville Campbell (C) decisioned Duane Potter (PP).
165--Ron Cook (C) pinned David Staets (H).
175--John Hunter (B) decisioned Arlen Shaw (C).
Unlimited--Harlan Cook (C) pinned Ralph Stinson (S).