



Holmes Fourth On State Mats

Cattaraugus' Evans Third In 123 Class

ITHACA — Jerry Holmes, 115 pound senior from Southwestern Central, concluded a very successful wrestling season with fourth in the 115-pound division of the New York State Intersectional Wrestling Tournament here Saturday.

Paul Donner, the other entry from Southwestern's once-beaten Trojans, dropped his first match. Cattaraugus, the Trojans' arch-rivals during the season, saw Dan Evans take third in his class while Larry Steinbar lost in the first round.

Section VI failed to take a first in the 104 man meet, finishing fourth among the eight section competition. Grapplers from the Ithaca area, Section IV, dominated the meet with 125 points in a walkaway.

Holmes won his first match, 5-0, decisioning Dick Argus of East Syracuse. He dropped a 13-2 decision to eventual 115 pound winner Eric Watts of Suffern, Long Island, then lost by a fall to Wayne Terry of Sidney in the consolations.

The two losses dropped Holmes' final record to 20-1-2 for the season.

Donner ended with a 13-6-2 tab, pinned by Dick Koenig of Sherburne. The bespectacled 141 pounder was a mild surprise sectional winner and genuine upset inter-class champ before being pinned right off by the state champion.

Evans, unbeaten up until his junior year and a state finalist last year, lost out 8-6 to this year's 123 pound New York State champion John Walters of Calhoun.

Evans won his opener, decisioning Walt McDougal of Mount Pleasant. After his loss to Walters he decisioned Pete Mosca from John Glenn High School, Long Island. His final tab as a senior is 20-3.

Steinbar, the only junior from the Southern Tier Wrestling Conference, lost in the first round to Mark Kenyon of South Glens Falls.

The best efforts for Western New York wrestlers were seconds by 95 pound repeater Jim Printup of Niagara - Wheatfield and 148 pound Dale Wettlaufer of Orchard Park.

INTERSECTIONAL STANDINGS	
IV (Ithaca Area)	125
VIII (Nassau County)	79
XI (Suffolk County)	63
VI (Western New York)	44
II (Capital District)	37
III (Central NY)	32
IX (Hudson Valley)	15
I (Westchester County)	0