

Geneva Wins Finger Lakes Wrestling Title

Mynderse 2nd; Penn Yan 3rd In League Test

SENECA FALLS — Geneva High's wrestling team captured the Finger Lakes wrestling championship here Saturday and placed seven men in the Section 5 quarterfinals.

Bill Brooks, Phil Choffin, Dave Moracco, Bob Pollino, Capt. Gary Cowles, Arnold Nicklin and Carl Christensen were Geneva winners while Tardelli, Ron Focht and Stahl won for Mynderse and Dean and Kenville won for Penn Yan.

These boys will meet the winners of the Monroe-Genesee-Orleans district meet in the sectional quarterfinals at Mynderse Academy, at 2 p. m., Saturday. The winners here will move to the semi-finals against the Southern Tier champions at Wellsville, Feb. 23. Finals are slated for March 2 at Rochester Institute of Technology.

Geneva won the Finger Lakes conference title with 99 points. Mynderse had 90 and Penn Yan 60.

Scoring for the team title was based on 10 points for first place, seven for second place and four for third place. An additional point was awarded for each match won by a fall.

Eliminations
103 pounds—Focht (M) pinned Hobart (PY) Time—1:26.
112—Choffin (G) decisioned Marchiondo (PY) 5-0.
120—Meeks (M) pinned Jepsen (PY) Time—1:05.
127—Turri (M) decisioned Jensen (PY) 7-4.
138—Byork (PY) decisioned Henningson (G) 3-0.
145—Defazio (G) pinned Lawrence (PY) Time—4:45.
154—Jensen (PY) pinned Scannel (M) Time—1:57.
165—Nicklin (G) pinned Heinonen (PY) Time—2:45.
175—Funk (G) pinned Uticone (M) Time—5:58.

Finals
95—Dean (PY) decisioned Diocessare (M) 5-0.
103—Brooks (G) pinned Focht (M) Time—2:45.
112—Choffin (G) decisioned Stahlnecker (M) 5-3.
120—Dave Moracco (G) decisioned Meeks (M) 5-0.
127—Pollino (G) decisioned Turri (M) 5-0.
133—Tardelli (M) decisioned Tony Moracco (G) 5-0.
138—Ron Focht (M) pinned Byork (PY) Time—3:35.
145—Stahl (M) decisioned Defazio (G) 2-0.
154—Cowles (G) decisioned Mike Jensen (PY) 7-2.
165—Nicklin (G) decisioned Crouch (M) 5-3.
175—Kenville (PY) pinned Funk (G) Time—0:32.
Unlimited Christenson (G) decisioned Bohensky (M) 10-3.

Face Rochester Here —

Hobart Returns Home, Wednesday After Losing Sixth Straight Game

CLINTON—The Hobart Statesmen return home, Wednesday, for the first time since Jan. 10.

And the season can be changed from one of futility to one of success if the locals can snap a six game losing streak against—of all teams—the University of Rochester.

Hobart stumbled to its fourth straight road loss and sixth straight defeat since the Christ-

mas holidays, Saturday night, when they dropped a tough 68-66 decision to Hamilton.

The Statesmen got off to an eight point lead midway through the first half, but then needed a 47 foot shot by Harvey Wiltsey as the buzzer sounded to carry a 34-32 edge into the dressing room at halftime.

Hamilton pulled into a three point lead early in the second half and maintained a 1-3 point

advantage through most of the game until the Statesmen pulled ahead, 66-55 with a minute to play.

But after a jump ball, John Glezen came up with the tap and scored on a jump shot. A free throw later doomed the Genevans to their sixth straight setback.

Hobart now has a 3-7 record. Their last win was a 49-47 upset decision over the University of Buffalo, giving them a 3-1 mark at the Christmas break.

Art Lambert was the big man for the Statesmen, leading the team in scoring with 17 points and in rebounding with 15.

Gary Mendez had 16 points while Wiltsey and Bob Wetzel had 13.

Eric Hasseltine and Glezen paced the Continentals with 26 and 20 points respectively.

Hobart made only four free throws, but only four fouls were called against Hamilton and the Statesmen converted four of seven charity attempts.

The Hobart freshmen won the preliminary game, a 63-38 decision over Hamilton's frosh. Bob Masteller with 22 points and Joe Castenaro with 12 points, paced the young Statesmen.

The box score:
HOBART (66)
Wetzel 5 3 13
Lambert 8 1 17
Mendez 8 0 16
Wiltsey 7 0 14
Howard 1 0 2
Merle 2 0 4
Totals 31 4 66
Score at halftime: Hobart 34, Hamilton 32.

HAMILTON (68)
Glezen 7 6 20
Alofs 5 1 11
Hasseltine 12 2 26
O'Brien 1 2 4
Driscoll 2 0 4
Purple 1 1 3
Totals 28 12 68
Score at halftime: Hobart 34, Hamilton 32.

Waterloo vs. Lyons —

GHS Hosts Mynderse; Saints Visit Canandaigua, Tuesday

The Geneva High Panthers can move into the lead for the Finger Lakes District Class AA struggle for the Section 5 playoff berth, Tuesday night, when they entertain Mynderse Academy of Seneca Falls at the De Sales gym.

This is the only Wayne-Finger Lakes conference struggle that has a bearing on sectional berths, and the Panthers, who have been running hot for the past three games, will have to keep the streak going for the entire week.

After the Mynderse game, the Genevans travel to Waterloo, Friday, where they can virtually sew up the Class AA title by beating the Indians, who lead the conference.

Geneva will be heavily favored Tuesday, but Coach Guy Spader is expected to warn his Panthers that they were lucky to escape with a 58-51 decision in their last meeting with Mynderse and that it is best to keep their eyes on the game at hand than to think ahead to Friday.

Geneva currently holds second place with a 7-3 record, but it is a precarious perch with both Lyons and Newark only a game behind.

Amerks Gain Split AHL Race Tightens

By The Associated Press
The Providence Reds still hold their slim first-place lead in the American Hockey League but the action is getting plenty rough and from here on it could be a real scramble for the playoff positions. Only seven points separate the first four clubs.

The Reds fought through a

Lyons can do the Panthers some good Tuesday, if they can topple Waterloo. The league leading Indians have a 9-1 record which puts them two games ahead of Geneva. A combination of a Geneva win and a Waterloo loss would make Friday's struggle double-meaningful with first place in the conference at stake as well as Geneva's hopes of practically sewing up the Class AA title.

In their first meeting, Waterloo racked up an 87-68 decision over Lyons on the Waterloo gym floor.

In other games, Newark travels to Penn Yan where the host Mustangs hope to recover from their loss to Geneva last Friday. It's a must game for Penn Yan if the Academy five figures to get back into the first division. Newark, tied with Lyons for third, has a 6-4 win while Penn Yan, tied for fifth, has a 5-5 mark.

The final game of the evening sends the De Sales Saints to Canandaigua. The Saints are still looking for conference win number two while Canandaigua, in the same boat with Penn Yan needs the win to stay in the first division swim.

Phelps, Naples Continue B-C-D Stretch Drive

With Phelps and Naples having sewn up the Class B and C Finger Lakes district basketball races for the Section 5 berths, attention again focuses on the conference race.

Phelps continues to hold the

Penn Yan Cagers Win 71-49 Game Over Holy Family

AUBURN — Using their height to good advantage, the Penn Yan Academy Mustangs broke out with a 26 point third period splurge to down Holy Family, 71-49, in a non-conference basketball game, here Saturday.

Ralph Kenville, who set the scoring pace for the Mustangs with 20 points, led the third period assault with 12 points as Penn Yan increased its halftime lead from 29-22 to 55-31 at the end of three periods.

Larry Long with 13 points and Benny Ridley and Dick Anderson with 12 points each, joined Kenville for Mustang scoring honors. Cuddy of Holy Family with 23 points took scoring honors for the night.

The Mustangs, who feature a starting lineup with four men over six-foot, commanded the backboards throughout against a team that had only one man as tall as six-foot.

The box score:
PENN YAN (71)
Ridley 6 0 12
Long 5 3 13
Anderson 6 0 12
Kenville 10 0 20
Killian 1 0 2
Reed 2 3 7
Elghmey 0 3 3
Seager 0 0 0
Woolever 1 0 2
Rogers 0 0 0
McInerney 0 0 0
Totals 31 9 71
Score at halftime: Penn Yan 29, Holy Family 22.

HOLY FAMILY (49)
Cuddy 7 9 23
Samra 2 3 7
Hawelka 2 6 10
Bachman 1 0 2
Green 1 3 5
Stelgerwald 1 0 2
Totals 14 21 49
Score at halftime: Penn Yan 29, Holy Family 22.

SOUTHWEST
Texas Tech 68, Southern Methodist 67
Rice 90, Texas Christian 79
Texas 95, Baylor 68
Arkansas 63, Texas A&M 46

GHS Mermen Edge Hornell For First Win

HORNELL — Geneva High's mermen broke into the victory column for the first time this season, Saturday, and they did it the hard way.

The Panthers won both relay events and did it with only half the squad present to squeeze to a 39-38 decision over Hornell.

In earlier meets, the Genevans lost when they were unable to come up with a double win in the relays. But this time, the Genevans took an early half lap lead in the medley relay and held on for a six inch victory. Then Geneva got a good anchor lap from Ron Calantano to win by inches in the free style relay.

In the final and deciding event the freestyle, the race was even. Anchormen Celentano and Boyce of Hornell got off evenly but Celentano inched ahead at the turn and held the lead in win.

The summary:
40 yd. freestyle—Won by Celentano (G) 2. Clancey (H) 3. Boyce (H) Time—0:24.9.
100 yd. breaststroke—Won by Warder (G) 2. Mead (H) 3. Payson (G) Time—1:27.7.
200 yd. freestyle—Won by Oaks (H) 2. Wilkinson (G) 3. Ansley (G) Time—2:30.3.
100 yd. backstroke—Won by Mills (H) 2. Kirby (G) 3. Cregan (H) Time—1:22.1.
Diving—Won by McHale (H) 2. Green (G) Przeg (H)
Individual Medley—Won by Tsubulak (H) 2. Cortese (H) 3. Phillips (G) Time—1:52.3.
Medley Relay—Won by Geneva (Kirby, Payson, Warder, Benedict). Time—2:07.
Freestyle Relay—Won by Geneva (Celentano, Green, Ansley, Wilkinson) Time—1:49.4.

Hobart Hosts Rochester —

Colgate Eyes Upset Over Syracuse

By The Associated Press
Colgate University's basketball team stands a chance of pulling a big upset next weekend.

The Red Raiders meet arch-rival Syracuse, one of the best teams upstate, Saturday night.

Another top-rated club, Canisius, takes on St. Bonaventure the same night for the second time this season.

Syracuse and Canisius emerged victorious in Saturday night contests. The Orange nipped Army in the closing seconds 74-72 on Gary Clark's jump shot. Canisius topped Manhattan 75-67.

Other Saturday night scores: LeMoyné 7, St. Francis (Brook-

Tech 74 Buffalo Teachers 61; Cortland Teachers 76 Hofstra 53; Brockport Teachers 67; Genesee 83 Harpur 72; Erie County Tech 7 Fredonia Teachers 69.

The Cornell-Penn and St. Bonaventure-St. Peter's games were wiped out by bad weather in New Jersey.

St. Bonaventure played yesterday in Pennsylvania and dropped an 83-75 decision to Gannon.

So far this season, Syracuse has won 113 games and lost three. Colgate's record is 12-8.

The week's schedule:
Monday — Regis at Niagara Baldwin Wallace at Buffalo Teachers.

Tuesday — Williams at Siena;

Teachers; Rochester at Hobart Canisius at Seton Hall.

Thursday—Rensselaer Polytechnic at Middlebury; Potsdam Teachers at Oswego Teachers Niagara vs. St. Johns at Madison Square Garden; Harpur at Utica.

Friday—Union at Norwich (Vt) St. Lawrence at Alfred; Thiel at Buffalo Teachers.

Saturday — Union at Vermont Albany Teachers at New Britain (Conn.) State; Rensselaer Polytechnic at Hamilton; Syracuse at Cogatel; St. Lawrence at Hobart Cornell at Yale; Utica at Clarkson; Oneonta Teachers at New Paltz Teachers; Roberts Wesleyan at Potsdam Teachers; Cortland