

Bill Acomb Loses Bid For Sectional Mat Title

Dansville's Bill Acomb lost out in the semi-final round of the Section V "A" wrestling championships Saturday at Monroe County Community College.

The veteran matman lost by decision to Art Killings of Rochester's Edison High who went on to win the championship and the super-sectional round staged to determine State Meet entries for the competition this weekend in Syracuse.

Acomb earned a semi-final berth by gaining a 6-3 decision over Bruce Hadsell of Canandaigua in the elimination Friday night at Geneseo State University College which saw two other Dansville wrestlers defeated. In the 132-lb division Randy

In the 132-lb. division, Randy Pike lost a decision to Warren Stumpf of Rush-Henrietta. Stumpf also went on to win the "A" sectional title and the super crown which sends him to Syracuse.

Al Hettrick, a mainstay on the DCHS squad all year, dropped a decision to Dave Colt of Canandaigua in the 167-lb. division.

There was one real bright star in the Livingston County wrestling picture, however, as Nunda's Dwight Cartwright

Three Teams Struggle For Top in 'A' League

Only two games separate the top three teams in the battle for the second, half Men's "A" League championship.

After Monday night's matches

R. Bonner, 206; D. Donovan, 202; R. Burger, 214; L. VanDurme, 207; A. Edwards, 254; P. Hoffman, 200, 207; R. Fox, 222; G. Miller, 203; J. Leyden, 201, 211; J. Ouinlan, 208; E. captured the Section V "B" crown and went on to pin Dwight Wilcox of Rochester's Madison High in the super-sectional round of the 177-lb, class.

In sweeping and gaining a bid to the Syracuse matches, Cartwright extended his undefeated record this season. And in doing so, he turned back the Madison performer who had been hailed as the best in the area last year and this.

The Nunda youth also was voted the "Plaque of Distinction" awarded for outstanding performance each year by Section V referees as a memorial to the late John Ordiway who was an official as well as wrestling coach.

Ordiway was head wrestling coach and football line coach in Dansville before going to Pittsford where he established a varsity football program. Before his untimely death, he had established himself as one of the top wrestling officials in Section V.