

Turner Brothers, Madison Team Gain Mat Crowns

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The Turner brothers—Franklin High's 123-pound John and Monroe's 115-pound Willie—scored victories last night at East High in the Interscholastic League Wrestling Tournament, and John emerged from the two-day competition with the outstanding wrestler trophy for having taken his third city championship.

Madison High's regular-season league champs had four individual titlists and a winning tournament total of 119 points to Edison Tech's 77 and Franklin's 61. Monroe finished with 49 points, Jefferson 47, East 42, Marshall 27, West 12 and Charlotte 2.

John Turner, city and Section 5 champ at 103 pounds in 1964 and a repeater at both spots in 1965 as a 115-pounder, set the stage for another sweep with his impressive victory at 123 pounds. He roared through to the finals last night only to face tough Tom Battaglia at East, a stumbling block to the Interscholastic crown.

Battaglia battled Turner to a 5-5 deadlock in regulation, but the Quaker mat star gained an advantage in the first overtime period and made it pay off with a pin at 24 seconds of the second extra session, scheduled for one minute.

Willie Turner swept all opponents at 115 pounds to join his brother in the championship circle.

Madison champs were 106-pound Sam Dade; 136-pound Robert Perry (a winner at 141 last year); 141-pound Lyonel Day and heavyweight Curtis McLilly.

Franklin's Phil Nuciola scored a second straight title at 235 pounds, Edison's Casper Pizzo repeated at 183 and Jeff's Lou Masi won at 130 pounds after winning at 123 a season ago.

Other Edison titlists were Ray Mondschein at 148 pounds and Tom Cannarozzo at 157. Forrest Slater of Franklin was the 98-pound survivor and Monroe's Mel Washington won at 168. Washington beat Madison's Art Collier in the finals in a battle of unbeaten wrestlers.

The 13 city winners represent

the Interscholastic League in the Section 5 Tournament Saturday, Feb. 26 at Penn Yan.

Yesterday's complete results:

Semifinals

98-pound class—Forest Slater (Fr) dec. William Tharrett (Mon), 2-1; Ernie Smith (East) pinned Henry LaMay (Mad) 3:12.
106—Sam Dade (Mad) dec. George Pelsos (East), 14-3; Jerald Hill (Fr) dec. Larry Lloy (Mar), 10-4.
115—Willie Turner (Mon) dec. Pancho Mendoza (West), 9-2; Bob Malara (Ed) dec. Joe Conley (Mad), 14-3.
123—John Turner (Fr) dec. Joe Masi (Jeff), 12-2; Jerry Dixon (Mad) dec. Nell Fountaine (Ed), 8-2.
130—John Spencer (Mon) pinned Paris Moxley (Mad) 4:20; Lou Masi (Jeff) dec. William Anthony (Mar), 6-1.
136—Robert Perry (Mad) won by default over Dan Sturm (Ed); Tom Battaglia (East) pinned Gary Giannone (Jeff) 0:39.
141—Lyonel Day (Mad) pinned Glen Edwards (West) 3:20; Doug Rhodes (East) dec. Mike Swartz (Fr), 6-3.
148—Ray Mondschein (Ed) dec. John Shanley (E), 5-0; Robert Rosler (Mad) won referee's dec. over Robert Morrell (Fr).
157—Tom Cannarozzo (Ed) won by disqualification over Marv Swartz (Fr); Al Craver (Mar) dec. James Ellis (Mad), 3-2.
168—Art Collier (Mad) pinned Marc Petrillo (Jeff) 4:21; Mel Washington (Mon) dec. Jim LaMoglia (Ed), 12-3.
183—Casper Pizzo (Ed) dec. Dean Skiff (East), 6-0; Howard Griffin (Mad) dec. Ralph Rinaudo (Jeff), 7-0.
225—Phil Nuciola (Fr) pinned Don Woods (Mar) 4:35; Andy Pilato (Jeff) pinned John Maloney (East) 2:17.
Unlimited—Dave Scott (Mon) pinned Frank Bianchi (Jeff) 1:35; Curtis McLilly (Mad) pinned Bill Flood (East) 1:54.

Consolations

98—LaMay dec. Tharrett, 5-1; 106—Lloy pinned Pelsos 4:14; 115—Conley dec. Mendoza, 3-2; 123—Fountaine dec. Masi, 12-7; 130—Moxley dec. Anthony, 3-1; 136—Sturm dec. Giannone, 8-0; 141—Edwards dec. Swartz, 6-1; 148—Morrell by forfeit over Shanley; 157—Ellis dec. Swartz, 5-0; 168—LaMoglia pinned Petrillo 3:26; 183—Rinaudo won by forfeit over Skiff; 225—Woods dec. Maloney, 5-3; unlimited—Bianchi pinned Flood 1:54.

Finals

98—Slater dec. Smith, 8-0; 106—Dade dec. Hill, 14-3; 115—W. Turner dec. 7-2; 123—J. Turner pinned Dixon 0:24 of second overtime; 130—Masi dec. Spencer, 8-0; 136—Perry pinned Battaglia 3:08; 141—Day dec. Rhodes, 13-0; 148—Mondschein dec. Rosler, 8-2; 157—Cannarozzo dec. Craver, 12-2; 168—Washington dec. Collier, 8-5; 183—Pizzo pinned Griffin 5:23; 225—Nuciola pinned Pilato 3:08; unlimited—McLilly dec. Scott, 7-4.

Palinski Paces Siena Past Kinas, 81-69

ALBANY (AP)—Mark Palinski pumped in 23 points to lead Siena to an 81-69 basketball victory here last night against Kings of Pennsylvania. The victory was the fourth for Siena in 16 games.

Kings was led by Tom Hamim and Don Roberts, who each hit for 16 points.