

# Bean and Dugan repeat as mat champions



EMPORIUM — Bradford High School's Jeff Bean and Moshannon Valley's Mark Dugan took home first place trophies for the second straight year after winning their championship matches in the 5th annual Cameron County High School Holiday Wrestling Tournament here Thursday night.

Bean, who this year moved up to 112 pounds, posted a 6-2 decision over Coudersport High School's Tim Houghtaling, while Dugan, who also moved up, but to 126, pinned Dick Betts of Falconer (N.Y.) Central School in 1:33.

Bean is now 8-0 on the season, while Dugan, who is also a defending state champion from last

year, pushed his mark to 9-0-1. Dugan won four matches, as did Bean in the tournament, one via a pin and three by superior decisions, including a 42 point performance against an early opponent.

This year's 12 reigning tournament champions finished with a combined record of 96 victories, one loss and one tie.

Taking the team championship trophy was Falconer (N.Y.) Central School, which piled up 151½ points. The team finished with two champions, Steve Moore at 138 pounds and Mike Garvey at 167. Falconer also had one consolation winner.

Second place went to Moshannon Valley with 112½ points.

Dugan led the charge along with his brother, Matt, who wrestles one weight heavier at 132. Mo Valley also picked up a third place winner.

Clearfield High School claimed third prize with 108½ points, the Bisons failing to win a weight title, but picking up points in earlier rounds.

Johnsonburg High School's Rams grabbed fourth place, led by three weight class champions. Jim Howard got things started with the first place finish at 98 pounds. Teammate Troy Caldwell followed at 105 and Rick DeLong closed out at 145 pounds.

Roundigng out the top five team finishers was Ridgway with 98 points. The Elkers had two weight champions with John Cappiello at 119 pounds and Curt Olson at heavyweight.

Other finishers in order included Coudersport with 74 points, Kane with 69, Bradford High with 66, Port Allegany with 56, Cameron County with 50, Elk Christian with 37, Portville Central with 36, Smethport with 19, Northern Potter with 6½, St. Marys High with 2 and Bolivar Central with no points.

The Bradford Owls, who were officially 8th among the 16 teams, in addition to getting the first place finish out of Bean, got runner-up points from Doug Austin at heavyweight, who dropped a close 4-2 match to Curt Olson of Ridgway, and Bob Wagner, who won his 138 pound consolation match.

This year's tournament was the biggest in the five year history of the event.

Championship match results and consolation results follow:

## FINALS

98 lbs. — Jim Howard (Johns) decisoned Dan Mallin (MV), 1-0.

105 lbs. — Troy Caldwell (Johns) decisoned Dave Lapp (Port Alleg.), 6-1.

112 lbs. — Jeff Bean (Bradford) decisoned Tim Houghtaling (Coudy), 6-2.

119 lbs. — John Cappiello (Ridgway) pinned Jerry Schickling (Clear), 5:24.

## Punxsy bombs Duquesne

PUNXSUTAWNEY — With six players scoring in double figures the host Punxsutawney High Chucks bombed Duquesne 99-61 in first round action of the Punxsutawney Holiday Basketball Tournament here Thursday night.

The Chucks, 5-1, will meet Somerset, a 72-71 victor over Marion Center, in the championship game which begins at 8:30 p.m. Duquesne and Marion Center will meet in the 7 p.m. consolation game.

126 lbs. — Mark Dugan (MV) pinned Dick Betts (Falconer), 1:33.

132 lbs. — Matt Dugan (MV) decisoned Mike Faulkner (Portville), 16:14.

138 lbs. — Steve Moore (Falconer) decisoned Bob Vaughn (Kane) 4-3.

145 lbs. — Rick DeLong (Johns.) pinned M ke Walker (Falconer), 3:40.

155 lbs. — Terry Holland (Coudy) decisoned Ron Smith (Clear), 9-3.

167 lbs. — Mike Garvey (Falconer) decisoned Irv Malcarne (Ridgway), 12-6.

185 lbs. — Rich Karns (Kane) major decisoned Dave Walker (Falconer), 10-0.

Heavyweight — Curt Olson (Ridgway) decisoned Doug Austin (Bradford), 4-2.

## CONSOLATIONS

98 lbs. — Larry Blankenship (Kane) major decisoned Ken Horning (Cameron County), 9-1.

105 lbs. — Kevin Olinger (Smethport) superior decisoned Paul Moore (Falconer), 12-0.

112 lbs. — Jim Hackett (Elk Chris-

tian) decisoned Mike Shaffer (Clear) in Overtime 2-0.

119 lbs. — Bob Betts (Falconer) decisoned Greg Snyder (Coudy), 6-2.

126 lbs. — Bart Nelson (John) decisoned Tim Skruha (Ridgway), 6-5.

132 lbs. — Greg Little (Cameron County), decisoned Terry Martin (Coudy), 4-0.

138 lbs. — Bob Wagner (Bradford) decisoned Morey Robinson (Port Alleg.), 9-3.

145 lbs. — Dan Bailey (Clear) decisoned Jim Flusarick (Cameron County), 5-0.

155 lbs. — Tim Brem (ECCH) decisoned Dan Thomas (Falconer), 8-2.

167 lbs. — Crash Cutler (Clear) pinned Mark Miller (Portville), 2:05.

185 lbs. — Terry Davies (MV) pinned Terry Freeman (Port Alleg.), 4:42.

Heavyweight — Don Robbins (Clear) pinned Ed Davies (MV), 2:26.

## Port Allegany tournament

# Ridgway defended

PORT ALLEGANY — Led by three All-Tournament Team selections, Ridgway defended its Port Allegany Holiday Basketball Tournament title with a 62-50 victory over host Port Allegany in the championship game Thursday evening.

Ridgway, which defeated Port Allegany 62-59 last year to claim the championship, placed Kevin Oknefski, Doug Harris and Ken Hoff on this year's All-Tournament Team, the trio being joined by Kirk Binder and Don Barnard of Port Allegany and Kevin Nichols, of third place Cowanesque Valley, which defeated Smethport 53-50 in Thursday's consolation game.

Ron Casky, Port Allegany head coach, remarked following the championship contest, "we couldn't handle their press in the second quarter and that's what hurt."

Port had gone in front 16-11 in the first quarter, before Ridgway went into its second quarter press and outscored the Gators 21-11 to take a 32-27 halftime advantage.

Ridgway's Elkers maintained their command in the third period, outscoring Port Allegany 12-6, before icing the win with an 18-17 fourth quarter advantage.

Harris' 22 points, along with Oknefski's 20, led Ridgway, as Barnard hit for 18 to lead Port Allegany, Steve Herger adding 14 and Binder 11 for the Gators.

Smethport, which finished third in last year's event, held a 12-11 first quarter lead, before Cowanesque Valley came back to take a 29-24 halftime lead with an 18-12 scoring edge in the second period.

In the second half, Cowanesque Valley outscored Smethport 11-10 in the third quarter, the Hubbers closing to within three with a 16-13 scoring edge in the final period.

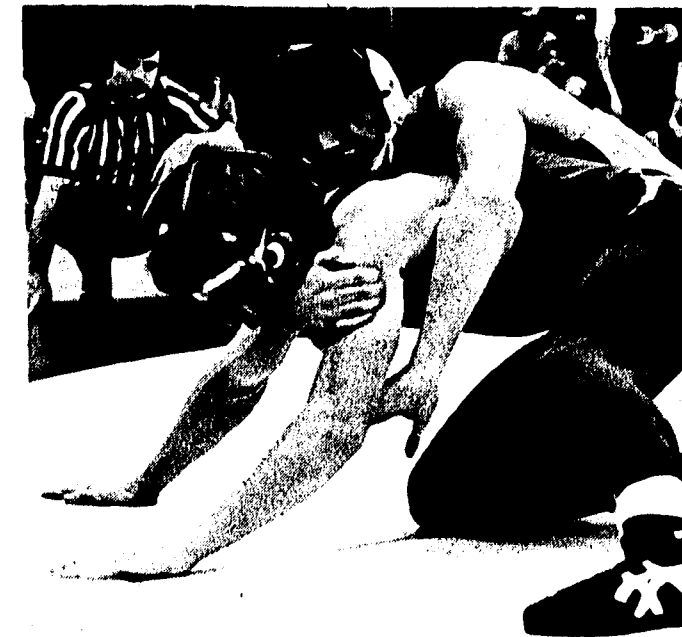
Commenting on the game, Smethport Coach Denny Maynard said, "we took some bad shots, we didn't get into our offense."

Kevin Nichols' 27 points, along with Kris Reimann's 11, led Cowanesque Valley, while Rob Gault's 18 and George Hungville's 10 led Smethport's scoring.



**PRESSURE** — Johnsonburg High School's Troy Caldwell applies pressure to the head of his 105 pound opponent, Dave Lapp of Port Allegany, during their championship match in the Cameron County Holiday Wrestling Tournament. Caldwell eventually went on to win the match on a 6-1 decision.

(Ronald Kloss photo)



**CONCENTRATION** — Jeff Bean, Bradford High School's unbeaten 112-pounder is momentarily tied up by Coudersport's Tim Houghtaling during their championship match Thursday night in

(Ronald Kloss photo)

## ECCH and Academy to meet for crown

ST. MARYS — Elk Christian and Erie Academy, following opening game victories Thursday, advanced to the championship contest of the first Elk Christian Holiday Classic, which will conclude here tonight.

In Thursday's first game, Rob Carter dumped in 22 points to lead Erie Academy past Hollidaysburg 83-48, while host Elk Christian held off a late Moniteau rally to post a narrow 56-54 decision.

Today, Hollidaysburg and Moniteau will clash at 6:30 p.m. in the consolation game, while Erie Academy and Elk Christian collide at 8 p.m. in the championship game.

Along with Carter's 22 points, Larry Joyce hit for 18 and Fred Martin added 15 as Academy extended a 21-10 first quarter lead into a 44-22 halftime advantage.

The Lions then came back to outscore Hollidaysburg 21-15 in the third quarter and 18-11 in the final stanza for the victory, as Bruce Gwin's 16 points led the losers' scoring.

Elk Christian, trailing Moniteau by one, 15-14, at the end of the first quarter and by three, 27-24, at the half, held a slim one point, 40-39, lead after the third period. Then, in the

fourth quarter, the Crusades, who went to 8-1 with the victory, outscored Moniteau 16-15 for the final 56-54 verdict.

Matt Herzing pumped in 14 points, as Randy Dacanal hit for 13 and Joe Martin added 12 for the winning Elk squad, while Grossman's 30, along with Sloan's 12, paced Moniteau.

ERIE ACADEMY (83)				
	FG	FM	FA	T
Carter	11	0	0	22
Thomas	1	0	0	2
Hazelett	1	0	0	2
Kimmel	1	0	0	2
Martin	6	3	4	15
Joyce	7	4	6	18
Quinn	3	2	2	8
Page	4	0	0	8
Henderson	3	0	2	6
Totals	37	9	14	83

HOLLIDAYSBURG (48)				
	FG	FM	FA	T
Stubbs	1	0	0	2
Gwin	5	6	7	16
Facht	3	1	2	7
Griffith	4	0	0	8
Delozier	2	1	1	5
Geldea	2	0	0	4
Benton	1	0	0	2
Boland	1	0	0	2
Dandrea	1	0	0	2
Totals	20	8	11	48

By Periods:				
Erie Academy	21	23	21	18-83
Hollidaysburg	10	12	15	11-48

ELK CHRISTIAN (56)				
	FG	FM	FA	T
Lenze	2	2	4	6
Martin	6	0	0	12
Uberti	1	0	2	2
Dacanal	6	1	3	13
Herzing	7	0	2	14
Bauer	4	1	2	9
Totals	26	4	13	56

MONITEAU (54)				
	FG	FM	FA	T
Brown	1	0	0	2
Sloan	6	0	0	12
Grossman	14	2	5	30
Muscattello	2	0	1	4
Prokay	2	2	3	6
Totals	25	4	9	54

By Periods:				
Elk Christian	14	10	16	16-56
Moniteau	15	12	12	15-54

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