

WESTERN WRESTLERS WIN FROM EASTERN ENTRIES

Harvard Loses Twice to Penn State, Stella Of Tufts Beats Klein—Axford of Tech Defeats Adair

STATE COLLEGE, Penn, March 29 (A. P.)—A crew of heavy-muscled youngsters from points West and South took good firm holds on the prime college wrestlers of the East tonight and all but swept them from the annual National Collegiate Association tournament.

Out of a field of over 90 agile youths, many of them from the leading colleges of the East, only two from New England remained in the running for championships in eight classes after 46 preliminary bouts that turned the spacious gym at Penn State into a whirling panorama of arms and legs and flying bodies during the hectic scrimmaging of the opening day. There were two more from the South, the remains of the Virginia Military Institute entry, while all the rest came from points West—mostly Oklahoma.

Neck and Neck

Battling neck and neck for the team title, the grapplers of Oklahoma University and Oklahoma Aggies between them grabbed nine of the 32 places in the semifinals to be staged here tomorrow afternoon. The university had a slight edge on the Aggies, five to four, and are favored to win the crown the Southwest farmer boys are defending.



FRANK STELLA

Tufts Captain Still in Running for N. C. A. A. 125-Pound Class Wrestling Title.

Three champions came through in successful defense of their titles, Joe Sepora of Illinois leading the way in the 115-pound class, while Lawrence Mantooth of Oklahoma University found ordinary opposition among the 126-pounders, and Earl McCready, unlimited class title-holder from the Oklahoma Aggies, scored a quick fall to win his only bout.

The East failed to win a single bout in 24 quarterfinal bouts tonight, but the scarcity of opposition in the 115 and 125-pound classes, staged this afternoon, gave Robert B. Axford of Massachusetts Institute of Technology a quick trip to the 115-pound semifinals, and Frank Stella of Tufts jumped into the same status with one 125-pound victory.

Illinois Has Four In

The University of Illinois qualified four men for the semifinals along with the Oklahoma Aggies, while Northwestern, Iowa State, Kansas State, the University of Michigan, and Virginia Military in the South counted two apiece.

Single entries remain for Chicago, M. I. T., Tufts, Cornell College, Iowa, Kansas University, Oklahoma State Teachers' College, Indiana, Missouri and Ohio State. The summary:

FIRST ROUND

115-Pound Class—Robert B. Axford, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, defeated Robbin Adair, Rochester, Mechanics Institute, decision. Time advantage, 6:15.

125-Pound Class—Frank Stella of Tufts College, defeated Arthur Klein, Harvard, decision. Time advantage 5:49.

135-Pound Class—Hugh Linn, Iowa State, threw Grant E. Stein, Penn State, 7:55.

Norman Stoner, Michigan State, threw Robert Kent, Rochester Mechanics Institute, 7:19.

Sherman Stevenson, Oklahoma Aggies, won decision over Ralph G. Anderson, Brown University. Time advantage, 1:50.

145-Pound Class

Hardie Lewis, Oklahoma University, de-

feated Arlie Tomlinson, Oklahoma Aggies, decision. Time advantage 7:14.

Bliss P. Sargeant, Lafayette, defeated Merrill G. Marshall, Michigan State, decision. Time advantage 2:47.

Richard Cole, Iowa State, defeated John N. Cooper, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, decision. Time advantage 5:43.

W. Dyer, Chicago University, threw Karl Kaiser, Penn State, in 6:31.

175-Pound Class

Allan R. Cochrane, U. of Kansas, threw Kenneth Jones, Rochester, Mechanics Institute, in 7:14.

Paul M. Long, Pennsylvania State, defeated Peter Minasian, Tufts College, decision. Time advantage 2:20.

Elton Eubanks, Oklahoma U., defeated Arthur Stejskal, Kent State College, Kent, O., decision. Time advantage 1:23.

J. Vonrobins, Missouri U., defeated Charles D. Newhart, Harvard, decision. Time advantage 5:04.

QUARTERFINAL

135-Pound Class

Hugh Linn, Iowa State, defeated Norman Stoner, Michigan State, decision. Time advantage, 9:10.

Joe Fickel, Kansas City, threw Edwin P. Belshaw, Indiana U., in 5:59.

Lewis Bauerle, Illinois, defeated Sherman Stevenson, Oklahoma A. and M., decision. Time advantage, 8:02.

George B. Field, Virginia Military Institute, defeated William Anderson, Syracuse, Time advantage, 2:47.

145-Pound Class

Hardie Lewis, Oklahoma U., defeated A. H. Campbell, Illinois, decision. Time advantage, 5:40.

Richard Cole, Iowa State, defeated Bliss P. Sargeant, Lafayette, decision. Time advantage, 5:21.

W. Dyer, Chicago U., defeated Elmer Carpenter, Syracuse, decision. Time advantage, 3:43.

Robert Garrigan, Northwestern University, threw Gomer Stelljes, Mechanics Institute, Rochester, N. Y., in 3:51.

165-Pound Class

Woods G. Talman, Virginia Military Institute, defeated Cecil Cree, Waynesburg College, decision. Time advantage, 6:45.

Philip Berry, Oklahoma University, defeated Leroy McGurk, Oklahoma A. and M., decision, two extra periods.

Otto Kelley, University of Michigan, defeated George Whitney, Mechanics Institute, decision. Time advantage, 6:29.

Bryan Watkins, Oklahoma State Teachers, defeated Wilbur Juhl, Iowa State, decision, one extra 3m period.

165-Pound Class

Gene Tonkoff, Illinois, defeated Curtis Turner, Oklahoma University, decision. Time advantage 5m 27s.

Jack Vanbebber, Oklahoma A. and M., defeated Joseph Solano, Harvard, decision. Time advantage 6m 7s.

Steven Church, Kansas University, defeated Samuel E. McCray, Virginia Military Institute, decision. Time advantage 5m 47s.

George H. Belshaw, Indiana, defeated Charles Calla, Mechanics Institute, decision. Time advantage 9m 18s.

175-Pound Class

Conrad Caldwell, Oklahoma Aggies, defeated Floyd Helgersok, Ohio State, decision. Time advantage 2m 52s.

Elton Eubank, Oklahoma University, defeated Paul Strong, Penn State, decision, 26 seconds advantage, two overtime periods.

Von Robbin, Missouri University, defeated Allen A. Cochrane, University of Kansas, decision, 54 seconds advantage in two overtime periods.

Alfred Steinke, University of Michigan, defeated Bernard Levine, West Virginia, decision. Time advantage 6m 4s.

Unlimited Class

Lloyd Burdick, Illinois, threw Ralph Dudley, Mechanics Institute, Rochester, N. Y., in 4:32.

Earl McCready, Oklahoma Aggies, threw Paul Ahearn, Syracuse, in 1:56.

Hugh Errington, Kansas State, threw Thomas Boyd, Waynesburg, in 1:09.

Russell Fairall, Ohio State, defeated M. Sonderby, Chicago, decision. Time advantage, 6:02.