

31st NCAA Wrestling Tournament
3/23/1961 to 3/25/1961 at Oregon State

1961

Team Champion Oklahoma State - 82 Points

Outstanding Wrestler: Gray Simons - Lock Haven

Gorriaran Award: Ted Ellis - Oklahoma State

Top Ten Team Scores Number of Individual Champs in parentheses.

1 Oklahoma State	82 (2)	6 Lehigh	24
2 Oklahoma	63 (2)	7 Penn State	20
3 Iowa State	29 (1)	7 Michigan State	20 (1)
4 Oregon State	28 (1)	9 Northern Iowa	19
5 Pittsburgh	26 (1)	10 Michigan	18

Champions and Place Winners Wrestler's seed in brackets, [US] indicates unseeded.

115 1st: Gray Simons [1] - Lock Haven (7-3) 3rd: Wally Curtis [US] - Oklahoma (4-1)	2nd: Dick Wilson [2] - Toledo 4th: Don Webster [4] - Iowa State
123 1st: DuWayne Miller [1] - Oklahoma (6-5) 3rd: Rick Martin [3] - Pittsburgh (5-4)	2nd: Masaaki Hatta [2] - Oklahoma State 4th: Frank Freeman [5] - Northern Iowa
130 1st: Larry Lauchle [1] - Pittsburgh (7-0) 3rd: Mickey Martin [US] - Oklahoma (4-4, 2-0)	2nd: Dave Jensen [3] - Northern Iowa 4th: Al DeLeon [2] - Minnesota State-Mankato
137 1st: Norm Young [2] - Michigan State (5-2) 3rd: Bill Carter [1] - Oklahoma (2-1)	2nd: Ron Finley [5] - Oregon State 4th: Doug Wilson [3] - Oklahoma State
147 1st: Larry Hayes [1] - Iowa State (4-0) 3rd: Bob Wilson [4] - Oklahoma State (3-1)	2nd: Ron Pifer [3] - Penn State 4th: Jim Blaker [2] - Michigan
157 1st: Phil Kinyon [1] - Oklahoma State (3-0) 3rd: Don Corriere [US] - Michigan (2-1)	2nd: Kirk Pendleton [2] - Lehigh 4th: Virgil Carr [US] - Iowa State
167 1st: Don Conway [5] - Oregon State (7-4) 3rd: Bob Marshall [4] - Purdue (9-4)	2nd: Bruce Campbell [3] - Oklahoma State 4th: Frank Hankin [6] - Utah
177 1st: Bob Johnson [4] - Oklahoma State (9-5) 3rd: Ken Houston [US] - SIU-Carbondale (4-1)	2nd: Wayne Baughman [3] - Oklahoma 4th: Bob Burge [5] - Colorado State
191 1st: Lenard Lordino [1] - Northern Colorado (4-0) 3rd: Ronnie Clinton [6] - Oklahoma State (3-2)	2nd: Nick Kohls [US] - Colorado State 4th: Dave Angell [US] - Lehigh
UNL 1st: Dale Lewis [1] - Oklahoma (3-2) 3rd: Rory Weber [4] - Northwestern (2-1)	2nd: Ted Ellis [2] - Oklahoma State 4th: John Oberly [3] - Penn State

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Umezawa, Oklahoma State

Bye

Umezawa

Merriam, Lehigh

Merriam Fall 5:30

Webster, Iowa State

Webster 2-0

Fox, Northern Iowa

Bye

Fox

Grandstaff, Virginia Tech

Grandstaff 8-5

Curtis, Oklahoma

Curtis 4-4, 3-2

Third Place: Wally Curtis, Oklahoma 4-1

Fourth Place: Don Webster, Iowa State

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123 Weight Class

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Gonzales, Colorado State

Bye

Gonzales

Hansen, Wyoming

Gonzales 4-2

Freeman, Northern Iowa

Freeman 9-3

Green, Ohio State

Bye

Green

Hobbs, Michigan State

Hobbs Fall 0:45

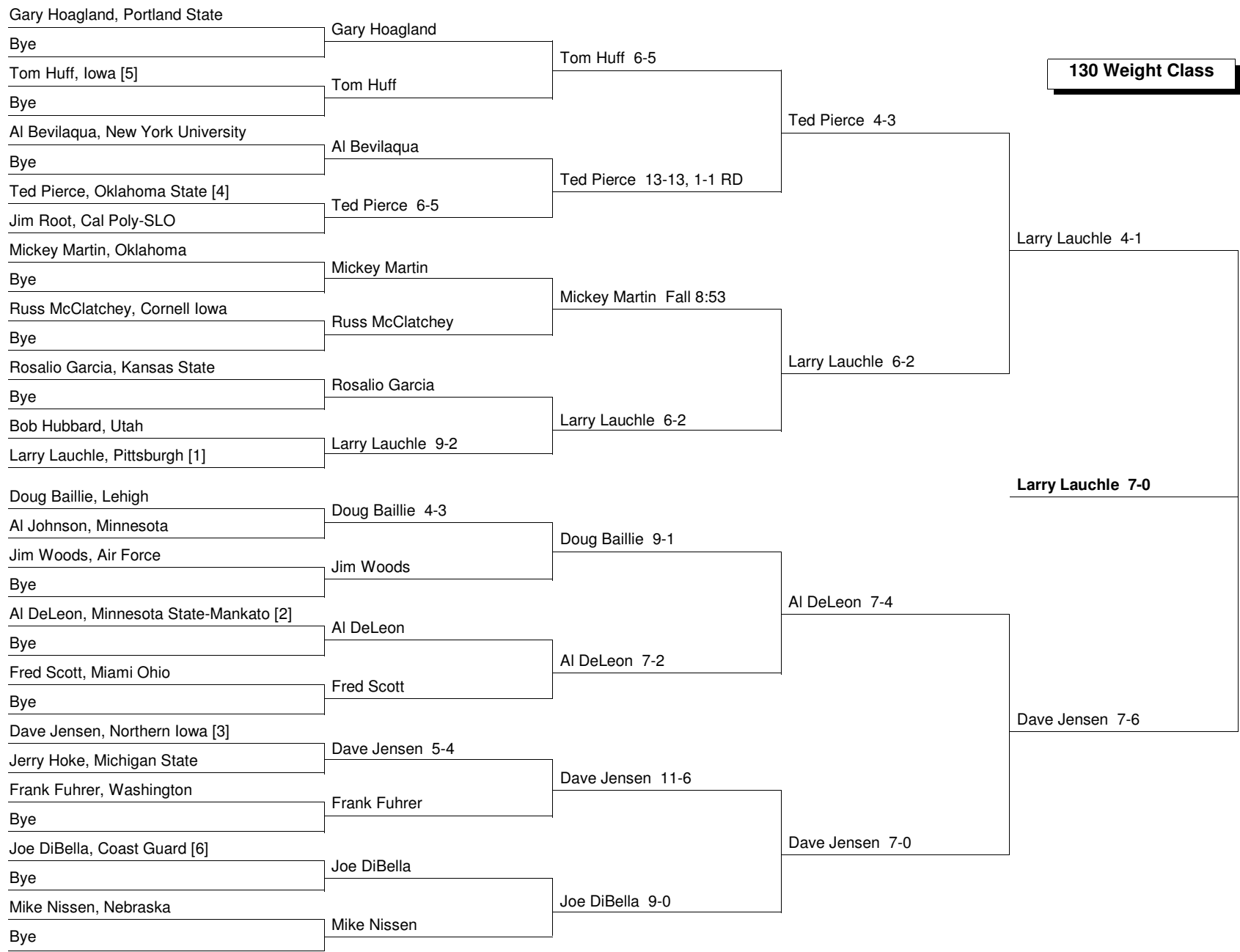
Martin, Pittsburgh

Martin 4-2

Third Place: Rick Martin, Pittsburgh 5-4

Fourth Place: Frank Freeman, Northern Iowa

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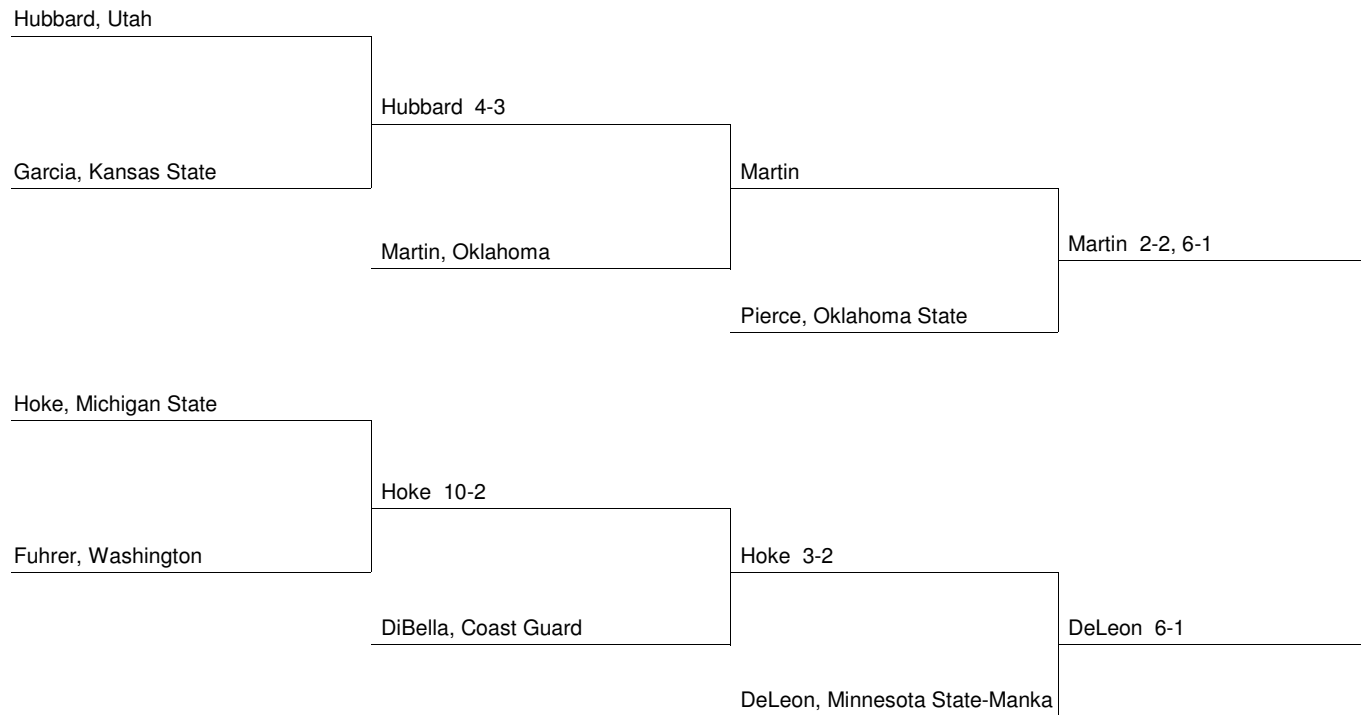


130 Weight Class

Larry Lauchle 7-0

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Third Place: Mickey Martin, Oklahoma 4-4, 2-0

Fourth Place: Al DeLeon, Minnesota State-Mankato

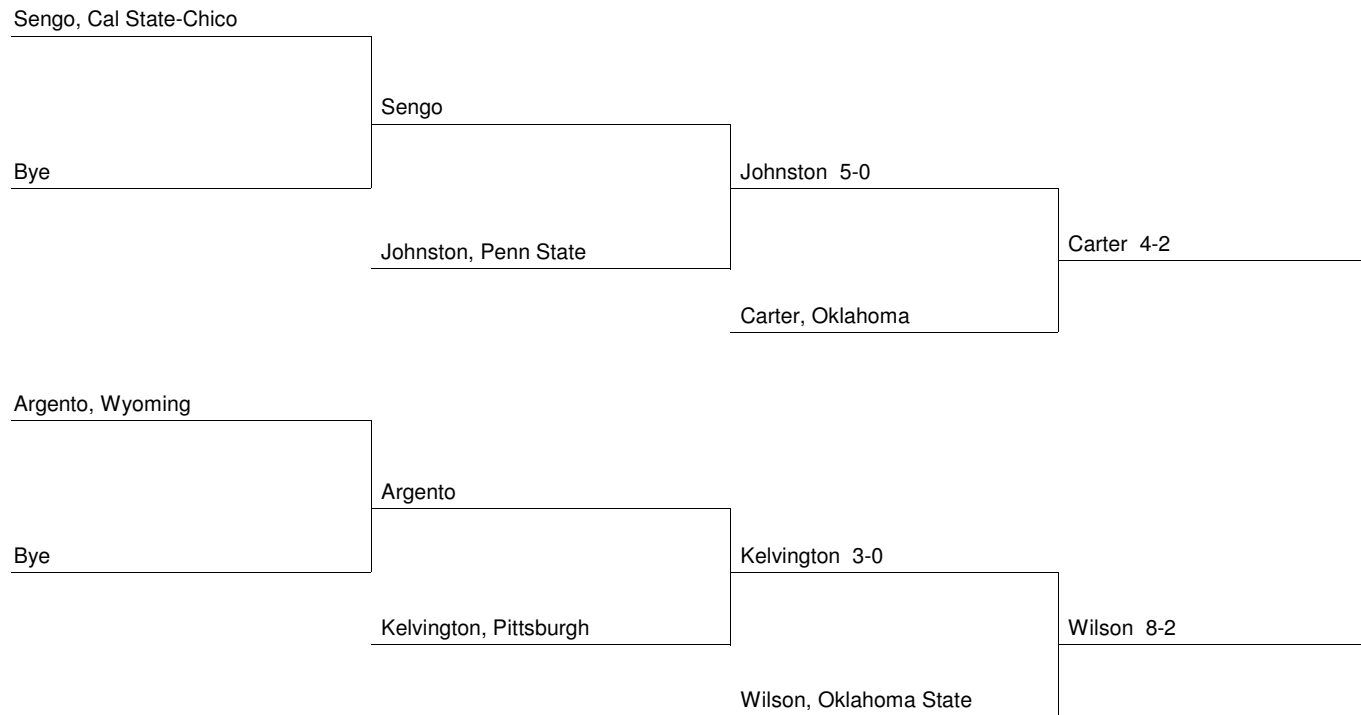
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137 Weight Class

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Third Place: Bill Carter, Oklahoma 2-1

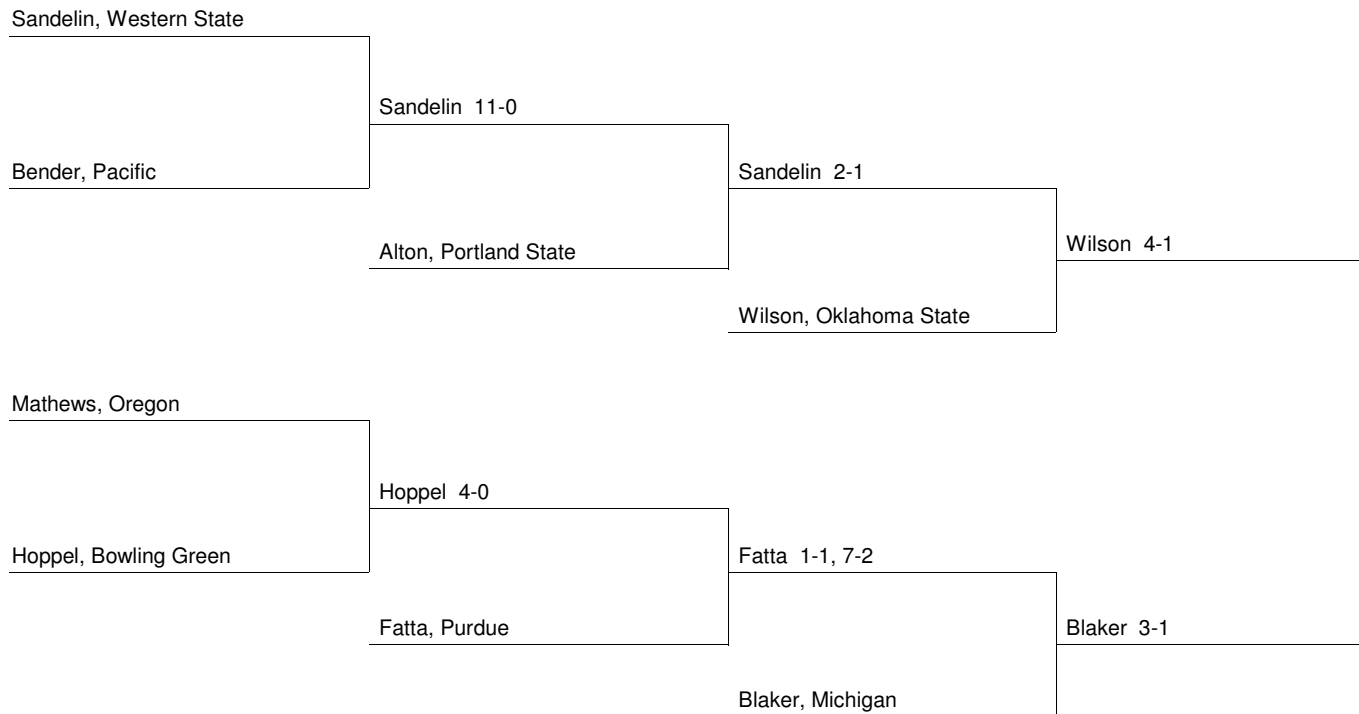
Fourth Place: Doug Wilson, Oklahoma State

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Third Place: Bob Wilson, Oklahoma State 3-1

Fourth Place: Jim Blaker, Michigan

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Beisner, Cornell Iowa

Wohlfert 2-1

Wohlfert, Michigan State

Fivian 4-2

Fivian, Oregon State

Carr 3-2

Carr, Iowa State

Bower, Western State

Bower Med FFT

Combs, Iowa

Corriere 5-0

Corriere, Michigan

Corriere 2-0

Thompson, Nebraska

Third Place: Don Corriere, Michigan 2-1

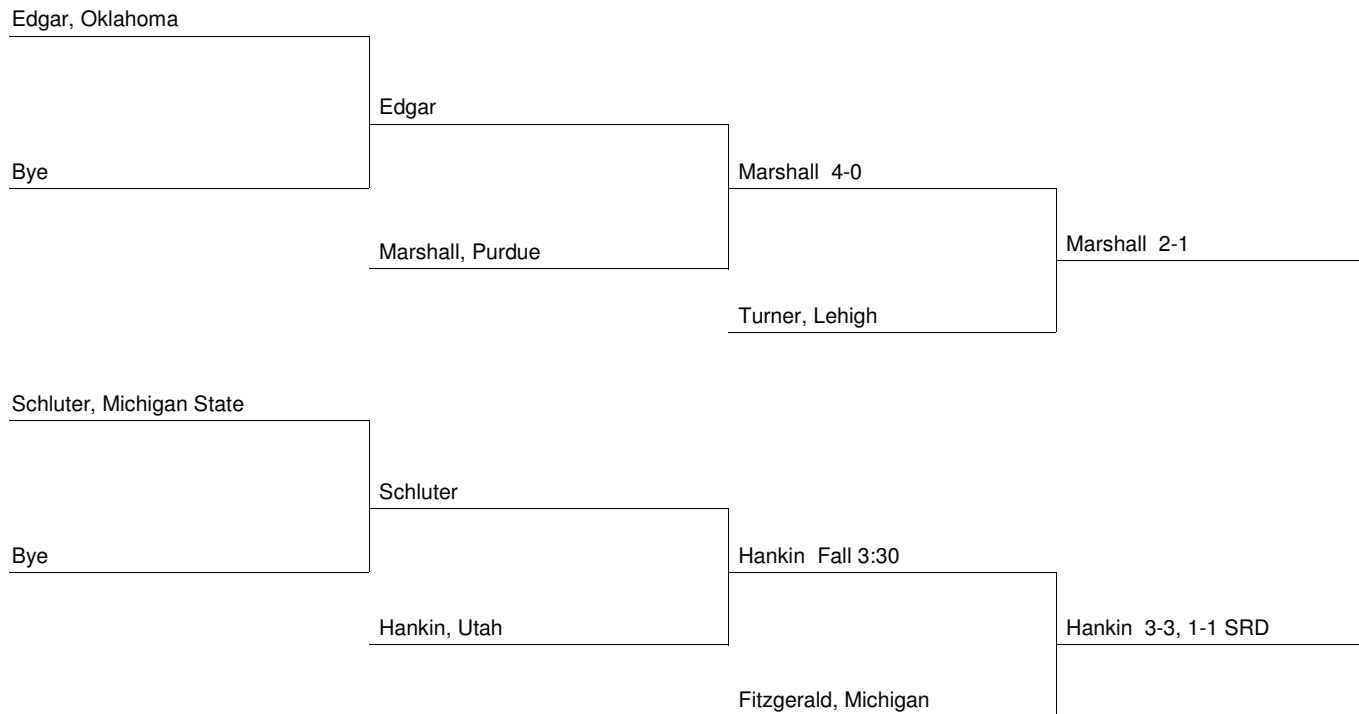
Fourth Place: Virgil Carr, Iowa State

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Third Place: Bob Marshall, Purdue 9-4

Fourth Place: Frank Hankin, Utah

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Konsella, Portland State

Bye

Konsella

Burge, Colorado State

Burge 14-10

Siml, Illinois

Burge 4-2

Houston, SIU-Carbondale

Bye

Houston

Sterner, South Dakota State

Houston 4-2

Rushatz, Army

Houston Med FFT

Third Place: Ken Houston, SIU-Carbondale 4-1

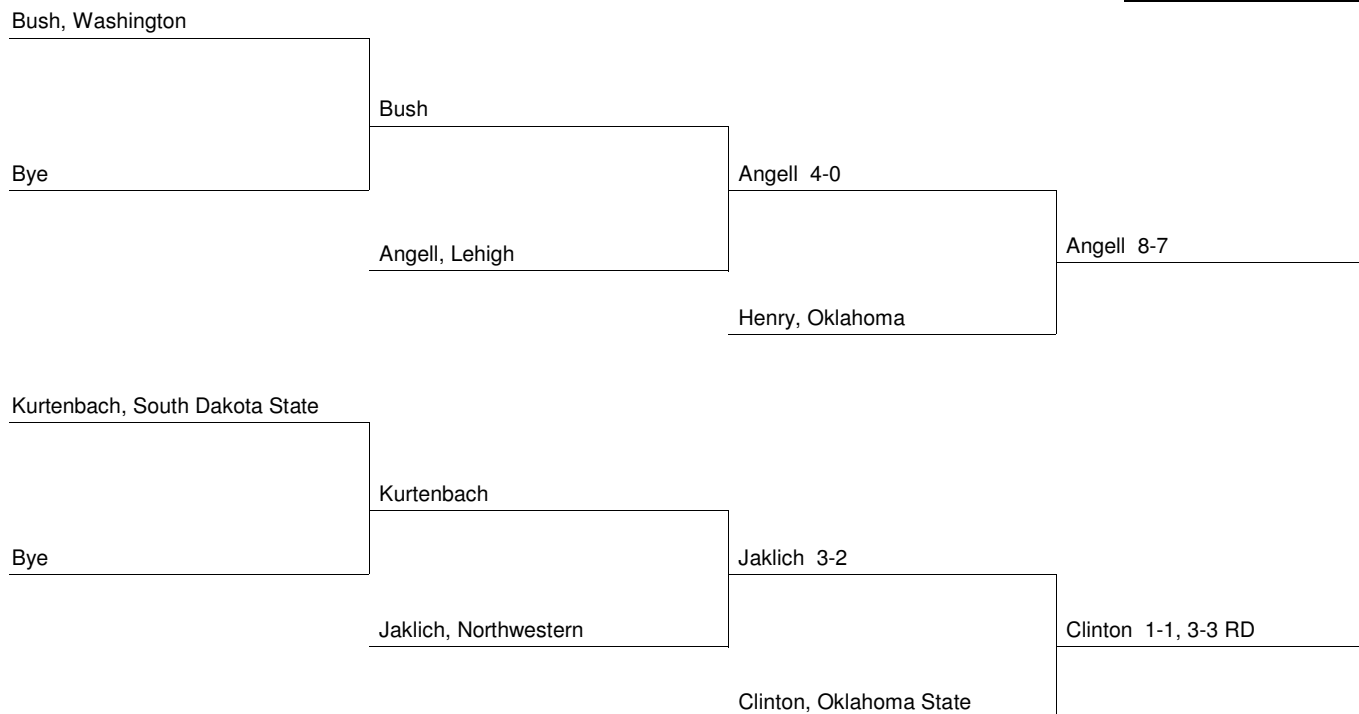
Fourth Place: Bob Burge, Colorado State

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Third Place: Ronnie Clinton, Oklahoma State 3-2

Fourth Place: Dave Angell, Lehigh

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Third Place: Rory Weber, Northwestern 2-1

Fourth Place: John Oberly, Penn State