

# Penn Yan Cops 4 Titles to Lead Finger Lakes Wrestlers

Wins, 56-42—

## Lyons Takes Third By Tipping Geneva

Lyons moved into third place at least temporarily last night by whipping Geneva High School, 56-42 at the Geneva Junior School.

Paced by Gerry Trombino with 12 points and Dave Cummings and Dick Anderson with 11 points each, the Lyons had very little trouble with a team that used to call them "cousin."

The Panthers "looked very rusty in the execution of their patterns" and never were in the ball game after taking a 5-4 lead early in the contest.

The Panthers got the best scoring of the season from Bob McGuigan who finally began to hit in a game the way he does in practice, but he had little assistance from his teammates. Vic Chacchia, leading Geneva scorer, was limited to 10 points, the only other Panther in double figures.

The victory was the eighth against four losses for Lyons which now trails Waterloo and Canandaigua by a half game. The Lyons also hold a half game lead over the Newark Reds.

Things could all get back to normal tonight when the other three teams play their make-up

games of Friday night's snowed out contests.

All three contenders are at home tonight and are favored as Waterloo meets Penn Yan, Canandaigua faces Mynderse and Newark tackles DeSales. But strangely enough, in the first meeting of these schools, only Canandaigua was a winner.

The box score:

GENEVA (42)	G	F	T	LYONS (56)	G	F	T
Acquiano	0	0	0	Boehm	3	0	0
Pinkett	1	0	2	Beal	0	0	0
Catalano	1	0	2	DeAugustine	3	2	8
Mungo	0	0	0	Cummins	2	7	11
Akens	3	2	3	Humbert	0	0	0
Devaney	1	0	2	Trombino	0	0	12
Chacchia	4	2	10	Holly	0	0	1
Talome	1	1	3	Maine	0	0	0
McGuigan	4	7	15	Anderson	4	3	11
				Ottino	3	0	0
				Giddings	0	1	1
				Barnes	0	0	0
TOTALS	15	12	42	TOTALS	21	14	56

Score by quarters:  
 Geneva 8 9 14 11—42  
 Lyons 18 15 13 10—56  
 JV Score: Lyons 65, Geneva 58.

—Six Still Playing—

## 3 School Tilts Postponed

Last weekend's snow storm is still taking a toll of area high school basketball games.

Three, postponed from Friday until tonight, have again been postponed again.

The Phelps-Naples contest that probably will determine the Finger Lakes B-C-D conference championship has been postponed for one week until next Tuesday night.

The Rushville at Victor game has been postponed until a date not determined as yet.

The important Trumansburg-Odesa game, slated for T-Burg, never was scheduled for Tuesday, according to T-Burg Coach Carl Torbell although Odesa was under that impression until today. It will be played tomorrow.

However, Interlaken, which can clinch a tie with the Odesa-T-Burg winner by beating Dundee, will play the Scotsmen tomorrow.

If Interlaken wins tonight, the Hawks will play the winner of the Odesa-T-Burg game at Ovid on Friday night. If that playoff for first place is necessary, the post-season league playoffs will be postponed until March 4-5.

Six school games are still on as scheduled. In the Wayne-Finger Lakes, DeSales is at Newark, Penn Yan is at Waterloo and Mynderse is at Canandaigua.

In the B-C-D loop, Clifton goes to Bloomfield while Red Jacket visits Gorham.

## Bisons Blank Amerks 3-0

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Only one point separates the Rochester Americans and the Buffalo Bisons today in their dogfight for second place in the American Hockey League.

The Bisons, getting superb goal-tending from Roy Edwards, blanked the Amerks 3-0 Monday night and now have 64 points to 65 for Rochester. Both clubs still have a mathematical chance of overhauling first place Springfield, but the Indians are 10 points up on Rochester and 11 on the Bisons.

Edwards made 30 saves in recording his third shutout of the season and got the support he needed from Phil Maloney, Dick Gamble and veteran Wally Hergesheimer. Maloney and Gamble scored in the first period with Hergesheimer closing the scoring at 17:52 of the second.

The game originally was scheduled for last Friday but was postponed because of a snowstorm.

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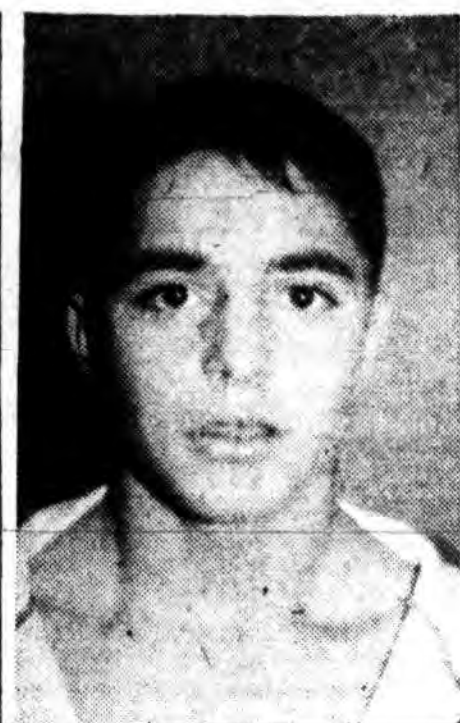
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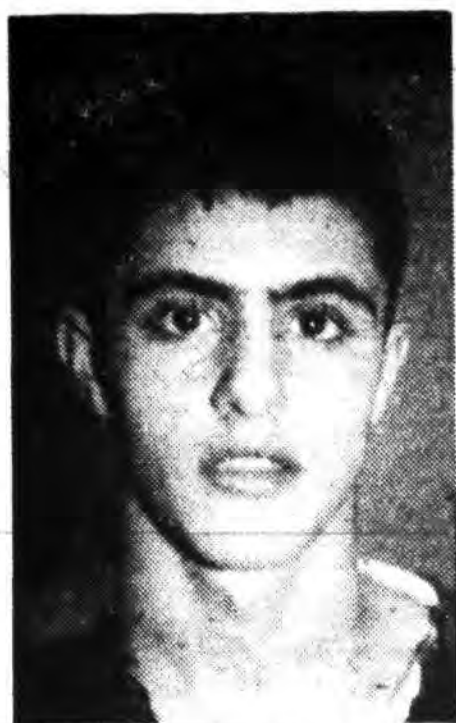
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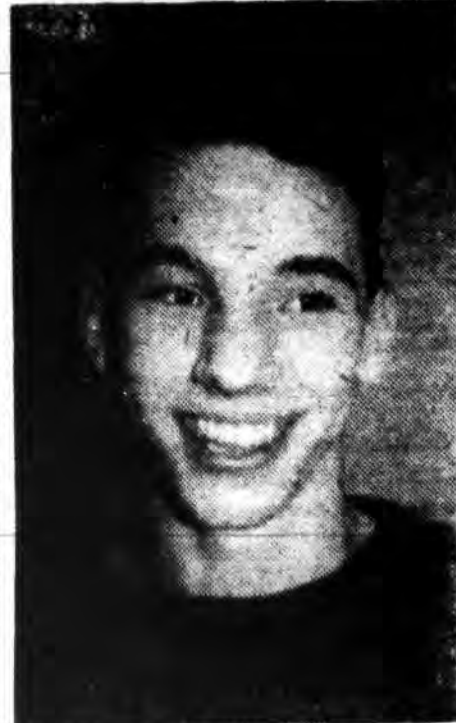
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 ... 95 pounds



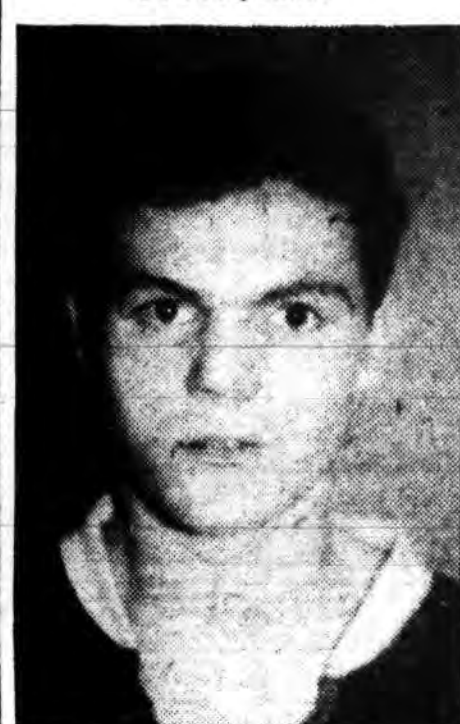
Larry Marchionda, PYA  
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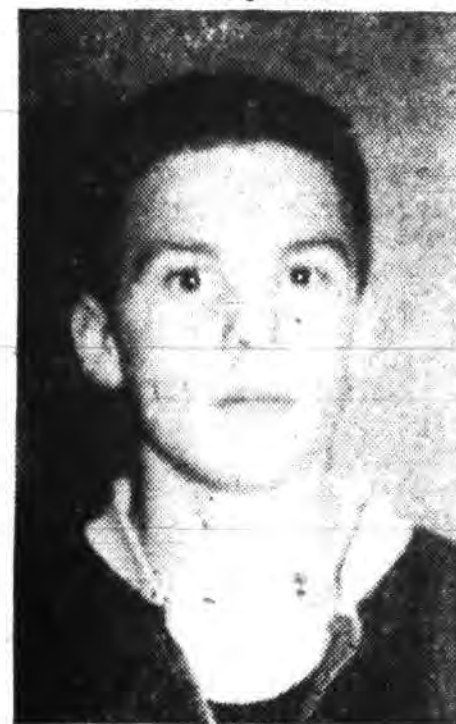
John Houck, PYA  
 ... 112 pounds



Bill Brooks, GHS  
 ... 120 pounds



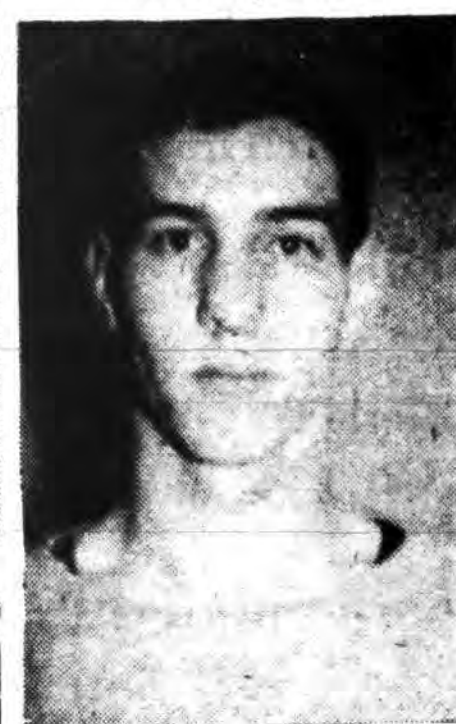
Ron Hooper, Mynderse  
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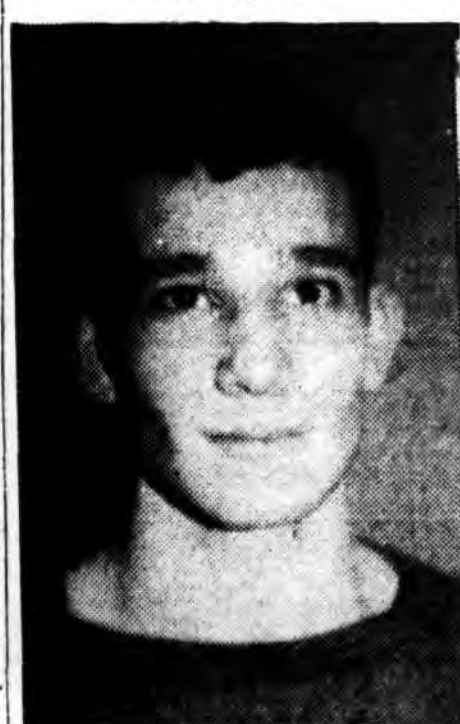
Bill Jackson, Mynderse  
 ... 133 pounds



Melvin Brinson, PYA  
 ... 138 pounds



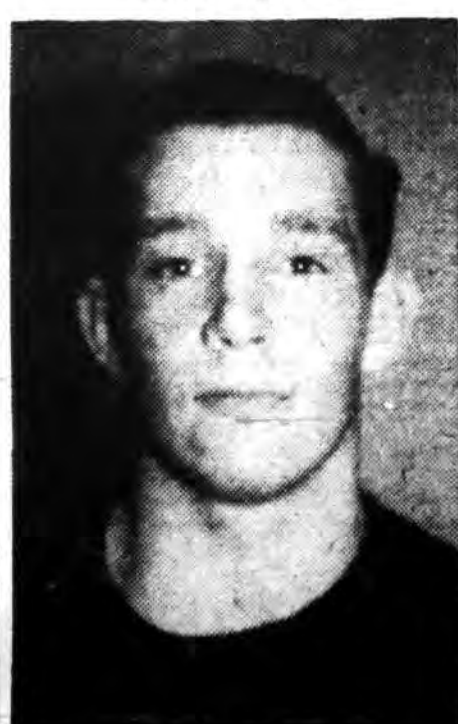
Bob Domm, Canandaigua  
 ... 145 pounds



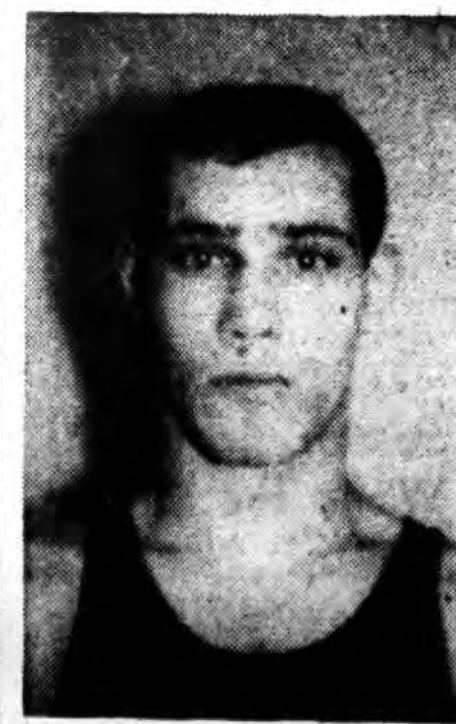
Dick Atkinson, GHS  
 ... 154 pounds



Leo Lemieux, Waterloo  
 ... 165 pounds



Dick Post, GHS  
 ... 180 pounds



Bill Cole, Canandaigua  
 ... Unlimited

## Local Matmen Favored In Quarterfinals Tonight

"I think the Finger Lakes team should be favored tonight," Geneva High Coach Elmer Leach said this morning as the champions determined last night open Section 5 wrestling competition at Canandaigua.

Leach, whose team copped its third straight Finger Lakes conference title last night, noted that the Batavia-Newark elimination bouts will have to be held at 6 p.m. tonight two hours before the sectionals begin.

The eliminations will precede the sectionals, slated for an 8 p.m. start. This means that Finger Lakes wrestlers will be fresh than their opponents.

The Class A Finger Lakes team (Waterloo competes in Class B) will include four Geneva and four Penn Yan wrestlers and two each from Mynderse and Canandaigua.

However, last night, Penn Yan surprised by grabbing four Finger Lakes titles while favored Geneva picked up just three. Canandaigua and Mynderse each had two and Waterloo had one.

Geneva, with 11 finalists, copped the team title in Finger Lakes competition with 95 points well ahead of Mynderse and Penn Yan, tied for second with 44 points. Canandaigua was fourth with 23 points while Waterloo was fifth with 19 points.

This marked the third straight year that Geneva has won the conference crown. The Panthers, with a sure 84 points before the finals even started, had won the crown during the preliminaries last Thursday at Canandaigua.

Among the 12 finger Lakes champions, only two are repeaters. Billy Brooks of Geneva and Larry Marchionda of Penn Yan both won crowns last season. This is the third straight for Marchionda.

The new Finger Lakes champions are: Dick Marchionda of Penn Yan at 95 pounds; Larry Marchionda at 103 pounds; John Houck of Penn Yan at 112 pounds; Brooks at 120 pounds; Ron Hooper of Mynderse at 127 pounds; Bill Jackson of Mynderse at 133 pounds; Mel Brinson of Penn Yan at 138 pounds; Bob Domm of Canandaigua at 145 pounds; Dick Atkinson of Geneva at 154 pounds; Leo Lemieux of Waterloo at 165 pounds; Dick Post of Geneva at 180 pounds and Bill Cole of Canandaigua in the unlimited class.

All but Lemieux will be in action at Canandaigua tonight. Lemieux will be competing in the Class B meet at Wayne Central tonight in the quarterfinals.

In his place, representing the Finger Lakes will be Jay Covert of Geneva who lost his first match of the conference season when Lemieux avenged his only previous loss, scoring a 9-7 decision.

The Covert-Lemieux match was the most exciting of the day. After a scoreless first period, Lemieux scored two points with a reversal but Covert got them back with another.

Lemieux then reversed again and scored with a near fall that gave him a 7-2 lead as the second period ended.

In the third period, there just wasn't enough time for Covert. He scored a reversal but Lemieux did the same. The Covert picked up three points with an escape and a take down.

Two defending champions did not repeat last night. Chuck Wilkinson of Geneva was sidelined with a cracked wrist suffered in the preliminaries and Chuck Wuertenberger was at too much of a weight disadvantage against Bill Cole who had 30 pounds on the Genevaan.

As it was, Wuertenberger almost pulled it off, taking a 7-4

summary:

95 pounds—Dick Marchionda (PY) pinned Dave Gregory (G), 4-1.  
 103 pounds—Larry Marchionda (PY) pinned Jeff Merrill (G), Time 3:09.  
 112 pounds—John Houck (PY) dethroned Pete Blum (G), 4-2.  
 120 pounds—Billy Brooks (G) dethroned Floyd Siegfried (M), 7-0.  
 127 pounds—Ron Hooper (M) dethroned Dick Griffith (G), 4-1.  
 133 pounds—Bill Jackson (M) won by forfeit.  
 138 pounds—Melvin Brinson (PY) dethroned Bob Parrish (G), 4-1.  
 145 pounds—Bob Domm (C) dethroned Bill Jones (G), 4-2.  
 154 pounds—Dick Atkinson (G) dethroned Heiti Kotkas (M), 3-0.  
 165 pounds—Leo Lemieux (W) dethroned Jay Covert (G), 8-7.  
 180 pounds—Dick Post (G) pinned Bob Buchwald (M), Time 4:19.  
 Unlimited—Bill Cole (C) dethroned Charles Wuertenberger (G), 10-7.

## New Promoter

### For Archie Moore?

NEW YORK (AP) — Feature Sports, Inc., the new promotion outfit that holds the contract for the Ingemar Johansson-Floyd Patterson heavyweight title rematch, also may be promoting Archie Moore's next title fight.

Moore, stripped of his light heavy title last week by the National Boxing Assn. but still recognized by several states including New York, said in Miami Monday he had accepted Feature Sports' \$200,000 offer to defend this summer against the No. 2 contender, Eric Schoepner of Germany.



Jay Covert, GHS  
 ... 165 pounds

## —Martin Tells of Yankees—

# Snow Holds Down Baseball Crowd

More than 150 "dug out" Geneva fans basked in the warmth of baseball thoughts, past, present and future last night at the Third Annual Geneva Redleg—baseball banquet at the Club 86.

Though more than 250 banquet tickets had been sold, the bad driving conditions were attributed to the small number actually attending.

But even so, "there are more people here in spite of the snow than come out to an affair of this type when it even rains in the South," Warren LaTarte, area representative of the National Assn. of Professional Baseball leagues, said.

LaTarte was one of a number of speakers at the banquet which was highlighted by the appearance of fiery Billy Martin, former Yankee second baseman and now with the Cincinnati Reds.

Martin spoke of his experiences with the Yankees, noting that "Just being a Yankee becomes far more important than being Billy Martin."

"With the Yankees, you don't play for yourself, you play for the Yankees."

Martin then brought a roar from the crowd when he added that Yankees "play, drink and fight together." The reference was to Martin's birthday party in which Hank Bauer was brought into court for allegedly hitting a man in the Copacabana Club in New York.

"I wasn't even in the room when it happened," Martin later said. "I was in another room trying to calm this fellow's brother."

But Martin was the fall guy for the incident and shortly was traded to Kansas City.

Martin sized up last year's Yankee trouble as the pitching being weak and Mantle having a bad year. It added up to a dip in morale.

Martin, known as a hot-headed ball player admitted it, saying "it helps relax me when I get mad."

In a question and answer period after his talk, Martin told a story of how the fans got on him in Fenway Park, Boston.

After they had ridden high particularly hard, he said to some fans behind the visiting team dugout: "I don't know why Williams (Ted) spits at you, you seem awful nice to me."

LaTarte emphasized community baseball here as being spelled with capital letters.

He commended the local club officials, pointing out that "There isn't enough money to pay those who are making baseball possible. It takes a lot of courage, determination and energy to promote baseball."

Drawing a parallel with the saying: "The family that prays together, stays together," LaTarte said that "When a family attends ball games together, you don't need commissions to cover the delinquency problems facing many communities today."

"Geneva is a major part of

professional baseball in a very the most sports-minded cities in three countries." (There are only 157 professional baseball cities today).

George Sisler, general manager of the Rochester Red Wings urged support of the Redlegs and said "Don't come to Rochester to see baseball games, support baseball in Geneva."

Sisler then offered the help of the Rochester club at any time possible.

Al Antinelli, Genevaan assigned by the Boston Red Sox to their Triple-A club in Minneapolis, told about his life with Eastern League umpire, Tom Ravashiere, also of Geneva.

"After Tom gets through talking, there's nothing for me to do but walk away," Antinelli said. Antinelli pitched in the Eastern League last year.

Ravashiere then spoke of some of his run-ins with Antinelli during games when the Geneva pitcher "did have the last word."

Dutch Dotterer, Cincinnati area representative, had recently seen former Geneva manager Dave Bristol who sent "his fondest and most hearty wishes for a successful season."

Dotterer went on to say that "community baseball spells success. Wherever it has been tried, it has been successful."

Redleg General manager Lefty Venuti noted that only 171 shares of stock remain unsold and commended Jim McNulty as the

number one salesman.

The new board of directors was revealed and introduced to the gathering. Board members are McNulty, Les Heatherly, Bob Teague, Joe Hessner, Walt Maxwell, Don Eades, Joe McDonough, Mike Cecere, Ace Brooks and Phil Haers.

Members of the advisory committee are Jim Hobbins, Ralph Engert, Don Vogt, Babe Kraus and Cebem Lee.

The club officers: Milton Roberts, president; Red Presutti, vice-president; Jack DeBoit, secretary, and Venuti, treasurer and general manager. James Healy is attorney.

Other guests introduced at the banquet: Johnny Brown, Clifton Springs, a Cincinnati scout, Eddie Tryon, Hobart coach; Dr. Thomas Stapleton, Auburn Yankee president; John S. Stone, Shuron grounds keeper; Joey Kollo, bat boy; Joe Tobin, president of the Wilkes League, and Mrs. Billy Martin.

Telegrams of regret and best wishes were read from Manager Reno DeBenedetti and Council President Thomas A. Baroody.

Horvath on Top

MONTREAL (AP) — Bronco Horvath scored only one point last week—his 36th assist of the National Hockey League season—but holds a four-point edge over Chicago's Bobby Hull in the NHL scoring race.