Grapple, Grunt and Groan



Back Row: Rasi, Roehrs, Ratcliffe, Wright, Gibbs, Gillson (Coach), Richardson (Manager). Front Row: East, Schenk, Sanders, Blair.

Some of the best competition in the east was afforded Colgate's 1939 wrestling team, and against this opposition the Maroon performed creditably. Led by Captain "Pinky" Jaeger, the grunt and groaners won two of five meets, all but one of which were on foreign mats. Jaeger won all his bouts.

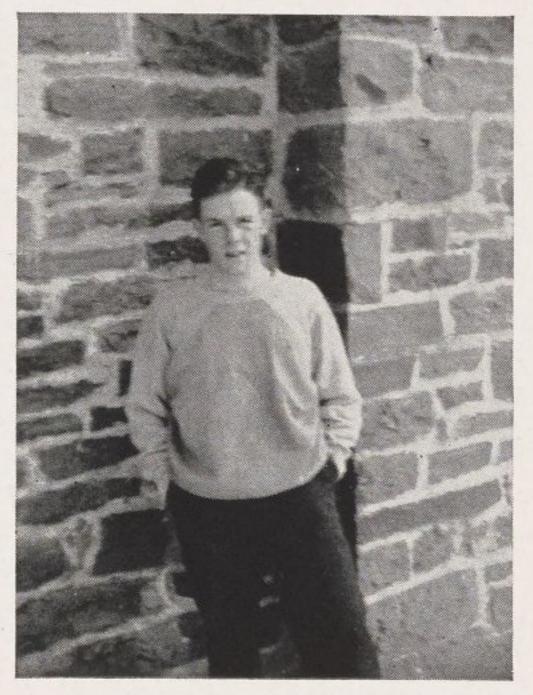
Triumphs over Alfred and Buffalo were intermingled with defeats at the hands of Syra-

cuse, Williams, and St. Lawrence. The latter two colleges consider wrestling a major sport and the inexperienced Maroon matmen of whom there were five freshmen, wrestled well against them. Jaeger, Wright, and Ratcliffe turned in fine performances throughout the season and the prospects for the future appear bright.

Captain		. William Jaeger
Manager		Phillip Richardson
Coach		. Robert Gillson

WRESTLING SUMMARY

Colgate	15	Williams		21
Colgate	28	Alfred		10
Colgate	23	Buffalo		5
Colgate	8	Syracuse		24
Colgate	8	St. Lawrence	e	22



WILLIAM R. JAEGER
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