

State Cops EIWA, Feuerbach Wins

by John Crane

PENN STATE demonstrated that their domination in the East for the past two years was not to be challenged as they walked away with their second straight title at the 48th annual Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association Championships in Grace hall Friday and Saturday.

State, led by three champions—Bob Homan at 123, Dick Lemyre at 130, and Joe Lemyre at 167—piled up 33 points in winning their 11th Eastern crown. In fact, State's supremacy in the tournament was so complete that they doubled the point total of their nearest competitors — Syracuse with 17 points, Rutgers with 16, and Lehigh with 15.

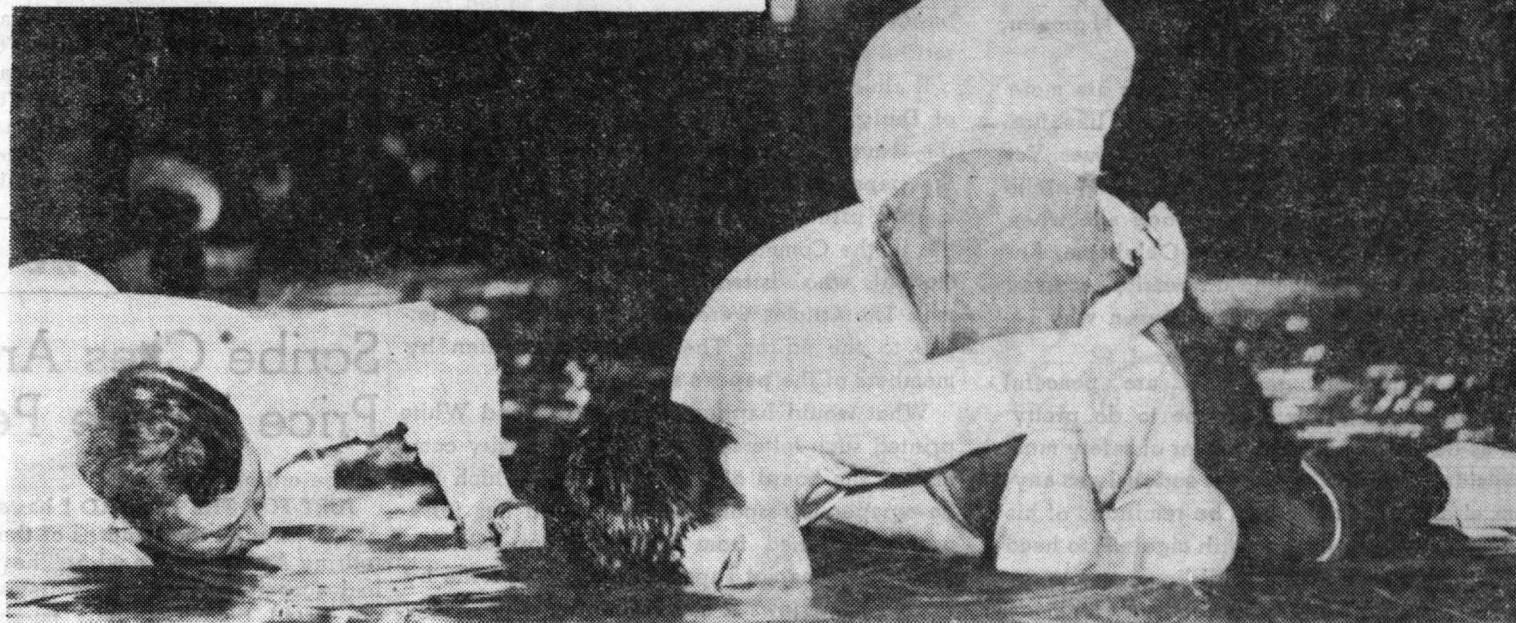
HOWEVER, State wrestlers did not grab all the glory. Lehigh's George Feuerbach at 137 and Rutgers' Emil Perona at 157 won their third Eastern titles as the pair boosted the number to have accomplished this rare feat to 12.

Feuerbach received an added honor as he closed out his colorful collegiate mat career when he was voted the outstanding wrestler in the tournament by the coaches. The Lehigh captain had two pins to his credit and defeated unbeaten Gerald Maurey of Penn State in the finals, 7-3.

TWO OTHER wrestlers successfully defended their titles. Frank Bettucci of Cornell staved off a strong bid by Ed Rooney of Syracuse to retain the 147-pound crown, while Brad Glass of Princeton was extended only by Dick Beyer of Syracuse in taking the heavyweight title.

Yale's George Graveson, defending 167-pound champ, fell prey to Al Paulekas of Army at 177 and lost the title, 6-3, while Don Maurey of Penn State didn't even get a chance to defend his 137-pound crown as he was beat-

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Three Careless Smokers Start L. U. Campus Fires

CARELESSLY-TOSSED burning cigarets have started three wastebasket fires on campus in the past two weeks, it was learned today from the university fire committee and from a student's report.

Two of the fires occurred in the first floor drawing room in Packer hall. The third was discovered in the shower room of Section D, second floor of Dravo dormitory.

Damages caused by the one Packer hall fire "may cost a minimum of \$50," according to Andrew Litzenberger, superintendent of Buildings and Grounds. Quick action prevented damages in the others.

FLAMES SIX TO SEVEN feet high attracted the attention of Prof. E. Russell Johnston of the C.E. department last Monday evening as he was leaving Packer hall. By the time he and Instr. Dale Young reached Room 108, the bottom half of the door was burning vigorously and the floor was smoldering. They put out the fire with water from the sink.

"The damage consisted of one-half of a double door being badly charred and an area of floor about two feet square charred sufficiently to require new flooring," according to Litzenberger's report to the treasurer. "Undoubtedly the fire was caused by a cigaret butt being tossed into the wastebasket," he stated.

In bringing "a most serious problem" to the attention of the university fire committee, Johnston said that he has "personally extinguished at least four to six flaming or smoldering wastebaskets in Packer hall in the last three years."

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Lehigh's Ken Faust ties up Lou Bowers of Rutgers with a chicken wing in the semi-finals to claim his third pin of the meet, while referee, left, slaps out the count.

Hit & Run Driver Nails 2 L U Cars

ABOUT 4 a.m. Sunday a hit-and-run driver smashed into the rear of a '38 Dodge parked on the turn leading into the Dravo parking lot. The Dodge, owned by John Vallotti, '55, was pushed into the front of a '39 Dodge owned by

Fred Chesman, '54.

Peter Vail, '53, who was coming in for the night, said that he thought the mystery car was a Ford convertible made since 1940. Neither Chesman nor Vallotti could find a car fitting that description while searching the campus later Sunday.

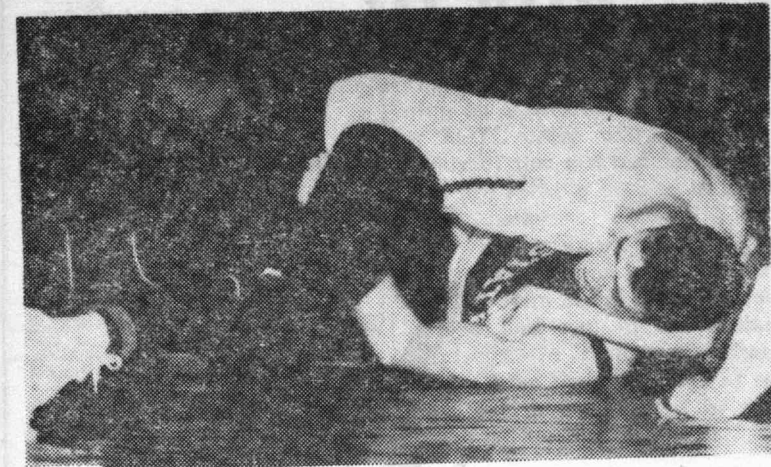
The rear of Vallotti's car was demolished and the impact detached his front bumper sending it hurling into the front of Chesman's car. The "flying missile" damaged Chesman's headlight, fender and bumper. At this time there has been no information leading to the identification of

Choir Boys Scheduled for Friday Night

A VARIED PROGRAM of choral music, instrumental solos, and organ selections will be presented by the Student Concerts-Lectures

3 Champs Lead State To Title

Near Fall . . .



Lehigh's Ken Faust applies a reverse chancery and inside crotch against Penn State's Dick Lemyre in an effort to turn him over in the finals of the 130-pound class. Lemyre broke the combination and won a 10-9 decision.

Jackson Only Victor Among 6 LU Matmen Losing Early

BILL JACKSON, 177-pounder, was the only victor among the six Lehigh grapplers who were eliminated in the opening rounds of the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Championships, however, all of Lehigh's representatives who fell by the wayside early, wrestled good bouts, losing to more-experienced men.

Jackson scored his first victory this season over Marc Rowe of Brown in his opening bout, but then lost to Pete Blair of Navy, third-seeded in the 177-pound class. Howie Harman was the only other Lehigh wrestler to gain the quarter-finals besides finalists George Feuerbach and Ken Faust, when he advanced on a bye, only to lose to John Lee of Harvard, number three man in his class.

JOE COMLY gave heavyweight champion Brad Glass of Princeton a tough match before he went down to defeat, 9-2, while Gene Paquette lost a rugged battle to Joe Lemyre of Penn State, 167-pound champion.

In the 123 lb. class, Harman drew a bye in the opening round

Merman Fail In E. I. S. C. A.

LEHIGH'S SWIMMERS didn't fare well in the 12th annual Individual Eastern Intercollegiate Swimming Championships held at Yale University March 13, 14, and 15. None of the Lehigh mermen qualified for the finals.

The Brown and White swimmers were pitted against some of the best swimmers in the nation, including Richard Thomon of Yale, who won the E.I.S.A. 100 yard backstroke title, Robert Nugent of Rutgers, winner of the 50 yard free style, Robert Brawner of Princeton, who captured the 100 and 200 yard breaststroke, and John Marshall of Yale, victor in the 1500 meter and 220 yard free style.

Feuerbach, Perona Win

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en out for the team by his brother.

PENN STATE'S Lemyre brothers, in becoming the first brother combination to win individual championships since 1908, had to overcome stiff opposition in winning their titles. In one of the most exciting bouts of the tournament, Dick Lemyre won the 130-pound crown by edging Ken Faust of Lehigh, 10-9, in the finals.

Faust took a 6-2 lead in the bout when he reversed in the second period and had Lemyre in serious trouble with a reverse chancery and body press. Lemyre then reversed and pinned Faust with a split scissors, but the fall came just after the buzzer had sounded, Lemyre getting credit for a near pin.

LEMYRE then scored two reversals in the last period to win the close decision. Both had moved into the finals on falls, Faust having pinned three opponents and Lemyre having advanced on two falls and a default.

Joe Lemyre, fourth-seeded at 167, upset favored Gerald Tebben of Army and Ray Vohden of Rutgers in gaining the title. Lemyre edged Tebben, 5-4, in the semi-finals and then came up with the only fall in the finals when he pinned Vohden in 7:20.

FEUERBACH was almost the victim of an upset in the semi-finals at 137. After pinning his first two men, Feuerbach drew with Bob Bury of Syracuse, 4-4, but the Lehigh captain won on a referee's decision because of aggressiveness.

In the finals, Feuerbach escaped from Maurey in the third period and scored a snap-down take down to lead, 5-2. Maurey later escaped, but the 137-pound champ had two points time and handed Maurey his first loss in six years of wrestling, 7-3.

UPSETS were also the rule at

when Tom Jones of Pennsylvania failed to make the weight. In the quarter-final round, Lee decisioned Harman, 7-0. He scored his points as a result of a take-down, escape, another take-down, and time-advantage.

WRESTLING his first varsity match, Ernie Gonzilik lost a 7-3 decision to Angus Maclean of Brown. Gonzilik put up a good fight but succumbed to the more-experienced grappler from Brown. Gonzilik scored an escape and take-down, but Maclean countered with two reverses, an escape, and a take-down.

Probably one of the biggest upsets in the opening round occurred when Lee Martin of Syracuse beat Eddie Mahoney on a referee's decision. Mahoney, second seeded in the 157 lb. class, and Martin were evenly matched and both boys managed to score an escape from each other. The

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E. I. W. A. Summaries

FINALS

123-lb. class—Robert Homan, Penn State, decisioned Robert Gerbino, Syracuse, 10-4.
130-lb. class—Richard Lemyre, Penn State, decisioned Kenneth Faust, Lehigh, 10-9.
137-lb. class—George Feuerbach, Lehigh, decisioned Jerry Maurey, Penn State, 7-3.
147-lb. class—Franz Bettucci, Cornell, decisioned Edwin Rooney, Syracuse, 9-6.
157-lb. class—Emil Perona, Rutgers, decisioned Dana Eastham, Brown, 8-3.
167-lb. class—Joseph Lemyre, Penn State, pinned Ray Vohden, Rutgers, in 7:21 with body press.
177-lb. class—Alfred Paulekas, Army, decisioned George Graveson, Yale, 8-2.
Unlimited Hwt.—Bradley Glass, Princeton, defeated Richard Beyer, Syracuse, 4-3.

CONSOLATION ROUND

123 lb. class—John Lee, Harvard, decisioned Robert Karns, 4-3.
130-lb. class—Louis Bowers, Rutgers, decisioned Douglas Green, Virginia, 1-0.
137-lb. class—Robert Hartman, Columbia, decisioned Robert Bury, Syracuse, 9-0.
147-lb. class—Eugene Manfrini, Columbia, won on default from Donald Frey, Penn State.
157 lb. class—Carl Bemiller, Franklin & Marshall, decisioned Donald Rumsfield, Princeton, 7-1.
167-lb. class—Gerald Tebben, Army, decisioned Robert Sherry, Columbia, 8-2.
177-lb. class—Peter Blair, Navy, pinned Hudson Samson, Penn State, in 7:55 with reverse cradle.
Unlimited Hwt.—Henry Littlefield, Columbia, decisioned Arthur Merriman, Yale, 8-6.

Champ and Runnerup . . .



Coach Billy Sheridan puts his arms around Ken Faust (left), runner-up at 130, and George Feuerbach, who won his third EIWA title at 137. Lehigh finished fourth in the tournament.

Feuerbach Claims Maurey, Bury Tough In Taking Title

AFTER BECOMING the third man in the history of Lehigh University the eleventh man in the history of the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association to take three straight EIWA meet championships, George Feuerbach said modestly, "It's a great feeling. I feel like I have accomplished something."

George felt his final two matches in Saturday's tournament were equally tough. The match with Bob Bury of Syracuse because of Bury's strength, and the contest with Gerry Maurey of Penn State because of his foe's cleverness.

COMMENTING on his win by a referee's decision over Bury, George said, "I couldn't tell who won, but I wished there was an overtime period to decide the winner."

With the NCAA Tournament coming up in the near future George said he'd like to go, but the decision as to whether he would would be decided by the school this week. He said he would, however, go to Princeton to wrestle in the sectional eliminations for a berth on this year's Olympic team.

TO ADD to his other laurels, the Metallurgical Engineering senior, who hails from East Medford, Long Island, walked off with the tournament's trophy for the most outstanding wrestler. During his dual meet collegiate career George has compiled a record of 24 wins, against 4 losses and a tie. He served as captain of the Engineers during the past season.

Golf Meeting

ALL GOLF candidates should report at Taylor gym on Friday, March 21 at 4:15 for an important meeting.

State Wins With 33 Pts.

PENN STATE'S 33 points was almost double its nearest contender as the Nittany Lions easily won the 48th annual Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Championships.

Syracuse took second with 17 points, closely followed by Rutgers with 16 and Lehigh with 15. Columbia and Army ranked next with 12 points apiece.

PENN had the distinction of finishing in the minus column when they did not enter a wrestler in the 123-pound class. According to EIWA rules, five points are deducted from a team's score for every weight class in which a wrestler does not enter.

The team scores:
Penn State33
Syracuse17
Rutgers16
Lehigh15
Army12
Columbia12
Princeton10
Yale8
Cornell7
Navy6
Brown6
Harvard3
F&M2
Temple2
Virginia1
Penn4

Football Meeting

ALL CANDIDATES for spring football are urged to attend a meeting on Wednesday, March 19 at 4 p.m. in Grace hall. Coach Bill Leckonby will outline plans for spring practice.

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