

Five Warriors continue to semis:

# Olean leads after first round of tourney

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Five Salamanca wrestlers remain in competition as the first two rounds were completed last night in the eighth annual Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament.

The field, originally set at 18 high schools, was cut down to 13 as five could not make the trip due to their schools being closed due to the snow and wind. Not making the trip for the two-day tournament were Frontier, Medina, Pioneer, Warsaw and Williamsville East.

Olean leads in team scoring as they have accumulated 103 points followed by Maple Grove with 82 1/4, Sweet Home 61 1/4, Notre Dame of Elmira 59 1/2, Salamanca, 37 3/4, Geneseo 34 1/2, Portville 32 1/4, Wellsville 31 1/2, Southwestern 28, Churchville-Chili 23 3/4, Cattaraugus 15, Xaverian 13 and Allegany 10.

The five Salamanca wrestlers who have won all their matches so far are Mike LoPresto at 112 pounds, Dan Dry at 138, Jay Weitzel at 167, Marty Redeye at heavyweight and Pete Lee at unlimited.

Lee, due to the fact that there were only six unlimited wrestlers entered in the tourney and three did not show up, drew a bye until the finals and did not wrestle at all yesterday.

Olean still has 10 wrestlers left and they are Clair Anderson at 105 pounds,

Andy Taylor at 112, Eric Simpson at 119, Kevin Forrest at 126, Steve Pancio at 132, Bill Thomas at 138, Robby Park at 145, Chris Leichtweis at 155, Kirk Stephen at 167 and Rick Fie at 177. John Quigley is at unlimited as none of those matches have yet been wrestled.

The wrestlebacks were begun last night and completed through 112 pounds and the rest of them, along with the semi-finals, will be matched today.

Action got underway at 11 a.m. today and will continue with the rest of the wrestlebacks, the semi-finals and consolation with the fifth place and third place matches set for about 6 p.m. to be followed by a half-hour break and then the finals.

LoPresto brought a 9-2 mark into the tourney and immediately upped that with a pin in 5:55 over Scott Anderson of Allegany. In the second round, the Warrior sophomore stopped the show as he took a 10-4 decision over Joe Santilli of Maple Grove.

LoPresto's next match is against top-seeded Kevin Richard (12-0) of Geneseo while Andy Taylor of Olean goes against Metzler Wilkin of Sweet Home in the same weight class.

Dan Dry, coming in at 9-2, drew a bye the first round and then decided Joel Dudley of Cattaraugus, 20-2, in their 138 pound match. The Warrior co-captain takes on Olean's Bill Thomas today while Tim Hitchcock of Notre Dame

meets Randy Williams in the other bout.

Jay Weitzel also drew a bye his first round and then registered an 8-3 decision over Gene Calucci of Xaverian at 167 pounds. The Warrior senior now meets Mark Jaekle of Portville today while Kirk Stephens of Olean and Jack McCall of Maple Grove tangle in the other 167 pound bout.

Marty Redeye, seeded first at heavy-weight with his 10-1 mark, drew a first round bye and then took an 8-2 decision over Mark Darrow of Olean, whom he decided last week.

The Warrior co-captain tangles against Kris Meekins of Maple Grove today with Brad Konert of Southwestern and Doug Wheeler of Churchville-Chili in the other bout.

In other Salamanca action: — Bernie Conlan, at 91 pounds, lost a 19-0 decision to Craig Weber of Sweet Home in his first bout;

— George Metzler pinned Dave Barton of Allegany in 1:11 but then was pinned in 1:45 by Dave Proctor of Southwestern;

— George Bryant, at 105, lost a first round match by 13-0 to Clair Anderson of Olean;

— Randy Dry, at 119, decided Scott Trainor of Churchville-Chili, 7-1, and then was pinned in 3:50 by Eric Simpson of Olean;

— Jeff Earley at 126, was pinned in 5:58 by top seeded Kevin Forrest of Olean;

— Bob Earley, at 132, lost a 6-1 decision to Eric Nannen of Allegany;

— Mike Budzinski, at 145, lost to Bob Vogel of Sweet Home;

— Dan Ciolek, at 155, lost a 4-1 decision to Jerry Cordier of Notre Dame;

— And Bud Herrick, at 177, lost in a 13-0 decision to Cedric Hinton of Sweet Home.

"I am real pleased with the quality of kids left after the cancellations," said Tournament Director George Whit-cher. "We have plenty of real good quality teams and the wrestling shows it."

91—Pat Hughes (ND) dec. Doug Baer (SW) 8-0; Eugene Lehman (Wells) dec. John Egito (Xav) 2-0; Ken Keller (MG) pin Dana Richard (Gen) 5:53; Craig Weber (SH) dec. Bernie Conlan (Sala) 19-0;

98—Wayne Madrid (Catt) pin Mark Lisi (ND) 5:02; Dave Proctor (SW) pin George Metzler (Sala) 1:45; Dan Barnett (Wells) pin John Hickey (01) :58; Bill Hettrick (MG) pin Jeff Mothersell (Gen) 5:20;

105—John McHugh (SH) pin Mike Briggs (Wells) 1:16; Vince Nalbene (MG) dec. Norm Grabbitz (Port) 16:5; Scott Sheehan (ND) pin Rod Hill (Catt) :43; Clair Anderson (01) pin Doug Harmon (Gen) 4:53;

112—Kevin Richard (Gen) pin Arthur Stimus (Xav) 1:41; Mike LoPresto (Sala) dec. Joe Santilli (MG) 10:4; Metzler Wilkin (SH) pin Mike Carpenter (ND) 1:45; Andy Taylor (01) dec. Dave Gleason 14:2;

119—Eric Simpson (01) pin Randy Dry (Sala) 3:50; Dan Hallberg (Catt) pin Hill (Catt) 2:45; Kevin Sullivan (ND) dec. Blue (Port) 10:4; Jeff Monroe (Wells) dec. Dan Carmelt (Gen) 4-0;

126—Kevin Forrest (01) dec. Tony Crisafulli (All) 7-1; Pete Caskey (MG) pin Green (Wells) 2:24; Paul Richard (Gen) pin Stacy Sherman (Port) 5:38; Mark Hitchcock (ND) dec. Ed Ruffin (SH) 8-6;

132—Paul Reed (SH) dec. Neil Thomas (Ch.C) 12-2; Mike Faulkner (Port) pin Pete Hainey (Gen) 1:32; Kevin Mott (Wells) dec. Ed Weingart (ND) 10-0; Steve Pancio (01) pin Eric Nannen (All) 2:40;

138—Tim Hitchcock (ND) dec. Tim Marucci (MG) 10-4; Randy Williams (Port) dec. Al Foote (Wells) 9-3; Dan Dry (Sala) dec. Joel Dudley (Catt) 20-2; Bill Thomas (01) dec. Gallon (SH) 12-4;

145—Steve Swan (SW) pin Randy Ellis (MG) 3:55; Robby Park (01) dec. Mike Hamilton (ND) 6-3; Shawn Hughes (Gen) dec. Bill Breen (Ch.C) 15-6; Bob Vogel (SH) dec. Barry Weink (Catt) 14-3;

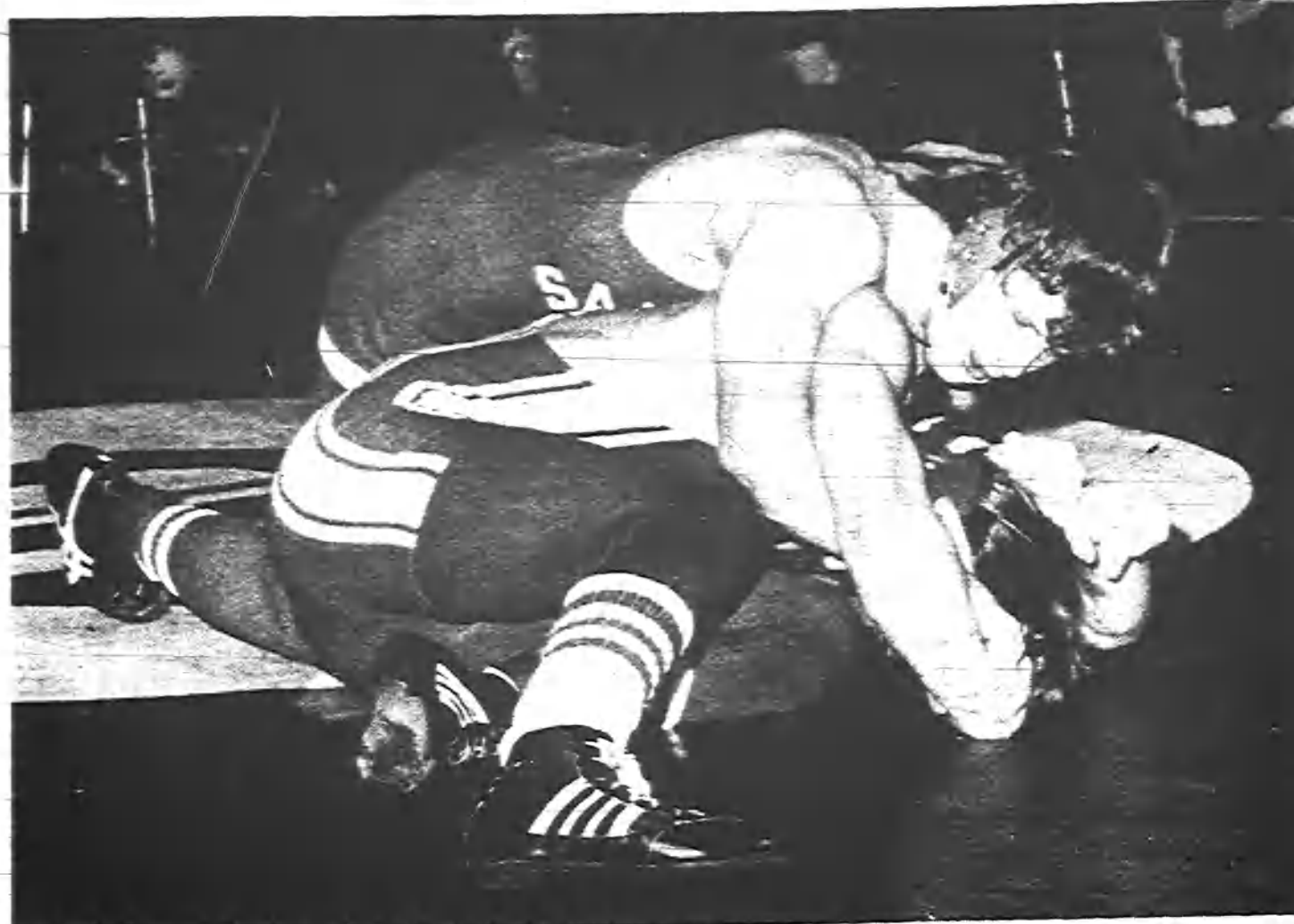
155—Chris Leichtweis (01) pin Willie Nolan (Wells) :39; Dave Boughton (MG) pin Jeff Crisafulli (All) 3:16; Jerry Cordier (ND) dec. Dan Ciolek (Sala) 4-1; Joe Mandala (Xav) dec. Dave Erickson (Port) 5-1;

167—Kirk Stephen (01) pin Thomas (Ch.C) 1:58; Jack McCall (MG) dec. Dennis McNamara (SH) 2-1; Jay Weitzel (Sala) dec. Gene Calucci (Xav) 8-3; Mark Jaekle (Port) dec. Dana Williams (SW) 14-1;

177—Cedric Hinton (SH) dec. Bud Herrick (Sala) 13-0; Bob Coyne (Ch.C) pin Chris Smith (ND) 5:32; Joel Crisafulli (All) pin Mark Miller (Port) 5:15; Rick Fie (01) pin Greg Lucas (Wells) 3:25;

HWT — Marty Redeye (Sala) dec. Mark Darrow (01) 8-2; Kris Meekins (MG) pin Rick Burdick (Port) 3-30; Brad Konert (SW) dec. Brian Adler (SH) 2-0; Doug Wheeler (Ch.C) pin Al Ripley (ND) 4:44;

UNL — No matches wrestled.



**TRY AND GET OUT OF THAT** — Salamanca's Dan Dry has Joel Dudley of Cattaraugus in a predicament as the two went at it yesterday in a bout at 138 pounds in the Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament. Dry was the winner, 20-2, as he

advanced to the semi-finals today. Four other Warrior wrestlers are in the semis of the 13-team, two-day tourney at the high school.

(Press Staff Photo)

For victory over Falconer:

## Intelligent basketball works for Warriors

**FALCONER** — Rebounding and a return to a defense that did not work at first paced Salamanca to a 57-47 victory last night over Falconer in a Chautauqua-Cattaraugus Interscholastic Athletic Conference basketball game.

The win was the second for the Warriors in eight tries on the season.

"Our consistent pounding of the boards (a 38-22 advantage) really helped as six or seven times we would get six shots at the basket throughout the game," coach Pete Weishan said.

"We started with our 1-3-1 defense and that did not work at first but it did later. We were down by as much as 11 points in the first quarter but then we went back to the 1-3-1 and got some quick steals for baskets."

The Warriors trailed by 18-9 after the first quarter and then took a 20-9 second period bulge for a 29-27 halftime lead. They increased that to 45-34 after three quarters and won by 10 points.

"I am very pleased with our performance," said Weishan. "Everybody worked together well. Falconer played a zone for most of the game and we attacked it real well, considering we hadn't played for 10 days. But then they changed to a man-to-man and we had more trouble than I anticipated; we just didn't run our plays like we should have."

The Warriors, on their 1-3-1 defense, picked up 12 steals as Bob Crandall stole four and Jerry Sutton three.

"In the first quarter" said Weishan, "nothing seemed to drop for us, although we seemed to move the ball real well. But the second quarter we really picked up on our fast break to get some points on the board and we took advantage of the steals."

"This was the first game I was really

happy that we kept our heads," he added. "The majority of the game, we played thinking basketball. We finally combined offense and fast-break and the smart fast-break; when he had it, we took it, and when we didn't, we pulled it out. We also held the ball to the end of a couple quarters and made the shot with about five seconds to go. We just played intelligent basketball."

Senior Sutton led the team with 14 points, including four of five from the free throw line, and paced the team with 10 rebounds. Bob Crandall, who scored nine of the team's 20 second quarter points when he made all five of his free throws for the game, added 13 points and six rebounds.

Russ Granger, selected as the game's MVP by the radio station covering the game, netted 10 points while third with eight rebounds. Chris Myer had nine rebounds and eight points as Ralph Tomblin also poured in eight points.

Crandall led the team in the second quarter while the rest of the scorers were evenly paced throughout the game, something Weishan is pleased with.

"We've had rounded scoring all year," he said, "and that is good because the other team can't key on one person."

Weishan went with a taller starting lineup than he has in the past as Granger and Tomblin started as guards, Crandall and Myers were the forwards and Sutton the center.

"I went with a bigger starting lineup," said Weishan. "We had the height so we took advantage of it. Those five worked together real well in the second and third quarters."

Individually, Weishan credited the following: Tomblin — "He played the point and baseline on defense and took

charge of the team when he was out there," Crandall — "He got some great rebounds, some good steals and he anticipated well," Myers — "He did a great job on the boards, giving us some important second and third shots. He gave us a lift when a couple of driving lay-ups when Falconer played man-to-man," and Sutton — "He did a fine job picking up on the Falconer mistakes (two or three for easy baskets) and when he did not get the rebound, he tipped the ball away from Falconer and to us."

The varsity was psyched for the game as they were rooting wholeheartedly for the JVs and then the freshmen stopped in on their way back from Southwestern to help the cheering during the varsity game.

"We had the home court advantage on somebody else's court," said Weishan.

"It's about time we got a win with all of our losses," he went on, "and I hope they keep sticking with it. This could be the start of a turn-around but we will know more when we play Southwestern."

"That game was the beginning of an 11-game, 26 day schedule for the Warriors as they host Southwestern Tuesday, are at Portville Wednesday and then travel to Fredonia Friday.

Salamanca			Falconer			
G	F	T	G	F	T	
Tomblin	4	0	8	Boardman	0	0
Granger	5	0	10	Butman	0	1
Crandall	4	5	13	Conti	5	4
Myers	4	0	8	Edborg	0	0
Sutton	5	4	14	Lodestro	2	4
Pavlock	0	0	0	Martin	1	6
Johnson	2	0	4	Sadowski	0	2
Quattrone	0	0	0	Short	0	1
				Steppe	5	3
	24	19	57		13	21

Scoring by quarters:  
Salamanca 9 20 16 12—57



**ACTIONS SPEAK LOUDER** — Although his helmet strap is covering his mouth, Salamanca's Marty Redeye doesn't have to say anything as he showed with his actions by deciding Mark Darrow of Olean, 8-2, in this heavyweight bout last night. Redeye is one of five Warrior wrestlers in the semi-finals today in the Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament. (Press Staff Photo)

## Three Tigers key Limestone

### CLASSIC STANDINGS

	W	L
Franklinville	6	0
Limestone	4	2
West Valley	3	2
Ellicottville	3	2
Hinsdale	2	3
Little Valley	2	4
Cattaraugus	0	7

**Friday's Results**  
Franklinville 83, Cattaraugus 36  
Limestone 52, Hinsdale 38  
West Valley at Ellicottville, p.p.d. to today.

**HINSDALE** — Helped by three players in double figures, Limestone coasted to a 52-38 win over Hinsdale last night in a Cattaraugus County Class C league basketball game.

The visitors held the Bobcats to only 12 first half points but the Bobcats closed that by the end of the third, 34-28. The Tigers then pulled away in the fourth as they outscored Hinsdale, 18-10.

Limestone was led by the shooting of John Wentworth, Al Blum and Tom Kightlinger teaming up in the game for 45 of the Tigers 52 points for the night. Blum, who made four shots from the floor, connected on eight more points from the line.

Hinsdale, which made only 15 field

goals for the evening, was led by the scoring of Danny Larson who netted 14 points with David Wagner adding nine in a losing matter.

In JV competition, Hinsdale got by Limestone, 48-42.

Limestone			Hinsdale			
G	F	T	G	F	T	
Kightlinger	4	2	10	Larson	5	4
Kessel	1	0	2	Callahan	1	2
Blum	4	8	16	Thompson	2	0
Buchanan	0	0	0	Charles	3	0
Wentworth	8	3	19	Wagner	4	1
Benjamin	1	2	4	DeFiore	0	1
Abrams	1	2	4			
	19	14	52		15	38

Scoring by quarters:  
Limestone 10 18 6 18—52  
Hinsdale 6 6 16 10—38

## Frosh drop by 52-29 to Southwestern

**LAKEWOOD** — The Salamanca Freshmen were never in the game as they dropped a 52-29 decision to South-