

Salamanca Republican-Press

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1979

Welcome to the
1979



Another proud showcase of top talent

By PHIL AMEELE
Press Sports Editor

Another late weekend in January has rolled around and welcome to the ninth annual Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament.

The key to a tourney's success, especially one with such scope and prestige as this one, is a continual high quality of competition, a driving force behind the scenes and the ability to withstand any hardships.

To say that the Salamanca Invitational has had its hardships is almost putting it mildly. Two years ago, the 'Blizzard of '77' wreaked havoc across Western New York a day before teams were supposed to arrive.

A lot of frantic calling and re-scheduling led to seven teams making the trek, and two wrestlers hitchhiked from Southwestern, as the abbreviated tourney was cut to one day but the quality of wrestling was not diminished.

Last year the snows hit again, forcing five of the 18 schools to drop out as several schools were closed that Friday and the forecast was for high winds.

But again, the quality of competition and showcase of talent from across the state fought to give the tourney what it deserves—high marks from officials, coaches, participants and fans who rate it as one of the best tournaments in the state, on an even par with Intersectionals and the state meet.

Much of that credit goes to Tournament Director George Whitcher who coached the local team until 1973. Since then, he has been the driving force behind keeping the tourney one of the best. He has continually pruned, abridged and improved not just the quality of competition but the format of the tournament.

Two examples of the high quality brought to the Southern Tier include 1972 when Peru, from Herkimer County made the 420 mile bus trip and brought a string of 113 straight dual meets; and last year when two schools with the longest win

streaks in the state competed—Pioneer was riding a string of 67 dual meet wins and Olean 40.

That tradition has continued as Olean, champions for the past three years, is bringing its 55 dual meet record to town while Athens, Pa., just had its 45 straight string snapped last week.

Olean is 8-0 this season while Geneseo is 5-0 and are the only undefeated teams in competition. But eight more have only one loss to total a combined mark of 56-8 for 10 of the 18 teams.

All in all, the field has a combined mark of 91 wins, 43 losses and one tie.

And when talking about individuals, one will see a total of 19 unbeaten wrestlers (with at least four decisions) this weekend.

Two of the hottest weight classes by far are 114 and 179 pounds. The 114 class has Clair Anderson of Olean with his 15-0 slate this season and Scott Webster of Athens with his 14-0 record looking for a collision course.

Webster was moved down from 121 pounds to face the challenge and Olean coach Mike Foster reports Anderson is certainly looking forward to it.

The other high point has Salamanca's Dan Ciolek carrying his 14-1 record to the test against Williamsville East's Mark Migulski with an 11-0 record. Ciolek picked up his first 13

Other undefeateds include Sweet Home's David Buccetto (5-0) at 93 pounds; Notre Dame's Pat Hughes (5-0) at 100; Maple Grove's Bill Hettrick (10-0), Geneseo's Dana Richard (5-0) and Portville's Dan Kennedy (5-0) at 107; Notre Dame's Scott Sheehan (7-0) and Geneseo's Dan Carman (5-0) at 121; Wellsville's Allen Foote (10-0-1) at 134; Geneseo's Paul Richard (5-0) at 140; Geneseo's Don Carman (5-0) at 147; Cassadaga Valley's Steve Bower (4-0) at 157; Portville's Mark Jaekle (16-0) at 169; Salamanca's Marty Redeye (15-0) at heavyweight; and Salamanca's Pete Lee (11-0) and



GEORGE WHITCHER

will be competing.

And, look for many of these wrestlers to be back as of the 234 participants, only 78 are seniors. The rest include 63 juniors, 67 sophomores, 21 freshmen and five eighth graders. Geneseo's Chris Sica (4-0) at unlimited.

Top competition? Interesting match-ups? Definitely yes to both questions and it makes for some of the top wrestling that cannot be seen elsewhere as teams from three different scholastic sections of New York and one from Pennsylvania

Could this be Salamanca's year?

By PHIL AMEELE
Press Sports Editor

This is next year for Salamanca High wrestling.

And next year, watch out!

The Warriors finished a strong seventh (out of 13 teams) in last year's Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament and should do better than that this weekend.

The squad, coached by Larry Reynolds, has compiled a 6-1 dual meet record thus far, placed fourth out of 20 teams in the Geneseo Invitational and won the Campbell Tournament so far—all with a team that lists one senior, 10 juniors, two sophomores and a freshman in its starting lineup.

Last season, the team was 9-6 in duals with mostly sophomores who were learning the ins and outs. They took their lumps, yes, but did have some fine performances as seven qualified for the Intersectionals.

Now they are back with the experience and confidence as evidenced with six wrestlers in the double figure status in wins while four others could hit that this weekend.

The lone senior is co-captain Randy Dry, with a 14-2 record at 121 pounds, and above him in the weights are nine juniors—two unbeaten and one other with just one loss.

Dry, a senior, finished fourth in last year's Invitational while co-captain Marty Redeye took a fourth at heavyweight and Pete Lee, also a junior, won his second straight title at unlimited.

Redeye is carrying a 15-0 mark this season and won a niche in Salamanca High history as he picked up a pin last Saturday to insure the Warriors their first win over Portville in many years.

Lee, who does not get much action during the season because of a dearth of heavier wrestlers, still has compiled an 11-0 record although some of them have been in exhibition bouts.

Dan Ciolek, who has been wrestling at 169 and 179, went through his first 14 bouts undefeated and registered 11 pins along the way. He needs one more to tie his brother, Tom, for most pins in a season.

The fourth junior in that double figure category is Mike LaPresto at 134 pounds. He has a 14-2 record.

Those five—Dry, LaPresto, Ciolek, Redeye and Lee—powered the team to only the second tourney win in the school's history at Campbell in mid-December.

Three other Warriors made it to the finals of that eight-team tourney as Mike Budzinski, Chris LoPresto and Bernie Conlan all picked up seconds.

In early January, the team participated in its second Geneseo tourney and, for the second straight year, missed third place by one-half point. Palmyra-Macedon, York and Geneseo were above Salamanca in the 20-team tourney.

Taking Warrior firsts there were Ciolek, Redeye and Lee



LARRY REYNOLDS
Fifth year Warrior coach

while Dry and Mike LoPresto gained seconds. Chris LoPresto took a fifth, George Metzler seventh with George Bryant and Todd Bullers each placing eighth.

Chris LoPresto is a freshman who has the other top record at 11-5-1. He has been wrestling at 100 pounds but has been giving up quite a bit of weight, and height, so has moved to 93 pounds for this weekend.

The remaining Salamanca juniors are Metzler at 107 pounds with a 9-3 mark, Bryant at 128 and an 8-3 record, Jeff Earley at 140 with a 9-4 record, Mike Budzinski at 147 and a 6-6 slate, Bullers at 157 with an 8-5 posting and Ned Watson at 179 with a 6-5 record.

Rounding out the host team are sophomores Bernie Conlan at 100 pounds with a 5-4 record and Jamie Reynolds at 114 with a 2-3 mark.

Salamanca began this season at Gowanda by looking sharp as they lost only three matches in a 48-15 decision. The team had five pins with Dry picking up the fastest one in 52 seconds in his 126 pound bout.

Next came Fredonia and the Warriors made little work in disposing of them, 56-9, as they lost one bout on a decision and one by a forfeit. Earley, Ciolek, Bullers and Redeye gained

pins there with Ciolek taking his man to the mat in just 23 seconds.

The Campbell Tournament win by the Warriors took the schools there by surprise as Salamanca was not given much of a chance. However, they sent the eight to the finals in winning by 64½ points.

Next, it was juniors Earley and Budzinski who keyed the team to a narrow, 30-24, win over Southwestern. Budzinski took his man down in 31 seconds while Earley gained a decision. Redeye and Ciolek were the other Warrior pinners.

Following that was the Geneseo tourney as Ciolek picked up two more pins, to give him nine out of 10 wins, as he and Redeye upped their marks to 10-0 while Lee went to 8-0.

Then came Salamanca's only dual meet loss thus far as they traveled to Wellsville for an afternoon assembly. Wellsville took four straight wins in the middle weights but the Warriors won three of the last four bouts in the close, 26-23, loss.

A double-dual meet was next on the schedule and the Red and Grey had little trouble in disposing of Allegany, 47-6, in the afternoon and Frewsburg, 37-12, in the evening.

Ciolek, Redeye and Lee combined for five pins in their five matches while Watson also picked up two pins on the day. Other Warrior double winners were Conlan, Chris LoPresto, Metzler, Dry, Bryant, Earley and Bullers.

The top three each gained pins against Frewsburg while the team totaled nine against Allegany.

Next came what Reynolds described as "one of Salamanca's best wins ever!"—the 25-21 decision over Portville last Saturday. The Warriors won nine of the 14 bouts, including two exhibitions, as Redeye and Lee gained the pins.

(Continued on p. 14)

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Chris LoPresto	Freshman	11-5-1
100	Bernie Conlan	Sophomore	5-4
107	George Metzler	Junior	9-3
114	Jamie Reynolds	Sophomore	2-3
121	Randy Dry	Senior	14-2
128	George Bryant	Junior	8-3
134	Mike LoPresto	Junior	14-2
140	Jeff Earley	Junior	9-4
147	Mike Budzinski	Junior	6-6
157	Todd Bullers	Junior	8-5
169	Dan Ciolek	Junior	14-1
179	Ned Watson	Junior	6-5
HWT	Marty Redeye	Junior	15-0
UNL	Pete Lee	Junior	11-0

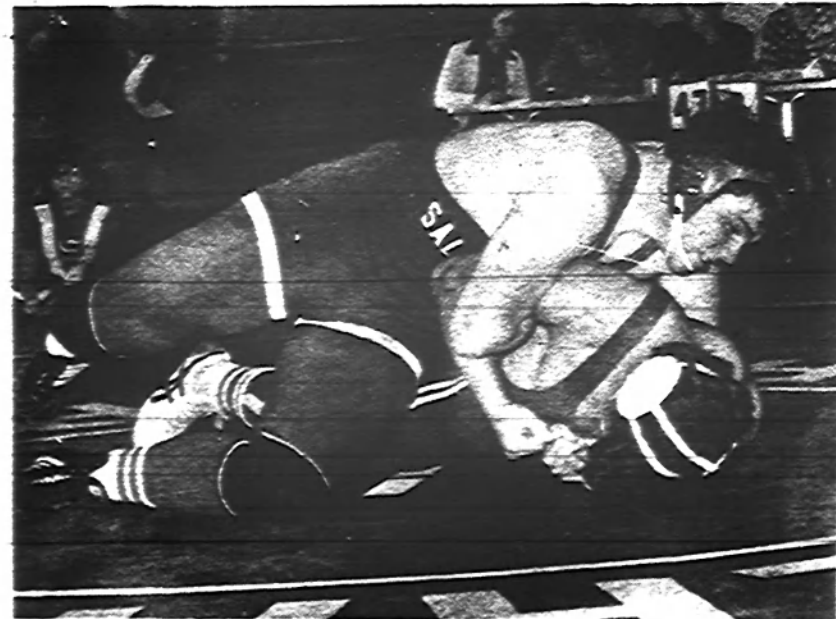
WARRIOR WRESTLERS, 1979



DAN CIOLEK: 169 pounds, Junior



MARTY REDEYE: Heavyweight, Junior



PETE LEE: Unlimited, Junior

Good Luck Warriors
THE MARK
FASHION SHOP For Men
SALAMANCA, N.Y.

GOOD LUCK WARRIORS
Lee's Wine & Liquor
7 Atlantic St.
Open 10 - 9 Ph. 945-3050

WARRIOR WRESTLERS, 1979



TODD BULLERS: 157 pounds, Junior



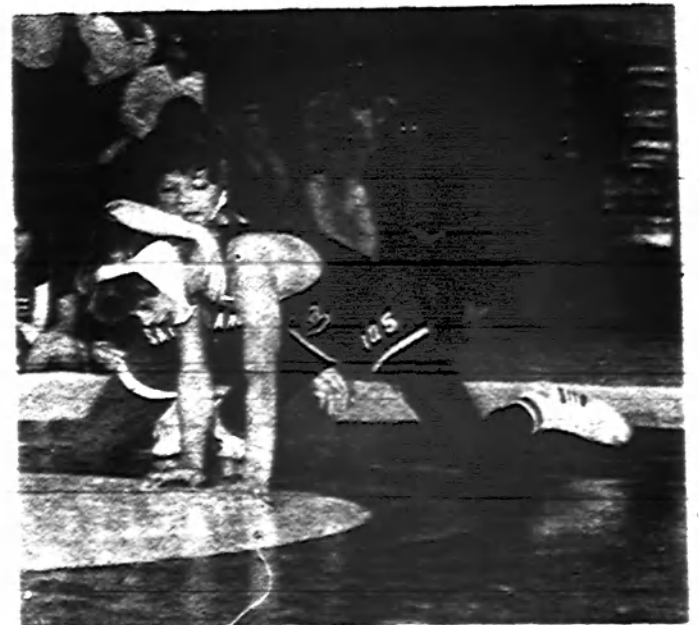
GEORGE METZLER: 107 pounds, Junior



MIKE LOPRESTO: 134 pounds, Junior



NED WATSON: 179 pounds, Junior



BERNIE CONLAN: 100 pounds, Sophomore

Best Wishes to
Warrior Wrestlers ...
SALAMANCA MOTORS
FORD & MERCURY

WARRIOR WRESTLERS, 1979



MIKE BUDZINSKI: 147 pounds, Junior



GEORGE BRYANT: 128 pounds, Junior



RANDY DRY: 121 pounds, Senior



CHRIS LOPRESTO: 93 pounds, Freshman



Seneca Lanes
Fri. night Fish Fries
Live Music in Lounge
Every Fri., Sat. & Sun. nights

790 Broad St., Salamanca
Phone 945-4080

Cattaraugus hits tough competition

CATTARAUGUS — The Big Red started out the season with three wins in four dual meets. However they have run into some very tough competition in mid-season and have dropped to a 3-5 record.

The team picked up a fourth place finish in the Cuba Holiday Tournament and a eight place in last Saturday's Franklinville Invitational Tournament.

Cattaraugus has beaten Pine Valley, Gowanda and Sherman while suffering losses at the hands of Randolph, Cuba and two of the teams slated to compete in this years Salamanca Invitational — Wellsville and Allegany.

Wellsville, one of the strong teams listed for the tourney, easily handled the Big Red, 44-15.

"We'll go down to Salamanca with every intention to do our best," said Big Red coach Don Walter. "We'll give a first class effort to a first class tournament."

Mike Miller is the Big Red's top wrestler, posting a 12-3 mark. The senior was awarded most valuable wrestler honors in the Franklinville tourney, winning in the 169 pound class. In route to his victory, Miller scored two pins and a final round decision. He also picked up a second place in the Cuba tourney.

The only once beaten wrestler on the Cattarasugus squad is senior Mike Hill. The 157 pounder placed third in the Cuba tourney and fourth at Franklinville in route to his 10-1 record.

(continued on p. 14)



ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
100	John Rowley	Eighth Grade	2-8
107	Ken Dankert	Sophomore	3-5
114	Don Graser	Junior	7-4
121	Gary Gardiner	Junior	3-6
128	Kevin Walker	Junior	4-4
134			
140	Barry Wienk	Junior	2-7
147	Joel Dudley	Senior	8-3
157	Mike Hill	Senior	10-1
169	Mike Miller	Senior	12-3
179	John Wagner	Sophomore	3-8
HWT	Joe Frenz	Senior	8-3

CATTARAUGUS CONTINGENT — Members of the Cattaraugus Big Red wrestling team who will be competing this weekend are, front row from left, John Rowley, Ken Dankert, T.J. Graser, Gary Gardener, Kevin Walker, Randy Wienk, Barry

Wienk, Joel Dudley; and back row, Jay Pentharlow, Mike Bogardus, Mike Hill, Mike Miller, John Wagner and Joe Frenz. The team is coached by Don Walter. (Press Staff Photo)



**QUALITY FEED
FOR EVERY NEED**

Farm - Home - Lawn - Garden Supplies

Gramco, Inc.

Cattaraugus &
Little Valley 938-3391

Best Wishes Big Red
**CATTARAUGUS
LIQUOR**

3 Washington St. Cattaraugus, N.Y. 257-3764

Best of Luck to the Big Red

**MILLER &
WATERHOUSE INC.**

Cattaraugus, N.Y. 14719

Our Best Wishes

to

BIG RED

David W. Mattison, President



42 MAIN STREET CATTARAUGUS, N. Y. 14719
TELEPHONE: 257-3449

Mustangs young but are a tough team

MEDINA — After a two year absence due to weather conditions, Medina hopes to return to the Salamanca Invitational.

"It's a super tournament with great competition," said Medina coach Mike Crandall. "I hope it doesn't snow so we can make it."

The Mustangs are coming into the tournament with a very young squad, carrying only three seniors. The rest of the team consists of four juniors, five sophomores and two freshmen.

"We're a very young team," commented Crandall, "but we're real tough for as young as we are."

Tough and young they are, despite only having a 3-4-1 record at this writing. They did place fourth at the Amherst Invitational, two places behind another Salamanca-bound team from Sweet Home.

In the Amherst tournament, eight of the Mustangs placed in the top six. They also wrestled against area powerhouse Olean in a dual meet, losing by 43-10.

The team is led by the two senior co-captains 134 pounder Kirt Orsentreter and 179 pounder Steve Pettine.

Orsentreter took a first place in the Amherst tournament while carrying an 11-1 record. Taking second place in Amherst, Pettine has compiled a 10-2 record.

The third senior on the team is heavyweight Bob Bolschmenter, with a 7-6 record and a fourth place finish at Amherst.

The only Mustang underclassman to make it in to the finals of the Amherst Tournament was 93 pounder Tim Menz. The freshman lost in the finals, but has a good 8-1 record.

Another underclassman on the Mustang squad is 114 pound junior Mike Morelly, who placed fifth at Amherst while posting a 9-4 record.

Ed Ortiz, a 121 pound junior, has a 2-2 record. Wrestling at unlimited, Scott Lempke, a junior picked up a fourth place at Amherst and is 2-2 on the season.

In the 100 pound class, sophomore George Pogel has wrestled to a fifth place at Amherst and a 6-7 record. With a sixth place finish at Amherst, sophomore Dave Maiorana has compiled a 7-6 record. Sophomore Jerit ZanAker has a 3-7 record at 128.

Rounding out the Medina squad are junior Nestor Ortiz at

138; sophomores Jet! Green at 147 and Jamie Kelly at 157, and freshman Joe Maiorana.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Tim Menz	Freshman	8-1
100	George Pogel	Sophomore	6-7
107	Joe Maiorana	Freshman	—
114	Mike Morley	Junior	9-4
121	Ed Ortiz	Junior	2-2
128	Jerit ZanAker	Sophomore	3-7
134	Kirt Orsentreter	Senior	11-1
140	Nestor Ortiz	Junior	—
147	Jeff Green	Sophomore	—
157	Jamie Kelly	Sophomore	—
169	Dave Maiorana	Sophomore	7-6
179	Steve Pettine	Senior	10-2
HWT	Bob Bolschmenter	Senior	7-6
UNL	Scott Lempke	Junior	2-2

Pioneer down but showing well

The wrestling powerhouses of the past few years, is trying to get back on track this season as they return after a year's absence from the Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament.

The Panthers were the last team to win the title before Olean took over three years ago. Last January, the Panthers were unable to make the trip to Salamanca because of the wintry conditions.

Pioneer won the crown the first time in 1972, but since has fallen to the power of the Huskies.

This weekend may again prove to be difficult as Pioneer is forfeiting three weight classes—93 and 98 pounds and unlimited.

"We have a lot of young kids," said Pioneer coach Dick Post. "We have just 21 left on the squad but have wrestled well in some dual meets this year."

The Panthers bring a 6-1 record into the tourney and they have placed fourth at Caledonia-Mumford and seventh at Spencerport.

The three top Panther winners this season are freshman Daryl Rogers at 107 pounds and seniors Marvin Wilson at 128 and Jeff Pettit at 134.

Rogers, who won at Caledonia, is 11-1 while Wilson, 10-3-1, and Pettit, 11-3, both placed second — Wilson at Spencerport and Pettit at Caledonia.

Not too far behind is sophomore Jeff Owens with a 9-4 record at 114 pounds. Also, Scott Wolfer, a junior, is 8-6 at 121 pounds.

The rest of the squad consists of two seniors and four

seniors are Charles Smith, 6-4-1, at 140 pounds and Jim Devin, 2-0, at 169.

Juniors are David Green, 7-6-1, at 147 pounds, Richard Dabolt, 4-6, at 157; Ken Dabolt, 6-7, at 179; and Dale Hoffman, 6-7, at heavyweight.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
107	Daryl Rogers	Freshman	11-1
114	Jeff Owens	Sophomore	9-4
121	Scott Wolfer	Junior	8-6
128	Marvin Wilson	Senior	10-3-1
134	Jeff Pettit	Senior	11-3
140	Charles Smith	Senior	6-4-1
147	David Green	Junior	7-6-1
157	Richard Dabolt	Junior	4-6
169	Jim Devin	Senior	2-0
179	Ken Dabolt	Junior	6-7
HWT	Dale Hoffman	Junior	6-7

Tourney Scoring

A wrestling match may seem like a lot of action happening on the mat although sometimes, two wrestlers can go through the complete six minutes just rolling around.

But that rolling around on the mat can mean points for one of the participants while to the uninitiated, it is just a lot of, well, rolling around.

But there is scoring involved with takedowns, holds, reverses, penalties and escapes with all of that going to decide the winner of the match, if there is no pin.

For tournament competition, each team enters one wrestler in each weight class. Pairings for competition are decided by seeding prior to the start of the tourney.

In determining the seeds, the relative merits of each wrestler in terms of record, past performance and overall experience are considered. An attempt is made to determine the wrestlers in each weight class and place them in opposite brackets so the two best will, theoretically,

meet for the weight class championship.

With each win, the wrestler advances to the next bracket. Wrestlebacks were initiated in the Salamanca Invitational last year and seeding will be done by Tournament Director George Whitcher.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

Takedown	2 points
Escape	1 point
Reversal	2 points
Near fall	3 points
Predicament	2 points
Illegal hold	1 or 2 points to offended wrestler
Stalling	1 or 2 points to offended wrestler

TEAM SCORING

Advancement (upper bracket)	2 points
Advancement (Wrestlebacks)	1 point
Pin	2 points
Superior decision (by 12 or more points)	1 point
Major decision (by 8-11 points)	1/2 points
First place	16 points
Second place	12 points
Third place	9 points
Fourth place	7 points
Fifth place	5 points
Sixth place	3 points

Dragons seeing results

SINCLAIRVILLE — Returning to the Salamanca Invitational after a year's absence Cassadaga Valley is a team to be reckoned with, posting a 6-1 record.

The team, under coach Cliff Blom, has come a long way since their last Invitational appearance in 1977. The Dragons coming into the tourney that year, were 4-5. However, in just the two years, they have built themselves into a strong team with only one loss in their seven dual meets. That loss was handed to them by the returning champs to the tournament, Olean. Olean did beat the Dragons by a large score but there were quite a few close matches according to Blom.

The Dragons picked up one of their wins against Maple Grove, 30-20. Maple Grove is also slated for this year's tournament.

"We're quite a young team," said Blom, "but we expect some really good things in the next few years."

The Dragons are a young team, listing only four seniors, but it looks as if good things are starting to happen already, even from the underclassmen.

The three freshmen on the team have a combined mark of 14-2-1. Terry Norris is 6-1 this season. The 98 pounder placed second in the Maryvale Tournament.

At 140 pounds is Jim Beichner, also posting a 6-1 mark. One of the two undefeated wrestlers on the team is 107 pounder

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Terry Norris	Freshman	6-1
100	—	—	—
107	Brian Edwards	Freshman	2-0-1
114	Dave MacDonald	Sophomore	5-2
121	Kevin Weller	Junior	4-3
128	Kurt Blizzard	Sophomore	1-1
134	Doug Olmstead	Senior	3-3
140	Jim Beichner	Freshman	6-1
147	Dan Carlson	Senior	4-1
157	Steve Bower	Senior	4-0
169	Scott Wise	Senior	4-1-1
179	Rich Brichner	Sophomore	4-3
HWT	Brian Anderson	Junior	4-3

Brian Edwards with a 2-0-1 record. Steve Bower, the other undefeated wrestler, is 4-0 this season. The senior wrestles at 157 pounds.

Senior Dan Carlson is the Dragons' 147 pounder, a team co-captain at 4-1. The other co-captain is Kevin Weller. The junior is 4-3 in the 121 pound class.

Dave MacDonald, another one of the strong underclassmen on the squad, is 5-2 this season. The sophomore wrestles at 114 pounds.

**Congratulations to
All The Wrestlers**

May your tournament be a winner

TEXAS HOT LUNCH

69 Main St., Salamanca

**Good Luck Warriors
BENNY CALABRO**

**Crist Restaurant & Central Lanes
189 Central Ave., Salamanca**

Huskies eyeing fourth straight crown

OLEAN — Can anyone beat Olean? That is the question which has been asked, not only since the Huskies began their string of Salamanca Invitational wins three years ago, but 55 dual meets ago.

That is how long the Huskies have been unbeaten in dual meets as coach Mike Foster continually develops a program that is not only well-known in Western New York but throughout the state.

And, Olean brings an 8-0 mark into this ninth annual Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament, in which they have taken the crown for the last three years.

Olean had six individual winners last year, along with four others in the finals, as they easily out-distanced Sweet Home by over 50 points.

Named as outstanding wrestler last January was 105 pounder Clair Anderson who will be back to defend his achievement. As a sophomore last year, he brought a 7-0 mark here and raised that to 16-0. This year, he is riding at 15-0, with first place finishes in the Canandaigua and Baldwinsville tourneys, and has to be rated an excellent chance of retaining his championship.

However, he faces Scott Webster, 16-0, of Athens, Pa. Webster was moved down from his original 119 weight so the two could hopefully meet in the finals.

Anderson was named the tourney's outstanding wrestler last time as he picked up four wins and was seeded second.

and at 105 last year, while competing at 114 this.

Another champion back is senior Kirk Stephen, carrying a 13-1 record at 169 pounds this year. Kevin Forrest, titlist last year at 126 pounds, is forced to miss this year because of illness.

Other Huskies who placed last year included Bill Thomas at 140, Rick Fie at 179 and Jack Quigley at unlimited with seconds while Robbie Parks was third at 147.

Thomas, 12-4, and Fie, 12-3, are both seniors while Parks,

14-2, and Quigley, 8-3, are both sophomores.

The eight seniors listed for the starting line-up have a combined record of 86 wins and 24 losses while the two juniors are 29-2 and the three sophomores are 30-8.

"We have a senior dominated team but the young kids are doing the job for us," said Foster. "We are solid all the way through and all can do a good job. Everything so far has been a team effort."

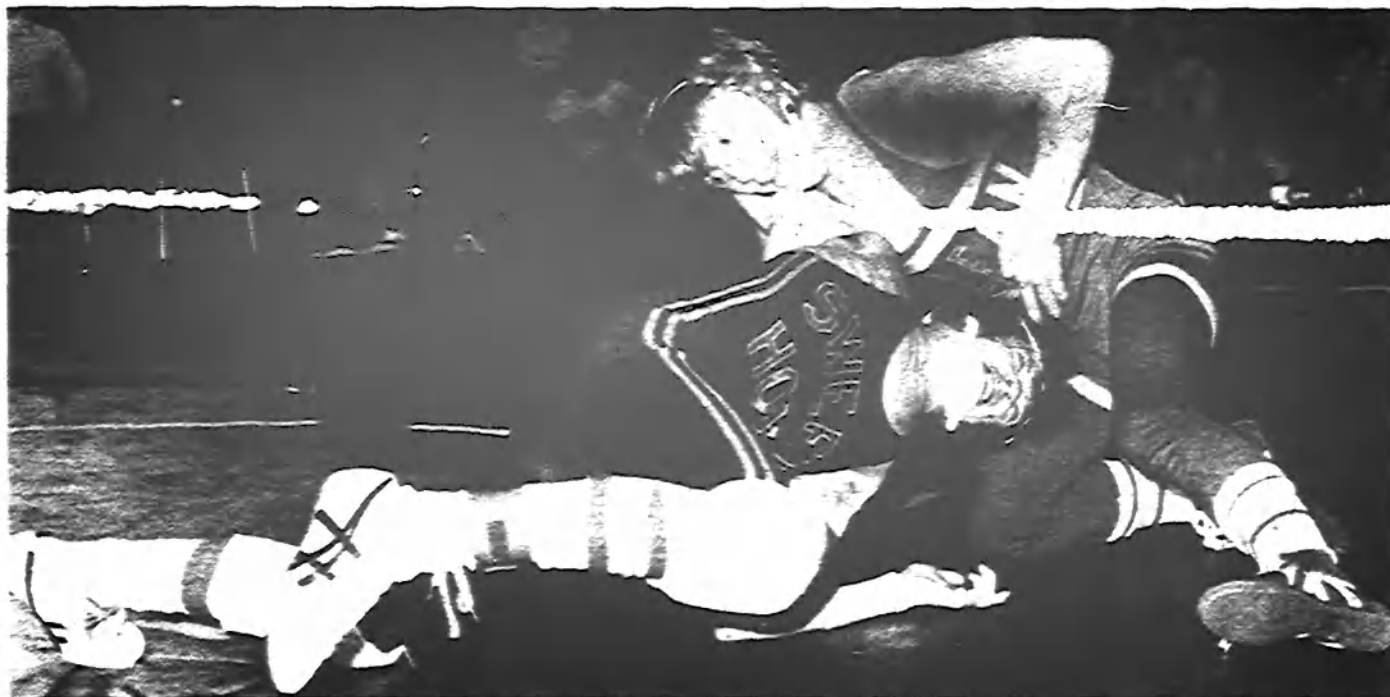
Stephen added a win at Baldwinsville to his credit, as did George Pancio, a 126 pound senior who brings a 14-2 mark this weekend.

Rounding out the 10 Huskies who have won in double figures are 100-pounder Bruce Taylor, a junior with a 14-2 record; Andy Taylor, a senior with an 11-3 mark at 121 pounds; Joe Silluzio, a 134 pound senior with an 11-4 record; and Mark Darrow, a 179 pound senior with a 12-4 log.

The rest of the squad rounds out with sophomore John Hickey (8-3) at 93 pounds, freshman Chuck Irving (5-8) at 107 and senior Paul Clark (1-3) at 179.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	John Hickey	Sophomore	8-3
100	Bruce Taylor	Junior	14-2
107	Chuck Irving	Freshman	5-8
114	Clair Anderson	Junior	15-0
121	Andy Taylor	Senior	11-3
128	George Pancio	Senior	14-2
134	Joe Silluzio	Senior	11-4
140	Bill Thomas	Senior	12-4
147	Robbie Parks	Sophomore	14-2
157	Rick Fie	Senior	12-3
169	Kirk Stephen	Senior	13-1
179	Paul Clark	Senior	1-3
HWT	Mark Darrow	Senior	12-4
UNL	Jack Quigley	Sophomore	8-3



(Press Staff Photo)

LAST YEAR'S MVP — Olean's Clair Anderson is shown during last year's Invitational in which he was named the tourney's top wrestler while taking honors in the 105 pound class. This year, the junior brings a 15-0 record into the 114 weight class as the Huskies try for their fourth straight team title.

FOR YOUR BANKING CONVENIENCE,

Our main office is open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday; Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The mall office is open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily Monday through Friday and open Saturdays from 9 a.m.-12 noon.

**We wish the Warriors
a successful season**



**FIRST TRUST
UNION BANK**

SALAMANCA

- ★ RANDOLPH ★ FRANKLINVILLE
- ★ YORKSHIRE ★ OLEAN
- ★ ANGELICA ★ BELFAST ★ BOLIVAR
- ★ FRIENDSHIP ★ WELLSVILLE ★ CANASERAGA ★ CUBA

**MEMBER F.D.I.C. - MEMBER SECURITY
NEW YORK STATE CORP.**

*Best Wishes
To All The Teams*



From
**JOHN ASH
CLEANERS**

316 W. State

617 W. State

Olean, N.Y.

Phone 372-6060

Saints strong in a rebuilding season

CHURCHVILLE — The Churchville-Chili Saints are going through a rebuilding year, having lost half of last year's starters. They seem to be doing a pretty good job of it though as the team has a 6-3 record and has placed well in a couple of tournaments.

The team placed fifth in the Monroe County tourney and second in its own Churchville-Chili Christmas Tournament held this season.

"We're a young team with a lot of sophomores," said Saints coach Rufus Maxfield. "That's why we're looking forward to the tournament — the competition really helps make us ready for the sectionals."

Returning to the Salamanca Invitational for the Saints is Doug Court, a 98 pound sophomore with an 11-2 record. Court placed second in the Monroe tourney and won the C-C tourney. He also placed second in the Section V Class AA sectionals last season.

Posting a 12-4 record this season in the 112 class is Jeff Bumbargar, last year's 98 pound AA sectional winner who will move up to compete in the 105 pound class for the Invitational. The sophomore picked up a first in the C-C tourney and a third in the Monroe County.

Kirt Bumbargar, a senior will be weighing in for the 126 pound match. He holds a 9-3 record with a second place finish at Monroe and a third in the C-C tourney.

One of the two Saints is returning that placed last year is senior Neil Thomas. Thomas took a fourth, filling in at 167 in the tourney. One of four co-captains, he placed second in the Monroe tourney and third at C-C at 132.

Scott Trainor, the 138 pound junior co-captain, placed third at C-C and fifth in the Monroe County tourney to up his season's record to 12-4.

Senior Rick Wilson has an 8-7 record. The co-captain placed third in the Monroe tourney.

The other returner who placed last year is senior captain Doug Wheeler. Holding a 12-3 record, he placed first in the C-C tourney and second at Monroe. Last year he placed second at the invitational while scoring an impressive 21 pins throughout the season.

Coming to the Invitational for the first time to round out the Saints squad are 91 pound freshman Craig Trainor with a 2-5 record and Daryl Sterzelbach in his sophomore year who has a 12-5 record with a third place in the C-C tourney and fourth at Monroe.

Chuck Collins and Paul Rickner will wrestle-off to fill the 119 pound spot. Both are sophomores and have 2-6 records.

Sophomore Doug Baker will wrestle in the 155 pound class. He has a 4-6 record.

Dana Jacobs, a junior will wrestle at 167, coming into the tourney with a 4-4 record.

A third place finisher in the C-C tourney, senior Mike Masco has a 5-6 record.

Ed Hopkins is the last of the Saints entries, wrestling in the unlimited class. The junior has a 3-5 record.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Craig Trainor	Freshman	2-5
100	Doug Court	Sophomore	11-2
107	Jeff Bumbargar	Sophomore	12-4
114	Daryl Sterzelbach	Sophomore	12-5
121	Chuck Collins	Sophomore	2-6
	or		
	Paul Rickner	Sophomore	2-6
128	Kirt Bumbargar	Senior	9-3
134	Neil Thomas	Senior	10-5-1
140	Scott Trainor	Junior	12-4
147	Rick Wilson	Senior	8-7
157	Doug Baker	Sophomore	4-6
169	Dana Jacobs	Junior	4-4
179	Mike Masco	Senior	5-6
HWT	Doug Wheeler	Senior	12-3
UNL	Ed Hopkins	Junior	3-5

Junior returnees leading Trojans

LAKEWOOD — Leading this year's Southwestern squad in to the Salamanca Invitational are two juniors, Dave Proctor and Steve Swan, who placed first and second, respectively, last year.

Proctor won at 98 pounds last year with a 9-1 decision over Maple Grove's Bill Hettrick but they will not face each other this year as Proctor will be wrestling at 114 pounds where he has a 7-1 record, while Hettrick will be at 107.

Swan lost in the finals at 145 pounds last year to Bob Vogel of Sweet Home by an 8-6 decision. Swan this year is undefeated with a 7-0-1 record at 155 pounds.

This year's edition of the Trojans is rather young with only two seniors and four juniors. The two seniors are 128 pounder Ron Nelson and 167 pounder Dana Williams. Nelson has a 6-2 record while Williams is 5-3.

The juniors on the squad, along with Proctor and Swan, are Sean Mallory at 138 pounds and Rick Marotto at 132 pounds.

The brunt of the Trojans squad and their hopes for the future rest on the five sophomores. At 100 pounds, Doug Baer is 4-4, as is 179 pounder Doug Denn.

The other three sophomores are Nate Herring at 121, Scott Anderson at 147 and Brian Mallory wrestling at Heavyweight.

The only freshman on the team is 107 pounder Dave Hanson, with a 3-5 record.

The Trojans are 4-4 on the season.

"It's the finest tournament in the area," said Trojan coach Walt Thurnau. "We're pleased to be invited back".

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
100	Doug Baer	Sophomore	4-4
107	Dave Hanson	Freshman	3-5
114	Dave Proctor	Junior	7-1
121	Nate Herring	Sophomore	2-6
128	Ron Nelson	Senior	6-2
134	Rick Marotto	Junior	0-7
140	Sean Mallory	Junior	2-6
147	Scott Anderson	Sophomore	0-1
157	Steve Swan	Junior	7-0-1
169	Dana Williams	Senior	5-3
179	Doug Denn	Sophomore	4-4
HWT	Brian Mallory	Sophomore	3-5

Good Luck Warriors from **PAVIA'S AUTO PARTS, INC.**
26 MAIN ST.
SALAMANCA, N.Y.

WIN! WARRIORS WIN!
East End Barber Shop and Styling Room
Salamanca, N.Y.

REED'S DRIVE-IN
Home of the Super Subs
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs ... 59¢
Salamanca's Only Fast Food Restaurant
Inside Seating • Open for Breakfast
219 Broad St.
945-5399

Red Lantern
181 Center St. Salamanca, N.Y. Phone 945-5111
DINING ROOMS
Now Serving Lunches 11:30 to 2:00 P.M.
Mon. thru Fri.

Hot Beef Sandwiches Beef on Wyck
Hot Meatball Sandwiches Spaghetti & Meatballs
Italian Sausage Sandwiches

Specials:
Tues. & Thurs. Smorgasbord Luncheon
Fridays Fish Fries

Red Lantern Bar
with the Ultimate in Sound
Largest lighted dance floor in the area.

Wed. Night - "50¢ a drink" night
Thurs. Night - "Ladies Night" first drink 1¢ all others 50¢

Sound System Fri. Sat. & Sun. nights 9 P.M. till 2 A.M.

Maple Grove confident of top finish

BEMUS POINT — "We're super strong up to 128 pounds," said Maple Grove coach Dick Erico, "We're a good tourney team and everyone up to 128 will place."

It's very possible that Maple Grove will place all its wrestlers up to 128 pounds in this year's Salamanca Invitational as four of the wrestlers in those weight classes placed in last year's tourney as Maple Grove placed third overall.

The four returning that placed last year include 107 pounder Bill Hettrick, who finished second last year at 98. This year, the sophomore has a 10-0 record along with a fourth place finish in last year's state qualifier.

Junior Ken Keller finished fourth last year at Salamanca in the 91 pound class and also finished fourth in the state qualifier at 91. This year, at 114, he has a 5-4 record.

Probably the strongest wrestler on the Maple Grove squad is 121 pounder Joe Santilli. The junior finished third last year at Salamanca in the 112 pound class along with being the Section VI Class CC champ. He has compiled an impressive 59-13 record over his three years as a wrestler. This year he

has a 9-2 record, with most matches at either 126 or 132. Junior Vince Nalbhone has an 8-3 record this year at 128 pounds. He was fourth last year at Salamanca in the 105 pound class.

Rounding out those strong lower weights are two eighth graders coming to Salamanca for the first time. At 93 pounds is Mark Hettrick carrying an 8-1 record. He placed second in the state Junior Olympic competition. At 100 pounds, Andy Sharp has a 9-1-2 record with a fifth place finish in the Junior Olympic tourney.

The team has a 6-5 dual meet record this year, losing two of its matches by only one point. Another loss was handed them by last year's team winner in the Salamanca tourney, the very strong Olean squad. They won two of their matches against Allegany and Cassadaga Valley, both being in the Invitational this year.

Adding strength to the upper weights are senior Pat Krishock at 179 pounds, with an 8-2 record, and Ralph Gese, a 169 pound junior who has a 5-4-2 record.

Completing the Red Dragons roster are seniors Steve

Pulco at 134 and Ron See at Heavyweight; junior Keith Carlson at 147; and sophomore Barry Pfaff at 140 pounds.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Mark Hettrick	Eighth Grade	8-1
100	Andy Sharp	Eighth Grade	9-1-2
107	Bill Hettrick	Sophomore	10-1
114	Ken Keller	Junior	5-4
121	Joe Santilli	Junior	9-2
128	Vince Nalbhone	Junior	8-3
134	Steve Pulco	Senior	3-5
140	Barry Pfaff	Sophomore	3-8
147	Keith Carlson	Junior	3-8
157	—	—	—
169	Ralph Gese	Junior	5-4-2
179	Pat Krishock	Senior	8-2
HWT	Ron See	Senior	5-6

Young Blue Devils gaining experience

Invitational with a very young squad, carrying only four seniors.

"We're a young team and very inexperienced," said Blue Devils coach Charles Curley. "We've been getting clobbered but we're gaining experience all the time and the Salamanca Tournament will really help."

'Getting clobbered' they have compiled a 2-7 record. However, they did place fifth at the Cuba Wrestling Tournament and do have a few wrestlers with good marks.

Leading the Blue Devils are three of their four seniors. At 140 pounds, Eric Nannen holds a 9-2-1 record with a third place at Cuba, losing out to the second seed.

Tony Crisafulli has an 8-3 record in the 147 pound class. The third senior is John Capozzi, wrestling at 179 pounds with a 7-2 record and a second place at Cuba.

The other senior is Dan McGranaghan with a 2-6 record in the 167 pound class.

Wrestling in the unlimited class is junior Tom Monroe with a 2-1 record.

Rounding out the Blue Devils squad are juniors Steve Kline

at 157 and Brian Nannen at 134, sophomores Mark Bell at heavyweight, Jeff Scacchi at 121 and Dave Barton at 107;

freshmen Peter Crisafulli at 134, Carl Marlett at 100, and Rod Gardner at 93; and eighth grader Dave Ulman at 114.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Rod Gardner	Freshman	1-7
100	Carl Marlett	Freshman	0-8
107	Dave Barton	Sophomore	2-7
114	Dave Ulman	Eighth Grade	0-6
121	Jeff Scacchi	Sophomore	5-7
128	Brian Nannen	Junior	3-8
134	Peter Crisafulli	Freshman	0-7
140	Eric Nannen	Senior	9-2-1
147	Tony Crisafulli	Senior	8-3
157	Steve Kien	Junior	5-5
169	Dan McGranaghan	Senior	2-6
179	John Capozzi	Senior	7-2
HWT	Mark Bell	Sophomore	1-5
UNL	Tom Monroe	Junior	2-1



Good Luck Warriors
BAQ
AMUSEMENT CO. and EMPLOYEES
Salamanca, N.Y.
Complete Line Vending and Amusement Games
and Foosball Tables Homestyle and
Coin Operated
Phone 945-4110
ASK FOR FRED


*Welcome to
Salamanca*
Open 24 Hours Daily
For Your Dining Pleasure
EDLEE
RESTAURANT

At True Value Hardware,
it's not just the name, it's
our way of doing business.

At Biscup's True Value,
service is part of our way of
doing business.

Need advice?

Come to us for

- plumbing
- electrical
- automotive
- decorative home painting

The Area's Most Complete Hardware Store

BISCUP'S TRUE VALUE
HARDWARE STORE

25 Church St. Phone 945-2710 Salamanca, N.Y.

Portville boasting two undefeateds

PORTVILLE — A first place in the Tri-County Tournament at Cuba and two undefeated wrestlers bouy the Portville squad but they will be looking for a little revenge this weekend.

The Panthers came to Salamanca last weekend and lost a dual meet, 25-21. Now, this may not seem like much but it was the first time the Pantners had lost to Salamanca in a good number of years (some say 16). But it was especially gratifying to Salamana coach Larry Reynolds, a graduate of Portville who is in his fifth year at the Warrior helm.

Portville won three of the first five bouts last Saturday but just two of the last five as the winner was not decided until the heavyweight match.

That was the third loss of the season for coach Lyn Sturdevant's squad this season but they have six wins, to go along with that first at Cuba, and a seventh place finish at Emporium, Pa.

The two undefeated grapplers are Mark Jaekel, with a 16-0 mark at 169 pounds, and Dan Kennedy, with a 5-0 record at 107. Jaekel captured first in both tourneys and last season, placed second in this Invitational and first in sectionals.

Kennedy is a junior but another junior, Mike Emley, may get the nod as he is 2-3 for the season.

Panthers captain is Norm Grabbit, a senior at 114 pounds who placed fifth at last year's Salamanca tourney and fourth in sectionals at 105. Now at 9-2, he was second at Cuba and third at Emporium.

Dave Gleason is just a sophomore but brings a 14-2 mark this weekend with a first at Cuba and sixth at Emporium while finishing second in last year's sectionals.

Senior Steve Blue carries a 9-5 record as he was fourth in Salamanca last year while third at Cuba and sixth at Emporium this year. Sophomore George Blurton (8-4) at 157 also placed first in the Tri-County.

Sophomore Mark Cox (5-8) was the other Panther to take a first in the Tri-County, at 134 pounds, but he and junior Bobby Gary (3-9) may switch weights for this tourney.

Sophomore John Dubots (7-6) took a third at Cuba at 179 while junior Bob McBride (4-7) took a fourth.

The rest of the Panther line-up has junior Greg Christopher (4-4) at 147 pounds and freshmen Tom Kennedy (8-3) at 93, Don Powell (6-4) at 100 and Ricky Mott (1-6) at unlimited.

"We are a young team but are looking forward to finishing in the top five," said Sturdevant. "It's nice to have two tourneys under our belts and I feel the team is constantly improving from match to match."

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Tom Kennedy	Freshman	8-3
100	Don Powell	Freshman	6-4
107	Dan Kennedy	Junior	5-0
	or		
	Mick Emley	Junior	2-3
114	Norm Grabbit	Senior	9-2
121	Steve Blue	Senior	9-5
128	Dave Gleason	Sophomore	14-2
134	Mark Cox	Sophomore	5-8
140	Bobby Gary	Junior	3-9
147	Greg Christopher	Junior	4-4
157	George Blurton	Sophomore	8-4
169	Mark Jaekle	Senior	16-0
179	John Dubots	Sophomore	7-6
HWT	Bob McBride	Junior	4-7
UNL	Ricky Mott	Freshman	1-6

First-timer Athens a strong entity

ATHENS, Pa. — Things have not gone too well lately for the Athens Bulldogs.

The major disappointment occurred last week as the Bulldogs' skein of 45 straight dual meet victories came to an end against Waverly, N.Y. That was the first loss but the squad rebounded to start another streak as they downed Wyalusing, Pa.

But the Bulldogs of coach Nick Grago come to their first Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament rated as one of the top favorites — along with Olean, Wellsville and Churchville-Chili.

One reason, or rather many, is that the Bulldogs have 10 wrestlers with at least 10 wins. And leading those is, Scott Webster.

The junior, bringing a 16-0 record (not counting this past week's match), has been moved down to 114 pounds to hopefully set up a match between him and Clair Anderson (15-0) of Olean. Webster finished second in the Pennsylvania state tournament last season.

"We have good team balance but no outstanding wrestler," said Grago, "although Webster and (Jim) Bender have shown well. We have more team balance than we did last year and are a good, sound dual meet team."

Bender, a senior, brings his 15-3 record into the 134 pound class and is one of eight seniors listed in Grago's starting lineup.

"We are strong through the middle," said Grago, "and really sound from 114 to 147 pounds. We look to do fairly well and this tournament gives us a great opportunity for added competition and exposure."

Athens went against Pioneer in the Spencerport Tournament, but other than that, is new to the competition in this area. They normally wrestle against Pennsylvania schools and all Elmira schools.

Webster finished first in the Spencerport tourney while Bender was second.

Senior Eric Walter has compiled as many wins as Webster but has dropped two decisions at 147 pounds. Three others have 15 victories and they include 100 pound junior Manley Frisbie (15-4), 107 pound sophomore Bob Johnson (15-4) and 128 pound senior Greg Shuman (15-3).

Rounding out the double-figure winners are 13-3 Gary Webster, a senior at 121 pounds; 12-5 senior Sneed Shattuck at 157; 14-3 senior Mark Wolcott at 169; and 10-5 junior Alan Ervin at unlimited.

The rest of the line-up has two with 5-2 marks — senior John Testen at heavyweight and sophomore Phil Shaffer at 93 — while 179 pound junior Jeff Knecht has no record.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Phil Shaffer	Sophomore	5-2
100	Manley Frisbie	Junior	13-4
107	Bob Johnson	Sophomore	14-3
114	Scott Webster	Junior	14-0
121	Gary Webster	Senior	12-2
128	Greg Shuman	Senior	13-3
134	Jim Bender	Senior	14-2
140	John Bennett	Senior	2-2
147	Eric Walter	Senior	14-2
157	Sneed Shattuck	Senior	10-5
169	Mark Wolcott	Senior	12-3
179	Jeff Knecht	Junior	—
HWT	John Testen	Senior	4-1
UNL	Alan Ervin	Junior	10-5



WRESTLING

**HAMPSHIRE
KNITTING MILLS
OUTLET**
890 Broad St. Ext.

We're with you
Warriors
All the Way!

THE C.A. LOUNSBURY CO.

5 Broad St., Salamanca

**Good Luck Panthers
from
PARISH HARDWARE**
"Your Complete
Hardware Store"
Portville, N.Y.

Good Luck to the Panthers
 *Deliciously Different*
Perry's Ice Cream Co., Inc.
Portville, N.Y.

Wellsville rated a strong contender

WELLSVILLE — Having one of their better years, the Wellsville Lions have a 8-1 record with a second place in The Tri-County Tournament at Cuba.

In the Cuba tourney, the Lions lost out to Portville by six points.

The Lions have faced four teams so far this year that will be in the Salamanca Invitational and have compiled a 3-1 record against these tourney teams.

The Lions beat Cattaraugus, 44-15, they slipped by Salamanca, 26-23; and romped over Allegany. Their only loss came in a close match against Notre Dame, 29-24.

Two of the Lions wrestlers are undefeated while five others have only one loss.

The undefeated wrestlers are senior Allen Foote and sophomore Elmer Brownell. Foote is 10-0-1 this season at 132 pounds with a first place at the Cuba Tournament to his credit.

Brownell also took first at Cuba in the 100 pound class, while posting a 11-0-1 record.

Jeff Kling at 93 pounds also took first in the Cuba tournament. The sophomore has a 8-1 record.

Taking second place in Cuba was senior Kevin Mott. The 138-pounder is 10-1.

Senior Jeff Monroe has a 10-1 record at 128 pounds along with a second place finish at Cuba.

Will Nolan took third in the 114 pound class in Cuba. The freshman has a 8-1-1 record.

Eugene Lehman, a 107 pound freshman is 5-1, on the season.

Another third place finisher in the Cuba tournament was Guy Jackson. The senior is 6-2 this season.

At 157, Wade Green, a junior, is 6-2. Sophomore Desi McDowell is 7-4 at 179 pounds.

Rounding out the Wellsville squad are junior Greg Lucas at

heavyweight; Junior Dave Earl at 169; and sophomore Mike Bugg at 121.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Jeff Kling	Sophomore	8-1
100	Elmer Brownell	Sophomore	11-0-1
107	Eugene Lehman	Freshman	5-1
114	Will Nolan	Freshman	8-1-1
121	Mike Bugg	Sophomore	0-5
128	Jeff Monroe	Senior	10-1
134	Allen Foote	Senior	10-0-1
140	Kevin Mott	Senior	10-1
147	Guy Jackson	Senior	6-2
157	Wade Green	Junior	6-2
169	Dave Earl	Junior	3-6
179	Desi McDowell	Sophomore	7-4
HWT	Greg Lucas	Junior	2-8

Flames thin but strong in tourneys

AMHERST — Coming to the Salamanca Invitational for the first time is Williamsville East. Although invited last year, they were unable to make it due to the snowy conditions.

Last year, the show forced five of the teams to cancel out, cutting the field to 13.

"We do well in tournaments," said East coach Roy Guarino, "but we are hurt in the team standings because we don't have wrestlers in three of the weight classes."

Although lacking wrestlers at 93, Heavyweight and unlimited, the Flames have a 3-1 record with a fourth place in the Spencer Van-Etten tourney and a fifth in the Amherst Town tourney.

Last year, the team placed first in Division II of the Erie County Interscholastic Conference.

This year's team consist of nine seniors and two juniors.

The team is lead by co-captain Mark Mugliski, wrestling at 179 pounds with a 11-0 record. The senior placed first both at Spencer and in the Amherst tourneys. Last year he compiled

a 19-5 record.

The other co-captain is 121 pound Kevin McNulty. Last year, he placed second in the state qualifier while posting a 28-1 record. This year, the senior is 9-1 with a first place at Spencer and a second place at Amherst.

Senior Dale Ludwig is 9-3 this season. The 100 pounder took fourths at the Spencer and Amherst tourneys and was undefeated as a JV last year.

Steve Bobrowski, a 134 pound senior, is 8-4 with a first place at Spencer.

Bill Rogers is 4-3 this season. The senior wrestles at 128 pounds. Marty Kramer and Bob Flaglor both have 5-4 records. The seniors compete at 140 and 157 pounds, respectively. Senior Tyrone Allen has a 4-5 record at 147 pounds. Paul Borkowski, also a senior, is 1-4 at 169 pounds.

The juniors on the team are Derrick Zappia at 107 pounds (with a 9-1 record with a first place finish in the Amherst tournament) and John Schwind (a 114-pounder who placed fourth at Spencer and has a 6-4 record.)

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
100	Dale Ludwig	Senior	9-3
107	Derrick Zappia	Junior	9-1
114	John Schwind	Junior	6-4
121	Kevin McNulty	Senior	9-1
128	Bill Rogers	Senior	4-3
134	Steve Bobrowski	Senior	8-4
140	Marty Kramer	Senior	5-4
147	Tyrone Allen	Senior	4-5
157	Bob Flaglor	Senior	5-4
169	Paul Borkowski	Senior	1-4
179	Mark Mugliski	Senior	11-0



Geneseo brings undefeated record

GENESEO — Although carrying only two seniors on this year's Blue Devil squad, Geneseo looks to be very strong and experienced coming in to the Salamanca Invitational.

As of this writing, the Blue Devils are undefeated with a 5-0 dual meet record, with a third place finish in the Genesee Valley Tourney, one-half point ahead of Invitational host Salamanca.

Five of the Blue Devils are also undefeated this year. Leading the list of undefeateds is 107 pounder Dana Richard, a third place finisher in last year's invitational at 93. The sophomore took third place in the Genesee tourney while winning all five dual matches.

A big threat in the 140 pound class is junior Paul Richard. While compiling a 5-0 record this season via the pin route, Richard also took first place at Genesee with all pins.

Another undefeated is Don Carman, wrestling at 147 and

winning all five bouts. The junior took second at Genesee. Don's brother Dan, a senior is also carrying a five match undefeated record at 121, along with a second place finish at Genesee.

The fifth undefeated wrestler is senior Chris Sica, posting a 4-0 record in the unlimited class while picking up a second place at the Genesee tourney.

Sophomore Dan Love has a 4-1 record at 93. At 128 sophomore Rob DiFranco is 2-2. Also with a 2-2 record is junior Mike Altamura at 132 pounds.

Heavyweight Jeff Cahiera placed third in the Genesee Tourney. The junior has a 3-1 record.

Completing the Genesee squad are: freshman Fred Gillen at 100 pounds and Matt Templeton at 179; sophomores Tom Hughes at 157 and Jeff Fenton at 169; and junior Jeff Mothersell at 112 pounds.

ROSTER			
Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Dan Love	Sophomore	4-1
100	Fred Gillen	Freshman	0-4
107	Dana Richard	Sophomore	5-0
114	Jeff Mothersell	Junior	—
121	Don Carman	Senior	5-0
128	Rob DiFranco	Sophomore	2-2
134	Mike Altamura	Junior	2-2
140	Paul Richard	Junior	5-0
147	Don Carman	Junior	5-0
157	Tom Hughes	Sophomore	1-4
169	Jeff Fenton	Sophomore	0-1
179	Matt Templeton	Freshman	0-3
HWT	Jeff Cahiera	Junior	3-1
UNL	Chris Sica	Senior	4-0

Proving ground for young Tigers

WARSAW — This year's Salamanca Invitational looks to be a proving ground for some of the young wrestlers in the area. Most of the teams entered this year have a good number of underclassmen.

Warsaw is no exception with only three seniors on the team.

The Tigers will be coming back to the Invitational this year after a two year absence. In the 1976 tourney, Warsaw placed third.

Rick Davis is 8-3-1 this season. The senior took a third place in the Churchville-Chili tournament.

The other two seniors on the team are 169 pounder Bob Martin, who is posting a 3-4 record, and Paul Keough, who is 5-4 at 114 pounds.

"We're a young team," said Tigers coach Sam Linsner. "Most of our strength comes from our sophomore and junior classes."

Todd Wood leads the Tigers' underclassmen with a 10-1 in

the 100 pound class. The sophomore placed third in the Churchville tourney.

Sophomore heavyweight Mike Streamer has a 5-4 mark this season. Sam Schillaci is 7-2 this year. The Sophomore wrestles at 121 pounds.

Dan Tucker, a 93 pound sophomore, is 7-3 in this campaign. Completing the list of sophomores on the team are Bob Beach at 179 pounds and Terry Flint at 140 pounds.

Steve Tillotons placed second this year in the Churchville tourney. The junior is 8-1 this year at 128 pounds.

Two-time champion in the unlimited class at the Churchville tourney is junior Shawn Ball with a 5-3 mark this season.

Todd Burger, a 107 pound junior, placed second this year in the Churchville tourney while compiling a 4-3 record.

Junior Aaron Saylor is 3-6 this year at 134 pounds.

The team has won five of its nine dual meets this season while placing sixth in the Churchville-Chili tournament.

ROSTER			
Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Dan Tucker	Sophomore	7-3
100	Tod Wood	Sophomore	10-1
107	Tod Burger	Junior	4-3
114	Paul Keough	Senior	5-4
121	Sam Schillaci	Sophomore	7-2
128	Steve Tillotson	Junior	8-1
134	Arron Saylor	Junior	3-6
140	Terry Flint	Sophomore	1-7-1
147	Rick Davis	Senior	8-3-1
157	Bill Godneow	Junior	5-2
169	Mark Martin	Senior	3-4
179	Bob Beach	Sophomore	0-2
HWT	Mike Streamer	Sophomore	5-4
UNL	Shawn Ball	Junior	5-3

PURITAN RESTAURANT

... wishes the Best of Luck to the

WARRIOR WRESTLERS

83 Main St. Salamanca, N.Y.

Best Wishes to Our Wrestlers

AT THE 9TH ANNUAL SALAMANCA INVITATIONAL WRESTLING TOURNAMENT!

Bradner's
Salamanca — Olean

It is our pleasure to welcome you to Salamanca for the Ninth Annual Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament.

Federal Home Loan Bank System



Salamanca Federal Savings & Loan Assn.

1892-1979

127 Main St.

Ph. 945-4350

Notre Dame puts 'outstanding effort'

ELMIRA — "On paper we don't have the team we had last year," said Notre Dame coach Mike Watson, "but the boys are really putting forth an effort. We knocked off Horseheads High the biggest school in Section IV. It was quite an outstanding effort on everybody's part."

Coming to the Salamanca Invitational for only the second time, Notre Dame, however, does look to be strong for the tournament with three wrestlers returning who placed in the top four last year. The team placed fourth overall last year.

As of this writing, the Crusaders are 4-1, with four matches remaining before the Invitational. Wellsville is the only team the Crusaders faced that will also be competing in the tourney, picking up one of their four wins.

Leading off the list of the Crusaders top wrestlers is 100-pounder Pat Hughes, winner in the tourney last year at 91 pounds. A sophomore, he has compiled a 5-0 record in dual meets. Hughes also placed fourth in sectionals last year.

Senior Mark Hitchcock, a 134 pounder, has compiled a 7-1 record this season. He won in the recent Bainbridge-Guilford Tournament. Last year in the invitational, he placed second at 126 pounds.

Another undefeated wrestler is senior Scott Sheehan, at 119, with a 7-0 record in dual meets. Sheehan also won at the B-G tourney this year. He took third last year in Salamanca at 119.

The Crusaders fourth place finisher last year in the 112 pound class is senior Mike Carpenter. He holds a 4-1 record this season in the same weight class, with his only loss coming in a match where he wrestled in the 119 pound class.

At 157 senior, Vinny Johnson carries a 5-1 record with John VonHagen, a sophomore, wrestling heavyweight and showing a 5-1 mark for the season. The other Crusader with only one loss this season is 98 pounder Joe Awad. The freshman is 2-1.

Rounding out the Notre Dame squad are 105 pound sophomore Mike Frawley with a 3-2 record; junior Kip Mathers at 126 (2-4); Cash Olszowy, a 140 pound senior who placed third in the B-G tourney and has a 3-4 record; senior Mike Hamilton is 4-3 at 147; Tom Lopotosky, a junior at 167 although he has not wrestled as of this writing but will compete in the Crusaders' four matches before the tourney; and third place finisher in the B-G Tournament, 179-pound

senior Chris Smith with a 4-3 record.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	Joe Awad	Freshman	2-1
100	Pat Hughes	Sophomore	5-0
107	Mike Frawley	Sophomore	3-2
114	Mike Carpenter	Senior	4-1
121	Scott Sheehan	Senior	7-0
128	Kip Mathers	Junior	2-4
134	Mark Hitchcock	Senior	7-1
140	Cash Olszowy	Senior	3-4
147	Mike Hamilton	Senior	4-3
157	Vinny Johnson	Senior	5-1
169	Tom Lopotosky	Junior	—
179	Chris Smith	Senior	4-3
HWT	John Vonhagen	Sophomore	5-1
UNL	---	---	---

Panthers get better with experience

AMHERST — Sweet Home finished a strong, but distant, second in last year's Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament but may have a tougher time this year than last.

Last January, the Panthers sent six wrestlers to the finals and had three winners while also taking a third and fourth as the team brought an 8-1 record into the two-day event.

But this year, the Panthers have just a 1-1 dual meet mark while participating in two tournaments—finishing second in the Amherst Invitational and eighth in Spencerport's tourney.

"We have wrestled just two dual meets this year," said Panther coach Joe Shifflet, "while two others have been snowed out. But the tourneys have helped some of our younger wrestlers and we hope by competing in this one to gain some more experience."

Only four seniors are listed in the Sweet Home starting lineup, with three in the top weights, while the rest of the squad consists of five juniors, three sophomores and an eighth grader.

Gone are first place finishers Paul Reed, Bob Vogel and Cedric Hinton from last year but returning are second place finisher Craig Weber at 91 pounds, third placer David Tolnay at 119 and third placer Doug Gallon at 147.

Weber, now at 100 pounds, lost a 6-5 decision to Notre Dame's Pat Hughes last tourney, and carries a 7-3 mark so far this season. The junior placed second at Amherst and third at Spencerport.

Tolnay gained a 9-2 decision over Salamanca's Randy Dry for third last year, at 119 pounds, but has moved up to 134 this year. The sophomore has a 10-2 mark and placed third in both tourneys this year. Gallon is a junior who brings a 1-1 mark into this year's wrestling.

"We have a young team, but it is getting better," said Shifflet. "We have a lot of good competition, with Athens in the Spencerport tourney and 16 teams in our own tourney, and the kids are improving because of it."

"We are really looking forward to coming down," he added, "because the competition is terrific, it is a good learning experience and it is a well run tournament."

Three Panthers won in the Amherst tourney as sophomore David Buccelleto won at 98 pounds, senior Ed Ruffin topped at 140 and senior Brian Adler won at heavyweight. Buccelleto brings a 5-0 mark, Ruffin a 7-3 slate and Adler a 6-2 record. Eighth grader Dennis Grady, fourth at Spencerport, could move into the 93 pound class.

Others who have fared well this year are junior Mark Reed (8-3) at 157 pounds (fifth place in both tourneys) and senior Dennis McNamara (7-4) at 167 who placed third at Amherst and fifth at Spencerport, according to Shifflet, was leading in points in three of his losses.

The rest of the Panther lineup has senior Brian Bonis (8-4) at 179 pounds, juniors Dwayne Ruffin (6-5) at 107 and Kevin Kelly (3-6) at 114 while sophomore Pete Rao (4-5) is at 128.

Cattaraugus

(Continued from p. 6)

Joel Dudley was the only Big Red wrestler to place third in the Franklinville tourney. The senior last year won in sectional competition and this year, at 147 pounds, he is 8-3.

Another senior, also with an 8-3 record is Joe Frenz. The heavyweight placed third in the Cuba tourney and fourth at Franklinville.

The leading junior wrestling for Cattaraugus is 114 pound Don Graser. This season, he has a fourth place finish in the Franklinville tourney and a 7-4 record to his credit.

Gary Gardiner a 121 pound junior, is 3-6 on the season. Junior Kevin Walker has a 4-5 mark in the 128 pound class. Barry Wienk, a 138 pound junior, is 2-7 on the record.

The sophomores on team are Ken Dankert (3-6) at 107 pounds and John Wagner (3-8) at 179 pounds.

The only eighth grader on the squad is 100 pounder John Rowley with a 2-8 record.

ROSTER

Weight	Name	Year in School	Record
93	David Buccelleto	Sophomore	5-0
	or		
	Dennis Grady	Eighth Grade	2-1
100	Craig Weber	Junior	7-3
107	Dwayne Ruffin	Junior	6-5
114	Kevin Kelly	Junior	3-6
121	---	---	---
128	Pete Rao	Sophomore	4-5
134	David Tolnay	Sophomore	10-2
140	Ed Ruffin	Senior	7-3
147	Doug Gallon	Junior	1-1
157	Mark Reed	Junior	8-3
169	Dennis McNamara	Senior	7-4
179	Brian Bonis	Senior	8-4
HWT	Brian Adler	Senior	6-2

Salamanca

(Continued from p. 2)

Watson had the key match then as he held on for a 4-1 decision at 169 pounds which put Salamanca into a one-point lead. The Warriors lost the next bout but Redeye came through strong with a pin in 2:53 at heavyweight to mark the first time in many years they had beaten Portville, Reynolds' alma mater.

Following this tourney, Salamanca has matches Jan. 31 at Dunkirk and Feb. 2 at Falconer before returning home for Maple Grove Feb. 6. Other foes on the schedule include Cassadaga Valley, Olean, Eisenhower and Cattaraugus.

*Good Luck to Coach Reynolds
and his Warriors*

FORBUSH LUMBER

**Best of Luck in 1979
Salamanca Warriors ...
SALAMANCA CATV
ASSOCIATES**

**GOOD LUCK BIG RED HILLTOP
CLEANERS**
26 South St.
Cattaraugus, N.Y. 14719

**CHUCK'S LOUNGE
& COFFEE SHOP**

*Best of Luck to
Big Red Wrestlers*

12 Washington St. Cattaraugus, N.Y. 14719



1978 TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS — Individual winners in last year's Salamanca Invitational Wrestling Tournament were, front row from left, Dave Proctor, Southwestern, 98 pounds; Clair Anderson, Olean, 105 and the tourney's outstanding

wrestler; Eric Simpson, Olean, 119; Kevin Forrest, Olean, 126; Paul Reed, Sweet Home, 132; and back row, Bob Vogel, Sweet Home, 145; Chris Leichtweis, Olean, 155; Kirk Stephen, Olean, 167; Cedric Hinton, Sweet Home, 177; Kris Meekins, Maple

Grove, heavyweight; and Pete Lee, Salamanca, unlimited. Absent from photo were Pat Hughes, Notre Dame, 91; Kevin Richard, Geneseo, 112; and Tim Hitchcock, Notre Dame, 138.

(Press Staff Photo)

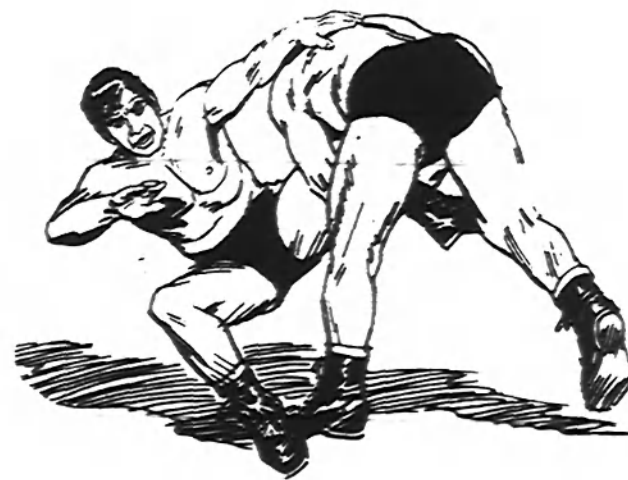
Good Luck Warriors!

Deposits in Passbook Savings
Accounts Earn Interest,
Compounded Daily, from Date of Deposit

Salamanca Trust Company

Salamanca — Ellicottville

Member Federal Reserve System
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation



MINI-MART	DAIRYLAND
685 BROAD ST. SALAMANCA	407 ERIE ST. LITTLE VALLEY
9-12 SUN.-THURS.	10-11
9-1 FRI. & SAT.	OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

GOOD LUCK WRESTLERS

At the 9th Annual Salamanca
Invitational Wrestling Tournament!

Dudley

 Restaurant and Lounge
SALAMANCA

THERE'S FINALLY A WAY TO GET



TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR NEW

BARGAIN BASEMENT

Best Deal
9x Tour

Available 6
Days A Week



TO ANY NON-COMMERCIAL INDIVIDUAL WHO WANTS TO SELL AN ITEM PRICED AT \$100 OR LESS. MAXIMUM OF 15 WORDS PER AD. AD WILL RUN 3 DAYS. PRICE OF ITEM MUST APPEAR IN AD.

Phone your ad to our classified desk by 4 p.m. for insertion the next day.

Salamanca Republican-Press

