Cowboys win Big Eight mat title

By VINCE COYLE Sports Editor

Dan Gable came through as expected and Jim Duschen came through as Cyclone fans hoped he would in the finals of the Big Eight Wrestling tournament Saturday night at the ISU Armory.

Gable defended his 137 pound title in 45 seconds of the championship match when he pinned Jim McDougal of Kansas State much to the delight of the over 5000 people that attended the final session

As he has done all year Duschen gave a steady performance as he defended his 191 pound title.

Big Jim, who is easily one of the most popular wrestlers to ever represent the Cyclones, had the crowd with him all the way as he defeated highly regarded Geoffrey Baum of Oklahoma State 3-1 in the finals.

Although the Cyclones advanced five men into the finals they had little chance to win the Big Eight title as Oklahoma State advanced nine men and Oklahoma advanced seven men into the finals

Gcod Efforts "All of the Cyclone finalists gave a good account of themselves as Steve Lampe lost a fast moving 114 decision to highly regarded Ray Stapp of Oklahoma State, Dave Martin led early in the match but dropped a 5-1 decision to defending champion Cleo McGlory in the 160 pound class

In the 177 pound class Chuck Jean of the Cyclones also enjoyed an early lead over Charles Shivers of Oklahoma but the Sooner battler came on strong in the last 25 seconds of the match to post a 6-4 decision.

The one surprise for the Cyclones was that Jason Smith was not in the finals of the 167 pound class. 'In the semi-finals Larry

Lausch of Oklahoma posted a narrow 6-5 decision over Smith However Jason came back to pick up a number of points for the Cyclones when he pinned Dave Wieland of Kansas State in 1.04 of their consolation semifinal match and then pinned Joe Winer of Misouri in 1.07 for the consolation championship The team title was in doubt

"until the final match of the match of the evening.

When heavyweights John Ward of Oklahoma State and Bob Knudsen of Missouri took the mat Ward had three choices. If he lost Oklahoma would win the Big Eight Conference Wrestling title. If he won by a decision the Cowboys and the Sooners would be tied for the title as they were last year at Bculder, Colo when the final tally was 9-91-91 The only difference would have been that it would have been tied at 90-90. Ward's third choice was to win by a pin and give the Cowboys the title by a count of 91-90 He went about his work in a very business like way and built up an impressive lead before he went for broke during the final period of the match.

At 7 03 of their eight minute match he pinned his Tiger opponent and then roared off the mat with a joyful bound into the waiting arms of his teammates and Coach Myron Roder-

This collision almost produced the first casualty of the meet as Ward stands "6'4 while Roderick is about **75's** and as the came together with a violent thump Roderick's nose was pretty well mashed into Ward's chest.

As it was the Cowboy Coach McGuire, Oklahoma, beat Del had to apply a towel to his nose most of the time he was accepting congratulations from his fans and well wishers. 9-1.

By the time all of the awards had been presented and all of the pictures taken Roderick was his usual bouncy self again and the Cowboys left for Stillwater with the coveted Big Eight Wrestling title among their be-

longings The Cyclones were the only other team to come close to the two leaders as they had a total of 73 points to 27 for Missouri, 16 for Colorado, 11 for Kansas State and 7 for Nebraska.

Other defending champions who retained their titles were Iowa State's Dan Gable, Mike Grant, OU, Cleo McGlory, OU, and Jim Duschen, ISU Grant won his match against

Ray Murphy of OSU in overtime Regulation competition ended with a 5 - 5 tie, but Grant took the championship in overtime 3-0

Special tournament awards went to Gable, who was named most valuable wrestler, and to Jason Smith, also of ISU, who received the most pins in the

shortest time In final matches it was 115-Ray Stapp, OSU, beat Steve Lampe, ISU 11-4 123-Ron Thrasher, OSU, beat Stan Keely, OU, 2-2 130—Dave McGuire, OU, beat Mike Riley OSU 8-2

137-Dan Gable, ISU, pinned Jim McDougah, K - State in 45 seconds

145-Mike Grant, OU, beat Ray Murphy, OSU, 3-0 (OT) 152—Jay Arneson, OSU, beat John Eagleston, OU, 13-5

160—Cleo McGlory, OU, beat Dave Martin, ISU, 5-1 167-Larry Lausch, OU, pinned John Lightner, OSU, in 5.09 7—Charlie Shiver, OU, beat Chuck Jean, ISU, 6-4 191—Jim Duschen, ISU, beat

Geoffrey Baum, OSU, 3-1 Heavyweight - John Ward, OSU, pinned Bob Knudsen, Missouri, in 7 03

RESULTS 115-Pound

SEMI-FINAL ROUND - Ray Stapp, Oklahoma State, beat Gil Garcia, Colorado, 11-2: Steve Lampe, Iowa tSate, beat Joe Orta, Nebraska, 11-2 CONSOLATION FINALS-Gil

Garcia, Colorado, pinned Joe Orta, Nebraska, in 4:41 CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

11-4 FINAL RANKINGS- 1 Ray Stapp, Oklahoma State; 2 Steve

braska

SEMI-FINAL ROUND - Stan Keeley, Oklahoma, beat Dave Barrett, Missouri, 9-1, Ron Thrasher, Oklahoma State, beat Gary Wallman, Iowa State, 10-2 SEMI-FIN CONSOLATION ALS-Dave Barrett, Missouri,

Wallman ill) CONSOLATION FINALS-Bill

Barrett, Missouri, 12-2

3-2 Komloske, Colorado; 4 Dave Barertt, Missouri.

Lockhart, Colorado, 8-0; Mike Riley, Oklahoma State, beat Mike Schmauss, Iowa State, CONSOLATION SEMI-FINAL

ROUND-Jim Barrett, Kansas State, beat Del Lockhart, Colorado, 4-0. CONSOLATION CHAMPION-SHIP — Mike Schmauss, Iowa State, beat Jim Barrett, Kansas

State, 6-1. CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -Dave McGuire, Oklahoma, beat Mike Riley, Oklahoma State,

FINAL RANKINGS-1. Dave McGuire, Oklahoma; 2. Mike Riley, Oklahoma State, 3. Mike Schmauss, Iowa State; 4 Jim Barrett, Kansas State. 137-Pounds

SEMI-FINAL ROUND — Dan Gable, Iowa State, pinned Dale Dittmar, Colorado, 4:56; Jim McDougal, Kansas State, beat Bill Shepherd, Missouri, 13-5 CONSOLATION SEMI-FINAL ROUND-Pat Bolger, Oklahoma, won on default from Bill Shepherd, Missouri (injured at 5 32).

CONSOLATION CHAMPION-SHIP-Pat Bolger, Oklahoma, beat Dale Dittmar, Colorado, 9-

CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL -Dan Gable, Iowa State, pinned Jim McDougal, Kansas State,

45 FINAL RANKING - 1. Dan Gable, Iowa State, 2 Jim Mc-Dougal, Kansas State, 3. Pat Bolger, Oklahoma, 4 Dale Dittmar, Colorado.

145-Pounds

SEMI-FINAL ROUND- Mike Grant, Oklahoma, pinned Carl Adams, Iowa State, 6:32; Ray Murphy, Oklahoma State, beat Conard Metcalf, Colorado, 13-9 CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-ALS-Carl Adams, Iowa tSate, pinned Dennis Dobson, Nebras-

6-4

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ka, 5:59; Conard Metcalf, Colorado, beat Lyle Cook, Kansas State, 5-1. CONSOLATION CHAMPION-SHIP-Carl Adams, Iowa tSate,

152-Pounds

Arneson, Oklahoma State, beat

Duane Olson, Iowa State, 9-3,

John Eagleston, Oklahoma, beat

CONSOLATION CHAMPION-

FINAL RANKINGS - 1. Jay

Arneson, Oklahoma State; 2

John Eagleston, Oklahoma; 3

Brad Zemmel, Missouri; 4. Du-

160-Pounds

Martin, Iowa State, beat Val

Landes, Oklahoma State, 11-2, Cleo McGlory, Oklahoma, beat

Rick Thompson, Missouri, 5-1 CONSOLATION SEMI FIN-

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State, beat Kirk Purcell, Colo-

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Metcalf, Colorado.

Ray Stapp, Oklahoma State, beat Steve Lampe, Iowa State,

Brad Zemmel, Missouri, 8-7. CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-Lampe, Iowa State; 3. Gil Gar-ALS-Duane Olson, Iowa State, cia, Colorado; 4. Joe Orta, Nebeat Danny Thomas, K-State,

123-Pounds

beat Duane Olson, Iowa State, 4-4. 5-3. CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -Jay Arneson, Oklahoma State, beat John Eagleston, Oklahoma, 13-5

beat Keith Hasselquist, Nebraska, 0-0, 5-0, Bill Komloske, Coloradio, won on forfeit (Gary

Kom'oske, Colorado, beat Dave CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -

Ron Thrasher, Oklahoma State, beat Stan Keeley, Oklahoma, FINAL RANKINGS - 1. Ron Thrasher, Oklahoma State, 2 Stan Keeley, Oklahoma; 3 Bill

rado, 7-0. CONSOLATION CHAMPION-130-Pounds SHIP - Rick Thompson, Mis- Drake's Maurice John has the SEMI-FINAL ROUND- Dave

CYCLONE VICTORS-Dan Gable of Iowa State, above, took only 45 seconds to pin Jim McDougal of Kansas State in the finals of the 137 pound class in the Big **Eight Wrestling Tournament** Saturday night at the ISU Armory. At right, Dave Martin of the Cyclones, top position beat Val Landes of Oklahoma State 11-2 in the semi-final round. In a hard fought match Martin lost to Cleo McGlory of Oklahoma, 5-1 in the finals of the 160 pound class. (Tribune Photos by Vince Coyle)

souri, beat Val Landes, Oklahoma State, 2-1. CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -

Cleo McGlory, Oklahoma, beat Dave Martin, Iowa State, 5-1. FINAL STANDINGS-1. Cleo McGlory, Oklahoma; 2. Dave Martin, Iowa State; 3. Rick Thompson, Missouri, 4 Val Landes, Oklahoma State.

167-Pounds

SEMI-FINAL ROUND-Larry Laush, Oklahoma, beat Jason Smith, 6-5, John Lightner, Oklahoma State, pinned Harold Povandra, Nebraska, 3 26. CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-ALS-Jason Smith, Iowa State, pinned Dave Wieland, Kansas State, 1:04; Joe Winer, Missouri, beat Harold Povandra, Nebrasbeat Conard Metcalf, Colorado, ka. 5-4

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Winer, Missouri. SEMI-FINAL ROUND-Chuck Jean, Iowa State, beat Gerald Winnard, Oklahoma State, 60: Charles Shivers, Oklahoma, pinned Jon Thomas, Missouri, 7:50 SHIP-Brad Zemmel, Missouri, CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-

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State, pinned Jon Thomas, Missouri, 2:12. CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -Charels Shivers, Oklahoma,

MANHATTAN, Kan (UPI) -

beat Chuck Jean, 6-4. FINAL RANKINGS - 1 Charles Shivers, Oklahoma; 2

ald Winnard, Oklahoma State, 4 Jon Thomas, Missouri 191-Pounds

SEMI-FINAL ROUND - Jim Duschen, Iowa State, beat John Byrd, Missouri, 5-0; Geoffrey Baum, Oklahoma State, Beat Gene Libel, Nebraska, 7-0. CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-

ALS—'Gene Libal, Nebraska, beat Bill Keller, Kansas State, 7-3.

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Duschen, Iowa State; 2. Geoffrey Baum, Oklahoma State, Gene Libal, Nebraska, 4 3. John Byrd, Missouri Heavyweight

SEMI-FINAL ROUND - John Ward, Oklahoma State, pinned Bill Luttrell, Oklahoma, 3.47. Bob Knudsen, Missouri, beat Keith Burchett, Nebraska, 9-2 CONSOLATION SEMI-FIN-ALS-Bill Luttrell, Oklahoma, pinned Don Popplewell, Colora-

do. 2 36, Wayne Beske, Iowa State, beat Keith Burchett, Nebraska, 15-2 CONSOLATION FINALS -

Bill Luttre!l. Oklahoma, beat Wayne Beske, Iowa State, 5-1 CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS -John Ward, Oklahoma State

pinned Bob Knudsen, Missouri, 7:03. FINAL STANDINGS - 1

Wayne Beske

Oklahoma State Oklahoma Iowa State Missouri Colorado Kansas State

UCLA impressive in win over Santa Clara

The trip to Louisville, Ky., appears to be only a consolation prize for Purdue, North Carolina and Drake now that UCLA is

alive and well again. Until Saturday it appeared the Bruins might be beaten in this year's NCAA basketball tournament as they had appeared lackadaisacal and disinterested in their last four games

But the challenge offered by fourth-ranked Santa Clara in Saturday's West regional final got the adrenalin flowing in the Bruins, and they virtually humiliated the Broncos 90-52 to firmly establish themselves as a heavy favorite to take an unprecedented third straight

title There is an outside chance that one of the other three teams could spring an upset, but it is doubtful. The Bruins simply have too much talent. The Bruins get to face Drake in Thursday's semi-finals at Louisville's Freedom Hall while North Carolina meets Purdue The winners will play for the championship on Saturday

Drake reached the semis by beating Colorado State 84-77 in Saturday's Midwest final, North Carolina edged Davidson 87-85 to win the East regional and

three challengers only If the had Lew Alcindor to contend with, then it would be quite possible for them to beat UCLA. But, while Alcindor is the dominent force behind the team's success, he is not the only outstanding player on the team.

after beating Colorado State 84-77

"Drake could get into foul

trouble . but nobody's going to

stop Drake from scoring

Drake meets UCLA on Thursday

Santa Clara found that out Saturday The Bruins, employing a 2-2-1 zone press for the first time since 1964, ran up an 18-2 lead in the first 81/2 minutes and were never contested. They shot an incredible 76 per cent from the field in the first half, and Alcindor, John Vallely, Bill Sweek and Sid Wicks all scored in double figures.

Probe Fire MOUNT VERNON, 111. (UPI) Alcindor, playing his final -The possibility of arson was game in Los Angeles' Pauley Pavilion, led the way with 17 being investigated after fire swept through a barn at the points, Sweek added 12 and Mount Vernon State Fair-Vallely and Wicks 11 each. grounds Sunday. The three other regional games were much more excit-

in the second half and finished

as the game's high scorer with

32 points North Carolina will be

playing in the semi-finals for

The Mideast game was decided in the final two seconds

of overtime with Purdue's Rick

Mount connecting on a 20-foot

jump shot. Mount poured in 26

points to pace the Boilerma-

A couple of guys named Willie-Willie McCarter and

Willie Wise-were responsible

for Drake's success. McCarter

scored 21 points and Wise added

16 and the fast-breaking Bull-

dogs won the regional playoff

In consolation games Satur-

and another Zeller basket, with

Colorado took the Midwest 69. Zeller connected again with with a 38-37 lead.

4:30 remaining, pushed the first - half buzzer that sent

Bulldogs ahead by three, 72 - Drake into the dressing room

the third successive year

kers' attack

for the first time.

At least 11 quarter horses, thoroughbreds and racing ponies ing, with both the East and perished. Quick action by firemen prevented the flames Midwest games ending on practically the same note. from reaching other nearby The East final was decided in barns, where an additional 50 the final two seconds when horses were stabled. junior Charlie Scott connected on a 12-foot jump shot to give Skier Wins the Tar Heels a hard-earned OSLO (UPI)-Greg Swor, 17victory over Davidson. Scott hit on 10 of 13 shots from the field

year-old ski jumper from Duluth, Minn won the junior class competition at Holmenkollen Sunday. His two leaps of 82.5 and 84.5 meters also were good for eighth place in the overall contest, which was won by Topi Mattila of Kouvola, Finland.

day, Duquesne edged St. John's

75-72 in the East, Colorado beat Texas A&M 97-82 in the

Midwest; Weber State upset New Mexico State 58-56 in the

West, and Kentucky nipped Miami of Ohio 72-71 in the

Mideast.

Players In Crash

Ames tourney

tickets go back on Tuesday noon Tickets will be available for the Ames vs. Fort Dodge St. Edmond's state tournament basketball game until Tuesday noon

at Ames High School.

on Tuesday.

afternoon.

Ames Principal Herbert Adams announced this morning

that there is a large supply of

tickets on hand but that they

must be returned to the IHSAA

If people are not able to buy

their tickets in advance at Ames

High School they will be avail-

able on Wednesday at Veterans

The game between the Little

uled for 3:15 p.m. on Wednesday .

Cyclones and the Gaels is sched-

Auditorium in Des Moines.

Venezuela MARACAIBO. (UPI)-Two minor league baseball players were reported aboard the airliner which crashed here Sunday. Listed as passengers were Hector Chavez of the Phoenix farm club of the San Francisco Giants and Carlos Santeliz of the Shreveport, La affiliate of the Atlanta Braves.

ALS—Jon Thomas, Missouri, John Ward, Oklahoma State; Purdue nipped Marquette 75-73 beat Ron Tacha, Kansas State, 2. Bob Knudsen, Missouri; 3. in overtime to take the Midwest Bill Luttrell, Oklahoma, 4. crown Iowa State. FINAL TEAM STANDINGS 91 90

73 27 16 11 Nebraska

"Willies" But he wouldn't

It was the Willies - Willie

trade 'm for anything

Not after Saturday

Chuck Jean, Iowa State; 3. Ger-