

NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE WRESTLERS WILL HAVE THEIR BIG TOURNAMENT TOMORROW



MEMBERS OF THE HARVARD WRESTLING TEAM

Left to Right—E. L. G. Davidson, 125 Pounds; Roger Killam, 135 Pounds; Horace Killam, 145 Pounds; Capt. W. B. Snow, Heavyweight; S. Burnham, 175 Pounds; Sam Anderson (Coach). In Front—Capt. Snow Holding Burnham With a Body Scissors and Face Hold.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening Harvard, Yale, Technology, Brown, Tufts, Bates and Springfield Y. M. C. A. will compete in the second annual tournament of the New England Intercollegiate Wrestling Association at the Hemenway gymnasium in Cambridge. Last year the association was formed after a conference of managers of wrestling teams from the leading New England colleges. The initial tournament proved a great success and will be a permanent institution. Yale won first honors last Winter and from all indications looks capable of repeating in tomorrow's matches, although Harvard has a far more formidable aggregation at present than it had a year ago.

It will be a battle royal between the Yale and Harvard mat artists, for Yale, with Malcolm Baldrige, the football tackle, starring, and Capt. W. B. Snow of Harvard, also a lineman on the Harvard football eleven, practically on a par with the big Eli wrestler, will strive to bring home first honors.

Harvard has proved by its record to date that, as a team, it is far above the

average, having hung up victories over Andover by a score of 24-6, Brown by 21-3, Columbia by 24-0, and Technology by 13-10. It is notable that in these matches none of the points scored by Harvard's opponents came by virtue of straight falls. Yale has chalked up wins over Pennsylvania and Columbia.

The 115-pound class appears to be anyone's victory, for in the list of entries there appears no one man who stands out above the other contestant. In the 125-pound class E. F. Davidson, '17, of Harvard, who placed second in this event last year, appears to be the logical choice for first place.

First honors in the 158-pound class are conceded to Potter of Yale, who easily won the event last Winter. Potter is known as the intercollegiate Stecher, for he relies wholly on a leg scissors hold to floor his opponent. His powerful legs have yet to fail to bring home the desired results.

Malcolm Baldrige, '18, of Yale will be a competitor in the heavyweight class, which he won in the last tournament. Baldrige has never been defeated in three years of intercollegiate wrestling, and it is a question if Capt. Snow of Har-

vard will be able to floor the Eli champion.

Stanley Burnham, '19, of Harvard has made a fine record this Winter and is a very strong contender for first place in the 175-pound class, and H. G. Killam, '18, of Harvard is likely to come through in the 145-pound division.

Harvard will enter the meet minus the valuable services of O. S. Lindersmith, '17, in the 158-pound class. While competing last Saturday, Lindersmith sprained his ankle. R. C. Cooke, '18, will probably substitute for him. Harvard's entries are as follows: 115-pound class, H. L. Ettlinger; 125-pound class, E. L. Davidson; 135-pound class, R. W. Killam; 145-pound class, H. G. Killam; 158-pound class, O. R. Lindersmith; 175-pound class, S. Burnham; heavyweight class, W. B. Snow, '18.

Gold medals will be awarded to the winners in the several divisions. First place will count four points, second and third will count two and one respectively, with one-half point to be added in the event of a fall. The preliminary matches will be held in the afternoon and the finals will be run off in the evening.