

Matmen Finish Last at Cortland As Monaco Suffers First Defeat; Grapplers End Season Tomorrow

State's varsity wrestling team competed in the third annual New York State Intercollegiate Wrestling Tournament last week at Oswego, but could manage to take only two seconds and a third in the individual matches. The Peds finished last in the Tournament with 26 points.

The Tournament was won by highly regarded Cortland with 87 points, while Oswego finished second with 85, and Brockport and Oneonta tied for third with 33 points apiece.

State's two second places were taken by Gene Monaco (123 lb.) and Dick Board (177 lb.) and the third went to Dick Robelotto (heavyweight).

Monaco Suffers Disappointment

State received a rough break in the 123 lb. class as Gene Monaco, who went into the Tournament with a 9-0 record, was defeated in overtime in the finals of a disputed match. Monaco had taken his first bout of the meet on a fall.

In the finals Monaco and Pete LaMonica of Oswego finished the regulation period tied up at 5-5. In the overtime period, LaMonica reversed Monaco for two points. Monaco came fighting back, however, to tally one point on an escape. This made the score 2-1.

From here on in things went all wrong for Monaco as he managed to take LaMonica down four times. Each time, however, the referee ruled that one the wrestlers was just barely out of bounds, and none of the takedowns were allowed. The match ended, and Monaco had suffered his first defeat of the season, 7-6.

Forfeits Hurt Team

Forfeits were particularly harmful to the Peds in the Tournament, as they had to forfeit three weight classes. Lee Comeau, who has been hampered in recent weeks by rib injuries, had to forfeit the 130 lb. class. John Bennett was injured the day before the meet, and the grapplers were thus unable to fill the 167 lb. class. Ron Kent dropped his first bout in the 137 lb. class, but was then forced to forfeit the rest of his matches.

In matches State was able to wrestle, co-captain John Woytowich was defeated for third place by a 4-3 margin. Co-captain Dick Board registered his second place standing by taking his first bout on a pin and then bowing in the finals 4-0.

In the upper weights, State's Dick Sarno was defeated in the first match of the 191 lb. class, but in the heavy-weight division Dick Robelotto, after losing his opening match, came back to take the third 3-2.

The varsity grapplers now have one more match remaining in their season. Tomorrow at 2:00 p.m. they will play host to Hobart in the Page Gym. The team's record now stands at four wins and five losses.



Dick Board has Cortland opponent under control in recent varsity match.

Ped Bowlers Trounce League-Leading Siena

State's varsity bowling team notched its biggest victory of the season last Monday night, as the Peds smashed league-leading Siena 3-1. This overwhelming victory upped State's record to 10-10, and put them in fourth place in the Capitol District league. A victory over RPI next week would enable the Peds to reach

third place. With the team improving steadily, and some six weeks of competition left, State still has a shot at the top of the heap.

Bowling Sweep

Paul Beaudin registered a tremendous 600 series to pace the State keglers in their 2587-2517 total-pin victory. In amassing this total Beaudin registered games of 198, 190, and 212.

The match didn't begin well for State as Siena copped the opening match 843-804, but the Peds came roaring back to win the second game 839-811.

Dave Roegner led the comeback with a 199, while Beaudin hit 190, and a new face on the team, Don Hale, shot 179.

In the final game State really poured it on, winning by the margin of 944-853. In this game,

Hale hit 213, Beaudin 212, Roegner, 180, and Dick Kimball, another new face, 171.

The high series were hit by Beaudin with 600, Hale with 558, and Dave Roegner with 517. Dick Kimball and Mert Sutherland also helped with crucial spare-picking.



Joe Loudis, key State guard, a handling ability.