



Photo by George Wiseman

DOWN, THAT HURTS—Joe Jeffris, 142 pound class wrestler for Mohawk Valley Community College, has Genesee CC's Mike Gallagher in a little pain, but Gallagher eventually won their preliminary round match in the Hawk Invitational Wrestling Tournament yesterday afternoon.

2nd Title This Week

What a week of wrestling for coach George Scala and his Mohawk Valley Community College squad!

The Hawks thundered to six wins in the 10 final bouts and captured the third annual Hawk Invitational Wrestling Tournament last night.

Four days earlier, they won the Canton Invitational for the second year in a row.

They go to the holiday break with a 3-1 record in dual competition, too.

MVCC compiled 158 points, runnerup Ulster CC 114, Herkimer CC 90½ and Genesee CC 84 in the meet that started in early afternoon.

ULSTER had some consolation, though, when Ed Caputo of Norwich, their 126 pound entry, was named the tournament's most valuable

wrestler. Caputo pinned MVC's Ron Carey in the finals, requiring only one minute and 28 seconds.

Dean Bernard, undefeated Hawk 158 pounder, scored a pair of pins. First he flattened Joe Grasso of Genesee in 28 seconds and then he shouldered Pete Mehlenbacher of Ulster in a whirlwind 25 second finale.

Ken Roser (118), Tom Wood (134), Ozell Bemby (167), Brad Conklin (190), and Jim Doolittle, heavyweight, were the other MVCC champs.