Weirton Daily Times, Monday, January 27, 1975 Warwood Cops OVAC Mat Title; Weir Is 4th Blue Dons Roll Over Bishop Donahue, 80-62

Walker, Wilkinson, Geary **Take Individual Honors**

By ED LOOMAN **Times Sports Writer**

MOUNDSVILLE --- Warwood's wrestling Vikings didn't have an individual champion but they got a little unexpected help from a new found friend on their way to winning the 21st annual Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Wrestling Tournament, which closed out a three day stand at the Moundsville Fieldhouse Saturday.

The Vikes finished with 1011/2 points to nose out defending champion John Marshall, which ended up with 100 markers. Warwood also captured Class A laurels and the host Monarchs grabbed AAA honors. Weir High finished second in the AAA race with 8512 points and fourth overall. Brooke was third with 69 and Oak Glen seventh with 43. Union Local, third in the overall team standings, won the AA tille.

Coach Eric Carder's grapplers, who substituted great team depth for individual titles, are the heroes of the Wheeling suburb but the person all Warwood residents are up in arms over is East Liverpool's Steve Mabbott.

You see, all John Marshall needed to take the overall team championship for the second year in a row was a win by heavyweight Chris Vincent in the finals. Mabbott, however, shattered the Monarchs' hopes when he decisioned Vincent 7-4 in overtime to take the title and give the team honors to Warwood. Mabbott is unbeaten and was the number one seated heavyweight.

A crowd of 1,850 turned out for Saturday night's final round and was treated to several tremendous matches. Four finals went into overtime and two were decided by referee's decisions when the score was still tied at the end of the extra periods.

Walker Wins

Oak Glen's Bobby Walker wasinvolved in one of those matches where the referees decided the winner. Walker, the top seated 138 pound grappler, who entered the competition with an 11-0 record, faced Wellsville's Keith Carter in the finals.

The two standouts were tied at the end of regulation and the score was 0-0 at the conclusion of the three minute overtime. Walker, now 16-0, got the referee's nod and the title. In the 132 pound wrap-up, Weir High's Carl Wilkinson, seated second, upset top seated Jack Maynard of Triadelphia 4-3 in a real nail-biter. Wilkinson is now 13-4. Lou Geary, Brooke's steadily improving 155 pound performer, pinned previously unbeaten Dick Primovic of Bridgeport in 4:52 to claim the title. Geary now carries a 14-4-1 mark.

last year's outstanding wrestler, was upset by Cadiz's Randy Davia in the 175 pound semifinals. Davia went out to win the

The tournament's outstanding wrestler was Bellaire's Mike Kovalick, former Weir matter, who topped John Marshall's Mike Cain 5-1 in overtime in the InstructionInstructionInstruction185 final.Kovalick, the event's105 -- Bob Early (Camb.)only repeat champion, besteddecisioned Felton (B), 4-3.Cain 5-1 in last year's tinal.112 -- Fluharty (War.)The results:decisioned D. Hardsouk (W), 6-

CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS 98 - Rick Drake (Barnes.) decisioned Joe DeBolt (JM), 19-

105 - Mike Gregg (UL) decisioned Kevin Chronister (Wells.), 9-3. 112 - Keith Owens (Steub.)

decisioned Jeff Oberdick (MF), 119 — Gary Dobbs (JM) decisioned John Vrotsos (JM), ot. referee's decision.

126 — Mike Caruso (Lin.) decisioned Ron Stanley (War.), 14-13.

132 - Carl Wilkinson (W) decisioned Jack Maynard (Triad.), 4-3.

138 – Bobby Walker (OG) decisioned Keith Carter (Wells.), of referee's decision. 145 — Steve Waters (EL) decisioned Delmar Reed (OG),

18-0. - Lou Geary (B) pinned 155 Dick Primovic (Bridge.), 4:52. 167 — Doug Lehasky (JM) decisioned Butch Biondillo (B),

175 - Randy Davia (Cadiz) pinned Rich Schmied (Wint.), 187 — Mike Kovalick (Bell.)

decisioned Mike Cain (JM), 5-1 HVY - Steve Mabbott (EL)

decisioned Chris Vincent (JM), 7.4 ot. 3RD-4TH PLACE 126 – Jeff DeLucas (Cadiz) decisioned Mark Hyde (W), 12- Nips Jets

11. 167 — Steve Gaudreau (W) decisioned Sid Hercules (War.), By 3-1 Count

175 — Sheldon Grace (W) pinned Randy Howell (UL), 4:35. HVY — John Leon (B) decisioned Ernie Andria

(Wint.), 8·5.

5TH-6TH PLACE 105 — Kevin Felton (B) decisioned Tim Haysler (JU), 6beaten the Jets four straight games this season and Sunday 112 - Don Hardsouk (W) decisioned Ray McKenzie (Lin.), 11-6. - Mike Gamble (B) 119 decisioned Jim Varlas (Whg. C), , 138 — Tim Muscaro (W) decisioned Bill Simmons (EL), 5-4 155 - Mark Froment (Camb.) decisioned Sam Dotson (W), 1-0. 175 — Mike Yankavitch decisioned Hank (War.) DiPietro (B), 3-1.

155 --- Geary (B) decisioned Stan Caruso (Lin.), 7-6. 167 — Biondillo (B) decisioned Hercules (War.), 3-1 of. 175 — Davia (Cadiz) pinned

Grace (W), 3:00. HVY -- Mabbott (EL) pinned Leon (B), 3:53.

CONSOLATION SEMI-FINALS

119 — John Trivini (Steub.) decisioned Gamble (B), 6-4. 126 — Hyde (W) decisioned Johnston (Wint.), 8-7. 138 — White (UL) decisioned

Muscaro (W), 6-4. 155 - Ridgeway (UL) decisioned Dotson (W), 5-1. 167 - Gaudreau (W)

decisioned Hank Fleishour (Steub.), 3-2. 175 - Grace (W) pinned DiPietro (B), 2:58.

HVY — Leon (B) decisioned Major (UL), 8-2.

3RD ROUND CONSOLATION 105 — Felton (B) decisioned Winiesdorffer (Wells.) 5-0. McKenzie (Lin.) 112 --decisioned Bruce Ferguson (B),

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souk (W), 3-2. 155 - Dotson (W) decisioned Barkuli (Mingo), 2-0.

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Rick Naymick (OG), 8-0; DiPietro (B) decisioned Carter (Barnes.), 3-1. 185 — Trimmer (Wint.) decisioned Dan Gilchrest (B), 3-

Houston

By United Press International

The Houston Aeros have the best record in the World Hockey Association and they never look better than when they're playing the Winnipeg Jets.

The Aeros, whose 29-14 record gives them a six-point lead in the West Division of the WHA, have



THEY'RE THE BEST -These 13 high school grapplers proved they are the best in the vailey after winning individual championships in the 21st annual Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Tournament, which concluded a three day stand at Moundsville Saturday.

awards. They are: first row, left to right, Rick Drake (98) Barnesville, Mike Gregg (105) Union Local, Keith Owens (112) Steubenville, Gary Dobbs (119) John Marshall; second row, left to right, Mike Caruso (126)

Linsly, Carl Wilkinson (132) Weirton, Bobby Walker (138) Oak Glen, Steve Waters (145) E. Liverpool, Lou Geary (155) Brooke; third row, left to right, Doug Lehasky (167) John Marshall, Randy Davia (175) Cadiz, Mike Kovalick (185) Bellaire and Steve Mabbott (HVY) E. Liverpool.

RumoraSparkles In 6th Triumph week to face three tough foes.

On Tuesday, they visit

Francis.

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On Tuesday, mey visit Emily, Friday they're at Wheeling Central and Saturday they

travel to Morgantown St.

In the night's preliminary, Madonna prevailed by a 48-33

Kim Douglas paced the little

Dons as he canned 18 points.

Steve Krayzel backed him up

with 14. The Dons junior varsity

MADONNA — Capriotti 1-0-2;

2-1-5; Rumora 11-7-29. Totals -

DONAHUE - Moczek 3-0-6;

Magnone 6-3-15; Marsh 1-0-2;

Fonner 1-0-2; Smith 2-0-4; Oelosske 1-0-2; Muchek 0-0-0;

Simons 1-0-2. Totals - 15-(3-10)

Hadobas 1-0-2; Froats 0-2-2; Greco 1-0-2; Gianni 1-0-2;

Douglas 8-2-18; Capriotti 3-0-6;

Walasczyk 1-0-2. Totals - 22-(4-

MADONNA — Krayzel 7-0-14;

10 14 18 20 - 62

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is now 11-1 on the season.

The results:

 $30 \cdot (29 \cdot 29) - 80$

DONAHUE

MADONNA

Craig Rumora ripped the cords for 29 points as the Madonna Blue Dons thumped Bishop Donahue Saturday night 80-62 before a large crowd at the Millsop Community Center.

Rumora, a 6-3 senior and the valley's leading class A scorer, connected on 11 field goals and made good on seven free throws for his game high total. He was also the game's leading rebounder as he collared 18 errant shots.

Mike Barto, the Dons 6-2 pivotman, backed up Rumora as he fired in 15 points. Jack Bauer added 12 to the cause.

The win was their sixth of the year for Coach Rich Santilli's crew compared to seven losses. The Bishops, who Friday night knocked off Morgantown St. Francis 80-63, are now 8-6.

Madonna jumped out to a 14-10 lead at the end of the first quarter and were up 31-24 at the half. The Dons started out the ball game in a tight man to man defense in an attempt to tire out the Bishops and to get their offense moving. Several of Madonna's early baskets came off fast breaks after steals.

DONAHUE — Nelson 6-2-14; Bonar 1-0-2; Ebbert 6-2-14; Szymialis 4-3-11; Popicg 1-2-4; Santilli's forces came out in a zone in the second half and in-Moczek 0-1-1; Wise 7-0-14; Gonta creased their lead to 13 at the 1-0-2. Totals - 26-(10-17) - 62. end of the third stanza. Madonna built a 19 point lead before the DeLuca 1-2-4; Lamantia 1-3-5; bench was cleared. Turner 2-0-4; Froats 2-0-4; Bauer 4-4-12; Barto 6-3-15; Conti

'The best game we've played all year, team wise," was how Santilli described his forces' second win over a state catholic foe.

The Bishops were led in scoring by Phil Nelson, Rich Ebbert and Tom Wise who hit for 14 each.

Madonna had 52 rebounds compared to 38 for Donahue. Rumora had 18 and Barto 13. The Dons hit on 33 of 66 from the floor for 45 percent while the Bishops were 26 of 61 for 43 percent

In the turnover department, Madonna had 14 and Donahue 12. Santilli noted that the Dons first unit was only charged with

even miscues. DONAHUE The Dons go on the road this MADONNA seven miscues.

Montreal Tops Pens

Guy Lafleur had every right to Los Angeles. be tired.

By United Press International Hockey League's Division 3 with In other NHL games, Boston

"I was tired in the last five tied Philadelphia, 2-2, the New

5) - 48

The champs are shown here after being presented their

2 Drop Finals

Two other area wrestlers, Oak Glen's Delmar Reed (145) and Brooke's Butch Biondillo (167); made it to the finals but lost. Reed dropped a 18-0 decision to Steve Waters of East Liverpool while Biondillo, who upset second seated Sid Hercules of Warwood in the semi-finals, fell to number one seated Doug Lehasky of John Marshall.

Weir High's Sheldon Grace, -- Chad Kildow (UL), 10-5.

Win 9th **Don Girls**

Madonna's girls basketball team stretched its victory streak to nine Saturday night with a 45-24 win over Bishop Donahue in a game played as a preliminary to the boys varsity contest.

Lee Ann Tabone continued her high scoring ways as she flipped in 17 points to pace the Dons. Valerie Petrovich backed her up with 15 markers. S. Lally was high for the invaders with 12. Bishop Donahue, now 2-3, jumped out to an early 4-2 lead but the female Dons got hot and raced out to a 12-8 lead at the end of the first quarter. The Dons held Donahue to just four points in the second period while scoring 13 and were in front by 13 at the half.

This Week's Cage, Mat Schedule

BASKETBALL BASKETBALL TUESDAY Wheeling at Weirton Whg. Central at Oak Glen Madonna at Linsly Cadiz at Warwood Wintersville at Steub. Central

'FRIDAY Wheeling at Brooke Wheeling at Brooke Madonna at Whg. Central Linsly at Magnolia Bellaire at Bell. St. John Parkersburg at John Marshall Union Local at Bishop Donahue

SATURDAY Weir at Oak Glen (1 p.m.) Madonna at Morg. St. Francis Steub. Cath. vs. Steubenville (St. John Arena)

WRESTLING WEDNESDAY Whg. Central at Weirton, 7 p.m. Oak Glen at Brooke, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY Madonna at Cameron, 7 p.m

FRIDAY Weirton at Wintersville, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY Whg. Central at Brooke, 2 p.m. Madonna at Magnolia, 1 p.m.

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going into the final stanza. The Dons shot 35 percent from

night won, 3-1, even though outshot. 39-27. Marty Howe sent the Aeros in front, 1-0, at 58 seconds of the second period and his father, Gordie, scored the game-winner

at 15:15 of the same period with the help of a break. Gordie lost the puck deep in Winnipeg's zone but the it took an unusual carom as the Jets tried to clear it and Howe beat goalie Joe Daley with a quick shot. Murray Hall scored the

Aeros' othr goal while Danny Spring tallied for the Jets. National Football League's 26 The Toronto Toros defeated teams pored through scouting reports for the final time today as they prepared for Tuesday's the Edmonton Oilers, 7-5, the Minnesota Fighting Saints beat the Baltimore Blades, 2-1, the college player draft. The annual grab bag of college Phoenix Roadrunners downed the Indianapolis Racers, 6-0, and talent begins Tuesday at 10 a.m. EST and will end Wednesday Vancouver Blazers topped Chicago Cougars, 5-3, in night with 442 players whose college eligibility has expired

Sunday's other games. Toros 7 Oilers 5: Frank Mahovlich, Pat Hickey and Jeff Jacques scored two

goals each in the Toros' victory cementing their hold on second place in the Canadian Division. Hickey's second goal went into Madonna's defense continued an empty net at 19:33 after Edmonton had cut Toronto's to puzzle the Bishops in the third period and Coach Mike DelRe's lead to 6-5. forces built up 20 point spread

Saints 2 Blades 1: Second-period goals by Terry Ball and Don Tannahill lifted the Saints to their victory over the former Michigan Stags, who dropped their second straight game since moving to Baltimore. Arnie Brown scored the Blades' goal.

Irish, Spartans Win Again In **Catholic Loop**

St. Paul and St. Joseph continued their winning ways in the Weirton Parochial League over the weekend, both teams scoring easy wins.

Coach George Gurrera's Irish upped its league leading record to 7-0 besting Our Lady of Lord 50-31. B. Lewis and S. Petrovich paced the victors as they each popped for 13 points. C. Harbert added eight to the cause. For the losers, J. Mahoney got 12

markers. In the seventh grade contest, St. Paul dropped a 26-25 thriller to Our Lady. J. Resnik hit for seven and R. Filipponi added six for the victors. For St. Paul, J. Antonelli had nine.

Scott Virtue ripped the cords for 22 points as St. Joseph posted a 50-30 win over Wellsburg St. Johns, last years loop champion. Mitch Zapor backed up Virtue with 12 points. For Wellsburg, Demark and Provenzano had eight each. The win was the sixth of the

year for the Spartans compared to one loss. The two league frontrunners square off this Sunday at the Madonna gym.

OVAC TOURNAMENT 1975

AAA RUNNERUP --- Weir High's wrestling finished second in the AAA division of the Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Wrestling Tournament, which ended Saturday. Coach Skip Murray's grapplers finished

being selected in the 26 rounds.

order of their final standings but

several trades have changed

that on the first round.

Baltimore, which won a coin

toss for the No. 1 pick, dealt its

rights to Atlanta last Thursday

for offensive tackle George

Kunz and the Falcons' No. 1

Atlanta indicates it will select

California quarterback Steve

Bartkowski to open the drafting.

having obtained the rights in the

deal which sent Craig Morton to

the New York Giants last

season. Dallas could be taking

Randy White, the defensive end

who was Lineman of the Year at

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Dallas has the second pick,

draft.

The clubs draft in inverse

FIX H with 851/2 points to nail down

the runnerup spot and grab a trophy. Warwood won the overall team crown with 101½ points, John Marshall, the AAA champ, was second with Weir finishing fourth,

NFL Draft Unfolds Tuesday

is considered the best running back.

NEW YORK (UPI) — Coa-ches, general managers and personnel directors from the or his teammate, Walter Payton, a 6-0, 208-pounder, who

Brooke, third in the AAA, was sixth overall and Oak Glen finished seventh in the AAA. The Red Riders are shown here with Coach Murray following the trophy presentation.

minutes of the game, they were trying to grab me, trying to stop me any way," said Lafleur Sunday night after his four goals increased his season total to 38 and sparked the Montreal Canadiens to a 7-2 victory over the Pittsburgh Penguins.

within a 21-second span of the period lifted Boston to its tie third period and only 30 seconds after the second of those two of Stanley Cup finalists. Esgoals, teammate Peter posito collected his 45th goal Mahovlich collected his second after Don Saleski's seventh goal tally of the game and Montreal's of the season in the second final score of the contest.

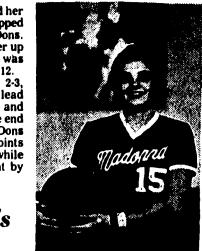
York Rangers edged Lo: Angeles, 3-2, Atlanta nipped Buffalo, 4-3, Chicago topped California, 3-2, Washington surprised Detroit, 6-3, and Vancouver beat Toronto, 6-4. Bruins 2, Flyers 2:

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Phil Esposito's second goal of Two of Lafleur's goals came ' the game at 9:39 of the final with Philadelphia in a matchup nal score of the contest. period gave Philadelphia a 2-1 The win lifted Montreal into a lead. Reggie Leach had the first-place tie in the National Flyers' first goal.



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LEE ANN TABONE

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the floor, hitting on 20 of 57 at-tempts. Kathy Smoljanovich lead the game in rebounds as

she collared 13, Petrovich

Madonna will put its win streak on the line Tuesday night

when the Dons entertain Oak

DONAHUE --- S. Lally 6-0-12; J. Lally 2-0-4; Bokanovich 3-0-6; Pylypchuk 1-0-2. Totals - 12-(0-

MADONNA - Tabone 7-3-17;

Petrovich 7-1-15; Smoljanovich.

2-0-4; Crago 2-0-4; Kaczynski 1-1 0-2; Fraley 1-0-2; Cutone 0-1-1. Totals - 20-(5-11) - 45.

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collected 10.

The results:

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DONAHUE

MADONNA