

# THE KENTUCKY



# High School Athlete

THE NORTH HARDIN HIGH SCHOOL  
1968 CHAMPIONSHIP WRESTLING TEAM



(Left to Right) Front Row: Dan Morse, Brian Burns, Arvil Meyers, Jay Crawford, Butch Bragg, Greg Fliasher, J. W. Yates. Second Row: Coach Charles Wise, Mgr. Mike Cheek, Lucky Vervilles, Ed Brandon, Charles Nesselrodt, Buz Shelton, Jim Brant, Coach Dan Walker.

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# North Hardin Wins Wrestling Crown

By GARY MULLINAX

Courier-Journal & Times Staff Writer

Last summer Ronald Jackson of Seneca High School was looking forward to his third season of wrestling on his school's team when he got his big toe caught in a power mower.

Doctors feared his wrestling career was ended.

But Ronald's toe healed nicely, and last night at Westport High Gym he

became the state heavyweight wrestling champion.

Ronald followed the same routine before last night's match that he does before all of his matches, according to coach Orville Williams.

"He has an old green canvas hat, something like a baseball cap, that he puts on before every match," explained Williams. "He doesn't take it off until he's ready to walk onto the mat. That's the way we know he's ready to start."

It was fitting that at least one Seneca wrestler won the state crown in his weight division. Williams is chairman of the state tournament, and he is probably more responsible for the growth of the sport in Kentucky in recent years than any other man.

North Hardin captured the team championship easily with 78 points, 26 points better than its nearest competitor, Kentucky School for the Blind. Seneca finished 10th.

North Hardin wrestlers coached by Dan Walker, won state crowns in three of the 12 weight divisions. They were Jay Crawford, 112-pound division; Ed Brandon, 154, and Buz Shelton, 180.

Brandon was named outstanding wrestler in the tournament. He pinned his opponent, Ray Crooker of Boone County, last night. The only other pin in the final round was by teammate Shelton.

Other individual winners from Louisville were: Jim Von Dreele of Westport in the 95-pound division; Dan Dickerson, Kentucky School for the Blind, 120-pound division; Larry Crowe, Kentucky School for the Blind, 138; Bob Fehrbach, Flaget, 145, and Bob Dierson, Trinity, 165.

"Any boy who won a championship can be awfully proud," said Williams. "He had an awful hard road to get there."

### Kansas State Dow

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MIKE UHDE of Trinity has Jim Schneider of Newport Catholic flattened out on the mat in 120-pound semifinal action of the State Wrestling Tournament at Westport's gym.

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