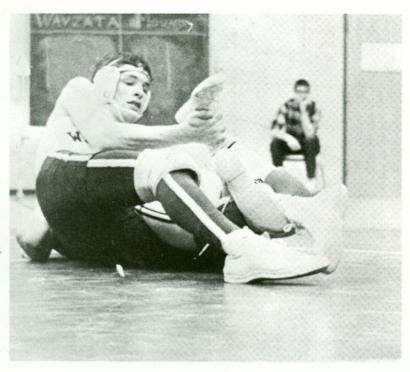


Heavyweight Gary Leuer rides his Edison opponent during the Region 5 tournament at Hopkins. Gary was a third place finisher in the state wrestling tournament held at Williams Arena.

GRAPPLERS LACK EXPERIENCE, BUT LEUER DOESN'T



Steve Carlston, a 138 pound senior, ties up a Mound grappler and gains valuable riding time points.

Due to the lack of experience in the lower weight classes, the Wayzata wrestling team completed its season in the Lake Conference with a 1-9 record, the only win coming at the expense of Mound. However, three senior wrestlers and a few juniors gave a very good account of themselves throughout the year.

Junior Gary Leuer was the outstanding performer in the heavyweight class, finishing the year undefeated in Lake competition, and winning the consolation bracket in the state meet for third place in the state. In the process he grabbed both the District 18 and the Region 5 championships. Steve Carlston advanced through the district meet, and he received fourth place in the region.

Other consistent performers included seniors Mark Anderson and Mike Jennings, junior Tom Cady, and sophomore Jake Cadwallader.

Coach Lee Fretheim was assisted by Coach Jim Hembre.