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MORRIS--Larry Hanson, junior from Appleton, and Stan Anderson, senior from Hoffman, have been elected Co-captains of the 1963-64 University of Minnesota, Morris wrestling squad.

Lief Lie, wrestling coach, said that the election was held by the squad last week.

Hanson will wrestle in the 130 lb. class this season, according to Coach Lie and Anderson is a heavyweight. Both of these squad members have been stalwart performers.

Hanson, according to Lie, has a record of continued improvement and strives on hard work. Last year's record, for Hanson, was 8-1-1. Anderson is a strong, aggressive wrestler. He was a regular on the Cougar football squad this past season. His record last year was 6-0-4.

The Cougars first wrestling match is scheduled for December 14, when they meet Concordia College at UMM. This will be the only match before the Christmas holidays. The second match will be held on January 10.

Comments by Coach Lie:

Dennis Moeller, 123 lb. freshman from Porter, will add strength to the lightweight division.

The squad is young, inexperienced, but alert, hard working and very coachable. We could have a fine team if we can keep the squad intact throughout the season.

The wrestling squad members are:

Upperclassmen -- Stan Anderson, Hoffman; Steve Burwell, Graceville; Roger Drewicke, Graceville; Rich Fluegel, Donnelly; Larry Hanson, Appleton; James Herzog, Melrose; Chris Kamrud, Parkers Prairie; Ronald Kolb,

Ortonville; John Splitstoser, Morris; Freshmen -- Richard Boyer, Park Rapids; Steve Haugland, Browns Valley; Leonard Hauptert, Herman; Donald Heuer, Plato; Howard Meyer, Starbuck; David Stiz, Park Rapids; Stan Terryll, Barnesville; Tom Travenicek, Graceville; Bernard Tvedt, Danvers and Kenneth Youngkrantz.

Both the freshman and varsity teams have matches scheduled within the next two weeks. On Friday, December 6, the freshmen will travel to Fargo, N. D. for a match with North Dakota State University. On Saturday, December 14, the Cougar varsity will open its 1963-64 season against Concordia College. This match is at UMM, in the gym, beginning at 8 p.m.