

RUBE SMITH WINS FROM WILLIAMS

After Nine Rounds of Hard Fighting Wyoming Man Quits Cold.

HE MAKES A CLAIM OF FOUL.

But as None Was Committed the Denver Man Is Given Decision—Man-tell Issues Challenge.

About 1,000 shivering fight fans from Salt Lake, Ogden and Wyoming towns crowded around the ring at Lagoon yesterday afternoon to witness the scheduled twenty-round fight between "Rube" Smith of Denver, and Charles Williams of Rock Springs, Wyo. They were rewarded by seeing nine rounds of terrible fighting in which gameness, cleverness and ring generalship were features. Williams displayed gameness while Smith was given credit for the cleverness and generalship. After nine rounds of hard fighting, Williams quit and quit cold. It was the end of his gameness. He quit because he was a badly beaten man and apparently realized that a knock out was inevitable.

Before the main event the fans were amused by a couple of preliminaries that were supposed to be hard to excel. The first fight was between Freddie West, the bicycle rider and Young Fitzgerald, who was a four round affair and ended in a draw. The next was between two soldiers from Fort Douglas, King Toller and Frank Sellick. The men possessed about as much skill as a cow on roller skates, but they were anxious and willing and at the end of the six round session were winded and tired. Sellick was knocked down once and the going saved him from being out. At the end of the fight Toller was given the decision.

THEY ENTER THE RING. It was after 4 o'clock when the principals entered the ring. Smith's seconds were "Spiky" Sullivan, Ben Smith, a man named Andy Malloy. The assistants for the Wyoming man were Manager Jack McManis, Kid Cullen and Kid Herlick. Williams looked to be in better condition than Smith and was thought to be much stronger. He held his own in the early rounds and many believed his superior strength would prove the undoing of the heavier fighter, but the going saved him from being out. At the end of the fight Toller was given the decision.

THE MEN WENT AT EACH OTHER with a determination to end the affair as quickly as possible. They fought it was no sporting match and there was not the slightest indication of a draw. The fight was a clean one from start to finish with the exception of the eighth round when Williams claimed a foul. No foul was committed however, Smith putting up a clean, clever exhibition.

WILLIAMS CLAIMS FOUL.

During a hot mix up in the round mentioned, Smith landed several hard right hand punches to the pit of his opponent's stomach. Williams sank slowly to the ground and then, after a moment's hesitation, he called out. He claimed a foul. Painter refused to allow it and continued fighting. He came back willingly enough in the ninth and tenth rounds and was thought to be in better condition than Smith. He was thought to be much stronger. He held his own in the early rounds and many believed his superior strength would prove the undoing of the heavier fighter, but the going saved him from being out. At the end of the fight Toller was given the decision.

SMITH'S CLEVERNESS. Smith displayed remarkable cleverness, gameness and ring generalship throughout the fight. He was cautious but always willing to mix it with Williams. At no time did he show any signs of being out of condition and was in better shape than his appearance indicated. His tactics were to wear down the body and then a quick change to jabs and uppercuts to the face. He nearly every hot exchange of blows Williams fell into a clinch. He proved to be rugged and strong but his blows lacked accuracy. He swung many wild punches and his only chance, winning was one of the wild blows to land on a vulnerable point.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

In the first round honors were about equal. Both men were willing and anxious to mix matters. In the second round the aggressor and cleverly side stepped and ducked the swings aimed at him. Smith's left shot out with lightning speed several times during the third and fourth rounds. Williams' nose, brought the blood freely. Williams was a bit worried during the third and fourth rounds.

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rounds. In the latter session Williams covered up repeatedly but Smith managed to land several vicious uppercuts and a hard right to the jaw that jarred Smith. This round was in favor of Williams, and the only one during the fight. In the sixth Rube began forcing matters and it was apparent that Williams could not last long. In the eighth Williams went down and almost off the platform. He slipped several times and on each occasion took the count. At the end of the ninth he was weak and in no shape to resist the crashing blows from Smith. Had the contest continued two more rounds it is almost certain Williams would have been knocked out. While it lasted the bout ranked with some of the best witnessed hereabouts for a long time.

MANTELL CHALLENGES.

Frank Mantell, who by reason of a knockout scored over Honey Melody, claims the welterweight championship. He challenged the winner, and Manager Fred Wood announced that he would make the latter and match him with Smith. The latter and Mantell fought twenty rounds in Ogden last summer. Smith got the decision. Mantell then went east and whipped Melody after which he claimed the title. The claim is not valid, however, because the reason that Joe Thomas defeated Melody when the latter was posing as a champion, and Thomas has since defeated twice by Young Ketchell of Butte.

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Y. M. C. A. TEAM WINS

FROM ALASKA FIVE.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team handed out a surprise package yesterday afternoon in the association gymnasium by defeating the strong Alaska team, a team that has been traveling all over the country defeating all comers. The contest was a hard fought one at every attempt to win. It was witnessed by a large and enthusiastic crowd of basketball fans. The victors were superior at team work but the locals were better at throwing baskets. Both teams played a quick, snappy game and the result was in doubt until toward the close. In the first half Swan, the star player for the visitors, made a basket almost at every attempt but in the second half Holmington was placed to guard him and Swan's basket throwing came to an end.

The local players took the lead and a number of fouls helped them greatly. In the second half the Alaska boys worked desperately to overcome the lead and nearly succeeded.

The teams have agreed to play another game this evening. The line up was as follows:

Y. M. C. A.

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Lomen, BurleyL.G.Holmington

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JOCKEY DENNISON HURT.

Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—Jockey Dennison, one of the riders in the third race at Santa Anita Park yesterday, was thrown by Summer Cloud and may not recover. The boy sustained a concussion of the brain, a fractured arm and other injuries.

Jockey Buxton was thrown when Jr. Laughtrey stumbled but sustained no serious injury.

JOCKEY RICHARDS, HOME.

New York, Jan. 2.—Joseph Richards, the jockey who has been so successful in Russia, returned to America on the steamer Finland yesterday. Richards says that there are six successful jockeys in Russia last summer, he himself having won forty-seven races out of four hundred starts. Price, he says, have fallen since the Japanese war. Before that time the jockey usually received \$2 for each winner he rode and \$12 when his horse failed to show. Now the price has fallen until it runs from \$15 to as low as \$5.

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MORAN PROVES TO BE BIG SURPRISE

Little Englishman Fights Abe Attell 25 Rounds to

Draw.

Colma, Arena, Jan. 1.—Owen Moran, champion featherweight of England, made a draw fight of twenty-five rounds with Abe Attell, champion of America, who was thought to be invincible at that weight. Moran was strong and aggressive, quick as a flash and kept on top of Attell all the time. Attell had plenty of opportunity to exhibit his boasted rush of the Irish English boy. Attell seemed to lack force in his punches and found it extremely difficult to land a blow on a vital spot. Moran's eye was blackened and his nose bled, but the punishing tips to the stomach and the swings to the jaw were missing. Moran's game was to lead with either right or left and then close in. In the clinches he fought viciously but did not do much harm. The final round was most exciting. Moran seemed to take on a new lease of vigor and, with head down, waded in to Attell, swinging rights and lefts. When the going rang for the close both men kept on fighting directly and big Jim Jeffries had to separate them.

Jeffries' decision of a draw was received with approval except by violent partisans.

There came near being no fight, owing to the fact that Moran was two ounces overweight. Attell did the Shylock act and had to be paid \$200 for the surplus two ounces before he would consent to go on.

Moran's manager stated after the fight that the boy had found it extremely difficult to get down to weight and at 11 o'clock this morning was compelled to do two miles of vigorous road work.

While interesting, the contest was not particularly exciting and did not come up to the standard of a championship battle.

Between 7,000 and 8,000 people witnessed the contest.

Moran's manager stated that Moran would fight Attell again, and while he thought Moran had somewhat the better of the fight, he was satisfied with the decision.

Referee Jeffries said after the fight that the fight was so close that he found it difficult to give a decision in favor of either men. He thought that Attell had slightly the better of it on points, but not sufficiently to justify a decision in his favor.

BEFORE THE BATTLE.

Colma Arena, Jan. 1.—When the fighters weighed in shortly before noon, a dispute arose over Moran's weight. Moran exceeded the required 120 pound notation by about one ounce. The Californian took exception and at first refused to fight, claiming that the Irish boy had violated articles of agreement regarding the weighing in. He heated argument followed. Attell finally demanding Moran's \$1,000 forfeit. Moran refused, claiming that the forfeit could not be claimed unless the party at fault exceeded the requirements by at least a pound. Attell then changed his tactics and demanded sixty per cent of the purse, win, lose or draw, before he would fight. Finally a compromise was reached by which Attell is to receive \$50 in addition to the forfeit. It was ascertained that Moran weighed in two ounces over the agreed upon mark, the weighing in process being witnessed by most of the newspaper men.

Attell was under the weight and failed to budge the balance.

Moran attributes his overweight to the difference of scales at his training quarters and the official scales at the arena.

The seconds of the fighters were announced as follows:

For Attell—Batling Nelson, Kid Farmer, Monte, and Caesar Attell. For Moran—Alf Wicks, Tiv Kreling and Prof. Jim Kelly.

The main event will be preceded by a ten-round contest between Willie O'Neil and Willie Farley, both of this city. The contest will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

At 2:30 p. m.—There is much betting going on around the ring. A bet of \$100 to \$400 was made that Moran would win within 25 rounds. Some smaller wagers at this ratio were also made. Ed Sawyer, a New York sportsman, has wagered \$200 at the prevailing odds that Moran will win.

At 2:30 p. m. the principals had not yet put in their appearance. At that hour the amphitheater was filled to overflowing and many of the gallery seat holders were forced down into the body of the structure by the crowd that continued to pour in from the rear entrance.

Bets are being made at 10 to 60 that Attell will win inside 15 rounds. There is a rumor that Moran expected great difficulty in making the 120 pounds weight at the agreed time. It is said he was compelled to exercise up to the last minute in order to reduce.

Willie O'Neil and Willie Farley, entered the ring promptly at 1:30 p. m. At 1:50 p. m. every seat in the arena was taken. Many women were in attendance.

At 2:15 p. m.—O'Neil was given the decision at the end of the first round. It was a rattling contest throughout. O'Neil, however, earned the decision by clever hitting. Both men were bleeding freely at the termination of the contest.

Moran was first presented to the crowd by Announcer Jordan as the English Crackerjack and Champion. Attell was introduced as the "Cleverest Boy in the World," and America's Feather Weight Champion.

Attell was freely cheered. Tommy O'Toole of Philadelphia, wired a challenge to the winner of this fight, "Spider" Garrity. Eddie Kelly of Butte, jumped into the ring with a challenge. Frankie Neil issued a challenge to meet Abe Attell, win lose or draw. Several other minor lights also challenged the winner.

TURFMAN SURPRISED AT MESSAGE OF HUGHES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Men interested in racing in New York state express considerable surprise at the attitude taken by Governor Hughes in his message to the legislature on the racing question. It is the general opinion that the governor will be unable to secure the passage of a bill which will entirely wipe out betting at race courses. Many go so far as to blame the agitation to the poolroom interests against whom the racing clubs have waged a bitter warfare and who are now said to be anxious to get even with the clubs who have broken up the pool room business by driving out racing altogether.

It is pointed out by the advocates of racing that the agricultural associations of the state will fight any bill doing away with betting as they are the beneficiaries under the five per cent tax levied on the racing clubs. The revenues from this source have increased enormously in the last eight years, rising from \$2,000 in 1886 to \$21,000 in 1906. In eight years the eleven racing associations in the state have paid in this tax \$1,443,263.

TRIP IS IN DOUBT.

Chas Comisky Finds It Impossible to Get Rates for Team.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—It appears possible that the projected tour to California and Hawaii of the Chicago team of the four baseball league may be called off unless President Comisky secures better transportation rates for the team and their trip than he has thus far been able to obtain. If the Pacific trip is abandoned the team will probably be sent to Texas and begin the summer's work with a series of games with the Texas league.

Mr. Comisky would like to take the men to California and he is impressed with the idea that Honolulu would be quite an ideal training place, the only objection being the loss of time on the ocean trip. The matter will probably be decided this week.

MEETS ANOTHER DEFEAT.

Multnomah Club Victorious Over St. Louis University Team.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 1.—The Multnomah Athletic club was victorious in the football contest with St. Louis University today, winning by a score of 11 to 6. The score by the visitors occurred in the second half on a succession of forward passes and a fake punt. Multnomah scored on a touchdown, a field goal and a safety, the latter play being just in the nick of time to prevent another touchdown. The game was a hard fought one. The Multnomahs, the home team generally outplaying the visitors both in kicking and straight football, though at critical times St. Louis made a strong and effective defense which saved them from a much severer defeat.

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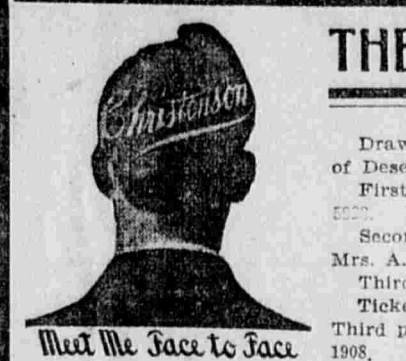
The question of wrestling supremacy is now exciting a great deal of interest in England, owing to the presence of so many good men in that country. Hackenschmidt, who has hitherto held all comers safely, has decided to go into training again after a prolonged inactive period and no doubt will be called upon to defend his title ere long.

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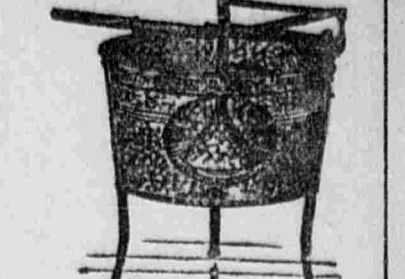
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