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BROWN GETS POPULAR DECISION Forced the Fight With Wolgast Giving More Punishment Than He Received—Crowd Hissed Champion Several Times.

New York, March 2.—Valentine (Knockout) Brown, the tow-headed little New York lightweight, gained a popular decision over Ad Wolgast, the world's lightweight champion, in a smashing ten-round fight tonight at the National Sporting Club of America.

Neither man was in distress at any time during the bout and no blood was drawn. In the last round Brown was backing toward the ropes as Wolgast rushed him. They clinched and rolled together and Brown would have fallen from the ring had not a cluster of hands shoved him back.

Opened Up Fast. First Round—Both boys opened up fast, with Brown the more eager of the two. They clinched often and Wolgast pounded Brown's kidneys viciously.

Second Round—Brown jarred Wolgast with a right to the jaw. They clinched and Wolgast got in a nasty right uppercut. Brown rocked him after the break and followed up a strong right to the jaw with a left to the head.

Round Three—They sparred carefully and clinched often. Wolgast working his uppercuts hard as they held on. Brown missed a hard swing to the jaw and landed two light ones to the face.

Round Four—Brown rushed the fighting with a clean right to the jaw. He followed this with a left to the face but missed a right swing that would have done damage.

Round Five—Brown put a hard left to the jaw. Wolgast started the tenth with a rush, but both boys were careful and quickly came to a clinch. Wolgast ripped a nasty one up to Brown's stomach, but Brown shoved back Wolgast's head with a left and rushed him with a right.

LETTERS FROM TWO STATES TOLLAND COUNTY NEBRON

Charles Tennant to Return to Klen-dike—Death of Alonzo Taylor—Baseball Club Organized. Alonzo Taylor, a veteran of the civil war, died Sunday morning from pneumonia.

TEAM ONE OF OWLS Wins Bowling Match from Team Two—George High on Single and Total. Teams One and Two of the Order of Owls rolled their scheduled match at dusk in the Rose alleys on Friday evening.

ROUGH TACTICS. Round Seven—Wolgast sparred cautiously. Round Eight—Wolgast shot a hard left to the champion's mouth. They clinched and the champion landed a clean one on Brown's head as they broke.

Round Nine—Brown rushed Wolgast to his corner, then slipped and fell to his knees. Wolgast took the aggression and landed a hard one over the heart.

Round Ten—Brown started the tenth with a rush, but both boys were careful and quickly came to a clinch. Wolgast ripped a nasty one up to Brown's stomach, but Brown shoved back Wolgast's head with a left and rushed him with a right.

MANAGER LAQUE ACCEPTS. Will Meet Webster Manager in Putnam March 5 or 6 to Arrange Game. Sporting Editor Norwich Bulletin: I came across the challenge of \$25,000 bet from Manager Regan of the Webster Electric in your paper, March 21.

THE PASSING OF CRIGER. Lou Criger has not been tendered a contract by the New York American management this year and no waivers have been asked for him. He will probably become a free agent through the club not offering him a contract before March 1.

ZBYSKO THROWS ROLLER TWICE. Philadelphia, March 2.—Zbyzsko, the Polish champion, defeated E. F. Roller, the former college athlete, in a thrilling match at the American Athletic club here tonight, taking two falls in one hour and eighteen minutes.

LAUREL HILLS vs. NEW LONDON. By their game on Thursday evening in the Y. M. C. A. tournament the Laurel Hill basketball team had their last practice before meeting the Adelphi of New London here this afternoon.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, N. J. WEEKAPAU. GUASTE RETURN FROM NORTH FRANKLIN WEDDING—COTTAGE NOTES.

The Ocean View W. C. U. is to meet at the home of Mrs. H. A. Macomber next Wednesday. Elmer Lauphey is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Carpenter, who attended the Browning-Race wedding in North Franklin, have returned home.

LOOKING AFTER NEW COTTAGE. Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of New Jersey, who are having a cottage built at the beach, were business callers here one day this week. Harry E. Cross of Providence, assistant attorney general of Rhode Island, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

HOPKINTON. Williams-Wescott Marriage—Norwich Man Buys Cattle in Town. Cyrus D. Williams and Miss Ruth Wescott were married in Providence Feb. 23, and have commenced keeping house in Canochet.

WESTMINSTER. Mrs. Charles Barstow has been confined to her home with muscular rheumatism. Mrs. Edwin St. John has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to call on friends in this place.

ROCKVILLE. New Haven Minister Preaches at S. D. B. Church—Call to Rev. F. E. Peterson of Illinois. Rev. G. E. Field of New Haven occupied last Saturday, very acceptably.

GURLEYVILLE. The Misses Bergel Entertain—Last Quarterly Conference Held. Miss C. N. Turner was a guest of Miss Mary Cross at Mansfield Center last week.

MANSFIELD DEPOT. Patriotic Social—Church Adopts Weekly Envelope System. A patriotic social was held at the Baptist church Feb. 22. The room was prettily decorated with flags and bunting.

SPRING HILL. Mrs. Bessie Barrows Starts for Atlantic City. Mrs. Arthur Hill from Willimantic has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanks on Hanks Hill, for several weeks, her mother having been very ill with grip.

NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET. Springfield, Mass., March 3.—Pratt field of the Springfield Training school will probably be selected by the New England Intercollegiate A. A. as the location for the annual championship contest this year.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

NERVOUS DAY IN WALL STREET. Prospect of Extra Session of Congress Creates a Sober Feeling.

New York, March 2.—Movements on the stock exchange today were affected largely by the tenor of reports from Washington. The market was irregular, with an upward tendency in spite of the difficulties which beset billful operations.

Table with columns: Name, High, Low, Close. Includes entries for Interborough Met., Inter Harvester, International Paper, etc.

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CORNELL DEFEATS YALE AT BASKETBALL.

New Haven, Conn., March 3.—Cornell's basketball five defeated Yale here tonight, 29 to 20. At the end of the half was 10 to 10.

McGovern's Second Throw Up Sponge. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., March 3.—In what was to be a ten-round bout between Young McGovern of Brooklyn and Eddie Chastler of New York before the Brighton Athletic association.

Duckpin World's Record. Baltimore, March 3.—The world's record for five-pin teams at the Catonsville Country club team in a match game with the Baltimore team.

COTTON. New York, March 3.—Cotton futures closed barely steady. Cotton futures: March 14.18, April 14.23, May 14.39, June 14.22, July 14.25, August 13.75, September 13.49, October 13.29, November 12.99, December 12.48, January 12.44.

SHIGARIC BRAIN MARKET.

Table with columns: Name, High, Low, Close. Includes entries for Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, etc.

WHEAT. Mar. 29 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2. Mar. 30 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2. Mar. 31 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2.

CORN. Mar. 29 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2. Mar. 30 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2. Mar. 31 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2.

SOYBEANS. Mar. 29 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2. Mar. 30 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2. Mar. 31 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2.