

WORLD CHAMPION WRESTLER MAY STOP IN MEDFORD

West Was to Have Gone On With Him in Portland, but Trains Were Too Late to Make Connections.

GOTCH PLANS TO STOP IN MEDFORD AND EUGENE

Mighty Iowan Tossed Welsh Around Like a Cat Would a Mouse and Kept Crowd Laughing.

Frank Gotch, the world's champion heavyweight wrestler, may come to Medford. W. H. West, the local champion, has received word that Gotch may stop here and wrestle a bout with him. West was to go against Gotch at Portland last Tuesday evening, but the delay in train service rendered it impossible for him to arrive there in time. He was one of a trio scheduled to tackle the champion, who had an easy time handling Eddie O'Connell and Jack Grant the latter a big, burly grappler.

When the world's champion was introduced in Portland he was greeted with a storm of applause, and those present were quick in recognizing the wonderful strength displayed by the Iowa giant. O'Connell was the first grappler to wrestle with Gotch's bulk of bone, sinew and muscle, and the champion handled the Multnomah club instructor as a cat would a mouse. O'Connell and Grant were the only grapplers to appear against Gotch. The others scheduled refused to go on.

If handling O'Connell Gotch became most playful, and tossed the clever welterweight about like a surething man juggling peas in a shell game. In fact, Gotch did everything with O'Connell except whirl him about his fingers as a drum major would his baton. He even went so far as to take off O'Connell's shoe and paddle him.

After O'Connell had done his best to stave off the big fellow, Grant was introduced. When he sized up alongside of Gotch the equality in size and weight led the crowd to believe that there would be something doing. When the Iowan got into action, however, the 200-pounder was handled just about as easily as O'Connell had been. In fact, Gotch picked him up, asked the crowd where to put him, and then carried him over to the designated corner and set his shoulders almost to the mat. Before Joe Aeton, who acted as referee, could call the fall, Gotch released his man and went at it again.

The champion slipped from one hold into another in such a speedy manner that one could not keep track of all the different grapples he tried. In each instance he would put his opponent over just far enough to demonstrate that a fall could be had and he would switch holds and repeat the performance. During all this time the big fellow tossed out remarks about what he intended to do, and kept the crowd in good humor.

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