

The Wrestling Match.

The wrestling match last Thursday evening between R. H. Murry, of Cooperstown, and Joe Henderson, of Butte, Montana, was a very exciting affair. The two grapplers seemed evenly matched in all respects. Murry was the aggressor thru most of the contest, and both men used many different holds in the struggle to pin his opponent to the mat. Murry secured the first fall in 23½ minutes by a toe hold, after it seemed an utterly hopeless task to win by any other means. The second fall was won by Murry in much shorter time—4½ minutes—and this time, too, he found it necessary to resort to his trickery to gain the fall. The arm pressure lock was used.

A handicap match between Ray Flick and Ned Ericksen resulted in two straight falls for Flick in 15 minutes.

Nels Halvorson acted as referee.

In the match at Cooperstown on Monday evening between Murry and Brandau, of Sparta, Wisconsin, it resulted in a victory for Murry, in two straight falls, the first in 14½ minutes and the second in 12 minutes.