ALL-IN WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP - Giants of the "smash and grab" style struggle strenuously for an hour at the Ring, for European title.

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Picture: Athell Oakley, the giant nearest the camera, meets Henrich Freehner of Germany, for the Heavyweight Wrestling Championship --

-- of Europe, all-in style. By the time they've finished, they'll probably be --

-- all out. Anyway, crowds attend the Ring Blackfriars --

-- to see what is to happen. The wrestling time is six tem-minute rounds. Oakley weighs fourteen and a half stone, but the German is sixteen and a half. Prochner takes the offensive and escaping a look, tosses Oakley over the ropes.

The man who can toss fourteen stone about like that is a man to be side-stepped. The Englishman gets a head-scissor lock on Freehner, which takes a lot of wriggling out of. He breaks it with a bridge --

- just in time. The German retaliates by locking Oakley's head between his legs. A little more of this lifting and dropping and he'll give him a housemaid's knee. That round goes to the German.

Interest is rising! The battle is --

-- very even up to the moment, the odds perhaps going to the foreigner, who is sapping his opponents strength with a series of difficult seissor helds, but there's --

-- very little in it. Prochner tries rapid punching to get an advantage but nothing happens.

The bout finishes in a draw. So they've to go all through that again! Well! Well! Well!