

CLEAN WRESTLING - - Tournament of Cornish
wrestling between Cornwall and Brittany affords welcome
change from "smash and grab" style contests.

-Redruth-

Picture.:-

In Cornwall wrestling is a serious business. First the
wrestler's oath is--

--taken. Then a kiss is given. That seems to--

--be a concession to the French team. It has come over from--

--Brittany to Redruth to 'wrestle' the--

--Cornish-men in Cornish style. Five-Hundred years ago, men
of Cornwall fought--

--the French at Agincourt under a banner depicting a pair of--

--wrestlers which shows that it's an old Cornish custom. These
two gladiators make little movement. No 'all-in' methods about
this - - but their muscles are tense as steel springs. Soon,
superior strength will find a flaw in one--

--or the other, and that one will go--

--to the mat. The Cornishman's defence is weakening. He's
going to crack, and he has.

A beautiful clean throw !

One up to the Frenchman - - Cadic.

The Englishman has struck the balance, and honours are
even.