

At the Royal Albert Hall in London the ~~SM~~ Junior Navy was in there hammering it out for the National Boxing Championships of the Sea Cadet Corps, and a typical lively ~~one~~^{bout} was White v Evans at seven ~~stone seven~~^{105 pounds}. ³⁹

Evans was the winner; and here ^{he} is ~~the winner~~ delivering ~~a real battle-maker~~^{a fourpenny one}.

The Duke of Edinburgh was one of the spectators representing the Senior Navy; and another sparkling contest to be witnessed, was this match at ~~ten stone~~^{140 lbs} between Hills of Banbury and Jellis of Kettering. This was where Jellis went down for a count of eight. ⁴⁵

He got up gamely but Hills was too good; Jellis went down again. ¹³ Hills was the winner. ⁴

② ^{TAP} ³ One of the fastest fights on the programme was between ~~Rapier~~ Rapier of Mersea Island, and ~~Silva~~ Silva of Penarth --- a lively battle in "B" Class for cadets aged 16 and 17. This was a win for Rapier. ³⁸

At the end of the evening, the individual prizes and the trophies for inter-zone competitions, were presented by the Duke --- who holds the rank of Admiral of the Sea Cadet Corps. ²²

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