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## IT WAS FITZ.

### Corbett Knocked Out in the Fourteenth Round.

Knowing Ones Deceived at Results. Probably Greatest Pugilistic Contest in History of Prize Ring. How the Battle was Fought.

[From last night's Special Edition.]  
Cassox City, Nev. March 17.—The day dawned beautifully clear and at 7 o'clock the sun was high over the Peaks of Ferras, Nevada. Billy Delaney last night won the toss up for position which means that Fitz will begin the battle with Old Sol facing him, the betting has not changed, but is expected to switch when the Cornish miners from Virginia City where the entire Comstock Lode has been shut down for the day, arrive in the early train. The arrival of another batch of Eastern and Coast sports gave another start to the betting, but the odds remain unchanged 10 to 6.

Jimmy Colville, Corbett's time-keeper, had \$500 to \$825 at Clement, Coleman & Corbett's pool rooms, before breakfast on the number of rounds. The talent are almost unanimous in placing the limit at 10, and the favorite number is 7.

10:30 a. m., at the ring side.—The great arena is rapidly filling up and the streets adjacent to it are black with people. All the notable sports of this continent are getting together to see the battle of the century. John L. Sullivan as just appeared resplendent in a shining silk tite. The noblest Roman of them all is greeted with tumultuous cheering. Here comes the Caesar of the day, Georges Silerious upon the turning of whose thumbs depends the fate of the modern gladiator.

It is not expected that Corbett and Fitzsimmons will be in the ring before 11 or 11:30 o'clock.

Billy Steady has just taken a seat. Corbett is now in his dressing room.

Jimmy Colville will be time keeper for Corbett, L. W. Houseman time keeper for Fitzsimmons, Billy Muldoon time keeper for Dan Stuart. Billy Madden under the gong. Corbett and Fitzsimmons are undergoing final preparations. At 11:59 and here comes Fitz—and the crowd cheer him lustily. He is bareheaded and attired in a Japanese hat. At 11:59 o'clock here comes Pompey Jim. The vast multitude greet him with applause.

Behind Corbett and Charley Whitcomb are Dolaney, Jefferys, McVey, Jo Corbett, Billy Woods and Al Hampton a Fitz corner are Martin Julian, Ernest Toeber, Stelzner and Hickey.

Billy Madden is now announcing time keepers.

Fitz is walking leisurely around the ring and chatting pleasantly with all the sports there in and close proximity to the ropes. Corbett does a little jig step in his corner.

Both men looking in finest kind of shape.

Billy Muldoon greets Fitz, asking, "Hello Fitz, how are you?" Fitz says, "Oh! bloody fine."

Madden introduces the referee and the men proceed to strip.

Fitz looks light but is a bunch of muscle. Corbett looks easily 15 lbs heavier. The men are now donning the gloves. Fitz refuses to shake hands. Time called at 12:07.

1st round—Fitz tries a left swing which Jim ducks cleverly—Jim smiling. Fitz very aggressive and lands a light one on Corbett's neck. Jim feints and lands left hook on stomach. Follows with a left hook on Fitz. Now they clinch, but no damage done in the breakaway. Corbett lands right swing on Fitz ribs, clinch, no damage. Fitz lands left on Jim's head. Jim lands hard right on Fitz short ribs—clinch and Fitz lands heavy right hand on Jim's head. Jim says "oh," and laughs. Jim lands his right on Fitz's ribs as the gong sounds.

2nd Round.—Corbett advances to the center faces it for a minute, clinches and no damage is done in breaking away. Fitz is short on ribs and left swings. More clinching. Jim is very cautious, and looking for the slightest opening. Land two stiff left swings on Fitz's head. Fitz swings left and right and lands lightly on Corbett's head. The fight is of a rapid character and both men very lively in their feet. Jim landed a hard left half round jab on Fitz stomach and followed with another in the same place.—He is jabbing Fitz hard right and left.

3rd Round.—Corbett starts right in with that hard left hook on the body. Fitz gets savage and tries his left and right also on Corbett's head, but does very little damage. Corbett landed another left jab on the body and follows with right short on the ribs. Jim clinches. Corbett lands right, hard over heart. Fitz mixes it up and puts the heel of glove in Corbett's face. In the clinch Jim keeps his right working like a piston rod on Fitz body, they clinch and Fitz roughs it in the break away. As the gong sounds Fitz feels anxious to continue, but Corbett laughingly sticks his right glove in Fitz's face and they go to their corners. It's a beautiful contest. Fitz rushes and Jim meets him with stiff right hand short on the stomach. Fitz is doing the rushing and clinching.

4th round—Corbett rushing lands the left jab again on Fitz's head. Fitz counters with that terrible right swing on Corbett's neck and he has Corbett going back for a few minutes. Fitz lands a terrible left hand jab on Corbett's stomach and Corbett goes to his knees with a frightful look of agony on his face, the three-keeper call the seconds, one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, but Corbett comes to his feet, he rushes to Fitz and endeavors to strike him, there is a terrible uproar, the docto-



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again. They are fighting at terrific rate and its Corbett by long odds making the cleverer fight. He is playing systematically with right and left on the body, in exchange of left at head and time is called.

5th round—Corbett lands his left on Fitz's jaw, again that left on jaw. Fitz blows away plenty of steam behind them but are not as frequent as Corbett's. They clinch and exchange compliments with one arm loose. Corbett leads a very slow fight. Fitz lands left on Jim's neck. Jim hrew a stiff half round with left on Fitz's nose drawing first blood. They mix and Corbett has the better of it. Corbett lands another stiff right on the body and left on the chin. This round is in favor of Corbett.

6th Round.—They clinch and Fitz tries to wrestle Corbett down, loud cries of "oh, oh." Corbett lands light left jab on the face of Fitz, Corbett upper-cut Fitz fiercely with right, and has Fitz going. Fitz is literally covered with blood. Fitz is showing the signs of fast work, Fitz is down on one knee and takes the time limit. He is full of light and arising Corbett is slaughtering him with upper cuts, Corbett's leads are wild and he misses many well intended blows. Timed with Fitz looking very much the worse for wear and Corbett puffing.

7th Round.—Corbett forcing, misses Fitz swing at head and Corbett upper-cut Fitz hard again on the face. Fitz is bleeding again, but is fighting like a lion. They are both looking for knock-out blow. Jim lands a light left on Fitz's nose mouth. Fitz tries a left swing which lucked. Corbett is very tired. Fitz looks like a stuck bullock, but is as strong as he other man. Time.

8th Round—Fitz is forcing it. An exchanged, no damage. Fitz misses a left swing and is lifted off his feet by a straight left jab from Corbett on the neck. Fitz is doing all the forcing in this round. Fitz tries a right hand cross, but Corbett lucks, Fitz lands his left on Corbett's face, and Corbett counters with a right at the body, sparring for wind.

9th round—Long range sparring both very active on their feet. Fitz lands below the belt and is cautioned by Siler. Corbett lands stiff left on Fitz's wind. Fitz rushes on Corbett but does very little damage. Fitz lands very hard left hand swing on Jim's jaw and tries for a right cross but Jim is inside. Fitz again tries right cross but he is short, he is landing more often than Corbett now.

10th Round—Fitz spits the blood out of his mouth, and tries a hard left swing at Corbett's head. Fitz comes back with a stiff left and right on Jim's head and body. He is very much cooler and stronger than Corbett at this stage. Corbett stops a left swing with a straight left in mouth. Fitz is bleeding rapidly, but forces Corbett back, apparently the stronger man. They mix it up and honors are about even. Both are fighting hard. Fitz catches Corbett around the neck and draws him to the ropes when time is called. Corbett lands left light on Fitz's mouth. Corbett's blows are lacking in force but he is fighting very cautiously.

11th Round—A clinch, Corbett lands right on the ribs and is countered a left jab on the chin. Corbett misses, a half round hook on the jaw. They mixed it, and Fitz has decidedly the better of the round. Fitz fights Corbett to his corner and has him weak as the gong sounds.

12th Round.—Corbett rushes and misses left and is countered in the face. Fitz is bent on rushing it and Corbett is keeping away. Fitz gets the worst of it in the rush. More clinching. Corbett lands left on Fitz's nose mouth and follows with half round at body. He forces Fitz to the ropes and smashes him hard on the forehead. Fitz spits copious wads of blood, Corbett is now rushing and lands right and left on the Australian's face, Corbett lands left on Fitz's face again and follows right.

13th Round—Fitz lands his right short on Corbett's ribs and one on the jaw. Fitz rushes Jim over to his corner, but does little damage. Corbett jabs Fitz lightly on the head, and left back with him on the body. Corbett is ducking some very dangerous blows.

14th round—Corbett leads and lands the left jab again on Fitz's head. Fitz counters with that terrible right swing on Corbett's neck and he has Corbett going back for a few minutes. Fitz lands a terrible left hand jab on Corbett's stomach and Corbett goes to his knees with a frightful look of agony on his face, the three-keeper call the seconds, one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, but Corbett comes to his feet, he rushes to Fitz and endeavors to strike him, there is a terrible uproar, the docto-

ion has not been given yet. George Siler decides that Fitz wins. The blow that did the business landed over Corbett's heart and he collapsed. The last round lasted just one minute and forty-five seconds.

## STATE CAPITOL.

Penitentiary Changes are Few. Mary's School. Russell Can Get Judgeship. Dispensary Law.

JOURNAL BUREAU, RALEIGH, N. C. March 17, '97.  
Today the penitentiary directors, three just appointed, met. There will be but few changes made in the management of the penitentiary for the present. Mr. Claude Dockery will be made chairman of the new board.

Yesterday ground was broken for the handsome new Presbyterian church to be built here.

Of course there are a number of applicants for the Raleigh post office, but they will have to wait for another year for the plum, as Postmaster Busbee's term does not expire until then. A. W. Staffs, Jim Young (col.) and C. T. Bailey are the most prominent candidates.

Mr. Duke of Durham has given \$1,000 to the cotton mill at Concord to be operated by negroes entirely. There are subscriptions to the amount of \$80,000.

A meeting of the Alumnae of St. Mary's school, and all the old pupils, whether they belong to the Alumnae Association or not are called to meet at Bishop Cheshire's tomorrow. This is looking to the endowment of the school.

The appointment to fill the vacancy of the U. S. District Court bench has been made, and advices from Washington to lay are that Governor Russell is in the lead. Nevertheless he today makes the positive statement that he will not accept the Judgeship.

There was at one time a plan to build an Episcopal Cathedral here, but that was abandoned so that the diocese could not St. Mary's school on a firm basis, so now the congregation of the good Shepherd church will build a Memorial church to the late Bishop Lyman.

It is said there will be a contest in the courts as to the dispensary law that was passed for Cumberland county. Frank J. Donnell, of Asheville, the president of liquor dealers association, work faithfully during the legislature.

Some of the new board of directors of the insane asylum here have arrived. It is said they may meet at the Capital instead of at the asylum for the old board contend that the law is defective that appointed the new board.

The railroad commission some time ago filed complaint with the inter-state commerce commission from the S. A. L. against the Southern States Passenger Association regarding through rates to New Orleans and points in Florida. Hearing of the case has been set for April 6th, at Savannah, Ga.

## THE COTTON MARKETS.

March 17.  
Fitz speculation in cotton continues on an abnormally light scale. May delivery closes at 7.08, a net gain of two points for the day.

The interior receipts are falling off in a manner which begins to look like exhaustion.

The export demand continues good, but the demand from spinners in America has not increased. The floods in the Mississippi river and its tributaries may have some influence in a short time. The accumulation of water is not expected to reach its maximum until about April 1st.

Yours truly,  
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## THE MARKETS.

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## WASHINGTON NEWS.

### New Force in Congress—Most Noteworthy.

Efficient Holman and Sockless Jerry Back Again. Speaker Reed Introduces few Bills. Introducers of Bills.

JOURNAL BUREAU, WASHINGTON, D. C. March 17.  
The extra session convened Monday in pursuance of the proclamation issued by the President. The main interest centered in the organization of the new House of Representatives. The most striking feature of the scene on the floor was the number of new faces. Old familiar figures conspicuous in many a parliamentary battle had disappeared and a host of new and untried knights, among the great number of new faces on the floor there occasionally appeared one whose face was familiar in the Congress of years ago. Mr. Holman, of Indiana familiar known as "Objector" Holman or the "watchdog of the Treasury" comes back to Congress after a few years absence. He will not fail to hand to regain his place, however, as Chairman of Illinois, and the state's fullest right the kernel of Congress ever contained. Then there is Sawyer, of Texas, who is a good friend of Missouri who watches all hands. Richard Board, of Missouri is another well remembered man who has again resumed his place in the House. This great silver leader has not changed in appearance during the time he has been following the slow since he left Congress. He says he feels as young as he ever did and can grow as much laborer as of old. Jerry Simpson, of Kansas comes back and found his old seat. He now wears socks, a concession he has made to the "effete East," and has, therefore, relinquished his old seat of dress which held during his first term. He has followed the line, however, at socks and not covering his occasional wear a dress suit. Mr. Mark Smith, of Arizona is back again renewing his acquaintances. He is a Democrat and a free silver man, but when he attempts to pass a bill authorizing his party to issue bonds always stands up on a case making them 2-4-4 bonds.

It is curious to note that the one man in the House during the last session of the Fifty-fourth Congress who had the most votes to put through bills in which he was interested, introduced fewer bills than any other man in the House. This man was Speaker Reed. During the last two years he has introduced only seven bills, only one of which he introduced during last session. The one bill does not carry a dollar of appropriation but is simply to correct the usual record of John R. Dimeck by removing the charge of disunion against him.

The greatest introducer of the Fifty-ninth Congress was General Joseph North of Alabama, the great Confederate cavalry leader. His bills in Congress number 190, to say nothing of his best resolutions. These bills are nearly all war claims. Mr. Gibson of Tennessee was another great introducer, as record for the last Congress being 145 bills. Mr. McMillin of Virginia has a record of 120 bills. The whole number of bills introduced in the last Congress was 10,500.

It appears that there will be very determined opposition to the proposition which President McKinley is expected to submit to Congress, in a special message, on the formation of a currency Commission to devise a national financial system. It has developed that there is quite a number of members of the House who are opposed to delegating to a commission the powers and functions which they claim belong to Congress alone. It is recognized by the House, however, that if speaker Reed favors the proposition he can probably secure its passage through the House. The chances of the proposition in the Senate are not as good as in the House. It can, therefore, be predicted that the proposition will have a hard time this session.

It is curious to note that McKinley is not only using the White House in the same manner as General Grant did, and likes to walk about our streets as did the famous General, but he has actually rented the very pew in the Metropolitan Church which Grant occupied when President. He doesn't drive fast horses as Grant was fond of doing and he will not be arrested for fast driving as was the General, but he is a regular smoker and puffs like a furnace on his stogie.

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