

DIA DOWER WINS AGAIN.

At Sophia Gardens, Cardiff, Belgian Alex Bollaert, with the white stripe on his trunks, meets Welshman Dai Dower. In the opening rounds of this international flyweight contest, Dower shows the form that has won him victory in every one of his fights since he turned professional.

Wild swinging hooks by the Belgian leave the Welsh boy unruffled.

A right cross puts the Belgian down!

A count of seven and Bollaert comes back for more. He sails Dower eager to finish him off, but the Belgian goes under cover. Dower, who is only twenty years old, has a good solid punch, but Bollaert isn't waiting to find out.

Dower, who recently knocked out Terry Allen the British Flyweight Champ, gets a few words of good advice from his seconds. Here comes the eight and final round.

Dower has been likened to Jimmy Wilde, who watches from the ringside. Certainly he's got some of the speed, attack and agility of that great little champion.

The fight, which Sid Evans promoted, enters its final seconds. They're still punching away as the bell goes. There's not much doubt about the verdict - Dai Dowers has done it again. His seventeenth professional win takes the Welsh boy one step nearer a crack at the world title.