

SHEFFIELD.—At a recent weight-lifting display held at Darnall, Sheffield, A. Downing (Handsworth), pupil of C. Foster (Darnall), beat L. Pickles (Heckmondwike) for the champ. of Yorkshire and gold medal. The result being: A. Downing, right-hand snatch, 95lb.; right-hand clean and jerk, 124lb.; left-hand clean and jerk, 114lb.; two-hands clean and jerk, 133lb. L. Pickles: Right-hand snatch, 95lb.; right-hand clean and jerk, 114lb.; left-hand clean and jerk, 104lb.; two-hands clean and jerk, 120lb. Downing thus won by 3lb. This was Downing's first match. There was also exhibition lifting by E. Hewkin (Sheffield), his best lifts being left-hand jerk 170lb., two-hand Continental 240lb. (wt. 105t., 2lb.), and by C. Foster (Darnall), who lifted right-hand clean jerk 150lb., left-hand clean jerk 140lb. (wt. 95t.), both world's records. A. Judge (Freeton), a 17-year-old pupil of C. Foster, lifted two-hands clean press 170lb., two-hands clean and jerk 195lb.—A. Downing.

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