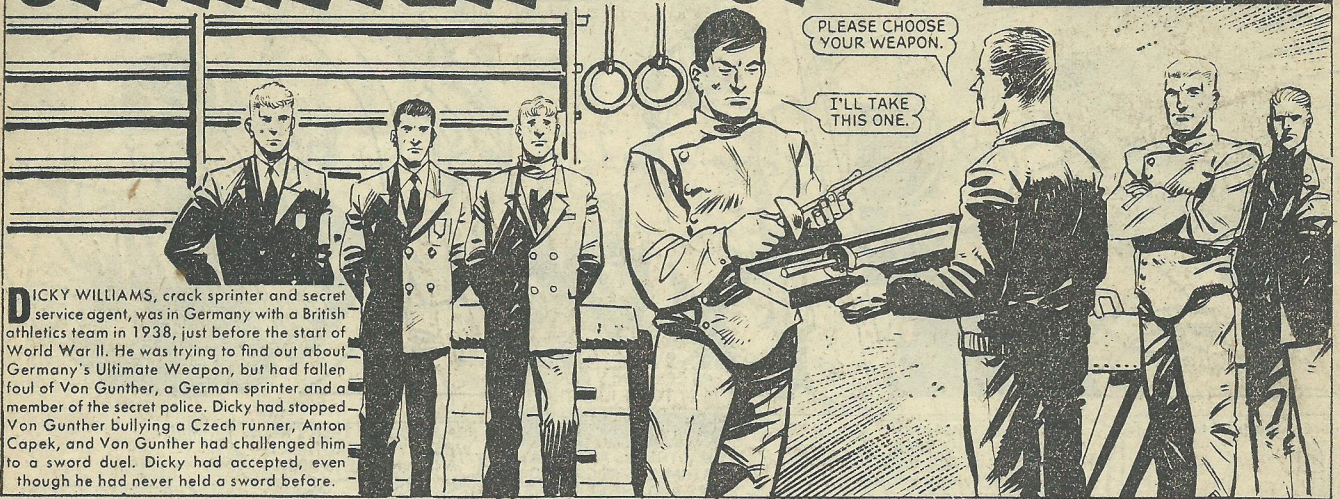


When two sprinters settled their differences with swords!

SPRINTER AND SPY

HE DID BOTH JOBS FOR BRITAIN



PLEASE CHOOSE YOUR WEAPON.

I'LL TAKE THIS ONE.

DICKY WILLIAMS, crack sprinter and secret service agent, was in Germany with a British athletics team in 1938, just before the start of World War II. He was trying to find out about Germany's Ultimate Weapon, but had fallen foul of Von Gunther, a German sprinter and a member of the secret police. Dicky had stopped Von Gunther bullying a Czech runner, Anton Capek, and Von Gunther had challenged him to a sword duel. Dicky had accepted, even though he had never held a sword before.

Anton Capek watched with Donald Campbell, another British athlete.



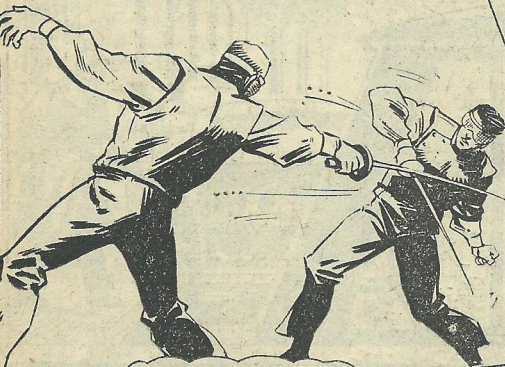
TELL WILLIAMS TO WITHDRAW—HE'LL BE KILLED.

HE WON'T WITHDRAW NOW, ANTON—AND HE WON'T BE KILLED. THE OBJECT IS TO SCAR YOUR OPPONENT'S FACE.



ARE YOU READY? FIGHT—

Dicky fell back in clumsy defence as Von Gunther pressed home a skilful attack.

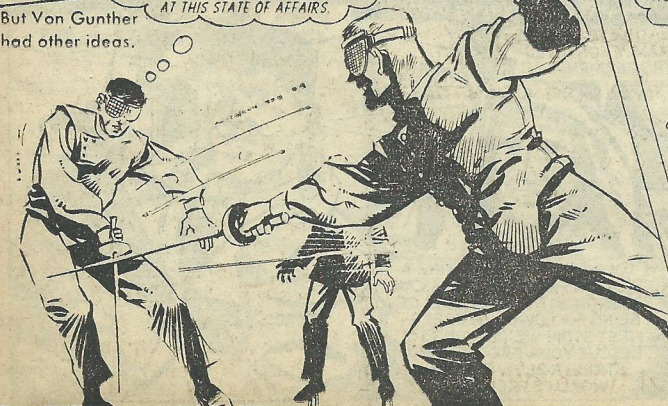


FIRST BLOOD TO VON GUNTHER.

Von Gunther grew over confident, and a few minutes later—

DICKY HAS GOT HIM! WELL, THE DUEL SHOULD FINISH NOW. BOTH HAVE BEEN WOUNDED—

But Von Gunther had other ideas.



VON GUNTHER HAS LOST CONTROL. AFTER I CUT HIM, HE IS OUT TO KILL ME NOW! THE SECONDS AND ONLOOKERS ARE OBVIOUSLY PERTURBED AT THIS STATE OF AFFAIRS.

VON GUNTHER HAS BROKEN HIS SWORD. DICKY HAS HIM AT HIS MERCY NOW.

