

Martinez Draws Bye In Welterweight Elimination

NEW YORK (AP)—A draw out of a hat Monday gave handsome Vir Martinez of Paterson, N.J., a bye into the final round of the welterweight boxing eliminations tournament. He will meet the winner of a Virgil Kirk-Isaac Logart 12-rounder for the title vacated by Carmen Basilio.

If the plans of the world championship boxing committee, headed by Julius Helfand, go through on schedule, a new 147-pound champion could be crowned within three months.

Helfand, chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission as well as president of the world body, ordered the blind draw when Australia's George Barnes, the British Empire champion, declined offers by the International Boxing Club to come to the U.S. to fight Akins.

Originally six welters were named to the elimination tournament last Nov. 1. Martinez defeated Gil Turner of Philadelphia and Logart whipped Mexico's Gaspar Ortega.

The draw was conducted by Nat Fleischer, editor of Ring Magazine and consultant to the

world committee, at Ring's office. Helfand looked on while Fleischer plucked the names out of the hat. Akins, of St. Louis, the Cuban contender, then Logart, the Cuban contender, then Martinez got the bye.

MANAGERS AGREE

Representatives of the three fighters, manager Billy Daly for Martinez, manager Eddie Mafuz for Logart, and Bernie Glickman, Logart's co-manager, agreed to abide by the results of the draw.

Mafuz said, however, that he wants \$40,000 to fight Akins.

"That's what Floyd Patterson and Hurricane Jackson each got for their fight in the heavyweight tournament," said Mafuz. "We want the same."

Harry Markson, managing director of the International Boxing Club, said "we won't go for \$40,000. Maybe some other promoter will."

Glickman said "we'll be reasonable with any promoter. But we want the fight within five weeks or else."

"We're happy about the result," said Daly. "We'll go along with all commissions. I'm confident Vince can beat either one."

East Germany Quits Hockey

OSLO (AP) East Germany today withdrew from the 1958 world hockey championships.

The withdrawal caused the following changes in the schedule. The Poland - Russia game was moved from Feb. 28 to March 6 and Poland - United States game was moved from March 2 to Feb. 28.

Record Number Enter BE Games

CARDIFF, Wales (Reuters) — More than 1,400 athletes—a record number—from 36 countries have been entered in the sixth British Empire and Commonwealth Games to be held here in July.

Directors of the games said England leads the entry list with 292 athletes and officials. Next comes Scotland with 158, followed by Canada with 137, Australia 127, Wales 120 and Northern Ireland 100.

Curling Today At Montague

7:00 P. M.
East Ice L. MacDonald vs. M. Nicholson.
West Ice: B. Haneveld vs. D. Sorrie.
9:00 P. M.
East Ice: E. Cudmore vs. V. MacDonald.
West Ice: B. Clair vs. D. Acorn.

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TV Circuit Could Gross \$2 Million In Title Fight

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP)—The closed circuit telecast of the Carmen Basilio-Ray Robinson returned middleweight title fight may gross four times the receipts for the "live" scrap at the Chicago Stadium, March 25.

"We could do \$2,000,000 the way this is going," said Irving Kahn, president of the circuit handling the telecast, Wednesday as the telephones kept ringing in his office. "In many cases we're getting more requests than we can handle in certain booked areas."

James Norris, president of the International Boxing Club, has predicted a \$500,000 gate for the Chicago Stadium from 19,000 customers.

If the hopes of Kahn and Norris are fulfilled the combined receipts could push the receipts close to the record high of \$2,658,660 grossed from 104,943 Soldiers Field fans at Chicago for the second Jack Dempsey - Gene Tunney heavyweight title fight, Sept. 22, 1927.

MARCIANO MOORE TOPS

The record of \$2,248,117 for the combined take of the gate and theatre-TV receipts were estimated at \$1,300,000 and the stadium turnstiles clicked to the tune of \$948,117.

"We've assembled the largest network ever for a closed circuit show," said Bill Rosensohn, vice-president of the company. "We expect to have a record 200 theatres with a seating capacity of 550,000 hooked up for the fight. Of this, we 550,000 hooked up for the fight. Of this, we expect between 450,000 and 475,000 tickets to be sold at an average of \$4 a seat. If certain deals go through, we could reach the \$2,000,000 Irving is talking about."

Canadiens Lose Another Man

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Canadiens, already hard hit by injuries, were dealt another blow Wednesday when it was learned defenseman Jean Guy Talbot has a hair-line fracture of the right ankle.

Talbot was injured Tuesday at a practice in Chicago, during the team's current road trip. Extent of the injury was not known until that night when Talbot and his mates reached Detroit. Canadiens meet Detroit Red Wings in a National Hockey League game there tonight.

Talbot flew home Wednesday. There was no indication yet how long he will be out of the lineup.

Already out of the Montreal lineup are Maurice Rocket (Richard, Bernie (Boom Boom) Geoffrion and Bert Olmstead.

Cards Sign All Players For Year

ST. LOUIS (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, handing out pay raises that put at least a slight dent in coffers of the brewery owners, Wednesday became the first major league club to sign all its players for 1958.

The Cardinals, a money-making club last season in finishing a close second to Milwaukee for the National League pennant, will have a payroll of more than \$500,000.

"I know that's a record for the last five years and, yes, probably the highest in the history of the Cardinals," said Bing Devine, who succeeded Frank Lane as general manager during the off-season.

The club also was the first to sign all of its players last year, under the general management of Lane, who now holds a similar

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Reigle High On Canada's Team

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Ed Reigle, a Canadian now coaching Sweden's entry in the world hockey championships, says the Canadian entry is going to be hard to top.

And he should know—he lost to virtually the same team, from Whitby, Ont., last spring in the Eastern Canada Allan Cup finals while he was playing coach for North Bay Trappers.

Reigle, who left Canada after last season to coach here, said Wednesday Sweden has a good chance in the championships.

"But the Canadians are hard to get at," he said. "To beat them you need a lucky day, a brilliant fighting spirit and a goalie in top shape."

Curling Trophy Competition Underway At Alberton Club

Competition for the J. W. Don Campbell Trophy, emblematic of the Alberton Curling Club's Championship, got underway yesterday with eleven rinks entered for the two weeks schedule. The trophy was won last year by the Arthur Wilkie rink.

Following is the schedule and personnel of rinks:

Feb. 5 — Myrick vs. Matheson.
Ice 2 — Millman vs. Wilkie.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — D. Campbell vs. Gordon.
Ice 2 — Perry vs. Hunter.
Feb. 6 — Open.
Feb. 7 — 7 P. M.
Ice 1 — Barbour vs. Wilkie.
Ice 2 — Bryan vs. Myrick.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — D. Campbell vs. E. Campbell.
Ice 2 — Gordon vs. Hunter.
Feb. 10 — 7 P. M.
Ice — Gordon vs. Perry.

Ice 2 — Bryan vs. Millman.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — Myrick vs. Wilkie.
Ice 2 — E. Campbell vs. Matheson.
Feb. 11 — Open.
Feb. 12 — 7 P. M.
Ice 1 — Perry vs. D. Campbell.
Ice 2 — Hunter vs. Barbour.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — E. Campbell vs. Millman.
Ice 2 — Bryan vs. Matheson.
Feb. 13 — Open.
Feb. 14 — 7 P. M.
Ice 1 — Myrick vs. Gordon.
Ice 2 — Matheson vs. Perry.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — Millman vs. Barbour.
Ice 2 — Bryan vs. Wilkie.
Feb. 17 — 7 P. M.
Ice 1 — Hunter vs. E. Campbell.
Ice 2 — D. Campbell vs. Barbour.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — Perry vs. Myrick.
Ice 2 — Gordon vs. Wilkie.
Feb. 18 — Open.
Feb. 19 — 7 P. M.
Ice 1 — Matheson vs. D. Campbell.
Ice 2 — Bryan vs. E. Campbell.
9 P. M.

Ice 1 — Millman vs. Hunter.
Ice 2 — Barbour vs. Myrick.

TEAMS

Keith Matheson, Addison Rayner, Lorne Johnson, Red Turner, Cedric Hunter, Chester Hayes, Cecil Hutt, Wesley Hardy, J.H. Myrick Upton Seaman, Raeferd MacLean, Lloyd Mathieson.

C.A. Gordon, Clayton Travers, Bob Proffitt, Ivan Smith, Frank Bryan, Hubert Campbell Ken Matheson, Don MacKenzie, J.W. Don Campbell, Chas. Johnston, George Dewar, Dean Carpenter.

Fred Millman, Ed Turner, Bud Clarke, Elmore MacKay, Erskine Campbell, Vernon Campbell, Raymond Hardy, Carter VanInderstine.

Art Wilkie Lloyd Wilkie, Mont Hutt, Johnston Wells, Hilton Barbour, Herb Matthews, Cal Bungay, spare.

Maurice Parry, Heber Ramsay, Perley Hardy, Bert Pridham, Spares — Harvey Hutt, J.C. Matthews, A. Tibbets.

Games will be 10 ends and must be finished by 9 P.M. and 11 P.M. respectively.

Scoring will be 20 points for winning the game, 5 for each end plus margin in score.

FUR, FIN AND CAMPFIRE

DESPITE INTENSIVE HUNTING, WILD GEESSE HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO LIVE TO BE SEVENTY YEARS OF AGE. BANDING HAS SHOWN THAT GEESSE TWENTY YEARS OLD ARE COMMON.

ACCORDING TO ZOOLOGISTS, BIRDS OF PREY POSSESS THE MOST HIGHLY DEVELOPED EYES OF ALL LIVING CREATURES. THEY ARE SO LARGE THAT THE EYEBALLS OCCUPY MORE SPACE IN THE SKULL THAN THE BRAIN.

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