Ram, 49er Footballers In Cage Tilt

Play Benefit Go At Cow Palace

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Two tons of Los Angeles and San Francisco professional football beef will clomp around the Cow Palace basketball court Friday night in a new business that should tide the boys over until fall with easy walking around money.

Players of the rival Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers started the basketball venture on their own—that is without the help of the firms that pay their football wages.

A goodly crowd is assured because Los Angeles and San Francisco pro footballers would draw a goodly crowd to a tiddlywinks contest. Besides, part of the gate will help send underprivileged children to summer camps.

The San Francisco 49er boys started the basketball business last year when they clowned around Northern California with the Harlem Globe Trotters, who, as everybody knows, are to basketball for pay what the late Joe Tripp was to the circus.

To the surprise of a great many, the hefty footballers turned in a pretty fair brand of basketball. And in the clowning events they showed the irrepressible Globe Trotters some tricks.

The Los Angeles gridmen did not get into the business until this year. They pieced together a 10 man squad ranging from the 6 foot 7 Lamar Lundy, (a 235 pounder who used to romp around the Big Ten for Purdue, to the 6 footer Tom Wilson.

The Ram's squad weighs a total of 2,242 pounds and not a man is under six feet tall. The heaviest man on the squad is 256-pound George Strugar, a 6 foot 5 former Washington player.

The Rams' squad is composed of Don Burroughs, Colorado A&M; Ron Waller, Maryland; Les Richter, California; Duane Putnam, College of Pacific; John Hock, Santa Clara; Leon Clarke, U.S.C.; Lamar Lundy, Purdue; John Houser, Redlands; George Strugar, Washington and Tom Wilson, who did not attend college.

San Francisco's lineup: Y. A. Tittle, Louisiana State; Joe Arenas, Omaha; R. C. Owens, College of Idaho; Hugh McElhenny, Washington; Ed Henke, U.S.C.; Bob St. Clair, U.S.F.-Tulsa; Gordy Soltau, Minnesota; Billy Wilson, San Jose State and Clyde Conner, College of Pacific.

Logart Favored

Welter Mix Set for TV

NEW YORK (AP) — Isaac (The Whip) Logart, Cuba's hope for another world welterweight champion, was a 7-5 favorite today to beat Virgil (Honey Bear) Akins of St. Louis, in their semifinal of the welterweight elimination tournament Friday night.

The winner of the 12-round television (NBC, 7 p.m., PST), fight at Madison Square Garden will meet Vince Martinez of Paterson, N.J., for the vacant title within 90 days. The 147-pound division crown was yielded by Carmen Basilio when he won the middleweight title from Sugar Ray Robinson.

This is the third and rubber clash between the 24-year-old Cuban boxer and the 30-year-old midwestern puncher. They split in two 10-rounders in 1955. Akins took the first by split decision. Logart evened the score with an easy and unanimous verdict.

Logart, fast afoot and with his hands, has won 12 of 14 since 1955. The two defeats were to Gaspar Ortega whom he whipped later in a 12-round elimination bout Dec. 6. Logart's won-lost-draw record is 53-7-5 including 19 knockouts. He has been stopped once. That was by Cuban Rafael Lastre on cuts in the fifth round 5½ years ago.

Akins has won nine of his last 11, including the last two by kayos over DeMarco. His record is 66-17-1, including 26 kayos. He has been stopped twice on technicals, the first by Charley Baxter in 1948 and the second by Phil Kim in Chicago in 1953.

Each has been guaranteed $20,000 for their biggest purses ever.

Scoring will be by rounds. A supplementary point system also will be used to help break draws. The winner of each round gets from one to four points, the loser none.

Handball Champs Upset in Y Meet

Don Duncan and Bruce Hamilton upset defending champions Bob Smith and Lee Shinn in the semifinals of the Class A doubles handball tournament Thursday night at the Y with a 21-20, 7-21, 21-16 victory.

This gives both teams one loss with the county title up for grabs Friday at 8:00 p.m. in the Y handball courts. The public is invited to witness this championship match.

SPORTS QUIZ

WHAT GOLFER MADE THE LONGEST HOLE-IN-ONE OF 1957?

CHARLES HEDRICK, OF LUBBOCK, TEXAS HOLED OUT A 374-YARD TEE SHOT ON THE NINTH HOLE AT THE MEADOWBROOK GOLF CLUB, LUBBOCK, ON FEBRUARY 11. THE 29-YEAR OLD HEDRICK WAS PRESSED FOR HONORS BY GEORGE ALLEN, 43, OF NORTH QUINCY, MASS., WHO DROPPED IN A 365-YARDER OFF THE TEE!

Geese Killed At Tule Lake

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (AP) — Game officials estimate some 2,500 geese have been poisoned in the Klamath Basin of Northern California and southern Oregon by farmers attempting to curb an outbreak of field mice.

Kenneth MacDonald, regional refuge director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, said at Portland that game agents had found 2,000 of the dead birds on the Tule Lake refuge in the past week.

In addition Jim Mohr, game agent, said other hundreds have been killed at White Lake, along Lost River, at Miller Sands and the Midlands district.

The agents estimated 75 per cent of the dead birds are snow geese. MacDonald said 20 per cent were white front geese and 5 per cent Ross. Flocks of birds now are on their migrations North.

The farmers have been scattering poisoned grain in their fields to combat the unusual numbers of mice which appeared last fall.

The mice inflicted more than $5,000,000 in crop damage to Klamath Basin area and central Oregon, and experts said the damage would increase this spring unless the mouse population is reduced.

Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox outfielder, has a lifetime batting average of .350.

NIT Basketball

Ohio Fives In Finals

NEW YORK (AP)—Hank Stein's 27 points and all-around excellence steered unheralded Xavier of Ohio toward its third upset victory of the National Invitation Basketball Tournament Thursday night. The Musketeers eliminated third seeded St. Bonaventure 72-53 and joined top-ranked Dayton in the final.

The Flyers came from behind with a 12-5 drive early in the second half and trounced St. John's of New York 89-56 in the opening semifinal game before 15,534 spectators in Madison Square Garden.

The all-Ohio championship game will be played Saturday afternoon (4:30 p.m. EST).

Stein scored 18 points in the first half, ten of them in succession in one four minute span. His efforts pulled Xavier into a 29-20 lead three minutes before the intermission. The Bonnies never caught up.

The Musketeers from Cincinnati, who came into the NIT with a 15-11 record and then knocked off Niagara and defending champion Bradley, trailed 18-15 midway in the opening half. Then, Stein connected with four jump shots and a driving lay-up to move Xavier ahead 25-18.

John Connors paced St. Bonaventure with 18.

St. John's led 39-38 with 4:10 gone in the second half. But the Flyers then started to roll and forged in front on Don Lane's one-hander 30 seconds later.

Jack McCarthy, Dayton's 6-6 center was the high scorer with 25 points. Case had 23 and Lane 14. Alan Seiden, whose set shooting carried the Redmen into the lead late in the first half, paced his team with 18 points.

GRAPPLE MEET SLATED

BOULDER, Colo. (AP)—Top amateur grapplers from Colorado and Wyoming will compete Friday and Saturday for Rocky Mountain AAU wrestling championships.

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Chicago Stadium Ring Lucky for Robinson

By JERRY LISKA

CHICAGO (AP)—The book shows Sugar Ray Robinson uses the Chicago Stadium ring as a guillotine for pretenders, to what he considers his rightful middleweight throne.

Robinson Tuesday night tries to regain the 160 pounds crown from Carmen Basilio in the same stadium ring where he won, successfully defended or recaptured that title four times.

It was little more than a year ago, on May 1, 1957 that Gene Fullmer blithely defended the middleweight championship against Robinson in the stadium under much the same circumstances Basilio will Tuesday evening.

Four months earlier, Fullmer led Robinson a merry chase for 15 rounds in New York and dethroned Sugar Ray, who seems perplexed by his younger Foe's swarming tactics.

But when they met in the Chicago Stadium May 1, Robinson carefully stalked Fullmer for four rounds and then knocked him out in the fifth.

Basilio also dethroned Robinson in New York, but that 15-round battle last Sept. 23 was a real blood-and-thunder affair in which Sugar Ray never had to look far to find his pounding foe or scrape him off the back of his neck.

Like Fullmer, Basilio also is favored the second time around.

The Chicago Stadium, in 1955, was the scene of both the most humiliating and the glory-filled action in Robinson's boxing career.

Trying a comeback after his "retirement" in 1952, Sugar Ray was belted like a preliminary boy by Ralph (Tiger) Jones in stadium ring, Jan. 19, 1955. His staunchest fans advised him to quit for good.

But 11 months later, on Dec. 9, he knocked Bobo Olson cold in two rounds to recapture the middleweight title he had first won in 1951 by stopping Jake La Motta in 12, also in the Chicago Stadium. In 1953, Sugar Ray's only Chicago middleweight defense ended in a third-round knockout of Rocky Graziano.

On the other hand, Basilio steps in the Chicago stadium ring Tuesday night seeking his first triumph there in four starts. It was two years ago this month, March 14, 1956, Basilio lost his welterweight title to Johnny Saxton on a controversial decision. He also lost to Chuck Davey and Billy Graham in the stadium in 1952.

The sponsoring International Boxing Club, with more than $200,000 in the till, looked forward to a great rush at the ticket office over the weekend.

The lower priced ducats are all gone and fight fans will be shut out of theater telecasting of the fight in the Chicago area.

Black Hawks, Canadiens Win in Pro Hockey Play

CHICAGO (AP)—Glen Skov scored two goals Thursday night to pace the Chicago Black Hawks to a 5-4 National Hockey League victory over third-place Detroit in the Chicago Stadium. The Red Wing loss clinched second place for the New York Rangers.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W	L	T	Pts.	GF	GA
Montreal	47	15	14	94	242	140
New York	26	25	19	71	185	180
Detroit	27	28	15	69	165	159
Boston	25	28	15	65	184	194
Chicago	23	36	7	53	152	191
Toronto	21	34	11	53	196	216

The Red Wings needed a victory Thursday and a pair of wins Saturday and Sunday to take the runnerup position, provided the Rangers lost their last two games.

By winning their final home game of the season the Black Hawks moved into a tie for fifth place with the Toronto Maple Leafs, who suffered 7-4 loss to Montreal.

MONTREAL (AP)—The champion Montreal Canadiens set a season's record for scoring in the National Hockey League Thursday night as they scored four goals in the final period for a 7-4 victory over the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Hopps Reaches Semis in Net Go

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (AP)—Janet Hopps of Seattle and Maria Ester Bueno of Brazil moved into the semifinals in the women's singles of the Puerto Rican Tennis Tournament Thursday. Miss Hopps, third seeded, defeated Martha Hernandez of Mexico 6-1, 6-1, while Miss Bueno defeated Lois Felix, Meriden, Conn., 6-1, 4-6, 6-1.

Wright Gets TKO Win

PARIS (AP)—Ted Wright of Detroit Thursday night scored a technical knockout over Henry Cabelduc of France when Cabelduc failed to come out for the sixth round of a scheduled 10-round bout.

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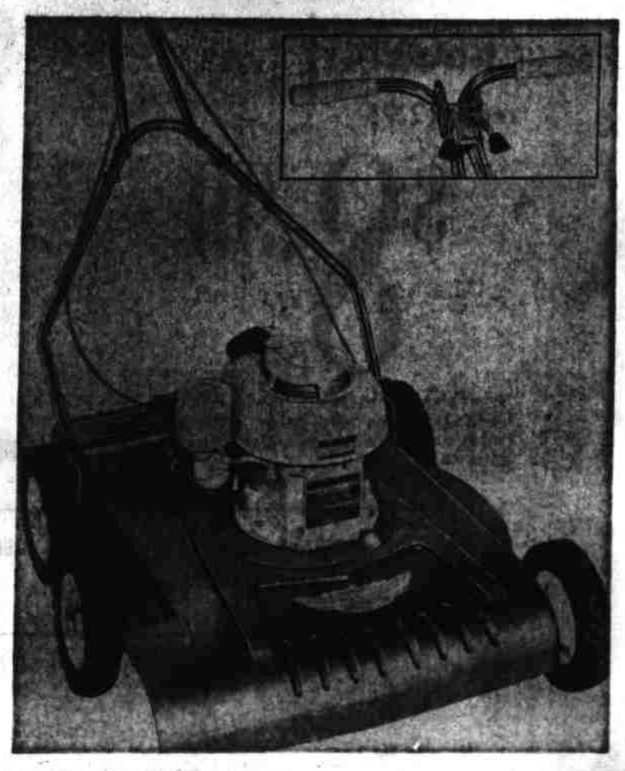

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Citrus Circuit

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The San Francisco Giants outhit the Cleveland Indians Thursday 18-10 but had to go 10 innings before winning their exhibition game at Tucson, Arizona, 7-5 on rookie catcher Bob Schmidt's home run.

Schmidt, who played with Minneapolis in 1957, hit Gary Bell's first pitch in the 10th. Singles by Foster Castleman and Eddie Bressoud and a sacrifice scored an additional run. Dave Mann's two-run homer in the eight had tied the score for Cleveland at 1-1.

The Pittsburgh Pirates got effective clutch pitching from Ron Kline and Roy Face at Fort Myers, Fla., and defeated the Kansas City Athletics 7-4. Kline was credited with the victory after Bob Clemente hit a two-run triple for Pittsburgh in the third.

At St. Petersburg, Fla., the New York Yankees won their sixth straight as Mickey Mantle blasted two homers and a double to drive in six runs in an 11-8 victory over Philadelphia. Granny Hamner tripled, doubled and singled, batting in four runs for the Phillies.

Hank Aaron led Milwaukee's 12-hit assault, hitting two home runs good for four runs at Bradenton, Fla., and Cincinnati was routed 11-1.

Baltimore and Chicago split a doubleheader at Scottsdale, Ariz., the Orioles winning the opener 4-1, but dropping the nightcap to the Cubs 1-0 in 10 innings.

Dale Long doubled and Lee Walls' single brought long home in the top of the tenth as four Chicago pitchers held the Birds to two hits in the second game. Gus Triandos, Baltimore catcher, hit a double and two singles as the Orioles rapped out nine hits in the opener.

Don Drysdale didn't allow a Tiger to reach first base as the Los Angeles Dodgers defeated Detroit 6-4 in a night game at Miami. He pitched four innings, but the Tigers tallied four runs off Danny McDevitt in the sixth.

After Los Angeles tied the score at 3-3 in the seventh, Dick Gray and Charlie Neal singled in the eighth and scored on Gino Cimoli's double.

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