

# Odds Favor Olson 11-5 To Take Turpin Tonight

By MURRAY ROSE  
NEW YORK (AP)—Carl (Bobo) Olson, the hustling Hawaiian from San Francisco, holds firmly at the 11-to-5 favorite to whip Britain's moody Randy Turpin in their 15-round middleweight title fight at Madison Square Garden tonight.

Although his strange training methods have been as unorthodox as his awkward fighting style, the 25-year-old British boxer said flatly: "I'll prove I'm right. I'll win and bring back the championship to England."

Olson, poker-faced and quiet, said calmly: "I'll take the title. Then he left the rest of the talking, as usual, to manager Sid Finkler."

"Olson will win," was the added comment of Ray Robinson, who fought them both twice. The two will battle for the crown of the great Sugar Ray abdicated nine months ago.

"Olson is aggressive and very busy," said Robinson. "He gives you no room and he thinks fast. Turpin can't come back. I found that out. Olson will keep coming."

Even the visiting British writers and London promoter Jack Solomons have soured on their headstrong Randy.

"I don't approve the way Turpin has trained," said Solomons. "He should have boxed more. His timing is off. If it goes 15 rounds Olson will win."

Turpin hasn't boxed since last Thursday. Despite his peculiar tactics and the big odds against him, the Briton's name is still magic at the box office.

The International Boxing Club opened its windows today with more than \$110,000 in the till. IEC managing director Harry Markson said the scrap will lure about 17,000 fans and about \$175,000. Radio-television receipts will add another \$60,000 to the pot. Each fighter will collect 30 per cent or about \$57,000.

**BIG DRAWING CARD**  
The last time he was here Turpin drew a tremendous 61,370 throng and \$767,626 at the polo grounds for his title defence against Robinson Sept. 12, 1951. Then the faithful were curious to see the man who had scored the first upset of the quarter-century 64 days before in London. P.S.T., they may see just the shell of the once-magnificent prospect. The bout will be broadcast and telecast coast to coast by CBS.

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**EARL REIBEL**, 23-year-old Detroit-born rookie with Detroit Red Wings, is setting a fast scoring pace in the National Hockey League. He had two goals and six assists in the first four games to take the league leadership in the firing division. He played with Edmonton in the Western Hockey League in the 1952-53 season, winning the scoring championship.

## Canucks Edge Winless Flyers To Take Lead

By The Canadian Press

Vancouver Canucks, breezing along undefeated in the Western Hockey League kept three streaks—one goal, one bad—going last night when they edged the Edmonton Flyers 2-1 in Vancouver.

The game moved Canucks, the only undefeated club in the seven-team league, into first place, two points ahead of Calgary Stampeders. Vancouver has only one blemish on the record, a 3-3 tie with Seattle Bombers.

Canucks have won all of their six games by a single goal.

The Flyers have been winless in eight games. They have lost five and tied three.

Tuesday, after a slow start, the Flyers outthrust Canucks by a wide margin in the second period and stayed in contention all the way.

But Vancouver goalie Lorne Worley barred the door on every Flyer effort except a screened shot he couldn't see until too late.

Steve Hrymnaik fired the shot from the blue-line after getting a pass from a face-off to give Edmonton a 1-0 lead late in the second period.

Red Brown finally tied it up with half the third period gone in a backhand shot from a semi-scramble in front of Hall.

Then with less than two minutes left, Canuck Andy Bathgate snagged a bad pass-out from behind the Edmonton net and rifled home the winning goal from eight feet out.

Tonight, Seattle visits New Westminster in the only scheduled action.

**Stewart Leads AHL**  
NEW YORK (AP)—Gaye Stewart of Buffalo Bisons, the team that had the weakest offence in the league last season, holds first place in the American Hockey League point derby.

Stewart has three goals and four assists for seven points. Seven players are tied for second with six and another five have five points. Only Joe Lund of Buffalo and Willie Marshall of Pittsburgh have managed to notch four goals.

## SPORTS ROUND-UP

By GAYLE TALBOT

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Anyone who knows even approximately what Randy Turpin will do in the Madison Square Garden ring tonight is in a swell position to stomp the experts of two continents.

The mahogany-colored Briton has a chance to win the world's undisputed 160-pound championship for the second time in his career. This is a very valuable chattel, and yet nobody outside the visitor's own tight little group knows for certain whether he even is in shape to travel 15 rounds, much less whip such a rugged opponent as Bobo Olson.

In the three weeks since he landed here, Turpin scarcely has pulled on a boxing glove by normal standards of training. He has studiously avoided boxing at all in public and has, so far as possible, shunned any contact with the human race. He has been, as they say, a strange one. His chief exercise has come in the form of long walks over the moors.

The last time he was in the United States Turpin wasn't like that at all. He was friendly

and co-operative and more or less normal in his training methods. No one pretends to know what came over him in the intervening period, least of all the dozen British writers who have been getting a royal run-around from their old pal.

The only recent line available on the gloomy gladiator was the way he looked in winning a 15-round decision over Charles Humez of France for the European championship several months ago. They gave a private showing of the movies of that one last week, and Turpin looked far from impressive. The odds on Olson firmed up immediately.

However, a great many persons here, including the 61,000 who were in the Polo Grounds on the autumn night two years ago when he lost the title back to Sugar Ray Robinson, know that Turpin can fight a whole lot and is as game as they come. They know, too, that he was in shape for that one, even if Robinson, one of the authentic greats, did stop him eight seconds from the end of the 10th round.

It is somewhat inconceivable that a man who was capable of beating the Sugar Boy in London and fighting him to a virtual standstill for nearly 10 rounds here two months later could have gone back to the extent some observers think he has in only two years. He's but 25 now, same as Olson. It seems equally incredible that he would not have himself in top condition for this one.

The strange man says sourly that he is ready, and that he knows better than anyone else how to prime-up his own particular mechanism. If he proves to be right he will have set the noble science of fight training back a half-century.

## Wade, Shumka Take Loop Honors

Betty Wade and Joe Shumka took all the bowling honors in Friday night's Mixed Five-Pin bowling league, the former rolling 261 and 603 to capture the ladies' high single and high triple and the latter scoring 257 and 708 for men's high single and high three.

High team single and high triple was taken by Residuals with 1902 and 2997.

Standings showed Conboeds and Northland Dairy tied for the lead with 12 points each. No-Names have 11, Residuals 10, Savoy 10, MB Wildcats 9, Bulger's 7, Timberties 6, Pilots 5, Highballers 5, MB Lucky Strikes 5, Nelson Bros. 4.

## Grigger, Joe Krol, Decides to Quit

TORONTO (AP)—Joe Krol, ranked among the all-time stars of football and considered by many as the outstanding Canadian-born player of the last 20 years, has announced his retirement.

His decision was hastened by a knee injury suffered in the dying moments of Sunday's Big Four game in Montreal when he handled the ball for the last time for Toronto Argonauts against the Alouettes.

The 34-year-old triple-threat backfielder from Windsor, Ont., began his big-time career as an intercollegiate all-star for the University of Western Ontario Mustangs in 1939. In the years that followed he played on six Dominion championship teams and won all-star ranking in every league in which he played.

## LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

By The Associated Press  
**BUTTE, Mont.**—Glen Flanagan, 133, St. Paul, Minn., outpointed Joey Clemo, 136, Portland, Ore., 10.

**HARTFORD, Conn.**—Johnny Casario, 148, Hartford, knocked out Mario Perez, 147, Argentina, 1.

**MIAMI BEACH, Fla.**—Jackie Graves, 128½, Minneapolis, outpointed Larry Mujica, 135½, Miami, 10.

**Portland, Me.**—Billy O'Boyle, 148½, Old Orchard Beach, Me., stopped Babe McCarran, 148¾, Bangor, Me., 8.

## Basketball Season to Open November 7, 1953-54 Commission Still Not Elected

Prince Rupert Basketball association last night ratified a brand-new constitution and now all it lacks is an organization to administer it.

At the general meeting last night called for the express purpose of electing a five-man commission to govern basketball in Prince Rupert, there were insufficient members of the public from which to nominate the three members at large needed to complete the executive.

Another meeting has been set for 8 p.m. next Tuesday at the Civic Centre to elect five men to serve on the association's basketball commission. All persons who wish to aid and help further basketball in the city are urged to attend.

Opening of the season's play was set for Saturday, November 7.

Last night's meeting saw plenty of basketball players in attendance but the 1952-53 executive, serving temporarily until the new commission is set up, wants three more members who are not associated with any particular team.

Fred Jones, Civic Centre general secretary, is a likely choice to represent the Centre on the commission and Allan Hurst, principal of Booth Memorial high school, will probably represent the students, but three members of the general public are still needed.

Jack Marchant was chairman of the meeting which saw the old constitution scrapped and the new one approved. Wherever the word "association" appeared it was changed to read "commission."

Purpose of the commission is to foster and promote basketball in Prince Rupert and to regulate, control and protect the interests of members and for the betterment of the game as an organization under the rules of the International Basketball Federation of Canada and the U.S.A.

Disappointment was again voiced as to the vagueness of team entries.

Thus far it appears that there will be seven junior teams, five from the high school, one from Annunciation school and the Sea Cadets.

Three senior teams are lined up, Gordon & Anderson's, Manson's and Columbia Cellulose are lined up. Inter-A will see three

teams in action: Fraser & Watts & Nickerson and Inter-B will see three high school teams.

In order to recommend a motion extending the term-A one limit from 11 years of age to 12 years of age of this season only.

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