

Yessir, (Gulp) No sir!

Ed Brown Stands His Ground Against Holmes

The Larry Holmes-Ed Brown showdown took place last week during the groundbreaking ceremonies for the 24,000 seat stadium to be erected for the Holmes-Ali WBC Championship fight at Caesars Palace on Oct. 2.

The so-called problem arose when Brown wrote an article in the July 18 issue of the LAS VEGAS SENTINEL, which carried a full-pg. spread on the upcoming fight. That write up, however, carried a headline that read: Caesars Lands Ali-Holmes. Holmes objected to this caption and sent word through his Manager/Trainer Richie Giachetti that he wanted to get Brown straightened-out. Brown told Giachetti to deliver the word to "Let's Get It On."

The Holmes-Brown confrontation went something like this: "Are you the guy that wrote the article about the Oct. 2 fight," Holmes asked Brown.

Brown responded with

Showboat To Add Boxing

The Showboat Hotel will enter the world of big-time boxing with its inaugural "Showboat Fight Night" card, Aug. 19.

The three-bout card, promoted by Tony Trudnick, president of Las Vegas Sports Promotions, will start at 8:30 p.m. in the Showboat's new sports pavilion.

The hotel, annually, sponsors the Showboat Invitational on the Professional Bowlers Association tour.

The main event on the first card will feature Frankie Moultrie of Portland, Ore. against Jorge "Kid Dynamite" Morales of Los Angeles in a 12-round bout. Nicky Perez is also slated to fight.

The card will be televised nationally on the Sportschannel network out of New York.

"Yes Sir."

Holmes: "Did you make that stupid mistake of putting Ali's name before mine in the headline?" Brown: "Yes Sir."

"Do I need to tear off your head to show you how to put my name always before Ali?" Holmes queried. Brown

nervously responded with, "No sir."

"Let's not do it again. Do I make myself clear," pressed Holmes. Biting his nails, Brown answered timidly, "Yes Sir."

Brown really stood his ground against the Champ.



THE BIG SHOWDOWN - It was Muhammad Ali to the rescue during the official groundbreaking of a new 24,000-seat arena, last Thursday, at the planned site for the Oct. 2 world heavyweight championship fight at the northwest portion of Caesars Palace parking lot. Ali came to Ed Brown's defense during the tense showdown between WBC champion Larry Holmes and Brown. Broadcaster Brown took the fight to Holmes.

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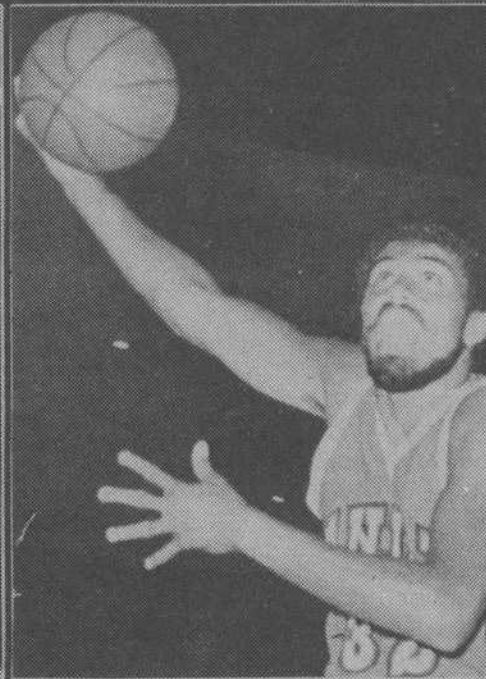
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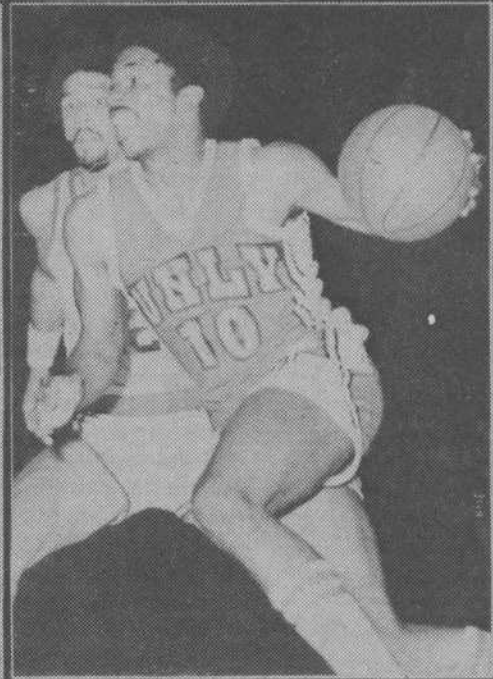
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