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SPORTS ON PARADE

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Las Vegas has Great Talent

Las Vegas seems to provide colleges with outstanding players every year. This season is no exception. At this stage, the blue chippers appear to be Las Vegas running back Lomando Scott and Eldorado defensive back Darrell Hinton. Scott started drawing attention last year when he gained 338 yards during the Wildcats first two games. Injuries limited him the rest of the way. The 5-11, 180-pounder, with a 4.5 speed started again this year with an impressive yardard. Coach Mitchell sees Scott as a Walter Payton-type runner. "He's a strong inside runner who has the speed to go outside. He reads what comes at him well. He uses his blockers superbly," said coach Mitchell. Scott has drawn interest from UNLV along with just about all the Pac-10 and Big Eight.

At Eldorado, Darrell Hinton is turning heads. College recruiters are impressed with his ability to always be near the ball. He runs extremely well and is a savage hitter. He has the ability to play cornerback or safety. Hinton has drawn interest from Northern Arizona and UNLV.

UNLV Sets Fall Baseball
UNLV baseball sets fall games. The Rebels, coming off a 40-21 season this past spring, will play the following fall schedule:

Saturday, Nov. 2 — Saddleback Community College, doubleheader, noon.

Sunday, Nov. 3 — Saddleback Community College, doubleheader, noon.

Saturday, Nov. 16 — Taft, doubleheader, 5 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 17 — Taft, doubleheader, 11 a.m.

Hagler To Be Honored Nov. 3
Marvelous Marvin Hagler, undisputed middleweight champion will be honored at a special awards dinner to be held by the Boxing Hall of Fame Nov. 3 at the Maxim Hotel. Hagler will be honored as Boxer of the Year. Tickets are \$20 per person. Call 878-3968 or 384-5032.

Brendan Bowyer Takes Win Over Richard Boulware
Third-seed Richard Boulware was eliminated in AAA Zone competition by the no. 1 seed Brendan Bowyer of Gorman. Talented Boulware played superior tennis but was unable to pull the match out. Bowyer defeated Boulware 7-6, 6-7, 6-1. Boulware will represent Las Vegas this weekend along

Happenings At DOOLITTLE

The City of Las Vegas Doolittle Center will sponsor a Special Halloween Party on October 30, 1985 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for children ages 12 and under. There will be games, prizes and candy at the party. Admission is by ticket only. The tickets are free and may be picked up at either Doolittle Center or the Gerson Boys Club. For further details, call the center at 386-6374.

The City of Las Vegas Doolittle Center is taking registration for the Winter Basketball League for 6th and 7th grades and 8th and 9th grades. Entry fee is \$50 per team and is due by November 1, 1985. For further details, call the center at 386-6374.

with Jule Stevenson and Mary Jacocks of Valley during the State AAA tournament.

Pros To Hold Tennis Clinic
A tennis clinic will be conducted by tennis professionals Michael James and yours truly for all ages and skill level. If interested call 737-5063 for more information.

Curry, McCrory will tangle Friday, December 6 at Hilton to unify Welterweight title

Welterweight champions Donald Curry and Milton McCrory will meet Friday, December, at the Las Vegas Hilton to unify the title. The bout will mark the Hilton's return to big-time boxing after a six-year layoff.

The bout will be promoted by Top Rank, Inc. in association with the Hilton and will take place in the new Hilton Center seating in excess of 9,000 people. The fight will be televised by HBO.

Top Rank Chairman Bob Aum has tagged the show "The Tossup". "Everything about this fight is a tossup," said Aum. "Both fighters are champions, both are undefeated and they are evenly matched. Everything will be determined by toss of a coin -- wheather the fight will be schduded for 12 rounds or 15 rounds, who will enter the ring first, be announced first, weigh in first, etc."

"Milton dodged me for as long as he could," said Curry, the World Boxing Association and International Boxing Federation champion,

in agreeing to the unification match.

Curry, 24, of Fort Worth, Texas, is regarded by many as the world's second-finest pound-for-pound fighter, behind middleweight champion Marvelous Marvin Hagler. He is a 5 feet, 10½ inches tall and has a 22-0 record with 18 knockouts.

McCrory, 23, the World Boxing Council 147-pound titleholder, is 27-0-1 with 22 KOs. He is 6 feet, 1 inch in height.

"There's something I know about Donald from his amateur days that people don't realize -- he doesn't have a lot of heart," said McCrory, a Kronk stablemate of Thomas Hearns in Detroit, Mich. "He'll choke in the clutch, just like he did when he fought the Russians and Cubans."

Referring to his return to the Hilton, Arum said, "We had a great experience the last time we were here when we presented one of the most

meaningful boxing events in history -- Leon Spinks' upset win over Muhammad Ali for the world heavyweight championship. We're glad to be back and are delighted that the Hilton Hotels Corporation is getting back into the boxing business."

The Ali-Spinks title fight took place February 15, 1978, in the Hilton Pavilion and was, at that time, the biggest and most successful boxing event in Nevada history.

Mel Greb, veteran Top Rank matchmaker, is lining up an outstanding supporting card for the Curry-McCrory show.

Tickets for the fight program are \$250, \$150, \$100 and \$20. For ticket information please call 732-5270.

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