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The contest game to select, by popular vote, your Favorite Teacher begins in the issue of January 14 with the Nominating Ballot on Page 2.
The Nomination balloting will run Tuesday and Friday editions until the issue dated February 7 and will be stopped. All votes cast will then be counted to select the candidates who will contend for the top prizes.
Candidates in the final voting will be the teacher receiving the largest number of votes.

All finalists candidates will be notified by the AFRO.
Final balloting will begin in AFRO Tuesday, February 14, This will run Tuesday and Friday until issue dated Friday, March 18.
The winners will be announced in issue dated Friday, March 24

RULES...

1. Classroom teachers from all levels of education public and private schools are eligible.
2. A voting coupon equaling 100 votes will be published in each issue of the AFRO.
3. Any teacher can be nominated by receiving 100 votes.
4. The teacher in each school with the highest number of nominating votes will be the finalist from that school. The winners will come from this group of finalists.
5. Anyone may send or bring to the AFRO-AMERICAN, 628 N. Eutaw Street, Baltimore, as many coupon votes as he desires.
6. Two top winners must take trip as specified.
7. Afro employees or their immediate families are not eligible to win.
8. Contestants agree to allow the use of their names and pictures by the AFRO for publicity purposes.
9. Decisions on eligibility of candidates and interpretation of these rules by the AFRO shall be final
10. In making prize claims, the candidates or winners agree to abide by these rules.

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# Afro Sports

FOR TITLE GO:

## Griffith, Archer at peak of form

KIAMESHA LAKE, N.Y. (UPI) — Two postponements have not dulled the fighting edges of middleweight champion Emile Griffith and challenger Joey Archer, who square off on Monday night, at Madison Square Garden.

On the contrary, it appears to have helped both fighters, as an examining doctor has pronounced the boxers in better shape than they were before their last postponement.

"They're in tremendous shape," said Dr. Edwin Campbell, "and it should be a tremendous battle Monday. They both seem very much on edge."

BOTH FIGHTERS tapered off in their training schedules over the weekend. Griffith, and to a lesser extent Archer, were both upset by the death of former champion Barney Ross in Chicago.

"It affected me very gravely," said Griffith, "I couldn't work out like I usually do because I was upset. Gil Clancy (Griffith's manager) asked me what was wrong, and I told him nothing, but it was because of Barney."

One of Griffith's proudest possessions is a pair of miniature boxing gloves presented him by Ross after he had defeated Dick Tiger for the middleweight crown last year. Griffith had visited the ailing Ross on several occasions.

## Ashe averts U.S. whitewash

SYDNEY, Australia (UPI) — Brilliant playing by Arthur Ashe of Richmond, Va., saved the United States from a complete whitewashing Wednesday, but Australia took a 6-3 victory over the U.S. anyway, in their international tennis series.

Ashe showed fantastic form in downing Australia's John Newcombe, 6-3, in the first set, and then held on to take a 7-5 verdict in the second set on the third day of the series.

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THE OTHER men's singles match was won by Aussie Tony Roche who downed Cliff Richey of Dallas, Tex., 6-4, 6-4.

In the women's competition, Karen Krantzcke of Austrailia, beat Rosemary Casals of San Francisco, Calif., 6-1 and 9-7 in the only match of the day for the distaff side.

## Griffith title defense on TV

NEW YORK — The prize fight between world middleweight champion Emile Griffin and challenger Joey Archer will be televised live and in color at special attraction of "The Schaefer Circle of Sports" Monday night.

It will be seen in the metropolitan New York area one day later on Tuesday.

Veteran boxing authority Don Dumphy will provide the commentary.

The championship bout will be a re-match for Griffith and Archer. They previously met on July 13, and Griffith retained his title on a split decision. Another re-match scheduled for last November was postponed when Griffith was injured.


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### Saturday Afternoon at Oakland
AMERICAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE ALL-STAR GAME

East Squad

| No. | Player | Wgt. | Pos. | Team |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 28 | Charlie Frazier | 175 | OB | Houston |
| 32 | Emerson Boozer | 215 | OB | New York |
| 33 | W. K. Hicks | 185 | DB | Houston |
| 35 | Jim Nance | 245 (in service) | FB | Boston |
| 41 | Matt Snell | 220 | FB | New York |
| 42 | George Byrd | 211 | DB | Buffalo |
| 43 | Jim Warren | 185 | DB | Miami |
| 45 | Willie West | 187 | DB | Miami |
| 65 | Houston Antwine | 270 | T | Boston |
| 70 | Jim Hunt | 245 | T | Boston |
| 79 | Sherman Plunkett | 300 | T | New York |
| 86 | Verlon Biggs | 255 | DE | New York |

West Squad

| No. | Player | Wgt. | Pos. | Team |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | Mike Garrett | 195 | OB | Kan. City |
| 32 | Curt McClinton | 227 | FB | Kan. City |
| 35 | Hewritt Dixon | 225 | OB | Oakland |
| 36 | Clem Daniels | 218 | OB | Oakland |
| 43 | Les Duncan | 185 | DB | Kan. City |
| 45 | Dave Grayson | 180 | DB | Oakland |
| 77 | Ike Lassiter | 270 | DE | Oakland |
| 78 | Bobby Bell | 228 | LB | Kan. City |
| 84 | Art Powell | 212 | OE | Oakland |
| 86 | Buck Buchanan | 290 | DT | Kan. City |
| 89 | Otis Taylor | 211 | OE | Kan. City |

## TV Basketball

### Friday Night
BALTIMORE AT BOSTON

Balto. Bullets

| No. | Player | College |
|---|---|---|
| 20 | W. Hightower | Kansas |
| 24 | Johnny Green | Mich. St. |
| 25 | Gus Johnson | Idaho |
| 31 | Ray Scott | Portland |
| 33 | Ben Warley | Tenn. St. |
| 35 | John Barnhill | Tenn. St. |

Boston Celtics

| No. | Player | College |
|---|---|---|
| 6 | Bill Russell | S. Francisco |
| 16 | Tom Sanders | New York U. |
| 24 | Sam Jones | N.C. College |
| 25 | K. C. Jones | S. Francisco |
| 28 | Wayne Embry | Miami (O) |

### Saturday Afternoon
COLUMBIA AT CORNELL

Columbia University

| No. | Player | Hometown |
|---|---|---|
| 12 | Gregory Morris | Chicago |
| 22 | Walter Rodaile | New Haven |

Cornell University

### Sunday Afternoon
LOS ANGELES AT BOSTON

L. A. Lakers

| No. | Player | College |
|---|---|---|
| 12 | Gene Wiley | Wichita |
| 20 | Tom Hawkins | N. Dame |
| 22 | Elgin Baylor | Seattle |
| 23 | Jim Barnes | T. Western |
| 40 | Jerry Chambers | Utah |
| 42 | Walt Hazzard | UCLA |

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## Clay's draft case set for court fight

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UPI) —Selective Service Director Gen. Lewis B. Hershey Thursday ordered Cassius Clay's local draft board to reopen his case for a draft deferment on grounds he is a Black Muslim minister.

In a 45-minute session, the Board reconsidered the case and then announced it again had rejected the heavyweight boxing champion's request for a ministerial deferment.

"We consider the request and then determined that Clay is still 1-A," Board Chairman J. Allen Sherman said. "He now will be informed of our decision and he will then have 10 days to appeal."

Clay, 24, was rebuffed twice last week in attempts to stay out of military service.

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STATE SELECTIVE Service Director Col. Everett Stephenson had announced that Clay's request for a conscientious objector classification was turned down.

The local board met last Thursday and refused to reopen the case.

Hayden Covington, Clay's attorney, then went to Hershey and asked him to intervene.

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THE BOARD'S action opened the way for Clay to appeal to the Kentucky Selective Service Appeals Board — the same body that turned down his appeal for a deferment as a conscientious objector.

Should his appeal be rejected by the State Board, Clay could seek a federal court injunction.

The board let it be known that it was a little upset by Hershey's action.

"But what can you do when the General tells you to do it?" Board member M. M. Dilley said.

"I was 40 years old when World War II started and went down and enlisted. I served 26 months in the Navy."

COVINGTON SAID if all appeals were denied he would go to court.

"We now start all over from scratch," Covington said.

Covington, who defended the Jehovah's Witnesses during World War II, said he had gone to court in hundreds of cases and was prepared to do so again.

Under Selective Service law, to earn a ministerial deferment a person must show that he practices the ministry as vocation.

"He (Clay) spents 90 per cent of his time as a minister and 10 per cent training and fighting and that sort of thing," Covington said.

CLAY WAS reclassified 1-A last February after the Defense Department several months earlier had lowered its standards because of the buildup in Vietnam.

Clay was bitter over his reclassification and said so, causing a furore which forced his title fight with George Chuvalo to be held Toronto, Canada.

Edward Jacko of New York, who was Clay's first attorney, tried to get him deferred as a conscientious objector.

Covington took over the case last August and immediately asked for a ministerial deferment.

Following his fight with Chuvalo, Clay defended his title three more times, twice in England and once in Germany, before public opision cooled off enough for him to return to the United States.

He defeated Cleveland Williams in a title bout in November in Houston and will meet Ernie Terrell Feb. 6 in the same city.

## Chuvalo bids 150G for Clay

WALPOLE, Mass. (UPI)—A $150,000 guarantee, along with 50 percent of the television rights, has been dangled in front of heavyweight champion Cassius Clay — if he would agree to fight Canadian George Chuvalo at Boston Garden in April.

Nick Abraham and Joe Martin, co-promoters at Four Seasons Arena, said they wired the offer to Clay Monday night after Chuvalo knocked out Vic Brown in the fourth round of a scheduled eight-rounder.

Chuvalo, who lost a 15-round title decision last year to Clay in Toronto, held a 17-pound weight advantage over the former AAU heavyweight champion from Buffalo, N.Y., 216-199.

But Brown's southpaw style of fighting gave Chuvalo trouble for the first three rounds. Chuvalo found a solution at the start of the fourth round and polished off his opponent in 1:35 of the round.

## AFL All-Star tilt loses Jim Nance

OAKLAND, Calif. (UPI) — Big Jim Nance, top back of the American Football League, will have to miss Saturday's AFL All - Star tussle at the Oakland Coliseum.

Mike Holovak, coach of the East and Boston, announced Tuesday that Nance would be tied up with prior military commitment. He said New York's Matt Snell would move into Nance's starting spot.


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