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HAWAII V. BELFAST IN GLASGOW FIGHT

At Glasgow's Hampden Park, Babe Marino from Hawaii (in striped shorts) meets Belfast's Rinty Monaghan. It was to have been a world title fight between Marino and Glasgow idol, Jackie Paterson. Twice postponed, that bout was finally washed out when Paterson collapsed before the weigh-in. A 25,000 crowd defied the rain - to watch the substitute fight.

Sawdust was sprayed around the ring to keep the boxers on their feet. Despite the conditions and the more than usually tense ring-side atmosphere, both boxers tried hard to give the Scottish people their money's worth. Watch Marino with a well-timed body punch send Monaghan down for a count of eight.

The Belfast boxer gets a rest, when his glove is wiped before the fight goes on. And so it comes to round 9. They are both going at it hammer and tongs, when Referee Moss Dwyer suddenly stops the bout. Monaghan is disqualified for holding. A not very impressive Marino (his left eye closed up) is the winner. But - for fighting so well at a few hours notice - Rinty Monaghan took all the credit back to Belfast.