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London

Visiting Britain is a party of South African boxers - introduced to London by film actress Moira Lister, herself born in the Dominion. Having trained on unlimited steaks and eggs, their fitness proves too much for Miss Lister.

With a long journey and an even longer list of wins behind them, the South Africans now hope to have a crack at British fighters. Moira is their mascot - and her presence makes up for the missing steak and eggs - even though she doesn't relish her ringside seat.

Oxford

Leaving Britain is Oxford provost Sir Oliver Franks. He and his family have a long journey ahead of them - for Sir Oliver is our new ambassador to America.

SOUND

Chairman of the Paris economic Conference producing facts for the Marshall Plan, Sir Oliver, at 42, is our youngest Washington envoy.

Manchester

\* At Belle Vue, Manchester, Lancashire boxer Peter Kane - in striped shorts - met Italy's Guido Ferracin in a battle for the European bantam-weight title. Six months ago, Kane won the championship in this same ring. On this occasion he proved a different boxer, sluggish and unspectacular, he let his opponent dictate the pace.

Against the Italian, Kane showed little of the fire and vitality that made him No. 1 challenger for the world title. He's staged one comeback already, at 29, he may not be able to make another one.

\* Hearing the end, Kane hit back with some force, but by this time the Italian has scored enough points to win. To Britain's boxing prestige, Ferracin's win was a telling blow.

WASHINGTON.

America will go on finding the new champions. Dutch Woodward trips with cool confidence, into a Washington ring, in his quest for the world "paper-weight" title. 40 pounder "Killer" Beach is his opponent. At the bell, the rivals advance cautiously, then the leathers begin to fly.

The killer goes down to a vicious punch from Dutch. And as the crowd

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urges them on, the "Killer" hits back to send Dutch to the canvas - but he's up in a flash to get back into the battle. It's still anybody's fight as the 49-pounders make many a heavyweight match look like a slow motion ballet.

With America holding all but two of the world titles, they looks safe for years to come - as Killer Reach (five years-old) adds a new name to the championship lists.