

No Negroes As Cardinals

ROME, Italy — African members of the Roman Catholic faith will have to wait a while before one of their number is appointed as a member of the College of Cardinals by the Pope.

Although there had been considerable conjecture within the lay ranks of the church as to whether or not Pope John XXIII would appoint one or two Africans as Cardinals, these surmises were laid to rest with the naming of 23 new Cardinals, none of whom included an African appointee.

The Cardinals have been allotted thusly: Europe, 53; North and South America, 17; Asia, 4; Australia, 1.

Although Teodosio Clemente, Cardinal de Gouveia, Archbishop of Lourenço Marques, is head of an African See, the Vatican does not consider him as an African Cardinal because he was born in Portugal and thus listed as a Portuguese.

Although such countries as China, India, Cuba, Mexico, Uruguay and Brazil have Cardinals, it is surprising to note that none of the Church's "princes" are of African heritage.

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like the appearance of success.

Fights Scheduled For Mid-January

All-Star exhibition fight program, originally scheduled for Dec. 11 at the Olympic Auditorium, has been postponed until mid-January, Assistant Promoter Fred Sommers announced.

Sensational Swedish heavyweight contender Ingemar Johansson will be featured at the show, which will also present such legendary fight figures as Ray Robinson and Joe Louis.

Sommers explained that the show's promoters, which include Robinson, have decided to wait until various legal claims against Johansson have been settled.

Heavyweights Eddie Machen and Pat McMurry both claim Johansson has contracted to fight them within the next few months.

In the Seattle show, Johansson is slated to fight German Willy Besmanoff in a six-round exhibition. Other exhibitions will find Robinson, the middleweight champion, taking on Lee Williams of New York and Eddie Cotton of Seattle in two three-rounders.

European middle-weight king Gustav Scholz of Berlin will meet Joe Shaw of New York in a third exhibition battle.

Former heavyweight champion Joe Louis and Max Schmeling will be on hand to referee the bouts.

The same group of fighters will probably appear in Vancouver within a few days of the Seattle show, according to Sommers.

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