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Review



KWIK KIK LEE

Japan's Aerial Star

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Following in his brother's footsteps . .

KWIK KIK DELIGHTS BRITISH FOLLOWERS

KWIK - KIK - LEE seems to have taken off from precisely where his high flying brother Sammy finished in the affections of British wrestling followers. Since he leapt into the spotlight in the early days of March Kwik-Kik has strung together some sensational displays to confirm his genuine world class.



Kwik-Kik Lee, the young Japanese heavyweight who has made a tremendous impression since starting a first British tour. After three solo wins on T.V. he will be seen soon partnering Big Daddy in a tag bout.

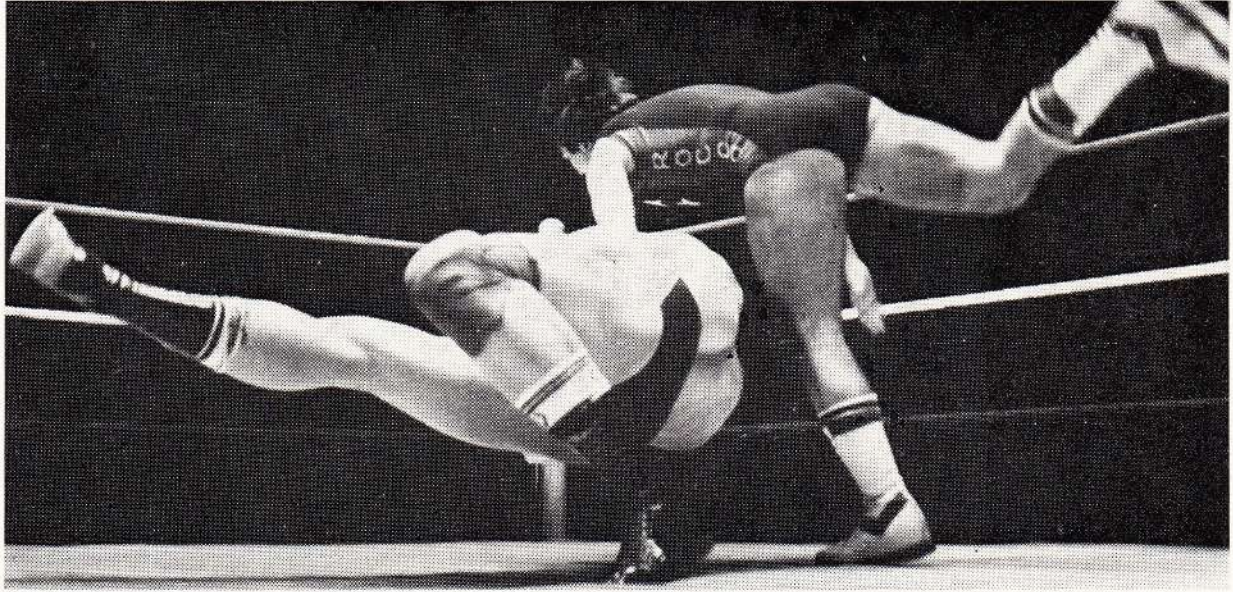
While displaying all the style and flair of middleweight favourite Sammy, Kwik-Kik is a full heavyweight who puts some real beef into his martial arts moves and especially the high flying kick speciality that gave him his name.

After formal martial arts training in Tokyo at the Budokan, Kwik-Kik's exceptional potential came to the notice of heavyweight great Antinio Inoki, one of the real giants of the wrestling world. Right up to the time of his departure for Europe Kwik-Kik was partnering Inoki in tags and team battles in the major arenas of Tokyo, Osaka and other cities.

With Sammy Lee, now wrestling as Tiger Mask, one of Japan's greatest box-office attractions, Kwik-Kik decided that the time had come to widen his horizons and bid for international recognition. As Britain is the place where the World Championship currently resides it is hardly surprising that he flew direct to London from Tokyo.

A decade ago top heavyweight Shozo Kobayashi followed a similar route and made an immediate impression and Kwik-Kik seems set to do just the same. Already he has ended the British campaign of American negro colossus Jim Harris, inflicting a broken ankle on the towering 'Mississippi Mauler' during a contest at Cleethorpes.

In the next week, at Hanley, he clashed with King Kong Kirk and knocked out two of the 22 stone Yorkshireman's teeth. Other bouts have been just as explosive and while Kwik-Kik has given himself three years to make his way in this world tour, in Britain at any rate it seems he might need only a fraction of this time.



Tokyo skill as Kwik-Kik Lee throws Mark Rocco to the canvas in a recent contest.



FINLAY IN TITLE BID

WHEN Belfast Bruiser Dave Finlay came into rings only at the start of the present winter season a lot of people adopted a somewhat sceptical attitude to claims that he would become Ulster's first official British title holder.

Finlay (pictured left) would dearly love to take a championship belt home to Northern Ireland and now he has put himself just 12 rounds away from doing just that. After winning a televised eliminator over Young David (Dave Smith of Warrington) he is now preparing for a title showdown in the heavy middleweight division against holder Alan Kilby that will also take place before the 'World of Sport' cameras at Wolverhampton.

Just as eager for tag team honours and forming one half of a particularly lethal partnership with 'Rollerball' Rocco, Finlay wrestles in the same explosive style and gives little heed to authority as represented by the rules and referees.

Finlay fits naturally into the 13stones 5lbs. division but is also known to be eager to get in with the heavyweights and has every confidence in his ability to come through with all colours flying.

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