

Sugar Will Gamble For Quick Knockout

Chicago—(U.P.)—Here's the take-off of the fight for tonight's Gene Fullmer-Sugar Ray Robinson middleweight title fight.

Fullmer	Robinson
25 yrs.	36 yrs.
5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 11 in.
158 lbs.	160 lbs.
reach 72 1/2 in.	reach 72 1/2 in.
chest 36 in.	chest 36 in.
41 1/2 in.	41 1/2 in.
31 1/2 in.	31 1/2 in.
17 in.	17 in.
22 in.	22 in.
16 in.	16 in.
15 in.	15 in.
12 in.	12 in.
9 in.	9 in.
7 1/2 in.	7 1/2 in.

Chicago—(U.P.)—Here are the facts and figures on tonight's Gene Fullmer-Sugar Ray Robinson fight:

Principals—Champion Gene Fullmer of West Jordan, Utah, ex-champion Sugar Ray Robinson of New York.

Title at stake—Fullmer's world middleweight championship.

Distance—15 rounds.

Place—Chicago Stadium.

Expected crowd—15,000.

Expected gate—\$200,000.

Television—Nationally by ABC at 10 p.m. e.d.t. with blackout of 150-mile radius in Chicago area.

Radio—Nationally by ABC.

TV-radio fee—\$100,000.

Fighters' purse—Each gets 30 per cent of net gate and TV-radio money.

Betting—Fullmer favored at 2-1.

Previous fight—Fullmer won title from Robinson on May 1, 1956.

Referee—Jim Norris.

International Association of Boxing Clubs.

Scoring—By referee and two judges on five-point-must system.

Gloves—Six-ouncers.

By JACK CUDDY

Chicago—(U.P.)—Sugar Ray Robinson will shoot the works and gamble on a knockout tonight in his age-vs.-youth return title fight with middleweight champion Gene Fullmer at Chicago stadium.

The last-minute disclosure was made today by George Gairford, long-time co-manager, who said, "Ray will cut loose with everything he's got and try for a knockout in six or seven rounds."

"He couldn't beat Fullmer by boxing him over the distance at New York in January; so he'll go all-out to stop him early this time."

Accordingly, the expected 14,000 fans will see 36-year-old Robinson gamble on tagging 25-year-old Fullmer with the first knockout of his career or suffering a kayo loss that will send him into permanent retirement.

On National TV

Promoter Jim Norris predicted a gate of \$200,000. An additional \$100,000 has been paid for ABC's national telecast and broadcast at 10 p.m. e.d.t. There will be a TV blackout on a 150-mile radius in the Chicago area.

Stocky, muscular Fullmer, a mining welder from West Jordan, Utah, took the 160-pound crown from slender Ray on a unanimous 15-round decision at Madison Square Garden, Jan. 2.

Tonight's return 15-rounder stimulated the heaviest fight-betting in years. The champion is favored at 2-1, and it's even money that Robinson doesn't

Sports Broadcasts

Radio station KYJC (1230 kc) will bring the Sugar Ray Robinson-Gene Fullmer middleweight title boxing bout at 6:05 p.m. today.

last the distance. A month ago, Fullmer was a 4-1 choice.

If Ray beats Gene tonight he will be the first man in ring history, in any division, to win the same title four times. Robinson was also welterweight 147-pound champion before he campaigned for the 160-pound bonnet.

Since copping the title Fullmer has had two non-title bouts with Wilf Greaves and Ernie Durando and suffered a brow cut in each. And he was unimpressive in training. However, the Mormon mauler is a chips-down fighter, not a gymnasium performer. His 40 victories in 43 fights attest his prowess.

Robinson lost but five of his 147 bouts, and he was stopped only once—when he collapsed between rounds from the heat in his attempt to wrest the light heavyweight crown from Joey Maxim in 1952. Because of his rare prowess, most experts have tabbed him "an all-time great."

If tonight's show draws its expected \$200,000 gross gate, each fighter should wind up with about \$78,000. Each receives 30 per cent of the net gate and TV-radio money. It would be Fullmer's largest purse.

Tonight's fight will be scored by a referee and two judges on a five-point-must system. The winner of a round gets five points and the loser, from one to four. For an "even" round, each gets five points.

Braves Take High Road

By RAY ANDREWS

United Press Sports Writer

The Tri-City Braves are taking the high road in the Northwest Baseball league and the Lewiston Broncos, so far, are trudging along on the low road.

Tri-City blasted Eugene 14-2 Tuesday night for a perfect 5-0 mark and Salem beat Lewiston 10-8 to give the Broncos an imperfect 0-5 slate. Yakima nipped Wenatchee 7-6 in the other game.

Bert Haysom spun a four-hitter and got 13-hit backing from his mates to make things easy for Tri-City. Haysom fanned eight and walked four and contributed a solo homer in his own cause.

Joe Porter drove in three Tri-City runs with a bases-loaded double off the right centerfield boards in the eighth. Salem collected 15 hits off three Lewiston hurlers with Ted Rhodes leading the way with a triple double and two singles. The Senators won it in the sixth with four runs on four singles, two walks and a passed ball.

Yakima was six runs down to Wenatchee but got five markers in a big fifth frame and added another in the seventh to tie it 6-6.

Don McGinnis won it in the ninth when his single to right sent Vince Moreci in from second.

Baseball Scores

TUESDAY COLLEGE GAMES

Oregon 2, Idaho 2
Washington 6, WSC 5
SOC 18, OTI 4
Portland 19, Portland State 2

League Leaders

(By United Press)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Player & Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Musial, St. L.	10	42	5	20	.476
Hodges, Bkn.	11	40	8	16	.400
Thomas, Pitt.	12	45	5	17	.378
Adcock, Milw.	11	37	8	14	.378
Gilliam, Bkn.	11	46	5	17	.370
Dark, St. L.	10	44	9	16	.364
Bowman, Phila.	12	42	8	15	.357
Hoak, Cleve.	12	31	4	11	.355
Bailey, Cincinnati	12	40	5	14	.350
Bell, Cincinnati	12	32	2	18	.346

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Player & Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Williams, Bost.	12	47	11	20	.426
Fox, Chi.	10	42	7	16	.381
McDermid, N.Y.	11	41	6	15	.366
Bertoia, Det.	12	36	1	13	.361
Simpson, K. City	13	51	9	18	.353
Boone, Det.	12	40	8	14	.350
Jensen, Bost.	7	29	2	10	.345
Gardner, Balt.	12	39	7	13	.333
Mauch, Bost.	12	49	7	16	.327
Bolling, Det.	13	56	9	18	.321

Home Runs

National League—Adcock, Braves 5; Aaron, Braves 4; Sauer, Giants 4; (Nine tied with 3).

American League—Skizas, Athletics 5; Simpson, Athletics 4; Williams, Red Sox 4; Sievers, Senators 4; Lollar, White Sox 4; Skowron, Yanks 4.

Runs Batted In

National League—Furillo, Dodgers 13; Sauer, Giants 13; Adcock, Braves 11; Jones, Phillies 11; Musial, Cards 11; Ennis, Cards 10; Baker, Cubs 10.

American League—Sievers, Senators 15; Lollar, White Sox 12; Tuttle, Tigers 11.

Pitching

Braves 3-0; Gomez, Giants 3-0; (Ten tied with 2-0).

113 Signed For 2-Ball

A total of 113 men had signed up by this morning for the two-ball partnership golf tournament at Rogue Valley Country club.

Entry is being limited to the first 128 who signed.

High handicap linksmen will draw for low handicap partners on Friday evening at the club. A buffet dinner from 7 to 8:30 p.m. will be preceded by a 6:30 p.m. social hour. Drawing is scheduled for 8 p.m.

Match play is slated to open on Saturday with first round matches to be finished by May 12.

Arch Moore In Tuneup

Essen, Germany—(U.P.)—Arch Moore engages in a non-title bout in this industrial Ruhr valley city tonight, seemingly unconcerned over his bulging waistline and a threat he may be stripped of his world light heavyweight title.

Looking more like a heavyweight than the 175 pound champion, Moore was "ready to shoot the works" against Hans Kalbfell, the German butcher boy, in a 10-round fight at the DuBois arena.

Some eyebrows were raised Tuesday night at the official weigh-in for the bout when Moore scaled 204 1/2 pounds—almost 30 pounds over the light heavyweight limit. But old Archie said he wasn't worried.

"That's about the weight I've aimed for," he said.

Moore accepted the Kalbfell fight as a tuneup for a title defense against young Tony Anthony at Detroit June 7.

Musial, Williams Spark Cards, Bosox With Hard Hitting

By MILTON RICHMAN

United Press Sports Writer

Stan Musial is murdering the ball at a .476 clip and Ted Williams is right up there at .426, so if there are any questions about either slowing up, please don't ask them under earshot of all those shell-shocked National and American league pitchers.

Musial claims he'll quit only after he collects his 3,000 hit. He got his 2,800th and his 2,801st against the Pirates Tuesday night and his last hit was a 13th inning home that gave the Cardinals a 6-5 victory.

Williams says he'll hang 'em up when he has enough money but if he continues to blast the ball as he did Tuesday night—with three hits, including a homer in Boston's 3-1 triumph over Kansas City—he might decide to keep going indefinitely.

In other American league games, Chicago held on to first place with a 6-1 decision over Baltimore; Cleveland defeated Washington, 5-1, and Detroit nipped New York, 2-1, in 10 innings.

Giants Shutout Braves

The Giants blanked the Braves, 4-0; Brooklyn topped Chicago, 10-9, in 10 innings, and Cincinnati defeated Philadelphia, 6-3.

Musial's game-winning blow came off Pirate relief ace Elroy Face after Pittsburgh had rallied with five runs in the ninth to send the game into extra innings. Wally Moon and Del Ennis also homered for the Cards.

Williams slammed a homer, double and a single off Kansas City loser Ned Garver. Knuckleballer Willard Nixon limited the Athletics to three hits.

Bob Lemon and Ray Narleski combined efforts to produce a two-hit performance in Cleveland's victory over Washington. Lemon gave up both hits before yielding to Narleski in the eighth.

Frank Bolling's 10th inning homer off reliever Bob Grim of the Yanks was the payoff walk in the Tigers' victory. Duke Maas, owner of a 0-7 record with Detroit last year, checked the Yankees on three hits while registering his second win of the campaign.

A four-run rally in the seventh inning gave southpaw Billy Pierce of the White Sox third victory in a game against the Orioles. Ray Moore held the White Sox to three hits until the seventh but they put together their rally with a double, three singles and a walk.

Little Don Zimmer, filling in for sidelined Peeewe Reese, collected five hits to help the Dodgers to their victory over the Cubs after Brooklyn had blown a six-run lead. Zimmer's 10th inning homer off Dave Hillman, Chicago's seventh pitcher, broke up the game.

Left-hander Johnny Antonelli of the Giants limited the Braves to seven hits and contributed a two-run homer in gaining his second victory. The loss was on 11 Milwaukee's second in 11 games.

Burly Brooks Lawrence snapped Cincinnati's three-game losing streak as he scattered nine hits and settled down after a shaky start against the Phillies.

LINESCORES:

American League
Baltimore . . . 000 010 000—1 6 2
Chicago . . . 101 000 40x—7 1
Moore, Zuverink (8) and Ginsberg (4) pitched for Chicago.
Loser—Moore (1-2).

(10 Innings)
New York . . . 001 000 000—1 3 0
Detroit . . . 000 100 000—1 6 0
Kucela, Grim (10) and Berra, Maas (2-1) and House, Loser—Grim (2-2).
HR—Bolling (3rd).

Washington . . . 000 010 000—1 3 4
Cleveland . . . 101 000 12x—3 6 0
Ramos, Hyde (8) and Berberet, R. Lemon, Narleski (8) and Hegan, Winner—R. Lemon (1-2).
Loser—Ramos (1-1).
HR—Woodling (1st), R. Lemon (1st).

Boston . . . 100 000 110—3 7 0
Kansas City 010 000 000—1 3 1
Nissen (1-1) and White, Garver, Host (9) and Smith, Loser—Garver (1-1).
HR—Jensen (1st), Williams (4th).

National League
Milwaukee . . . 000 000 000—0 7 0
New York . . . 000 000 20x—4 10 0
Buhl, Cronk 7 and Crandall, Antonelli (2-2) and Westrum, Loser—Buhl (1-1).
HR—Rhodes (1st), Antonelli (1st).

Cincinnati . . . 004 000 200—6 13 1
Philadelphia . . . 111 000 000—3 9 1
Lawrence (5) and Popata, Loser—Haddix (1-1).
HR—Bowman 2nd, Robinson (2nd).

(10 Innings)
Chicago . . . 000 203 400 0—9 10 1
Brooklyn . . . 006 010 101—10 15 0
Drabowsky, Broanan (3), Lown (7), Collum (7), Valentini (8), Littlefield (9), Hillman 9 and Neenan, Maglie, Valdes (6), Labine (7), Koufax (8), Bessent (10) and Campanella, Winner—Bessent (1-0).
Loser—Hillman (0-1).
HR—Hodges (3rd), Campanella, 2 (1st and 2nd), Baker (1st), Lennon (1st), Moryn (1st), Amoroso (1st), Zimmer (3rd).

(13 Innings)
St. Louis 001 002 101 000—1-4 9 3
Pitts. 000 000 000 000—0-5 13 3
Jones, Wilhelm 9, R. G. Smith (9), Jackson (9) and H. Smith, Arroyo, Hall (9), Face (10) and Kravitz, Folles (10).
Winner—Jackson (1-1).
Loser—Face (0-1).
HR—Ennis (3rd), Moon (3rd), Musial (2nd).

SOCCER TEAMS SUSPENDED

Rio De Janeiro—(U.P.)—The soccer clubs have been suspended for 45 days from competing in an international event for having played with the Hungarian Honved team without permission from FIFA. The suspension was handed down by the executive board of the Brazilian Confederation of Sports.

SPORTS

Softball Session Thursday Night

Another meeting of the Jackson County Softball association will convene at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday at the YM-CA to work further on organization for the season.

If the group abides by a decision made last week, the association will operate without officers this season.

Those attending last week's session came up with the suggestion that various professional groups in the city such as medical doctors, dentists, lawyers, ministers, accountants and insurance men form teams and join the circuit.

Further information will be available at the Thursday meeting.

Phoenix Tops St. Mary's

Phoenix—Each school took seven first places here yesterday as Phoenix high downed St. Mary's of Medford in a track meet.

Jim Darland was the big winner of the afternoon with four individual firsts and a spot on the winning relay team. The St. Mary's athlete topped the high hurdles, the 100-yard dash, the low hurdles and the broad jump.

Earl Dillree of Phoenix took the shot put and discus and tied for first with teammate Jim Stout in the pole vault. Charles Swingle of Phoenix was a double winner, nabbing the 440 and 220-yard dashes.

In the mile Gordon Kirkland of St. Mary's won from Dave McClurg of Phoenix by six inches.

RESULTS:

120 hurdles—Darland SM; B. Dillree P; Goodwin SM; J. James P.
164.
100—Darland SM; E. Dillree P; Hayes SM; Simmons P. 104.
440—Swingle P; Espey SM; Shatto P; Taylor P. 55.1.
180 low hurdles—J. Darland SM; E. Dillree P; B. Dillree P; Fogel SM. 21.5.
220—Swingle P; Espey SM; Hayes SM; J. Waldron P. 23.8.
880—Simmons P; Jerry Kerr SM; Campbell P; Kirkland SM. 2:10.
Shot put—E. Dillree P; Hill P; Clark and Wallace P. 38 ft.
Pole vault—E. Dillree and Stout P; Heath and Spurlock P. 10 ft.
Javelin—Korth P; T. Cooper SM; Goodwin SM; Evans SM. 132-4 1/2.
Discus—E. Dillree P; Fiklus SM; Clark P; T. Cooper SM. 123-4.
Broad jump—Darland SM; Espey SM; Russell P; Fogel SM. 18-4 1/2.
Mile—Kirkland SM; McClurg P; Waldron SM; Spurlock P. 5:07.2.
High jump—J. James P; Stout P; T. Cooper SM; Fogel SM and Hamilton and Heath P. 5-3.
880-relay—St. Mary's (Darland, Espey, Hayes, T. Cooper). 1:39.6.

Southern Oregon Baseball Crew Blasts Oregon Tech

Ashland—Southern Oregon collegians crashed out three home runs here yesterday afternoon in another lopsided Oregon Collegiate conference baseball victory over Oregon Tech. Technical institute. Score was 18 to 4.

A big seventh inning, when nine runs busted a 4-all deadlock decided the issue but the Raiders added five more runs for good measure in the eighth.

Runs in the seventh frame were manufactured by six hits, four bases on balls and a hit batter. Phil Sward rapped a two-run triple. Larry Maurer blasted out two hits in the inning and Ned and Ted Landers and Ron Owings got a single apiece.

In the eighth canto, Dick Nix rapped a three-run homer and Gordy Thoreson a solo round-tripper. Ray Thiess and Ned Landers also got hits.

The pitching victory went to Ray Thiess who hurled the last three cantos, permitting just one hit, fanning three men each in the seventh and ninth stanzas and issuing no walks. Duane Sides over six innings yielded six bingles, walked two and struck out six.

Sword in addition to his triple homered in the third inning. He drove in four runs and scored three. Nix hit two for three for the game, batted in three markers and scored three. Ned Landers swatted three for six and Larry Maurer and Ted Landers two for six. Maurer drove in three runs.

Southern Oregon took advantage of three hit batters and 11 bases on balls along with 15 hits off pitchers Jerry Kepling, George Miller and Harvey Elliott Loughlin.

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