

Middleweight King Training Steadily

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UPI)—Gene Fullmer began a steady diet of track work and sparring bouts today in preparation for his midweight championship match with Sugar Ray Robinson March 4.

The middleweight champion arrived here Sunday from West Jordan, Utah.

Robinson is continuing his training in San Jacinto, Calif. He will set up a training camp here Feb. 27.

In a meeting here Saturday the Nevada State Athletic Commission laid some ground rules for the Fullmer-Robinson fight and agreed to meet again March 2 to iron out further details.

The commission made public several decisions about the coming bout.

—That the three knockdown rule and the mandatory eight count after each knockdown be waived.

—If the fight is stopped because of a cut, the decision would be made only after a three-way conference between the commission's doctor and a physician representing each fighter.

—The officials will mark their cards, using the five-point "must" system, at the end of each round. The scoring, however, will not be announced until the end of the bout.

—Both fighters will undergo a medical examination upon their arrival in Las Vegas, and a second examination the morning of the fight.

Linfield Nearing Championship

Northwest Conference		
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Linfield	10	4
Lewis and Clark	8	4
College of Idaho	7	5
Pacific	4	7
Whitman	4	8
Willamette	3	8

Linfield appears on the threshold of the Northwest Conference basketball title, thanks to its 68-61 victory over Willamette and Pacific's 73-68 win over College of Idaho Saturday night.

Lewis and Clark is in second place and still in contention behind Linfield after a 98-83 triumph over Whitman but must play three games in four nights in the Inland Empire against Whitman and College of Idaho. Linfield's only remaining league game is at last-place Willamette Saturday night.

A balanced Linfield attack overcame a 26-point effort by Willamette's Fidel Gaviola at McMinnville in a game during which 60 fouls were called. Bob Clone was high for Linfield with 15 points. Bill Maurer, with 19 points, paced Lewis and Clark in the College of Idaho game. But four other players scored in double figures for the winners. Whitman's Doug Grant topped all scorers with 27 points.

At Forest Grove College of Idaho battled to the end for a game that would have kept it in the thick of the race. The halftime score was 35-33. Pacific forged ahead after the intermission but the visitors battled back and cut the disadvantage to two points with one minute left. The rally fell short.

Bob Moreno of the losers was high scorer with 23 points. Phil Davis had 20 for Pacific.

DODGERS AT WORK
VERO BEACH, Fla. (UPI)—The Los Angeles Dodgers began their winter workouts in the Florida sun today.

Thirty five varsity players and 32 farm hands reported to manager Walt Alton this morning for roll call and a kick-off session of calisthenics and track work.

"They look pretty good," remarked Alton as he watched his players work out. He promised the athletes plenty of hard work.

WANTS CITY SHARE
NEW YORK (UPI)—Abe Stark, president of the New York City Council, announced he will strongly urge that the city share equally in the pay TV profits of the new New York baseball franchise, when and if the club decides to use the pay TV plan.

Lucky Lanes

BOOSTER LEAGUE		Results: Valtierra 1, Ahn 21, Ogden 3, Sportscenter Hotel 4, Baraboo 5, Chevrn 6, Kingsley Woods 41, Klamath Tractor 6, So. Ore. Music 4, Lucky Lane 6, Palmer 4, Naury 1, Naury	
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