

Sugar Ray Robinson K.O.'s Gene Fullmer To Win Title

By JACK HAND
CHICAGO (AP) — Sugar Ray Robinson brushed back the years for one electrifying burst of violence Wednesday night to knock out champion Gene Fullmer with a left hook to the jaw in 1:27 of the fifth round.

This sugar man became the first man ever to win the world middleweight title four times.

Robinson, a 35-year-old champion with two solid right hand punches to the body and then drove home a terrific left that dropped Fullmer to the Chicago Stadium deck.

Writing on the canvas, Fullmer attempted to get up. But he was knocked back on his face and was counted out by referee Frank Sikora, the first time he had been stopped in his 44-foot career.

FLASH FROM PAST

With this one flash from his glorious past, the man who once was called "the greatest fighter pound for pound in the world" avenged his unanimous decision defeat by the sturdy bully - boy from West Jordan, Utah, at New York's Madison Square garden Jan. 2.

This was a different Robinson from the inept, faded workman who clutched desperately in an effort to go 15 rounds four months ago.

The bull-necked champ from the west had been hanging away at Robinson's body and charging in fearfully under Robinson's sporadic fire in the earlier rounds.

In fact, Fullmer had piled up a slender 19-18 lead on points on the cards of all three officials in the first four rounds.

WARNED FULLMER

Referee Sikora had warned Fullmer for a cracking left hook that strayed low in the third round, but he did not take away any points under the "five-point must system" used in Illinois scoring.

Robinson's dramatic upset victory earned him a July match with welterweight champion Carmen Basilio.

When Robinson finally got his chance to turn it on Wednesday night he let loose with both hands and a devastating effect. When Sugar Ray tried to punch in bursts last January, Fullmer merely shook off the blows and came in stronger than ever.

Although the record books say Robinson will be 37 Friday, he insists his correct age will be 36, in any event, he punched with his effectiveness of old in that one building flurry that ended Fullmer's reign at one day short of four months.

It was in this same stadium ring that Robinson first won the middleweight title from Jake Lamotta in 1951.

Once again Chicago was his lucky town in 1956 when he capped his comeback from retirement by knocking out Bobo Olson to win the crown the third time.

The action Wednesday night was close until the sudden ending. Fullmer waded in with wild right while Robinson fought back in the first clinch without holding as he had done in his earlier bout.

Sugar Ray drew cheers from the crowd with a solid right uppercut midway in the first but Fullmer charged back and was rounding him up in his own corner at the two-minute mark.

Just before the bell ended the first round, Robinson landed a hard left hook on the ever charging Fullmer.

Fullmer tried to move in close in the second, nestling his head under Robinson's chin and showing no respect for Ray's punching power. A Robinson right uppercut zoomed to his target, yet Fullmer stormed in, schedule.

FLURRIED BRIEFLY

In the final seconds of the second round, the veteran from New York flurries briefly with both hands only to meet a Fullmer who came back punching.

Robinson moved out of his corner fast at the beginning of the third. He was at mid-ring before Fullmer was off his stool.

However, a crashing right to the ribs by Fullmer slowed him down. Then came the hook by the champion that drew the warning from Sikora.

Robinson was beginning to find his target in the fourth. With about 45 seconds to go he caught Fullmer with a series of punches ending with a hook to the head. Instead of backing off to take his corner, Fullmer rushed Ray into his own corner and held off the attack for the rest of the round.

DUG DEEP

After another Fullmer right missed its mark, Robinson dug a right deep to the body and followed with another right to the body. As Fullmer straightened up, Robinson pulled the trigger on the left hook that ended it.

No man ever has beaten Robinson twice in his long career and he has lost only five times in 148 starts since 1940.

Lamotta beat him only once in their lengthy series. Randy Turpin also met defeat in his rematch with Sugar Ray and Fullmer caught the full fury Wednesday night.

Joey Maxim, who stopped Robinson in 14 rounds with the help of heat exhaustion, and Ralph (Tiger) Jones, who won a decision shortly after Robinson started his comeback in 1955, never got another chance.

Brandon Regals Defeat Quebec

By TOM MITCHELL
QUEBEC (CP) — Ray Manson scored with a 30-foot drive with seconds remaining in the third period Wednesday night to give Brandon Regals a 2-1 win over Quebec Aces and tie the best-of-nine Edinburgh Trophy series at one game each.

Manson's counter came just 10 seconds after the Aces had knotted the score on Skip Teal's close-in blast. Quebec had moved its goalie before the play. Les Colwell had given the Western Hockey League champions the lead at 12:58 of the third stanza when he batted the puck past Quebec goalie Al Millar from just outside the crease. Len Haley set up Colwell with a pass from behind the net.

Next game of the series will be played in Montreal Thursday. All other games will be played here with the fourth contest scheduled for Sunday.

The club, battling through more than 50 minutes of vicious, hard-checking hockey before either could score. Brandon goalie Lucien Dechene was outstanding in kicking out 31 shots—26 in the two opening periods.

Internal Revenue Men Are Waiting

CHICAGO (AP) — Sugar Ray Robinson Wednesday night found three internal revenue men waiting in his dressing room as he arrived from knocking out Gene Fullmer to regain the middleweight crown.

Possibly out of respect for the new champion, however, the trio did not speak to Robinson directly to serve any papers. They were silent greeters, standing inside a shower stall while Robinson faced the cheering throng before him.

Earlier the federal men had tied up his purse for \$23,000 from Tuesday's shutout by New York to defeat the Giants 5-1 in 10 innings. It was the Braves' first place in the American League to two games.

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White Sox Are Victorious Braves And Dodgers Win

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Staff Writer

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Sports

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Archie Moore Scores Ten Round Win Over Kalbfell

ESSEN, Germany (AP)—Archie Moore, pudgy and overweight, scored an easy 10-round decision Wednesday over German heavyweight Hans Kalbfell 20½-7.

The 40-year-old American from San Diego floored Kalbfell twice for nine counts but the 27-year-old butcher was on his feet at the end.

The crowd of 12,000 in the outdoor Dohms Arena gave Kalbfell a rousing round of applause for standing up through Moore's powerful last-round assault that had the German bleeding and groggy.

It was little more than a workout for the light-heavyweight champion, who is getting in shape for a scheduled June 7 title defence against New York's Tony

Anthony.

It was Archie's first start since he was flattened in the fifth round by Floyd Patterson in a heavy-weight championship fight at Chicago Nov. 30.

Max Schmeling, Germany's former world heavyweight champion, was the referee.

GROUND DEFENCE TALKS

OTTAWA (CP) — A three-day conference dealing with problems of ground defence at RCAF airfields in event of thermonuclear attack opened Wednesday at air force headquarters. Others representing all commands across Canada and the air division in Europe.

Chicago Cubs Trade With Pittsburgh

BROOKLYN (AP) — Chicago Cubs traded first baseman Dee Fondy and third baseman Gene Baker to Pittsburgh Pirates Wednesday for first baseman Dale Long and outfielder Lee Walls.

Remember When

Lou Gehrig, after playing 2,130 consecutive scheduled games with New York Yankees, plus 34 world series games, was benched at his own request 18 years ago today.

His muscle ailment was diagnosed as a rare form of sclerosis, and the great first baseman died two years later at age 37.

Hoop Team Of Ten Years Ago Plans Reunion Saturday

Ten years ago this coming Saturday, on May 3, 1947, the Navy Basketball team, winners in the P.E.T. Basketball schedule, played the New Waterford Strans who had just won the Canadian Intermediate Basketball Crown. The local team went down to defeat by a score of 55-45 after a hard fought game in which they acquitted themselves ably against a more experienced hoop squad.

To commemorate the occasion ten years after the playing of that historic game there will be a reunion of team members this Saturday night at the Rendezvous Restaurant.

The lineup of the home team that night included Joe Cullen now selling insurance in Ch'town; Earl Smith now with Island Telephone Co in Summerside; Don MacLellan now a United Church Minister in the Cape; Irv MacKinnon now a stevedore on the local waterfront; Mike Hennessey now with the R.C.N. Atlantic Command; Frank Johnston now with C.N.R. on Q.S.M.V. Abegweit; and Walter LePage now in the shoe business in Ch'town.

It is interesting to note that two members of the above team per-

formed with this year's Island League Champion Trojans, in the person of Guard Irv MacKinnon, and playing Coach Walter LePage.

The purpose of the Reunion, which is scheduled for Saturday night is to bring together as many as possible of the Navy team of 1947 and also representatives of other teams performing in the league that year. This year's champions, the Trojans will also be in attendance.

The following is the writeup of the game played against the Canadian Champions as it appeared in the Guardian of May 5th, 1947.

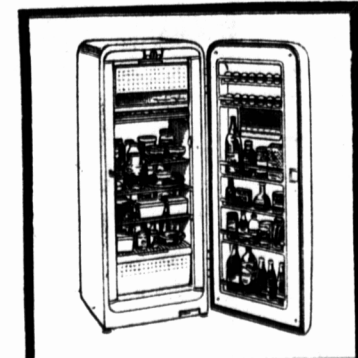
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National League

Mil 010 000 000 4-5 10 1
New York 000 000 001 0-8 1

Spahn and Crandall; Barydy, Grissom (8); Surkont (10); McCall (10); Jones (10); Westrum, Thomas (8); L-Surkont. HRS: Mil —Torre, Thomson.

St. Louis 000 003 033-9 12 1
Pittsburgh 100 000 100-2 9 1

Schmidt and Landrith; Cooper (8); Purkey, Kuzava (8); Hall (8); Churn (9) and Folles, Kravitz (8); L-Purkey. HR: StL-Cooper.

Chicago 100 001 000-2 7 2
Brooklyn 230 020 000-7 9 3

Kaiser, Rush (3); Lown (7); and Neeman, Drysdale and Campanella. L-Kaiser. HR: Chi-Banks.

Cincinnati 021 000 020 000 100 2-8 17 1
Philadelphia 020 001 020 000 100 0-5 14 4

Jeffcoat, Sanchez (8); Gross (8); Acker (10); Barker (12); Freeman (16); and Bailey; Simmons, Miller (9); Farrell (14); and Lopata, Lonnett (9). W-Hacker; L-Farrell. HRS: Cin —Hoak; Philadelphia —Jones.

American League

Boston 140 000 000-5 8 1
Kansas City 240 010 000-7 11 0

Sisler, Porterfield (3); Chakales (6); and White; Morgan, Kellner (2); Trucks (3) and Thompson. W-Trucks; L-Sisler. HRS: Bos—Williams; KC—Zernial, Simpson.

New York 013 111 000-7 10 0
Detroit 200 110 000-4 12 3

Ditmar, Byrne (5) and Berra; Lary, Bunning (5) Aber (7); Gromek (9) and House. W-Byrne. L-Lary. HR: NY—Kubek.

Washington 000 010 500-6 6 1
Cleveland 130 000 200-7 9 0

What Happened Asked Fullmer

By JOE MOOSHI.

CHICAGO (AP) — Bewildered Gene Fullmer, his middleweight crown lifted, stood in his dressing room Wednesday night and asked: "What happened?"

"He got you with one, Gene," said Fullmer's kid brother, Don. "He hit you twice and then came up with that left hook. That did it."

Fullmer shook his head and muttered, "First time. That's the first time I ever got knocked out and I don't know how it happened."

Fullmer, a 25-year-old copper miner from West Jordan, Utah, called Sugar Ray Robinson "the greatest fighter I ever met."

"He has the best record and he's the only one that ever knocked me out," said Gene. "I wasn't overconfident," said Gene. "It was just carelessness."

Fullmer's manager, Marv Jensen, apparently had the answer for Fullmer's defeat.

"I think Gene wanted to make a spectacular fight because he was champion, and it cost him his championship," said Jensen.

"We warned him in the corner to fight like he had fought before; keep his hands up and crowd. But he didn't do it."

Jean Beliveau Goes To Clinic

MONTREAL (CP)—Jean Beliveau, star centre of the Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League, said Wednesday he is to leave Sunday for the Lahey Clinic in Boston for a complete medical checkup.

He said he will be at the clinic for several days. He said he feels all right but was "very tired" at the end of the regular season and during the Stanley Cup playoffs.

Near the end of the season he was examined and doctors found him suffering from a kidney ailment. It cleared quickly. Now he is advised to have the Boston checkup.

Boston Bruins Get Donnie Simmons

BOSTON (AP) — Boston Bruins completed the deal Wednesday to acquire Donnie Simmons, who played in the last half of the National Hockey League season.

The Bruins shifted forward Floyd Smith and defenceman Don Cherry from Hershey, their American Hockey League farm club, to Springfield, also in the AHL.

Bruins obtained Simmons, a native of Port Colborne, Ont., from Springfield after Terry Sawchuk quit. Later in the season the Bruins also obtained forward Buddy Boone from Springfield.

Lynn Patrick, Boston general manager, said the transfer of players might lead to other deals.

New Waterford Strands Defeat Navy At PWC Sat.

Flashing a fast, sharp passing attack and racing back to form a close knit defence, New Waterford Strands, Dominion intermediate basketball champions Saturday night defeated the local City League titlist, the Navy, 55-45 in an exhibition encounter played at the Prince of Wales College auditorium.

The score indicated the play of the fastest game played here this season. Strands, big and powerful, raced into an early lead as the Navy attack bogged down in the first few minutes of the game and the 200-odd fans were envisioning a lop-sided victory for the Dominion champs but after scoring their first basket after eight minutes of play during which time the visitors built up a 14-2 lead the "Navy" started to hit back and the spectators saw the two squads battle it out on practically even terms.

Walter LePage started the Navy ball rolling when he raced in to sink three baskets and two foul shots in quick order to bring the score to 16-10 as the visitors swished in another. Earl Smith came through with his first of a half dozen baskets to make it 16-12 and in a rapid fire display of scoring in the next three minutes 18 Navy outscored the Cape Bretoners 11-6 to take a one point, 33-22 lead. But the advantage was short lived as the Strands displaying dazzling speed accounted for a dozen more points in the last five minutes of the period while limiting the losers to one basket in lead 34-25 at the halfway mark.

There was little to choose between the two squads in the final half of the encounter. They practically shot basket for basket throughout the entire 20 minutes of play.

Earl Smith, Walter LePage, Joe Cullen and Don MacLennan carried the brunt of the Navy attack with Smith sniping in 14 points, LePage eleven, Cullen ten and MacLennan as even half dozen.

Frank Johnston scored three points, Irving MacKinnon one and Mike Hennessey was held scoreless.