

JOE GANS WINS OVER KID HERMAN

Right Hook on the Jaw Sent Hebrew Fighter Down and Out.

DARKEY OUTCLASSED HIM

Fight Was Baltimore Man's From the Very Beginning—Gans Offered \$30,000, \$50,000 and \$55,000 for Fights in Future.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Topnab, Jan. 1.—Joe Gans fought true to the "dope" to-day. After playing with Herman for eight rounds the champion landed a full swing on the point of Herman's jaw and Chicago's favorite fighter went down and out. It was apparent from the start that Herman had little chance. Gans blocked his blows with ease and at no time was Gans worried in the least. The betting at the ringside was three to one on Gans.

Nate Lewis, ran around the ring to where the kid lay and begged him to rise, but Herman was senseless. At the count of ten, Lewis and Adam Ryan carried their protegee to his corner where three minutes elapsed before he came to.

In the second round the men were milling fiercely when the gong sounded. Herman stepped back from a clinch. Gns, not hearing the bell, landed a hard right on the neck. The crowd hissed and hooted. Gans faced the crowd and made a public apology.

The attendance was about 2,500. Among the spectators were many well dressed women.

Gans and Herman weighed in at 131 o'clock. The beam was set at 133 mark and neither man raised it. Gans exact weight stripped was 132 pounds. The two fighters shook hands cordially and each wished the other a Happy New Year.

Gans climbed over the ropes at 3:45 o'clock. The reception given the champion was a warm one. Herman was introduced as the Pride of Chicago.

"Tex" Rickard gave notice that he would give a purse of \$50,000 for the winner of the Gans-Herman fight and \$25,000 for the loser. He stated that the Casino Athletic Club, which would give Rickard \$5,000 better and this would stand for any purse offered by any other promoter.

Manager, Riley stated that he would offer a prize of \$30,000 for a match between Jimmy Britt and the winner of this afternoon's contest. Gans replied that he would accept the offer if he won to-day.

At 4 o'clock the fighters stripped and posed for their pictures. Five minutes later the ring was cleared and the fighters prepared for action. Referee Jack Welch called Gans and Herman to the mark and the fight was on.

The sixth and seventh rounds were all Gans'. In the eighth Gans started off by feinting and drawing Herman's fire. They dodded around the ring until Gans worked his opponent into a corner. Joe feinted with his left, Herman swung wildly with his left and gave an opening. Like a flash Gans whipped his left and then a swinging right flush on the point of the jaw. Herman dropped like a log with his face buried in his hands. He lay motionless at the edge of the ring. Gans walked away; it was all over.

Fight By Rounds. Round 1—Herman led for the body missed and they went to a clinch. The men sparred and in a clinch Herman sent his right round the kidneys. Gans then drove a wicked right swing to the jaw and followed it with a right to the head, and they went to a clinch. At close quarters Herman poked his right to the head. Herman missed the left to the body and quick as a flash Gans whipped right and left to the nose bringing a thin stream of blood from that organ. Gans swung a terrific right to the face and walloped Herman with a right to the ribs. Herman, just as the gong sounded, planted his left to the champions' face. The round was Gans', but Herman smiled in a confident manner as he took his corner.

Round 2—Herman covered up and they worked to close quarters. Herman landed right and left to the body. The men then mixed it and a furious rally followed. Herman had the better of the exchange of body blows. More fighting followed in which both men displayed great cleverness in blocking the other's attempt. Herman swung his left hard to the ribs but Gans retaliated with two hard rights to the jaw that forced the Ghetto Kid to a clinch. Mixing it, Gans drove his right to the ribs and sent Herman staggering backwards with a right to the neck. As the gong rang Gans hit Herman on the face with a right and shook hands with Herman as an apology. Not content with this Gans left his seat stalked to Herman's corner and again shook hands with his opponent. The round favored Gans slightly.

Round 3—Herman after a clinch swung a hard right to the ear and then they exchanged blows. Gans nearly floored his man with a right to the neck. Herman was in quickly and tried with a right and left for the body but received a left to the face that would have sent him outside the ring had not the ropes saved him. Gans followed the advantage with short arm right and left body blows. Gans then sent Herman to the floor with a left hook over the ribs. Herman, however, was off his balance and the blow left no telling effects. Gans had far the better of the round but Herman showed little distress.

Round 4—After a clinch Herman swung right to ribs and left to the stomach. They mixed at close range and Herman nettled Gans with a short arm right to the head. Both men then missed terrific right swings, and Herman landed a left on the stomach. Gans planted his right to the jaw, and followed with a heavy left to the

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Several Important Acts Passed By Congress Went Into Effect Yesterday.

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Unlawful Now to Ride on Interstate Railroad Without Paying Regular Fare—Pure Food Law Now In Force.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Jan. 1.—To-day marks the beginning of the life of several legislative acts of Congress important alike to the Nation as a whole and to the citizens of the District of Columbia. These are three alcohol laws, the pure food, the anti-passes section of the Interstate Commerce law and the modification of the navigation law to simplify enrollments and licenses.

The pure food law contemplates the barring from the interstate commerce fields that are injurious to health, the free alcohol law is intended to assist farmers and smaller users of power to have a fuel that in efficiency and cost shall be cheaper than gasoline or kerosene. The anti-pass provision of the Interstate Commerce law forbids common carriers, directly or indirectly, giving interstate free tickets or passes for passengers, except to employes and families, the agents of the carriers, and their surgeons, physicians and attorneys, to persons engaged in religious and charitable work and to certain specified classes.

GOV. HUGHES INAUGURATED.

New York's New Governor and Democratic Associate in Office.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Carl Evans Hughes to-day took the oath of office as governor of the State of New York, and with his Democratic colleague began his two year term. The inaugural ceremonies were unusually brilliant and the attendance almost unprecedented. Following the inaugural ceremonies, the new governor held a reception in the executive chambers and this afternoon he and Mr. Hughes received a cordial welcome from a very large number of people from Albany and elsewhere, in the usual public reception room at the executive mansion.

Caucuses of the Republican and Democratic members of both the houses were held to-night to select candidates for the several elective offices in each House of the legislature which assembles to-morrow.

stomach that made Gans wince. It was an even round.

Round 5—After half a minute sparring, Herman swung left to the body following it with a right to the same place, and then rushed Gans into a corner, landing right and left high on the body. Gans then shot out his right and it landed on Herman's jaw. The latter, however, sent the crowd into paroxysms by giving Gans to the ropes with a left and right swing to the jaw and face. Herman sent straight left to the face, but Gans countered with two hard rights to the jaw and in a mixup Gans outpointed his man, landing right and left short arm blows on the jaw. The gong ended an even round. Herman's showing thus far has been excellent.

Round 6—Gans cleverly blocked several leads by Herman and peppered the latter's face, and body with rights and lefts at close range. Both men were cool, but Gans wore the determining look. Herman was the aggressive and received a right hook to the jaw that sent his head back a foot. "Cover and fall in" came the injunction from Herman's seconds as Gans, at long range drove his right again and again to the Kid's face. Gans almost sent Herman through the ropes with right hooks to the jaw. Gans had a big lead in this round and Herman lost his jaunty air as he sought his seat.

Round 7—Herman opened the round with a left swing to the ribs but Gans more than got even with two rights and a left to the stomach. Herman rattled and landed his left and then a right over the ribs and they went to a clinch. Herman against the ropes, planted right and left to the face. Herman fought back wildly and as he closed in Gans met him with a terrific right uppercut in the face that left its mark over the Hebrew's eye. Gans followed his man to the corner and they exchanged kidney blows. The bell clang-ed as the men were sparring. It was Gans' round and he looked like the winner.

Round 8—Gans sent a straight left to the face and Herman retaliated with right to the jaw and left to the ribs. Gans merely shook his head and followed his man around the ring, cornering him, but falling in attempts to land. Suddenly Gans shot out his left and right squarely to the jaw and Herman ropped as though hit by a board. He made no attempt to rise. It was as clean a knockout as ever took place in a ring.

—Greensboro, Dec. 31.—The English girls who are to be witnesses in the case against the Charlotte cotton mill men for the alleged violations of the labor contract laws, have arrived in the city and will remain here until the special term of court convenes January 4, when the cases are to be tried, unless there is reasonable grounds for a continuance. The girls have quarters at the Brady House, a deputy marshal has them under control, and will see that they do not escape. They are permitted to go down town occasionally, but are usually kept closely confined.

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THE NEW YEAR AT WHITE HOUSE

President and Mrs. Roosevelt's Reception Was Brilliant Function.

ATTENDED BY 8,500 PERSONS

Republic's Chief Magistrate Gave Each Caller Cordial Shake of Hand—Fewer Negroes Than Usual Attended—Other Reception.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Jan. 1.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt's New Year's reception at the White House was a brilliant function and was attended by about 8,500 persons. The members of the diplomatic corps, officers of the army and navy and representatives of the National and District government, and of the citizen public attended. President Roosevelt gave each of his callers a cordial shake of the hand.

After the diplomatists had been received, Secretary and Mrs. Root left the line in the Blue room and one of the members of the cabinet and their wives deserted the President in order to hold receptions at their own homes. At 1 o'clock Mrs. Roosevelt left her husband's side and only the military and naval aides and Secretary Wilson remained with him until the last person in the great throng had passed through the Blue room.

It was a perfect day. The sun shone brightly and the air was so warm that the thousands who stood in line for hours suffered no discomforts because of the weather. It was generally remarked that the proportion of negroes in the line was smaller than in previous years, but a number of negro civil war veterans and Span- ish war veterans joined with military and patriotic societies in extending greetings to the President.

There was an unusually large number of children in line and all were greeted cordially by the President. One of the most amusing figures in the line was a ten year old boy, with soft-soled hands and clothes, who carried a pair of roller skates thrown over his shoulder. The President laughed heartily as he wished the little fellow a happy new year.

A pretty little girl carried a great white Teddy Bear past the reception party and provoked a hearty laugh from the crowd gathered in the blue room.

Mrs. Longworth and the other children of the President were at the White House for the reception and with their young friends moved constantly through the crowd. Miss Ethel Roosevelt was prettily gowned in pink and was much admired.

Admiral Cowles and Mrs. Cowles, the President's sister, were also with the members of the President's family during the reception.

Only three wives of Ambassadors attended today's reception—the Baroness Sternberg, wife of the German Ambassador, the Baroness Rosen, wife of the Russian Ambassador, and the Viscountess Aoki, wife of the Japanese Ambassador.

Included in the large number of invited to assist in the Blue room were Miss Mary Harriman, Mrs. and Miss Foraker, Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, Miss Pauline Morton and Mme. de Littlemore.

Following an immemorable custom, the reception of the President today was seconded by receptions in the homes of the Vice President, Cabinet officers, officers of the army and navy and well known private citizens of Washington. Next to the President's Secretary and Mrs. Fairbanks, the Vice President and Mrs. Root entertained the diplomatic corps at breakfast, a custom which was inaugurated by the first Secretary of State.

The members of the Cabinet and their wives were extended New Year's greetings by hundreds not only of the diplomatic set, but of official Washington as well. Among the hostesses was Miss Helen Cannon, daughter of the Speaker of the house.

Postmaster General and Mrs. Cortelyou are in mourning by reason of a death in Mrs. Cortelyou's family, and did not receive to-day, nor did they attend the Presidential reception at the White House. The reception of Secretary and Mrs. Straus in their handsome new home was largely attended.

WOMAN'S PECULIAR SUICIDE. Buckled Leather Belt Around Her Neck And Choked To Death. (By Wire to The Morning Star.) New York, Jan. 1.—Choked to death by her own hands, the body of Mrs. Elizabeth Richter, of Brooklyn, was found to-day by her step son Frederick Richter, Jr. She had taken a discarded leather belt and wound it three times tightly around her throat and then slipping the end through the buckle, pulled and fastened it. A note in the handwriting of the suicide was found reading as follows: "Good bye to you all. I hope you will be happy when I am gone. My hand did this deadly deed. I am very lonely. The new year contains no prospects for me." Mrs. Richter was 48 years of age and lived with her husband, Frederick Richter, Sr., and three step children. Her home life was happy, but recently her mind became affected through illness and to this is attributed her suicide.

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Athenian and Barbarian. A westerner once wrote a letter to the late Mayor Prince stating that he was about to visit Boston and asking the mayor to tell him a good place to stop at. The mayor replied, "Just before the 'at.'"—Boston Herald.

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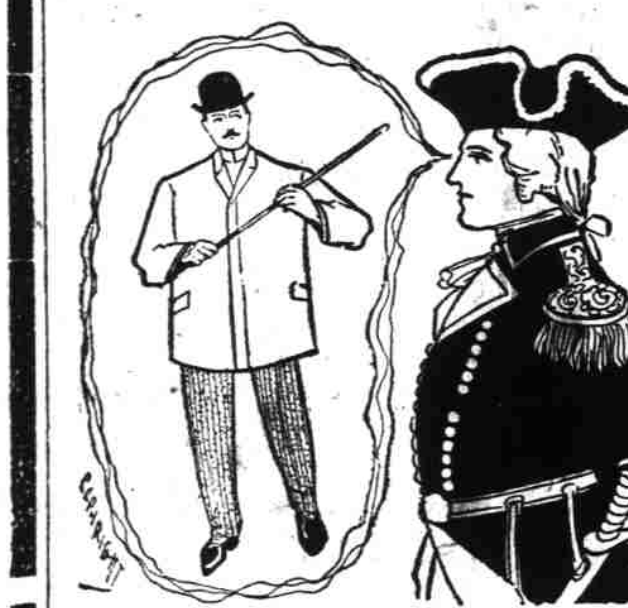
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