

SPORTS AT THE YOUNG MEN'S CLUB

Three Interesting Events and a Basketball Game

Considerable interest was taken in the athletic sports at the Young Men's Club yesterday afternoon. For some reason the committee only put on half the events which included high jump, putting shot, and fifteen yard dash, besides a basketball match. In the high jump H. Mordock was first. He jumped 4 ft 10 in. and Lambert and Johnson tied for second place. Hibbs won the shot putting event with 29 ft score. Johnson being second and Connell third. The fifteen yard dash was won by Johnson 1st, Hibbs 2nd and Lambert 3rd.

The Basketball match was between two teams called the Beamblowers and Hoboes, in which the former won by 40 points to 9. The winners were all over their opponents in both shooting and exhibition in which Hibbs Maddock and T. Hanson showed up well.

For the B. H. Hibbs, Maddock and Jones played well as did Lambert Connell and Priestly for the Hoboes. Teams: Beamblowers: Hibbs Maddock, Barnston, forwards; Smith and Jones defence. Hoboes: Lambert, Connell and Priestly forwards; Rany and Buckley defence.

Milwaukee, Jan. 1.—Dave Desher, of Cambridge, Mass., and Charlie Neary of Milwaukee, fought a ten round draw before the Badger A. C. today, at 138 pounds.

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GANS WINS EASY VICTORY

Sized His Man up in Eight Rounds Then Put Him Out

HERMAN WAS GAME BUT WAS OUTCLASSED

Had an Even Chance in one Round but Always Behind

Tonopah, Nev., Jan. 1.—New Year's day at Tonopah was ushered in with zero weather. The blizzard subsided, but was succeeded by a cold wind from the north that sent pedestrians scurrying in haste in doors. Gans and Herman were up early, but did no work. Both were in excellent shape and spirits and confidence marked their every move. Gans in particular was in an admirable frame of mind and spent the time greeting newly arrived friends and assuring them that there was not the slightest doubt as to the outcome of the fight. "Get in and bet a wad on me, and don't let the odds stop you," he said to a party of Goldfields miners whose acquaintance he formed during his stay there last September. "There is not the remotest chance of my losing, and it means a whole lot for me in the future. I will be hot on the heels of Battling Nelson. Failing to get a match with him, I might take on Britt if he will agree to my terms."

Herman, like Gans, flitted about among his acquaintances and told them that he expected to win by aggressive work and body play. "There was not much betting this morning. Many of the blue shirted prospectors were expected to nibble at the short end, but there were few who cared to risk money on Gans at the prevailing odds, which ranged from 2 1/2 to 3 to 1. The mutuals however picked Gans to win in from ten to fifteen rounds. It was expected that the odds would veer in Herman's favor before ring time. Gans weighed in on the club scales shortly after 10 o'clock in the fullest costume, including shoes, rubbers and a heavy sweater. He tipped the beam at 139 1/2 pounds. Gans went over to the arena to ascertain the temperature of the building. "Unless there is sufficient warmth," said the champion, "there will be no posing for pictures or anything like that, as far as I am concerned. I will insist upon fighting within ten minutes after I have entered the ring."

He was assured that the building would be well heated, however, by the club officials, as the ovens distributed in the building were kept going constantly. At 11 o'clock the weather conditions improved. The sun broke through the clouds and it looked as if a clear day would result. All hope that James J. Fitzgery would be a spectator at the ringside was dispelled when Manager Riley received a telegram from Los Angeles stating that the transportation which the club had furnished was received too late for him to make connections. Two hours before the fight the betting was two to one with Gans the favorite. Bets of 100 to 75 that the fight would not go 20 rounds were made. According to Gans and his manager, there was little Herman money in sight. Gans said that he had \$10,000 to wager at two to one on his chances, but little of this could be placed.

Tonopah, Jan. 1.—Gans and Herman weighed in at one o'clock. The beam was set at the 139 mark and neither man raised it, not even making it tremble. The two fighters shook hands and wished the other a happy New Year. A telegram has been received from Dick Hyland, challenging the winner of the Gans-Herman bout. Lew Powell of San Francisco and Adam Ryan of Chicago fought 10 rounds to a draw. The fight was fast and clever. Powell throughout landed the cleaner blows, although Ryan, who was about seven pounds heavier than Powell, landed several powerful punches. The attendance is now about 3,500.

Tonopah, 3:45 p.m.—Gans climbed over the ropes. The reception given to the champion was a warm one. Betting is going on freely around the ringside. Three to one, with Gans the favorite, is the ruling odds. A bet of \$1,500 to \$780 was made at the ringside. G. D. Kendall, a local broker, taking the short end and Mark Fleischman the Gans' end. Jack Welch, who will referee the contest, was then introduced. The principals sat in their corners with overcoats on while the photographer who will freeze the pictures prepared their instruments. Manager Riley was then introduced and was given a handsome reception. It remained, however, for Text Rickard to draw from the crowd the most spontaneous enthusiasm. Rickard, through the announcer, gave notice that he would give a purse of \$50,000 for the winner of the Gans-Herman fight and Battling Nelson. Riley, on behalf of the Casino Athletic club, stated that he would give Rickard \$5,000 better and this would stand for any purse offered by any promoter. Announcer Gardner then took the centre of the stage and shouted to the audience the rules which governed the contest. He announced that the contest would be a finish fight and that the fighters would fight with one arm free in the clinch. Much merriment was created by the announcer, when he stated that Gans' mother had sent him a telegram requesting him to "Bring home the bacon." Before he had a chance to read a telegram some one in the crowd yelled, "Does it say, bring home the mator?" Manager Riley stated that he would

offer a purse 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 today's fight. Herman replied by saying that he would meet any lightweight in the world at any time.

Herman was presented as the pride of Chicago, and Gans introduced as the lightweight champion of the world. Jack O'Brien, in response to importunities from the spectators, was then presented. He said: "I wish you a happy New Year. I have been offered a substantial purse to fight in Tonopah in the near future, and I hope that the match will be a real one. I do not care with whom I am prepared to meet any fighter on earth."

Round 1.—At close quarters Herman missed left to the body and quick as a flash whipped right and left to nose, bringing a stream of blood from the organ. Gans swung a terrific right to the face and walloped Herman with right to ribs. Herman just as the gong sounded plucked his right eye and rubbed his 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 left and right to the body. The men mixed it and a furious rally followed. Herman had the advantage of body blows. More in-fighting followed, in which both men displayed great cleverness in blocking the others' attempts. Herman swung his left hard to the ribs and 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 back with a right to the neck. As the gong rang, Gans hit Herman in the face with a right and shook hands with him as an apology. Not content with this, Gans left his seat and stalked to Herman's corner and again shook hands with his opponent. The round favored Gans.

Round 3.—Herman after a clinch swung a hard left to the head, and then they exchanged right swings to the face. Gans nearly floored his man with a right to the neck. Herman was in a quickly and tried with right and left for the body, but received a left to the face that would have sent him outside the ring, had the ropes not held him. Gans followed up the advantage with short right and left body blows. Gans then sent Herman to the floor with a left hook under 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 short arm leads to the ribs. Both men landed terrific right swings and Herman landed a left on the stomach. Gans planted his right to the jaw with great force and they exchanged lefts to the stomach. Herman swung a hard right to the jaw, and followed with a heavy left to the stomach that made Gans wince. It was an even round.

Round 5.—After a little sparring Herman swung left to the body, following 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 to Herman's jaw. The latter, however, sent the crowd into paroxysms by driving Gans to the ropes, with left and right swings to the jaw and face. Herman sent straight lefts to the face, but Gans countered with two hard rights to the jaw, and in the mix-up Gans outpointed Herman, landing right and left short arm blows to the jaw. The gong ended an even round. Herman's hopes thus far has been excellent.

GANS FOUGHT TRUE TO THE "DOPE"

He had the better of His Man all Through

Tonopah, Nev., Jan. 1.—Joe Gans fought true to the "dope" today. After playing with Herman's law and Chicago's favorite fighter went down and out. It was apparent from the start that he had no chance to win. Gans blocked his blows with ease and at no time was he worried in the least. In the first round Gans started to feel things out. Herman was willing to fight but the champion stalled him off.

In the second round Gans began to open up. Herman's attempts to land mostly resulted in failure. Gans blocked Herman's leads with glove and when the opportunity presented itself planted right and left jolts on his opponent's face. The third and fourth round were repetitions of the second. Herman was the favorite in the eyes of the crowd. When he landed they cheered wildly. Gans only drew applause when he fought his cleverest.

In the fifth round Gans having measured his man, slowed down. This was the only round where Herman made any showing. He waded in and swung hard right and left and a number of blows landed. Gans appeared careless. The crowd cheered madly for the Chicago man. The sixth and seven rounds were all Gans'. In the eighth Gans started out by feinting, and drawing Herman's fire. They fiddled around the ring until Gans worked his opponent in a corner. Joe feinted with a left, Herman swung wildly with his left and Gans got his opening. Like a flash Gans whipped a left and then swinging right flushed 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. Nate Lewis ran around the ring to where he lay and begged him to rise, but Herman was senseless. At the count of ten Lewis and Adam Ryan carried their protégé to his corner, where three minutes elapsed before he came to.

After the fight Herman said: "There is no getting away from it, the ropes held me against a superior man. I cannot deny that he is the best man, and I do not begrudge him his victory. Gans bore his easily won honors with the best of grace. "It was just as I expected," he said. "I had Herman outclassed. He was game, but he never had a chance to win."

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OTTAWA BEATEN BY THE STRATHCONAS

The Reversal of Formone of Surprises of Season

Winnipeg, Jan. 1.—The Ottawa hockey team suffered a severe defeat at the hands of the recently organized Strathcona team, this city's representatives in the professional league. The final score was 9-6 in favor of the Strathconas. It was one of the surprises of the season.

The Strathconas were recently snowed under by the Thistles, whom Ottawa defeated so badly on Saturday evening.

The final curling match in connection with the Lethbridge bonspiel, which was not finished at that place owing to no ice, was played at the Alberta rink yesterday afternoon between Savage and Miquelon, which ended in a win for the latter by 19 to 17. The rinks were: Duff, McLeod, Lee, Miquelon, (skip), 19; Simpson, J. A. Smith, Mbonsor, Savage (skip), 17.

The draws for this evening in the Brewery competition are: Cameron vs. Whittaker; Fletcher vs. Fross; McTavish vs. Fidler; Savage vs. Bone.

Sporting Notes

The captains of the different teams in the Y.M.C. basketball league are requested to meet this evening at the parlors to draw up the second part of the schedule.

A meeting of the Calgary football league will be called shortly. At this meeting the Caledonians will be presented with their medals for the championship which they won last year.

The match in the railway hockey cage between the telegraphers and station department did not come off last evening and will be played later in the week.



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