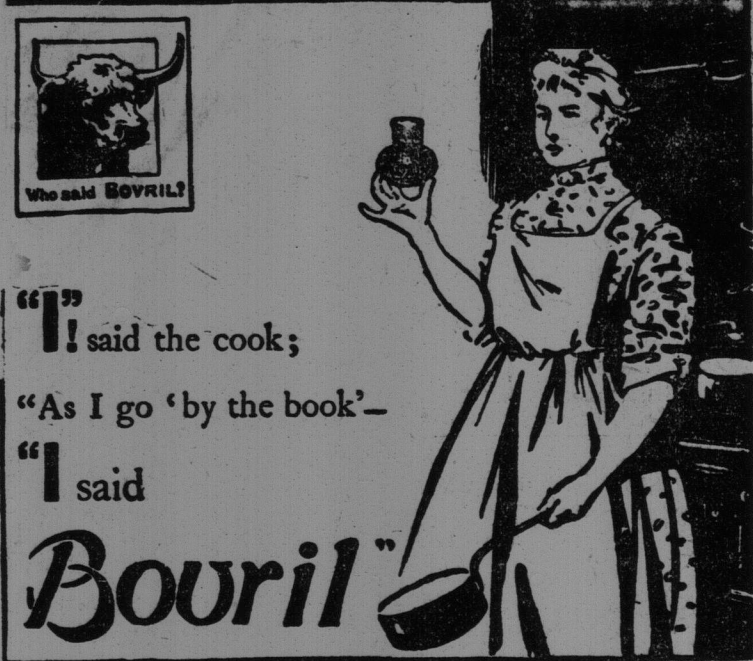


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**Bouril**  
IN THE WORLD  
OF SPORT

### THE RING

THE GANS-HERMANN BOUT.

TONOPAH, Nev., Dec. 30.—From now

will the name of the Gans-Hermann New

Year's Day fight, to be held in the arena

of the Casino Athletic Club, it is going

to be a question among the residents of

a section as to which of the two men

is more popular.

Gans made himself solid by his actions

and during the battle with Nelson

Goldfield last September. Hermann is

siding himself just as well liked through

his strict adherence to training rules, his

identical earnestness and his apparent ef-

fort to let the miners here know that he

is going into the ring on New Year's Day

tending to win if he can.

Gans' strength, naturally enough, is

the scene of his former Nevada encounter.

At the same time, the people of Tonopah

swear by him as a real fighter. They

do not intend to let Goldfield outdo them

in their homage to the lightweight cham-

pion.

They are not overlooking, however, that

Hermann is fighting his maiden fight in

Tonopah. So, with the spirit of rivalry

known to camps in this section of the

country, Tonopah is chafing her

tongue as her own.

These people here are in a good position

to pass judgment on the chances of the

two fighters.

They have seen Gans fighting at his

best. They are seeing Hermann working

so that the Chicago had the opportunity

of his life, and that he may land it

a surprise.

It is Hermann's style of fighting, as

shown in his gymnasium workouts, that

he people here like. He is rough at all

times. He has a tendency to campaign

and he uses it every afternoon in his

sparing exhibitions with Adam Ryan.

From now to New Year's Day it will

be a programme of hard work in both

men. Gans will work the harder of

the two, for the reason that he is not

going to make the weight as easily as

Hermann.

What the colored boy will do on the

scale is known only to himself and those

familiarly connected with his camp. He is

weighing in public.

It is believed, however, that he is near

the figure prescribed for the battle—

145 pounds two hours before ring time—

and, although a lot of hard work will

be needed, he will not lose his weight

fast.

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