

# JACK GOODMAN BESTED POWELL

### CALIFORNIAN COULD NOT STAND UP BEFORE OPPONENT IN THE SHORT FIGHT.

New York, Dec. 24.—Jack Goodman outboxed and outgeneraled Lew Powell of California in a ten round boxing session at the National Sporting club last night. In not one of the rounds did Powell have a decided advantage. The best he could do was to even up with Goodman in the sixth, seventh, ninth and tenth rounds.

It was a case of a fine boxer against a husky young fighter. Goodman's trip hammer blows in the first five rounds dazed Powell so his gray matter refused to work and he was unable to fathom Goodman's line of attack. This gave Jack a big advantage, and while Powell was trying to locate Goodman, the West Sider hammered Powell and knocked his head back repeatedly with his left jabs and right hand uppercuts.

Powell was boxing better and stronger at the end and had the bout gone twenty rounds he would probably have won. Goodman easily proved himself the better man for the shorter distance.

Powell opened the bout with a rush. He sent over a left jab to the face and clinched. Jack uppercut with his right in close quarters and after breaking out of the lock sent over a jab to the face and crossed a hard right to the jaw.

Goodman had a shade the better of the second round. Near the end Powell worked Jack into a corner and drove a hard left jolt to stomach.

Goodman tantalized Powell with a shower of left jabs to the jaw in the third, which rocked the Californian's head. This caused Lew to open his guard to the stomach, and Jack ripped in a hard left to that spot. That blow made Powell hold and butt Goodman's face with his head.

Goodman repeated his uppercuts in the fourth. His blows bewildered Powell and Jack was able to rush him, sending in a hard left straight arm punch to the jaw that would have topped over the Californian if he had not held.

Four times in rapid succession in the fifth Goodman sent his left to Powell's jaw.

The sixth developed a hurricane of blows. Goodman cut open Powell's nose with a hard left hook and Lew sent the blow back with interest to the left eye, cutting a deep gash.

Goodman started the seventh with a hard left smash to Powell's face. They clinched and Lew sent in a hard right chop to the jaw. In the eighth Goodman had a shade the better of it. Referee Haley received two smashes on the jaw in a clinch.

The boys boxed into clinches and boxed out of them with lightning speed. Goodman jabbed his left four times to the face and had Powell dazed. Then he staggered Lew with two smashing right short swings to the jaw.

Honors were even in the ninth. Both men were very tired in the tenth and did more wrestling than boxing.

# KAUFMAN'S DEFI PLACED ON FILE

### JACK JOHNSON WILL WAIT FOR WORD FROM DELANEY AND PASSES UP OFFER.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Jack Johnson is not greatly excited over the challenge he received from Al Kaufman for a championship fight within a year. In fact, the champion stated yesterday word from either Billy Delaney, who seconded him at Reno, and who is grooming Kaufman for a fight for the championship, or from Al himself, he will pay no attention to the affair.

"This challenge was sent by Barney Girard of New York. He sued me recently for \$8,000 and I will have nothing to do with him. I am ready to fight at all times, and will meet any challenger who is considered worthy of a trial for the championship if I get \$50,000 for my end and the fight is decided in this country. Contrary to previous reports, I shall engage in no fight while abroad. I leave for Europe about March 15, but my visit to the foreign lands will be in the nature of a pleasure and business tour. I'm not going to take a chance of losing the championship by being jobbed by foreign promoters or referees."

Johnson will automobile to Milwaukee today to open a week's theatrical engagement there.

Langford vs. Jeanette.  
Boston, Dec. 24.—Sam Langford and Joe Jeanette, the colored boxers, are to clash once more. The Army A. C. has signed the pair for a ten round bout January 10. Langford intended to sail for London the first week in January, but postponed his trip to accept the match with Jeanette.

### EDDYVILLE.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Bay went to Chicago Thursday for a short visit at the home of the former's brother.

# OTTUMWA ELKS GOOD FELLOWS

### THEY SPREAD CHEER INTO MANY OTTUMWA HOMES BY GIVING CHRISTMAS DINNERS.

In the roles of Good Fellows, the members of Ottumwa lodge, No. 347, B. P. O. Elks, are today spreading cheer into the hearts of hundreds of Ottumwa's deserving poor in the way of well filled bushel baskets, containing provisions of all kinds for delicious and appetizing Christmas dinners. Ottumwa Elks and their assistants are today distributing 175 baskets of provisions to Ottumwa's needy people. If there is a home in Ottumwa tomorrow which is not filled with Christmas cheer by a good Christmas dinner, it was overlooked by the Ottumwa Elks, who, with the assistance of some of the pastors of the Ottumwa churches and others secured a list of many needy families and have provided each with a good Christmas dinner. Following the custom of Ottumwa Elks for the past twelve years, pounds and pounds of chickens, rabbits and other foods are being distributed to the deserving poor of the city. One of the mottoes of the Elks is charity, and the Ottumwa lodge is carrying it out in every sense of the word by feeding the poor and gladdening their hearts.

Lodge members worked untiringly this morning in distributing the baskets. The vacant store room just north of the Elks' club rooms was used as headquarters and it was almost impossible to get into the rooms on account of the bushels and bushels of good things in the baskets on the floor. A coup of men were kept busy felling the baskets and it was late this afternoon when all the provisions had been distributed.

### A Good Christmas Dinner.

Every basket given to each family contained provisions for a good dinner. The contents were as follows:

One pound coffee, five pounds sugar, small sack of flour, one pound lard, one pound butter, two loaves of bread, a four pound chicken, two rabbits, two cans of corn, two cans of tomatoes, one and one-half pounds of candy, two packages of crackers, one dozen oranges, head of cabbage, one pound ginger snaps, one peck of potatoes, one peck of apples.

### Fred Carter in Charge.

Fred Carter was chairman of the committee in charge of the good work and he was assisted by W. T. McElroy, Lawrence Garner, John Weldenfeller and Thomas J. Phillips. Members of the Elks lodge furnished their automobiles to distribute the provisions, and otherwise aided in the work. The rabbits were secured by the Elks members, who went out recently on a hunting expedition and secured hundreds of the cottontails.

The committee is very grateful to some of the ministers who furnished them with a list of needy families, and also to outside people who aided in the work.

### STAYED STRIKE ORDER.

Labor Commissioner Nell last night stayed the strike order and paved the way for an amicable settlement when it seemed the greatest strike in railroad history was but a few hours off. The issue of peace or war will be determined today. Now the chances appear on the side of peace.

A compromise, which Dr. Nell considered fair to both sides, was presented to the leaders. Each side will discuss it and if it is acceptable an agreement may be signed.

### Strike Appeared Imminent.

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# DONATION PARTY A HUGE SUCCESS

The needy of this city who come under the notice of the deaconess of the First M. E. church will be remembered with Christmas gifts tomorrow, thanks to the charitably inclined members of the Sunday school of the church. A donation party was held in the lecture room last night, and an immense amount of clothing, food and candy were given by the class members. Five bushels of potatoes were received as admission fee, everyone having to give one upon entering the church. At the close of the meeting 250 bags of candy were distributed to the class members present. The donations presented are being distributed today under the direction of the deaconess.

The donations of the various classes and the leaders of each follow:

Mrs. Edgar Hecker—16 cans fruit.  
Mrs. G. G. Thomas—15 pairs stockings, filled.  
H. F. Spurgeon—6 pairs boys' gloves.  
Mrs. J. W. Neasham—10-ten pound sacks corn meal.

Miss Mary Sluts—5 cans fruit and clothing and shoes.  
H. J. Farrell—8 books.  
Miss Irene Hedrick—Six cans vegetables.  
Miss Marie Schick—Six cans vegetables.

Miss Veva Shoemaker—Stockings and hair ribbons.  
Miss Stella Work—Bread and stocking caps.  
W. A. Work—Cash, \$2.  
Mrs. H. P. Keyhoe—17 pairs stockings filled with useful articles.  
Primary class—Canned goods and cash \$3.50.

Mrs. J. B. McCarrill—Two bushels potatoes, cash 50c.  
Edgar Hecker—8 sacks flour.  
Dr. T. W. Jeffrey, cash \$4.  
Miss Maude Reynolds—Cash \$1.50.  
E. C. Peirce—One ton coal.  
D. H. Emery—Canned fruit and cash \$1.50.  
Mrs. T. W. Jeffrey—Cash \$2.  
Mrs. Alice Spilman—Flour; cash \$1.  
E. J. Rutledge—22 cans fruit.

Mrs. J. H. Fields has been on the sick list this week.  
J. S. Oldham transacted business in Albion Thursday.  
Little Mabel and Grace Quirk returned to their home in Okaloosa this morning after a few days' visit with their grandmother Mrs. E. L. Johnson and aunt Mrs. Frank Berry.

Miss Minta Mater who is a worker for the S. D. A. at Burlington arrived home today to spend her Christmas vacation.  
Clarence Miller from near Des

# NO STRIKE OF ENGINEERS ON ROADS OF WEST

### THIS BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT MADE SATURDAY TELLS THAT THREATENED TIE UP HAS BEEN AVERTED.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—"There will be no strike on the railroads west, north and south of Chicago by the engineers."

This was the brief announcement given out Saturday at the close of the conference between the railway managers, the engineers, represented by Grand Chief Stone, and Mediator Nell. The engineers originally demanded an increase of 17 per cent. The railroads offered 9 1/2%. Thursday both sides made concessions, but it was in compliance with an appeal by Labor Commissioner Nell.

### The Basis of Settlement.

The settlement provides for a general increase in wages of 10-13 per cent, which on a normal service amounts to about forty cents a day.

The agreement gives the engineers on the railroads affected a total of some \$3,899,000 annually, or approximately \$192 for every man in the brotherhood. The interests of the business community was the chief factor in deciding the engineers to accept an average increase of 10-13 per cent instead of the 17 per cent they had demanded. This is evidenced by the statement of Grand Chief Stone, in which he declared the engineers "had in mind the suffering it would entail if they struck and we were not so selfish as to use it as a means of personal gain. We thought of the country and settled, that is all."

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# MRS. J. H. BERRY SURPRISED BY FRIENDS

A number of friends and neighbors of Mrs. J. H. Berry, corner Grant and Van Buren streets, delightfully surprised her at her home last evening, the occasion being her forty-first birthday. Music and games were enjoyed, and Mrs. Berry proved herself a delightful hostess. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames. Bert Erb, Frank Hastings, George Randolph, Benjamin Johnson, Eugene Erb, Newton Parker and Bert Van Tassel, Misses Mary Novack, Verna Hastings, Mary Green, Fannie Carter and Elsie and Alma Erb, and Messrs. Frank Novack, Jay Snow, Harold Sutherland, Allie Crawford, John Linn, Albert Barker, Virgil and Will Hastings and Wilbur Randolph.

### FUNERALS.

The last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Clara B. Dimmitt, wife of W. H. Dimmitt, who passed away Thursday, were held at the family residence in Dahlgrove township this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. T. J. Pettitt of the Epworth Methodist chapel, conducted the services. Interment was made in the Ottumwa cemetery.

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Jane Lewis, widow of William Lewis, were held from the residence of her son, Horace O. Lewis, corner of Second and Union street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Thomas W. Jeffrey of the First Methodist Episcopal church, conducted the services. The remains were interred in the Ottumwa cemetery.

### INDICTED FOR SELLING VOTE

Majority Plead Guilty and are Disfranchised for Five Years—Fined and Given Jail Sentence.

West Union, O., Dec. 24.—One hundred additional indictments, charging citizens of Adams county with bribery in connection with the recent election, were returned by the special grand jury late yesterday, bringing up the total of indictments for the day to 272, and the grand total of indictments returned this week up to 833.

More than 200 arrests have been made, and in every instance the defendant has pleaded guilty. In the majority of the cases the court has imposed a fine of \$25 and costs and a jail sentence of six months, with the loss of the right to vote for five years. In several cases the prisoners have been released on bail pending sentence, and in others this jail sentence has been suspended. So far as the evidence discloses the guilt is about equally divided between members of the republican and democratic parties. It appears that the price for a vote ranged between \$10 and \$20.

# Cold Storage Problem Up

Washington, Dec. 24.—(Special Correspondence).—Immediately after the holidays, Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, chairman of the committee on manufactures in the senate, will endeavor to secure action upon his bill to control and govern the cold storage of foods in the United States.

The cold storage problem is one which has created a great deal of concern since public attention has been so graphically called to the high cost of living. All sorts of demands have been made upon congress to enact legislation for the regulation of cold storage, and many wild and chimerical schemes have been outlined. Much to the apparent astonishment of everyone, the packing houses and other owners of cold storage plants have set-up, to the present time, shown any very marked desire to antagonize these bills.

One cold storage man from Kansas, who was here a day or two ago and who says he annually handles three million pounds of chickens and almost as many dozen eggs, insists that no cold storage warehouse will care to carry food products longer than twelve months, for the reasons: First, that a longer period than one year would not be profitable, second, that after a year animal foods rapidly lose weight, and, third, that men having their money invested in such foods cannot afford to tie up their funds for a longer period. He says that any act of congress providing for the control of cold storage plants should, first of all, provide for the examination of all foods when they are placed in storage, with a view to ascertaining their wholesomeness, as it is only those foods which have begun to decay that are injuriously affected by storage.

There is no doubt whatever that congress is in the mood at present to enact radical legislation upon this subject, and the danger lies in the fact that with such an antagonistic feeling toward stored foods, which now exists throughout the country, the legislation enacted may be far too radical.

While there has been little done in the way of campaigning for the offices of the house up to the present time, it is quite likely that immediately after the holiday recess a number of gentlemen who have served their country faithfully as members of the house in the past, will appear on the scene to try to convince their former colleagues that they are the best qualified to hold four important offices under the house organization. Former Congressman Livingston, of Georgia, Trimble of South Carolina, and W. H. Ryan of Buffalo, New York, are regarded as the most likely candidates to be chosen for three of the important offices of the house. Mr. Livingston is willing to accept either the clerkship or the sergeant-at-arms or the doorkeepership, while Mr. Ryan and Mr. Trimble are understood to be candidates only for the clerkship. Ryan is a man, who in his ten years of services, secured the warm friendship of everyone with whom he came in contact, and it is understood that the New York delegation will be a unit for him for the position which he seeks, in which event it is almost a moral certainty that the clerk of the house, to succeed Major McDowell, will be W. H. Ryan of Buffalo.

Frank Lyon of New York, has served as doorkeeper longer than any other man who ever held the office before. He has made a good one, he has avoided antagonisms and has succeeded in distributing the patronage of his office to the general satisfaction of everyone. Of course, he will not remain after the new house is organized, and the man who gets his place will have three months of very strenuous life before him, as it is an exceedingly difficult thing, especially with a large party majority, to distribute the spoils or the patronage of the office to the satisfaction of those who think they ought to have absolute control of the place under the house of representatives, of which there are nearly a thousand in all.

### CHARITON.

Mrs. Jacob McDowell of English township died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Perry Brightwell, in northeast Chariton yesterday morning about 3 o'clock, after an illness of about three weeks with heart trouble. Funeral services will be held at the Oxford M. E. church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, after which interment will take place in Oxford cemetery by the side of her husband, who died several years ago. She was about 69 years of age, and had resided in this county for many years. She is survived by several grown children, who will have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

John P. Stanley and Miss Ruth Latham of Russell were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Latham in Russell, yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Woods, pastor of the M. E. church. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple came to Chariton in an automobile and took the train here for Kansas City where they will visit relatives and may conclude to locate there. They will have the best wishes of a large circle of friends for a long, happy and prosperous life.

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# SOAP CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heckart and daughter went to Bloomfield Saturday.

R. T. Sample was in Ottumwa Monday to see his son-in-law who is ill with lung fever.

Martha Pugh and Mrs. Minerva Bradberry were in Blonkap Monday.

Mrs. Mary Crist visited her daughter Mrs. May Hawkins one day last week.

Mrs. Lydia Sample and son Claude are visiting her sister Mrs. Lucy Akins this week.

Ray Nelson is working for Thomp Sample.

# BLOOMFIELD.

Miss Marie Bachman and C. W. Sauer were united in marriage Wednesday at two o'clock. The ceremony was pronounced at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. W. W. Miller of Pulaaki. Only a few of the immediate friends and relatives were present.

All the ladies interested in the revision of the premium list of the Davis county fair are requested to meet at the court house in Bloomfield Wednesday Dec. 28, 1910 at 1 o'clock p. m.

J. T. Davis of Chicago is in the city visiting his daughter Mrs. Arthur Wray.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tricker of Bartlesville, Okla., will spend the holidays with friends and relatives in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Selman of Chicago, are the parents of a son born Dec. 15.

Wm. Burgis arrived to spend the holidays with his wife at the George Barnett home.

# AGENCY.

Miss Edith Connelly, Misses Ethel and Nita Rouke, Miss Agnes Shank and Leonard Simmers who are attending school at Mt. Pleasant, Russell Nye who is attending school at the Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., Miss Edith Foster, who is attending school at Des Moines, Juanita Warner at Cedar Falls, are all spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Long of Omaha are visiting at the parental Ankrum home.

Mrs. J. E. Simmons of Fairfield is visiting at the S. V. Sampson home.

At an adjourned meeting of Winslow post G. A. R. held Tuesday the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Post commander, S. N. Sampson, senior commander, Alex. Giltner, junior commander, James Enyart, chaplain, J. G. Hankins; officer of the day, E. T. Allen; officer of guard, A. Humphrey; quartermaster, John Giltner; surgeon, Wm. Reeva; delegate to state encampment, M. F. Patterson; alternate, W. W. Owens; adjutant, John Dwire.

J. S. Fritz of Udel visited at the W. H. Rodabaugh home this week.

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