WE-WANT-TO-BOX!!!



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EDITORIAL.

There is a desire existing in this office for a boxing tournament to be set going. We have had our cricket, rowing and swimming affairs, and we have our football team, all of which have turned out good talent.

Now, there is no earthly reason why sufficient talent should not be forthcoming in this office to enable us to put up a strong show, but the first thing is to get the talent. We have been approached by S.-Sgt. J. S. Anderson, of R.2.B.4, re this matter, and all particulars can be obtained from him, but he agrees with me that if the boys in this office think that it is going to be a "professional" show, then they will not come forward. We want a purely "amateur gathering" to start with-no matter whether you have ever had the gloves on before or not-and the whole of the bouts, it goes without saying, should be fought on the most friendly terms.

That this talent exists in the office there is not the slightest doubt—some of the dinners have proved this! S.-Sgt. Anderson wants every man who thinks he would like to take part in these friendly sparring bouts to let him know at once, and as soon as possible it is proposed to get a Boxing Club going. Having got material, and developed it, it is then coposed to form a team and challenge well, we'd better start on the Pay fice; we've beat them at most things, dehallenges would also be issued to comer administrative offices in London.

The possibility is that if once we got good team together, we might be granted the use of the National Sporting Club or some other institution, and put on a tournament, proceeds for charity, etc.

Inter-Section matches would also be an interesting feature, and bouts between common or garden clerks and Group clerks might also attract considerable attention. At all events they would have to be run on absolutely straight and friendly lines to be a success, and I feel sure that when once we get going a heap of hidden talent would be brought to light.

We invite the opinion of our readers on this subject, but we trust that this will arouse enthusiasm enough to justify a meeting being called of all those interested in the "Noble Art" with a view to starting a club.

EDITOR.

With the next issue of the Bulletin I regret I must resign my position as Editor, but in the meantime I hope that someone in the office will come forward to take up this position and "carry on."

G. F. LOW, Ed.

STRAYED FROM THE FLOCK.

One fair-haired young private (late P.P.C.L.I.), missing since Muster Parade Thursday, March 6th, last seen going in the direction of Warrington. Will finder kindly return same to "Central Section R.2"?

A STORY WITHOUT WORDS.

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CHEVRONS.

Owing to the "whole of the Bulletin Staff" having been laid up with the 'flu, we regret being late with this edition.

Next week the profit and loss account and balance sheet for our Christmas Number and all Bulletins issued since last balance sheet, will be published.

The originals of the autographed messages from Foch and others, which were published in our Christmas Number, have now been sent to Lt.-Col. A. G. Doughty, C.M.G., Deputy Minister of Canadian Archives, Ottawa.

If they had been auctioned in this country they would in all probability have found their way into individual hands, but we hold the view that they should go to Canada. We feel sure that this view will be shared by our readers. If any remittance is received by us for these messages it will go to St. Dunstan's, and the receipt for same published in this office. The original of Townsend's drawing has also been sold and the sum placed to the credit of St. Dunstan's.

We are unable to accept further orders for photographs of the dance.

With this issue we reach our majority that is to say, we are 21 issues old.

Two Tommies of the Tank Corps were just back from leave, and had never seen Whippet Tanks before. "Strike me luck, Bill, if the old tank gal ain't gorne and 'ad twins while we've been on leave!"