

SINEWS AND SCIENCE

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HOSPITAL TRIUMPHS OVER MECHANICS IN BASE BALL

The base hospital team triumphed over the picked team of the Motor Mechanics by the decisive score of 5 to 18, on Thursday afternoon. The game was a pretty battle until the first of the seventh, when the swiftest started. Roberts pitched a masterful game. Bondreau made a timely home run with the bases full. Garrigus pitched a god game for seven innings for the visitors.

A second game will be played between these teams at the Headquarters field, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FLEA WEIGHTS.

The latest boxing match to be promoted for the time when the manly art is given in thorough try out at the base hospital is a bout between Privates Clarence Cramer and Fred Purcell. Both of the light weights seem anxious for the fray and a lively contest is anticipated.

Privates Torrello and Donovan are both training for their battle, which seems a surety and the feature number of the opening night of the fistie sport.

BASE HOSPITAL WINS.

The Hospital team defeated the team representing the Medical Supply Depot on Wednesday by the score of 7 to 3. The game was very interesting and close until the seventh inning when the heavy artillery of the hospital team opened fire on Jons, the opposing pitcher, and greeted him with an avalanche of smashing bingles that put the score beyond reach of the supply boys.

McRea and Hoblitzel, third and short, respectively, were kept busy handling the drives of the hospital team and handled themselves creditably.

Hughes' Pets and Cundiff's Warriors held their first combat Sunday afternoon and much to the amusement of Sergeant Hughes, his team grabbed off a hard-earned victory. The score was 6 to 5 and was bitterly fought until the end of the ninth. Sergeant Cundiff's offerings were clouted to all corners of the lot, and he now is convinced that his pitching days are over. We will admit he was good once, but now, Oh me, Oh my.

ANOTHER ONE.

Zelzests Hash Slingsers and Chas. Kurtz's Dough Wrestlers met in the first game of their series on Thursday night. It resulted in an overwhelming victory for Kurtz's outfit. The score was 22 to 10, which indicates plenty of action.

PLAN FIELD DAY.

Tentative plans have been started for holding a base hospital field day at the fair grounds, near Liberty Park. Camp Y. M. C. A. Physical Director Bergman has been in conference with Captain Thomas S. Crowe and Top-Sergeant Patrick J. Dempsey in regard to the matter. Both detached officers heartily support the plan.

Bergman has offered to arrange a field and track meet with some camp organizations as a part of the celebration. The events would include sprints, a series of relay races, the jumps, a base ball throw and a couple weight events. A base ball game and possibly a volley ball game would complete what promises to be a most spectacular entertainment.

THREE FAST BOUTS.

The third boxing show of the Medical Supply Depot was held Monday evening in the enlisted men's barracks.

The main bout between Collins and Grazer was a hummer. It was nip and tuck all the while.

The second bout, supposedly a grudge fight, proved to be a massacre in the first two rounds. "North Carolina" Hayes pounded "Fritz" Reilly all around the ring. But "Fritz" came back in the third with so much "whim" and pep that the best it could be called was a good draw.

The opening bout between heavy-weights, "Hungry" Hungerford and "Expendable" Davidson, was an even tug from start to finish. Both boys fell short of wind and both blame it on cigarettes.

After the scheduled bouts, "Goody" Rosenshire and "Pat" Singer gave a very interesting and instructive exhibition of sparring and clever foot work.

BASEBALL BRÉITIES.

Baseball surely is booming, and we have Captain Crowe and First Sergeant Dempsey's hearty co-operation in our present drive.

Joe Lawlor, the ex-leaguer, is rounding into fine shape. His arm was bad, but it has now reached its old form.

Did you notice Old Man (Sergeant First-class, excuse me) Sorenson tearing around the bases last Sunday? A lot of pep yet, for an old-timer.

A newcomer is noticed in Sergeant Boudreau of No. 54. That is, to our team. He formerly played with the regulars at Fort Oglethorpe.

About the only thing that Sergeant Hughes can show for the victory of his team on Sunday is a painful pair of sunburnt arms. And they have taken him out of the game for some time. Poor little Ray.

How about Corporal Nicol? He was the mainstay of the Ansonia high school while at school. An A-No. 1 catcher, Joe, what do you say?

BASEBALL.

The game between the old hospital team and Base Hospital No. 54 on Saturday resulted in a 5 to 3 victory for No. 54. The game produced some excellent baseball, and the large crowd of spectators were well satisfied with the calibre of playing shown by the boys. The result was a disappointment to the followers of the hospital team, but they are confident that another game will wind up the series in their favor.

O'Connor did some excellent twirling for the losers, while Simmons' work with the stick contributed largely to No. 54's victory.

Base Hospital:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hughes, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, 1b	5	0	2	7	1	0
Zecka, ss	5	1	2	2	3	0
Lawlor, c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Lange, 3b	4	1	1	4	1	0
Fields, 2b	3	1	0	0	1	0
Hoffman, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	1
Townsend, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wright, W., lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Moore, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xRoberts	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Connor, p	4	0	2	2	2	1
Totals	37	3	9	24	9	2

xBatted for Hughes in 8th.

Hospital No. 54:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wheeler, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Craig, c	4	0	2	8	1	0
Collier, 2b	3	0	0	3	0	0
Boudreau, p	4	0	1	1	2	0
Sygulka, ss	4	2	1	3	2	1
Pock, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Simmons, 3b	4	0	2	2	2	1
Nickolas, 1b	3	2	1	7	0	0
Shecag, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	5	8	27	10	2

Score by innings:

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Base Hospital	100 002 000—3
No. 54	001 100 12x—9

Summary: Two-base hits, Martin, Pock, Simmons (2). Three-base hits, O'Connor. Stolen bases, Collier, Nickolas. Sacrifice hits, Lawlor. Bases on balls, off O'Connor 2, off Boudreau 1. Struck out, by O'Connor 6, by Boudreau 7. Hit by pitcher, by Boudreau 2, (Roberts, Lawlor.)

NEW ATHLETIC GOODS.

We have received some new athletic goods; chiefly in the baseball and volley-ball lines. We shall add to our stock as the demand arises. These supplies are at the service of the men. Secretary Grausnick will be glad to help in promoting the athletic interests at the base hospital.

Dewey O'Connor is nursing a sore arm. Too much work, I guess, eh Dewey? (Sergeant Dempsey, please note.)