

SPORTS



INTERESTING WEEK'S PROGRAM AT K. C. BLDG.

Boxing Bouts, Vaudeville Stunts, and Other Sports—New K. of C. Secretaries Arrive.

On Monday evening, April 14, the opening entertainment at the Knights of Columbus building consisted of four exciting three-round bouts. Private Thomas gave the crowd the time of their lives by showing true championship form. Before Stevens declared Thomas the winner of all honors of the night. He took on an his opponent Private Cowart, who gave an excellent exhibition of gameness but the winner manifested a superiority in ring generalship which was beyond the attacks of Cowart. In the second bout entertained the crowd as well. Privates Smith and Stevens fought like wildcats for three rounds. Privates Llanquado and McEhan fought to a draw in the third bout. The fourth and final bout of the night staged by the colored challenger, a local celebrity, was the farce bout of the night. The colored champion, also a local boy, seemingly the challenger's brother, was the other participant in this farce bout.

On Tuesday evening our soldier boys were entertained with an excellent vaudeville program arranged especially by Charlein Francis P. Bethel. The acts consisted of artists from the famous motor Mechanics Robinson. Private Ruth, a singer of much popularity, captivated the audience with popular ragtime. The remaining acts on the program were Jack Yates and Joe Gardner, both vaudeville professionals, and a banjo selection by Private Roberts, well known as "Banjo Bob."

Dr. Cassidy, a graduate of Oxford University, recently appointed secretary to the Knights of Columbus building of Camp Greene, delivered a lecture on "My Tours Around the World" which made up the program for Wednesday evening. Dr. Cassidy has recently returned from the Philippines, where he has been devoting much time to the educational system

of the Philippines. The soldier boys appreciated Dr. Cassidy's excellent lecture and requests were made for another to be given within the next fortnight.

On Friday evening the Knights of Columbus building accommodated the largest crowd that ever assembled at Camp Greene to listen to a most entertaining program comprising several young ladies of Charlotte. The program included the following numbers:

Vocal solo by Miss Mildred Finlayson.

Recitation by Miss Mary York Johnston.

Vocal solo by Miss Frances Woodrow.

Piano selections by Miss Pries. So pleased were the young ladies with the reception given them by the Knights of Columbus secretaries that they arranged immediately for another entertaining to be given in the very near future. Secretary James Cavanaugh acted as chairman of the meeting and much of the praise coming from the audience was due to Secretary Cavanaugh's efforts.

Among the arrivals of Knights of Columbus secretaries this week were Mr. Francis W. Large, of Bristol, Conn.; Albert O. Cassidy, of the Philippines; John C. Kelly, of New York City; William Wiggins, of New York City and Raleigh, N. C.; John Lentz, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; George Gray, of Rutland, Vt.; and Francis Marion, of Washington, D. C.

STEPS ON HIS FINGER.



"Say, my boy, why didn't you get me a cigar?"
"I tried to, Oswald, only the guy stepped on me finger."

THREE OUTFITS AT CAMP COMPETE AT STUNT NIGHT

That there are a bunch of good sports in the Thirty-ninth, Fifty-eighth and Forty-seventh goes without saying. The athletic night, which they recently put on at "Y" building 102, was a tremendous success. Downing and wrestling were the features of the night, and some good talent was displayed.

Wrestling took first place and opened with a bout between "Red" Sheldon and Paul Stewart. "Red" is from Company K, 58th, and Stewart is from Company M, 39th. Their arrangement called for 15 minute periods, but to the surprise of the crowd Stewart put "Red" on his back in ten minutes. Then through a bit of fast work, he brought out the full display of wrestling. Stewart again did the deed, and old "Red" again rested on his back. Oh, but the 39th likes to see the 32th on top.

A good performance in tumbling was put on by John Dean, Company L, 39th, while McEhan was getting ready for the fray. McEhan and Dean wrestled a 16-minute draw, which proved one of the best of the program. We are certain that in the near future we will see some real tumbling on the stage.

The feature bout of the evening was the match between O. M. Lee, Company headquarters, 39th, and Walter Schultz, Company M, 32th. This was the results of the match put on the week before. Both men were in good shape and the crowd was tense. It was a hot affair from the start and it was so evenly matched that no one picked a winner. Over and over, but no downs, nip and tuck, first one, then the other. Well, to make it short they will be at it again next Monday evening for a fall and a final decision. Fellows, if you want to see real wrestling come to see that bout, it will be a hummer.

The boxing took lead next, and Corporal Saeger, Company C, 39th, and Bob, Company M, 39th, put on an interesting bout of 4 rounds, 3 min-

utes each. It was the first good fight we have had here for some time. Tomorrow next Monday evening to see one is the better or not.

Old boy Sprout, from Company 47th, had an easy time with Peters from Company K, 39th, but as Peters did not pretend to be a boxer, was excused with much glee by every one. We are sure of seeing Sprout again.

McEhan took on James, from M. Co., 39th, for a 10-minute wrestle. It made a good ending for the evening. We all feel sure that from now on the Athletic night will be a big success. Thanks to the 39th and the 47th for their wonderful sporting spirit. It is what will win the war.

NEW K. OF C. BUILDING IS FORMALLY OPENED

The second Knights of Columbus building at Camp Greene was formally dedicated yesterday morning, the purpose of providing a recreational place for the soldiers. Paul Bethel, the newly arrived Knights of Columbus chaplain, was in charge of the services.



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