BOXERS

At a meeting of the Welfare Executive, attention was drawn to the lack of interest shown by some boxers who are listed to fight at the week end boxing bouts.

It was reported that many of the boxers do not report to the Doctor for their medical examination and consequently cannot enter the ring to fight on the Saturday night. But this is not all.

By not going along when the Doctor wants to see them, they are wasting the Doctor's time and making a fool of the promoters at the same time, besides disappointing the public.

It was agreed that, unless a boxer has a very good reason for not visiting the Doctor when required to do so, he will not only be prevented from entering the ring on that particular Saturday night, but will be prevented from doing so for the next two succeeding boxing nights.

If a boxer knows that he is medically unfit to fight he should acquaint the selection committee of his inability to take part in the programme and another person can be selected in his place.

Boxers this year have had one of their best years ever in securing invitations to fight on the mainland and it looks as if more such invitations will be forthcoming in the new year.

The very best way to get ability is to do thoroughly whatever you do. Master every detail of each piece of work that falls to your lot.