

BOXING TOURNAMENT

The boxing tournament held on Tuesday night ~~last~~ provided a deal of amusement.

The small boys, as usual, provided good fun and their earnest efforts brought applause from the big crowd which attended.

The main bouts were disappointing, and the quality of the boxing generally, below that usually seen on Palm Island.

Two heavy weights in Fred Priestly and Scotty Coleman had a fairly lively bout over four rounds.

Scotty found the going too heavy over the last two rounds.

Vincent Starlight had no difficulty in disposing of Robert Bismark, who seemed to be in difficulty with his feet.

Bernard Blanket and Arnold Conway had a three round spar which proved to be very amusing to the crowd.

Little Brian Tobane won the trophy for the best loser. He earned it by his dogged persistence.

David Twaddle and Walter Bengaroo put up a good fight, and David again proved his worth in beating his heavier opponent comfortably.

Walter landed a few good rights but David was more aggressive and too clever on the night.

Arthur Murdoch and Alan Nugent fought over three rounds and Alan was too consistent and too good on his feet for his opponent. He won on points.