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Garnett Denny (Belfast)

Active: 1946-1960

Weight classes fought in:

Recorded fights: 76 contests (won: 52 lost: 18 drew: 5 other: 1)

Fight Record

1946

Jun 26 D Erins **WKO2** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**

Source: Belfast Telegraph

1947

Jan 8 J Gibson **WKO3(6)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**

Source: Belfast Telegraph

Denny 9st 6lbs 8ozs Gibson 9st 5lbs

Promoter: Jim Connell

Jan 15 D Adams **WKO2(6)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**

Source: Belfast Telegraph

Denny 9st 10lbs Adams 9st 10lbs

Promoter: Jim Connell

Jan 29 Al Phillips (Belfast) **LPTS(6)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**

Source: Belfast Telegraph

Sep 13 Jack McDonald (Belfast) LPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: *Boxing News* 24/09/1947 page 13
Denny 10st 6lbs 8ozs McDonald 11st 2lbs 4ozs

1948

Jun 12 Tommy Logie (Clydebank) WPTS(6) Grove Stadium, Glasgow

Source: *Boxing News* 23/06/1948 page 12
Denny 11st 4lbs 10ozs Logie 11st 1lbs 8ozs

Jul 24 Billy Leebody (Belfast) WRSF4(6) Larne

Source: *Boxing News* 04/08/1948 page 13
Denny 11st 8lbs Leebody 12st 6lbs

Aug 4 Bob McMillan (Lisburn) WKO3(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: *Boxing News* 18/08/1948 page 14
Denny 11st 5lbs McMillan 11st 5lbs
Promoter: George Connell

Oct 23 Dave Davis (Darlington) DRAW(6) Grove Stadium, Glasgow

Source: *Boxing News* 03/11/1948 page 13
Davis was Northern Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1949-51.
Denny 12st 7lbs Davis 12st 4lbs

Dec 25 Johnny Stormy Weatherall (Belfast) WPTS(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: *Boxing News* 05/01/1949 pages 13 and 14
Denny 11st 11lbs 8ozs Weatherall 11st 10lbs 4ozs

Dec 30 Tony Lord (Liverpool) WRSF5(8) Stadium, Liverpool

Source: *Boxing News* 12/01/1949 page 12
Denny 11st 11lbs Lord 12st 2lbs
cut eye

1949

Jan 1 Tom Meli (Belfast) DRAW(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: *Boxing News* 12/01/1949 page 12
Meli was Northern Ireland Area Middleweight Champion 1951-55 and
Northern Ireland Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1952.
Denny 11st 11lbs Meli 11st 4lbs 8ozs

Promoter: George Connell

Jan 20 Terry Tinker (Rotherham) WPTS(6) Stadium, Liverpool

Source: *Boxing News* 02/02/1949 pages 13 and 14
Denny 11st 12lbs Tinker 11st 6lbs

Feb 10 Johnny Owens (Dundee) WPTS(6) Stadium, Liverpool

Source: *Boxing News* 23/02/1949 page 14
Denny 11st 12lbs Owens 11st 12lbs

Mar 1 Bill Townsley (London) WPTS(6) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: *Boxing News* 16/03/1949 page 10
Denny 11st 13lbs 12ozs Townsley 11st 13lbs 12ozs

- Apr 9 Jim McGuinness (Belfast) WRTD3(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 20/04/1949 page 13
Denny 12st 0lbs McGuinness 11st 12lbs 8ozs
- May 4 Jackie Wilson (Belfast) WPTS(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 18/05/1949 page 12
Wilson was Northern Ireland Area Middleweight Champion 1947-49 and 1951.
Denny 12st 1lbs 8ozs Wilson 11st 7lbs
- Jun 11 Jock Todd (Ayr) WPTS(6) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 22/06/1949 page 14
Todd boxed for the Scottish Light-Heavyweight Title 1949.
Denny 12st 9lbs Todd 12st 2lbs 4ozs
- Aug 6 Johnny Alexander (Motherwell) WRTD5(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 17/08/1949 page 14
Denny 12st 4lbs Alexander 12st 8lbs
Promoter: George Connell
- Sep 15 Harry Naylor (Barnsley) WRSF3 Stadium, Liverpool**
Source: Boxing News 21/09/1949 page 15
Naylor 11st 13lbs
- Oct 3 Tony Lord (Liverpool) LPTS(8) Public Hall, Preston**
Source: Boxing News 12/10/1949 page 12
Denny 12st 7lbs 8ozs Lord 12st 0lbs
- Nov 19 Len Davies (Crewe) WK01 Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 30/11/1949 page 11
Denny 13st 1lbs 8ozs Davis 13st 0lbs 12ozs
- Nov 30 Bob Watson (Belfast) WK05(8) King's Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 07/12/1949 page 13
Denny 12st 5lbs Watson 12st 1lbs

1950

- Feb 1 Tony Lord (Liverpool) LPTS(8) Civic Hall, Wolverhampton**
Source: Boxing News 08/02/1950 page 12
Denny 12st 12lbs Lord 12st 2lbs
Promoter: Alex Griffiths
- Feb 4 Les Johnson (Jamaica) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 15/02/1950 page 10
Denny 12st 11lbs 8ozs Johnson 12st 7lbs 8ozs
- Feb 22 Frank Boylan (Belfast) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 08/03/1950 page 10
Boylan boxed for the Northern Ireland Middleweight Title 1947.
Denny 12st 7lbs 8ozs Boylan 11st 12lbs 4ozs
Promoter: George Connell
- Mar 25 Mick McMenamain (Derry) WRTD3(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 05/04/1950 page 11
Denny 12st 9lbs 4ozs McMenamain 11st 7lbs 8ozs

- Apr 3 Doug Richards (Swansea) WKO4 Public Hall, Preston**
Source: Boxing News 12/04/1950 page 12
Richards boxed for the Welsh Light-Heavyweight Title 1949.
Denny 12st 9lbs 8ozs Richards 12st 5lbs 8ozs
- Apr 15 Wally Diamond (Jamaica) WKO4(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 26/04/1950 page 13
Denny 12st 11lbs 8ozs Diamond 12st 10lbs 8ozs
- May 20 Hugh McDonald (Glasgow) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 31/05/1950 page 10
McDonald boxed for the Scottish Heavyweight Title 1951.
Denny 12st 12lbs 8ozs McDonald 16st 4lbs
- Jun 24 Gerry Nolan (Liverpool) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 05/07/1950 page 10
Denny 12st 6lbs 8ozs Nolan 11st 13lbs 4ozs
- Aug 5 Gerry Nolan (Liverpool) WKO5(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 16/08/1950 page 12
Denny 12st 4lbs 4ozs Nolan 11st 11lbs 4ozs
- Aug 26 Jock Todd (Ayr) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 20/09/1950 page 15
Denny 12st 5lbs Todd 11st 12lbs 8ozs
- Oct 7 Gerry McDermott (Ireland) WPTS(8) King's Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 08/11/1950 page 12
Denny 12st 11lbs 12ozs McDermott 12st 9lbs 12ozs
Promoter: George Connell
- Nov 7 Billy Wood (South Africa) DRAW(6) Empress Stadium, Earls' Court**
Source: Boxing News 15/11/1950 page 5
Denny 12st 10lbs Woods 12st 4lbs 8ozs

1951

- Mar 26 Mark Hart (Croydon) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 04/04/1951 page 12
Hart boxed for the British Light-Heavyweight Title 1950 and was
South Eastern Area Middleweight Champion 1947-48 and South East
Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1949.
Denny 12st 10lbs Hart 12st 9lbs 4ozs
- Jun 11 Johnny McGowan (Wakefield) LPTS(10) Granby Halls, Leicester**
Source: Boxing News 20/06/1951 pages 7 and 12
McGowan was Central Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1951.
Denny 12st 8lbs 4ozs McGowan 12st 6lbs 2ozs
- Sep 29 Jeff Morris (Mansfield) WKO2(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 10/10/1951 page 10
Denny 13st 3lbs 4ozs Morris 13st 2lbs 12ozs

- Oct 27 Gene Fowler (Canada) **WPTS(8)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 07/11/1951 page 10
Denny 12st 12lbs 8ozs Fowler 12st 10lbs 4ozs
- Dec 1 Paddy Slavin (Belfast) **LPTS(10)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 12/12/1951 page 7
Slavin was Northern Ireland Area Heavyweight Champion 1948.
Denny 13st 5lbs Slavin 13st 13lbs 12ozs
- Dec 26 Reg Spring (Southall) **WPTS(8)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 09/01/1952 page 11
Spring was South Eastern Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1949.
Denny 12st 11lbs 8ozs Spring 12st 12lbs

1952

- Feb 23 Albert Finch (Croydon) **LPTS(10)** **King's Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 05/03/1952 pages 12 and 13
Finch was British Middleweight Champion 1949-50.
Denny 12st 5lbs Finch 12st 6lbs 12ozs
- Mar 18 Dave Williams (Barry) **WRSF1(8)** **Royal Albert Hall, Kensington**
Source: Boxing News 26/03/1952 page 7
Williams was Welsh Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1953.
Denny 12st 8lbs Williams 12st 7lbs 4ozs
Promoter: Jack Cappel
cut eye
- Jun 14 Len Brown (Harrow) **WKO1(8)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 25/06/1952 page 12
Denny 13st 1lbs Brown 13st 6lbs 8ozs
- Jul 26 Dennis Powell (Four Crosses) **WPTS(10)** **Pavilion, Newtown**
Source: Boxing News 30/07/1952 page 15
Powell was British Light-Heavyweight Champion 1953.
Denny 13st 2lbs 4ozs Powell 12st 5lbs 12ozs
- Sep 13 Dennis Powell (Four Crosses) **LPTS(10)** **Pavilion, Newtown**
Source: Boxing News 17/09/1952 page 15
Denny 12st 12lbs Powell 12st 9lbs 8ozs
- Oct 11 Tom Meli (Belfast) **LPTS(12)** **King's Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 22/10/1952 page 10
(Northern Ireland Area Light-Heavyweight Title)
Denny 12st 6lbs 12ozs Meli 11st 11lbs
Attendance: 11000

1953

- Jan 3 Ben Lokko (Gold Coast) **NC4(8)** **Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 14/01/1953 page 10
Denny 12st 13lbs Lokko 12st 5lbs

- Apr 4 Bob Coultie (Farnborough) WRTD2(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 15/04/1953 page 12
Denny 13st 1lbs Coultie 12st 7lbs 8ozs
injured eye
- Apr 18 Eric Thompson (Jamaica) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 29/04/1953 page 11
Denny 12st 13lbs 4ozs Thompson 12st 9lbs
- May 9 Les Johnson (Jamaica) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 20/05/1953 page 11
Denny 12st 11lbs 12ozs Johnson 12st 13lbs 12ozs
- Sep 25 Johnny Barton (Lancaster) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 30/09/1953 page 15
Denny 12st 10lbs Barton 12st 6lbs 2ozs
- Dec 5 Eric Metcalfe (Northwich) LPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 09/12/1953 page 13
Denny 13st 0lbs 12ozs Metcalfe 12st 3lbs

1954

- Dec 4 Colin Strauch (South Africa) WRSF7(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 10/12/1954 page 11
Denny 13st 9lbs Strauch 13st 2lbs

1955

- Jan 15 Jim Moran (Leeds) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 21/01/1955 page 9
Denny 13st 5lbs 12ozs Moran 15st 0lbs
- Feb 5 Eric Metcalfe (Northwich) WRTD2(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 11/02/1955 page 12
Denny 13st 0lbs Metcalfe 12st 4lbs
cut eye
- Mar 12 Eric Metcalfe (Northwich) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 18/03/1955 pages 8 and 9
Denny 13st 3lbs Metcalfe 12st 8lbs 8ozs
- Jun 11 Simon Templar (Burton-on-Trent) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 17/06/1955 page 10
Denny 13st 3lbs 8ozs Templar 15st 12lbs
- Jun 25 Stan Lotriet (South Africa) WRSF6(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast**
Source: Boxing News 01/07/1955 page 12
Denny 12st 10lbs 8ozs Lotriet 12st 4lbs 8ozs
Promoter: George Connell
Lotriet sub for Neville Rowe

Jul 4 Manuel Burgo (North Shields) LPTS(6) New St James Hall, Newcastle

Source: Boxing News 08/07/1955 page 11

Denny 13st 11lbs 10ozs Burgo 13st 10lbs 8ozs

Aug 20 Eric Metcalfe (Northwich) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 26/08/1955 page 12

Denny 13st 3lbs Metcalfe 12st 13lbs 4ozs

Sep 3 Clarke Mellor (New Mills) WRSF4(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 09/09/1955 page 12

Denny 12st 12lbs 8ozs Mellor 12st 3lbs 8ozs

Oct 8 Hugh Ferns (Greenock) LRTD4(8) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 14/10/1955 page 4

Denny 12st 8lbs Ferns 14st 10lbs

cut eye

Oct 29 Johnny Williamson (Gloucester) WRSF6(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 04/11/1955 page 10

Denny 12st 7lbs 8ozs Williamson 12st 5lbs

Nov 19 Sammy Langford (Nigeria) LPTS(8) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 25/11/1955 pages 8 and 9

Denny 12st 8lbs 8ozs Langford 12st 5lbs 8ozs

Dec 3 Johnny Douglas (Glasgow) WRSF3(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 09/12/1955 page 11

Denny 12st 9lbs 4ozs Douglas 12st 7lbs

Dec 24 Jim Lindley (Doncaster) WKO3(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 30/12/1955 page 16

Denny 12st 11lbs Lindley 12st 0lbs 8ozs

1956

Feb 4 Willie Armstrong (Port Glasgow) LPTS(8) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 10/02/1956 page 16

Armstrong was Scottish Area Middleweight Champion 1951.

Denny 12st 9lbs 8ozs Armstrong 12st 3lbs 8ozs

Feb 27 Jack London (Blackpool) DRAW(8) Farrer Street Stadium, Middlesbrough

Source: Boxing News 09/03/1956 page 4

Denny 12st 8lbs London 12st 6lbs

Apr 13 Arthur Howard (Islington) LRSF1(8) Belle Vue, Manchester

Source: Boxing News 20/04/1956 pages 8 and 9

Howard boxed for the British Light-Heavyweight Title 1957 and 1960 and was Southern Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1959.

Denny 13st 0lbs Howard 12st 8lbs 8ozs

Referee: George Balshaw

Jun 30 Jim Moran (Leeds) DRAW(8) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 06/07/1956 page 12

Denny 13st 0lbs Moran 14st 12lbs

1959

Apr 11 Ted Williams (Huddersfield) LPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 17/04/1959 pages 8 and 9

Williams was Central Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1960.

Denny 14st 8lbs 8ozs Williams 12st 12lbs

Jun 20 Cliff Purnell (Bath) WPTS(8) Ulster Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 26/06/1959 page 13

Denny 12st 10lbs 4ozs Purnell 13st 8lbs

Jul 15 Tommy Summers (Liverpool) WPTS(8) Marquee, Fivemiletown

Source: Boxing News 24/07/1959 page 6

Denny 12st 10lbs Summers 12st 9lbs

Promoter: George Connell Attendance: 750 - maximum capacity

Aug 22 Redvers Sangoe (Cardiff) LPTS(8) Eirias Park, Colwyn Bay

Source: Boxing News 28/08/1959 page 5

Sangoe was Welsh Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1958-60.

Denny 12st 9lbs 8ozs Sangoe 12st 10lbs 8ozs

1960

Mar 19 Pat Stapleton (Dublin) LRSF5(6) King's Hall, Belfast

Source: Boxing News 25/03/1960 page 3

Denny 15st 5lbs Stapleton 13st 5lbs 12ozs

Promoter: George Connell

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