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## Joe Donnelly (Sunderland)

Active: 1929-1939

Weight classes fought in:

Recorded fights: 92 contests (won: 67 lost: 20 drew: 5)

### Fight Record

#### 1929

Feb 12 Dan Colin (Glasgow) LPTS(10) Edinburgh

*Source: Brian Strickland (Boxing Historian)*

#### 1930

May 3 Peter Martin (Sunderland) LPTS(4) Holmeside, Sunderland

*Source: Boxing 07/05/1930 page 711*

Oct 11 Banty's Nipper (Jarrow) LPTS(6) Boxing Pavilion, Blyth

*Source: Boxing 15/10/1930 page 248*

Nov 17 Jimmy O'Neill (Shieldfield) WPTS(6) New St James Hall, Newcastle

*Source: Boxing 26/11/1930 page 345*

## 1931

Jan	10	Jim Barber (Elswick)	WPTS(6)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 14/01/1931 page 458</i>
Feb	23	Stanley Urwin (Newcastle)	WRD3(6)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 04/03/1931 page 570</i>
Mar	16	Benny Dexter (Newcastle)	WPTS(6)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 25/03/1931 page 617</i>
Mar	20	J Hurst	WPTS(6)	Festival Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>
Apr	25	Mick Carney (Chester-le-Street)	WPTS(6)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 29/04/1931 page 698</i>
Apr	29	Bob Summers (Newcastle)	DRAW(3)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>
May	11	Reggie Wood (Byker)	WPTS(6)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 20/05/1931 page 748</i>
Aug	7	Banty's Nipper (Jarrow)	WPTS(10)	The Ring, West Hartlepool
				<i>Source: Northern Daily Mail (Hartlepool)</i>
Aug	31	Nipper Varle (West Hartlepool)	LPTS(10)	The Ring, West Hartlepool
				<i>Source: Boxing 09/09/1931 pages 168 and 169</i>
				<i>Attendance: 2000</i>
Sep	9	Alf Hughes (West Hartlepool)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>
Sep	24	Bobby Magee (North Shields)	LPTS(10)	Premierland, Bridgeton
				<i>Source: Boxing 30/09/1931 page 223</i>
				<i>Promoter: Jim Gilmour</i>
Nov	6	Paddy Docherty (Glasgow)	LPTS(12)	Premierland, Bridgeton
				<i>Source: Glasgow Evening Citizen</i>
Nov	11	Bob Francis (Gateshead)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>

## 1932

Jan	15	Jackie Rees (Darlington)	LPTS(10)	Teesside Stadium, Stockton
				<i>Source: Boxing 20/01/1932 page 10</i>
Feb	3	Reggie Wood (Byker)	WPTS(8)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>
Feb	9	Dan Conlin (Glasgow)	LPTS(10)	Music Hall, Edinburgh
				<i>Source: Boxing 17/02/1932 page 15</i>
Apr	4	Billy Burns (Felling)	WRD3(8)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 13/04/1932 page 10</i>
Apr	29	Buck Dryden (Newcastle)	WPTS(10)	Queens Rink, West Hartlepool
				<i>Source: Boxing 04/05/1932 page 10</i>
May	2	Reggie Wood (Byker)	LPTS(8)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>

May 6	Reggie Wood (Byker)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
			<i>Source: Boxing 11/05/1932 page 10</i>
Jun 16	Harry Ainsworth (York)	WRD7(10)	Belle Vue Grounds, Norton-on-Tees
			<i>Source: Boxing 22/06/1932 page 12</i>
Sep 3	Billy Warwick (Newcastle)	WKO7(10)	Fulwell Club Grounds, Sunderland
			<i>Source: Boxing 07/09/1932 page 10</i>
Sep 5	Jim Hurst (Blaydon)	LPTS(10)	Theatre Royal, Darlington
			<i>Source: Boxing 14/09/1932 page 10</i>
Oct 8	Tommy Allen (Blantyre)	LPTS(10)	The Ring, Glasgow
			<i>Source: Glasgow Evening Citizen</i>
Oct 15	Vic Foley (Newcastle)	LPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
			<i>Source: Boxing 19/10/1932 page 13</i>
Nov 26	Bobby Anderson (Gateshead)	WRSF7(10)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
			<i>Source: Boxing 30/11/1932 page 12</i>
Dec 2	Harry Ainsworth (York)	DRAW(10)	Empire Theatre, Shotton
			<i>Source: Boxing 07/12/1932 page 12</i>
Dec 10	Kid Fletcher (Doncaster)	WPTS(10)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
			<i>Source: Boxing 14/12/1932 page 11</i>
Dec 31	Jack Finney (Edinburgh)	WPTS(10)	Queens Hall, Carlisle
			<i>Source: Boxing 04/01/1933 page 13</i>
			<i>Match made at 8st 12lbs</i>
			<i>Promoter: Mr Maxwell</i>

### 1933

Feb 11	Private Carter (West Hartlepool)	WRD4(9)	Ring, West Hartlepool
			<i>Source: Boxing 15/02/1933 page 10</i>
			<i>agreed to box again over 9 rounds.</i>
Feb 11	Private Carter (West Hartlepool)	WRD1(10)	Ring, West Hartlepool
			<i>Source: Boxing 15/02/1933 page 10</i>
Feb 24	Digger Edgelaw (West Hartlepool)	WPTS(10)	The Ring, West Hartlepool
			<i>Source: Boxing 01/03/1933 page 10</i>
Mar 11	African Kid (Jarrow)	WRD5(12)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
			<i>Source: Boxing 15/03/1933 page 5</i>
Mar 17	Sonny Crofts (Rotherham)	WPTS(10)	Albert Hall, Stockton
			<i>Source: Boxing 22/03/1933 page 7</i>
Apr 7	Sonny Crofts (Rotherham)	WPTS(10)	Albert Hall, Stockton
			<i>Source: Boxing 12/04/1933 page 7</i>
Apr 8	Tommy O'Keefe (Lynemouth)	WPTS(10)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
			<i>Source: Boxing 12/04/1933 page 10</i>
May 20	Joe Baldersara (Sunderland)	WPTS(12)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
			<i>Source: Boxing 24/05/1933 page 10</i>
Aug 10	Tiger Morgan (Newcastle)	WRD5(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
			<i>Source: Boxing 16/08/1933 page 10</i>

Aug 16	Billy Warwick (Newcastle)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Boxing 23/08/1933 page 10</i>		
Aug 24	Billy Warwick (Newcastle)	WPTS(4)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Brian Strickland (Boxing Historian)</i>		
	<b>(competition final)</b>		
Aug 24	Fred Jackson (Newcastle)	WPTS	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Brian Strickland (Boxing Historian)</i>		
	<b>(competition semi-final)</b>		
Aug 24	Jimmy Ray (Gateshead)	WPTS	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>		
	<b>(competition 1st series)</b>		
Sep 11	Digger Edgelaw (West Hartlepool)	DRAW(10)	West Hartlepool
	<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>		
Sep 15	George Meekin (Newcastle)	WRD8(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Boxing 20/09/1933 page 12</i>		
Oct 21	Jim MacInroy	WPTS(10)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
	<i>Source: Boxing 24/10/1933 page 13</i>		
Nov 12	Harry Craster (Middlesbrough)	DRAW(12)	NSC, Middlesbrough
	<i>Source: Boxing 15/11/1933 page 11</i>		
	<i>Craster was Northern Area Lightweight Champion 1937.</i>		
Nov 18	Chick Allen (New Seaham)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 22/11/1933 page 11</i>		
Dec 15	Jack Dibbs (Penshaw)	WPTS(10)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
	<i>Source: Boxing 20/12/1933 page 13</i>		
Dec 30	Bobby Tate (Blackhall)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 03/01/1934 page 11</i>		

## 1934

Jan 13	Harry Craster (Middlesbrough)	WPTS(12)	Miners Hall, Monkwearmouth
	<i>Source: Boxing 17/01/1934 page 12</i>		
Mar 16	Fred Jackson (Newcastle)	WPTS(10)	Middlesbrough
	<i>Source: Boxing 21/03/1934 page 15</i>		
Apr 9	Billy Sheldon (Newcastle)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
	<i>Source: Newcastle Daily Journal</i>		
Apr 14	Johnny Clark (Leeds)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 18/04/1934 page 14</i>		
Apr 28	Jim Driscoll (Glasgow)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 02/05/1934 page 15</i>		
May 6	Jim Birch (Barnsley)	WPTS(12)	Norton-on-Tees
	<i>Source: Boxing 09/05/1934 page 14</i>		
May 19	Darkie Bolton (Dewsbury)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 23/05/1934 page 14</i>		
Jun 9	Joe Baldersara (Sunderland)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
	<i>Source: Boxing 13/06/1934 page 14</i>		

Jul	7	Bert Cantor (Birmingham)	WPTS(10)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 11/07/1934 page 14</i>
Aug	18	Billy Wakefield (Royston)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 22/08/1934 page 11</i>
Sep	22	Albert Holding (Barnsley)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 26/09/1934 page 13</i>
Oct	14	Sol Severns (Chesterfield)	LPTS(12)	NSC, Middlesbrough
				<i>Source: Boxing 17/10/1934 page 13</i>
Oct	22	Arnold Kid Sheppard (Ferndale)	WPTS(12)	Co-op Hall, Darlington
				<i>Source: Boxing 24/10/1934 page 8</i>
Oct	27	Joe Broughy (West Stanley)	WRD10(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 31/10/1934 page 13</i>
Nov	5	Len Wickwar (Leicester)	LPTS(12)	Darlington
				<i>Source: Boxing 07/11/1934 page 10</i>
Dec	8	Digger Edgelaw (West Hartlepool)	WRD3(10)	West Hartlepool
				<i>Source: Boxing Weekly Record 12/12/1934 page 17</i>
Dec	14	Jack Dibbs (Penshaw)	WRD8(12)	Majestic Hall, Houghton-le-Spring
				<i>Source: Boxing 19/12/1934 page 28</i>

### 1935

Jan	5	Digger Edgelaw (West Hartlepool)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 09/01/1935 page 14</i>
				<i>Edgelaw sub for Sol Severns</i>
Feb	10	Eddie Jones (Newcastle)	DRAW(15)	Regent Sporting Club, Salford
				<i>Source: Boxing 13/02/1935 page 13</i>
				<i>Jones sub for Frank Barton</i>
Feb	16	Billy Sheldon (Newcastle)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 20/02/1935 page 13</i>
Mar	11	Eddie Jones (Newcastle)	WPTS(10)	New St James Hall, Newcastle
				<i>Source: Boxing 13/03/1935 page 10</i>
Apr	20	Jim Travers (Sunderland)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 24/04/1935 page 13</i>
May	11	Jock Davie (Blantyre)	LPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 15/05/1935 page 14</i>
Jun	15	Dennis Allott (Barnsley)	WPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 19/06/1935 page 14</i>
Jul	6	Jimmy Griffiths (Barnsley)	WDSQ8(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 10/07/1935 page 16</i>
Oct	20	Fred Wilcox (Nelson)	WPTS(12)	Brunswick Stadium, Leeds
				<i>Source: Boxing Weekly Record 23/10/1935 page 24</i>
Nov	2	Archie Wilkie (Gorton)	LPTS(12)	Royal, Sunderland
				<i>Source: Boxing 06/11/1935 page 15</i>



Nov 11 George Bell (West Hartlepool) WRTD6(12) Borough Hall, West Hartlepool

*Source: Boxing 13/11/1935 page 15*

### 1936

Jan 5 Tom Thomas (Wales) WRSF5(10) NSC, Middlesbrough

*Source: Boxing 08/01/1936 page 16*

*Joe Donnelly sub for Harry Craster*

Aug 24 Harry Edwards (Birmingham) LPTS(12) Engineers Club grounds, West Hartlepool

*Source: Boxing 02/09/1936 pages 15 and 16*

*Donnelly seriously ill with pneumonia in Dec 1936*

Sep 11 Jack Lawson (South Shields) WRSF3(10) Albion Road Stadium, North Shields

*Source: Boxing 16/09/1936 page 15*

*Lawson sub for Joe Green(Middlesbrough)*

Dec 13 Johnny Softley (Poplar) WPTS(12) Palais de Danse, East Ham

*Source: Boxing 16/12/1936 page 14*

### 1937

Feb 18 Angus McGregor (Scotland) LPTS(12) Romford Road Baths, West Ham

*Source: Boxing 24/02/1937 page 13*

Sep 13 Reg Hepworth (Barnsley) WPTS(12) Stockton

*Source: Boxing 22/09/1937 page 16*

Oct 15 Johnny Kilburn (North Shields) LRTD1(12) Albion Road Stadium, North Shields

*Source: Boxing 20/10/1937 page 16*

Dec 3 Jim Hurst (Blaydon) WPTS(10) Albion Road Stadium, North Shields

*Source: Boxing 08/12/1937 page 17*

### 1938

Feb 4 Johnny Kilburn (North Shields) LPTS(12) Albion Road Stadium, North Shields

*Source: Boxing 09/02/1938 page 15*

*Match made at 9st 12lbs*

### 1939

Feb 6 Cooper Watson (West Hartlepool) WPTS(10) New St James Hall, Newcastle

*Source: Boxing Weekly Record 15/02/1939 page 4*

Mar 25 Vinney Elliott (Leeds) WPTS(10) Hendon Pottery Buildings, Sunderland

*Source: Boxing 29/03/1939 page 16*

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