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Eric Skidmore (Wednesbury)

Active: 1949-1955

Weight classes fought in:

Recorded fights: 41 contests (won: 19 lost: 18 drew: 3 other: 1)

Fight Record

1949

Oct 18 Colin Ainsworth (Alfreton) WPTS(4) New Baths, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 26/10/1949 page 13

Skidmore 10st 5lbs Ainsworth 10st 11lbs

Ainsworth 16yo

Oct 21 Fred Clee (Tipton) WRSF2 Town Hall, West Bromwich

Source: Boxing News 02/11/1949 page 10

Skidmore 10st 5lbs Clee 10st 10lbs 8ozs

Nov 8 Teddy Fellows (Worcester) WPTS Baths, Kidderminster

Source: Boxing News 16/11/1949 page 13

Nov 15 Johnny McLoran (Birmingham) LPTS(6) New Baths, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 23/11/1949 page 12

Skidmore 10st 4lbs McLoran 10st 2lbs

Dec 5 Nipper Price (Bilston) WPTS(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 14/12/1949 page 11

Skidmore 10st 5lbs 8ozs Price 10st 7lbs 8ozs

1950

Jan 2 Wal Burgoyne (Oldbury) LPTS(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 11/01/1950 page 13

Skidmore 10st 5lbs Burgoyne 10st 3lbs

Jan 23 Jimmy Walsh (Leamington) LPTS(6) Gosta Green Stadium, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 01/02/1950 page 11

Skidmore 10st 7lbs Walsh 10st 8lbs 8ozs

Apr 3 Wal Burgoyne (Oldbury) WRTD3 Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 12/04/1950 page 12

Skidmore 10st 4lbs Burgoyne 10st 1lbs

Oct 2 Wal Burgoyne (Oldbury) WPTS(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 08/11/1950 page 12

Skidmore 10st 6lbs Burgoyne 10st 6lbs

Dec 6 Eddie Phillips (Edinburgh) LRSF1 Pershore Road Stadium, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 20/12/1950 page 13

Skidmore 10st 7lbs Phillips 10st 11lbs

1951

Jan 16 Ken Davies (Stourbridge) WRSF4 Baths Assembly Hall, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 24/01/1951 page 12

Skidmore 10st 1lbs Davies 10st 0lbs

Apr 2 Harry Warner (Dagenham) LPTS(8) Covered Market, Carlisle

Source: Boxing News 11/04/1951 page 11

Skidmore 10st 8lbs 4ozs Warner 10st 7lbs 4ozs

Promoter: Billy Little

Apr 16 Les Garbett (Cannock) LPTS(6) Sportsdrome, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 25/04/1951 page 5

Skidmore 10st 3lbs 8ozs Garbett 10st 1lbs

May 26 Fred Routley (Bilston) WPTS(6) Football Ground, Brierley Hill

Source: Boxing News 06/06/1951 page 10

Skidmore 10st 4lbs Routley 10st 4lbs

Jul 7 Joe Blytheway (Wellington) WKO1 Showground, Shrewsbury

Source: Boxing News 11/07/1951 page 14

Skidmore 10st 4lbs Blytheway 10st 3lbs

Aug 20 Eric Davies (Stourbridge) LKO5 Sportsdrome, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 29/08/1951 page 7

Davies boxed for the Welsh Welterweight Title 1955.

Skidmore 10st 9lbs Davies 10st 8lbs

Dec 3 Reuben Blairs (Jamaica) DRAW(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 19/12/1951 page 11

Skidmore 10st 6lbs Blairs 11st 0lbs

1952

Jan 7 Al Richardson (Kidderminster) WKO1(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 16/01/1952 page 13

Skidmore 10st 13lbs Richardson 10st 9lbs

Jan 29 Reuben Blairs (Jamaica) WPTS(6) Baths Assembly Hall, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 06/02/1952 page 12

Skidmore 10st 11lbs Blairs 11st 3lbs

Promoter: GRG promotions

Mar 5 Ken Bebbington (West Ham) WPTS(6) Romford Road Baths, West Ham

Source: Boxing News 19/03/1952 pages 12 and 13

Skidmore 10st 9lbs 4ozs Bebbington 10st 6lbs 4ozs

Promoter: Eddie Derfield Attendance: good

Apr 17 Tommy Hinson (Dagenham) LKO4(8) Gliderdrome, Southend

Source: Boxing News 30/04/1952 page 14

Skidmore 10st 7lbs Hinson 10st 5lbs 8ozs

Jun 24 Cliff Edwards (Dudley) WRSF5 Villiers Street Stadium, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 02/07/1952 page 13

Skidmore 10st 10lbs Edwards 10st 10lbs

Sep 13 Alex Aitken (West Bromwich) WPTS(6) Pavilion, Newtown

Source: Boxing News 17/09/1952 page 15

Skidmore 10st 10lbs Aitken 10st 7lbs

1953

Jan 12 Paul King (Torquay) LPTS(8) Public Hall, Preston

Source: Boxing News 21/01/1953 page 11

King boxed for the Western Area Lightweight Title 1954.

Skidmore 10st 9lbs King 10st 7lbs 4ozs

Feb 2 Maurice Mancini (Leamington) WRTD3(12) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 11/02/1953 page 13

(Midlands Area Welterweight Title)

Mancini was Southern Central Area Lightweight Champion 1949.

Skidmore 10st 6lbs 14ozs Mancini 9st 13lbs 4ozs

Jun 29 Eddie Ricketts (Birmingham) LKO7(8) Delicia Stadium, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 08/07/1953 page 14

Skidmore 10st 7lbs Ricketts 10st 5lbs

Promoter: Alex Griffiths

Oct 5 Jackie Whitehouse (Birmingham) ND(6) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 14/10/1953 page 12

Oct 26 Bill Wooding (Birmingham) LPTS(12) Delicia Stadium, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 04/11/1953 page 13

(Midlands Area Welterweight Title)

Wooding was Midlands Area Welterweight Champion 1953-56.

Skidmore 10st 6lbs 8ozs Wooding 10st 5lbs 8ozs

Dec 15 Jimmy Croll (Dundee) LKO6(8) Ice Rink, Kirkcaldy

Source: Boxing News 23/12/1953 page 14

Croll was Scottish Area Welterweight Champion 1955.

Skidmore 10st 5lbs 15ozs Croll 10st 4lbs

Dec 28 George Weston (Bedworth) DRAW(8) Delicia Stadium, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 06/01/1954 page 12

Skidmore 10st 8lbs 8ozs Weston 10st 6lbs 8ozs

Promoter: Alex Griffiths

1954

Jan 19 Bobby Johnson (Bournemouth) WKO4(8) Baths, Willenhall

Source: Boxing News 29/01/1954 page 11

Skidmore 10st 9lbs Johnson 10st 9lbs 8ozs

Mar 1 Jimmy Stimpson (Tipton) DRAW(8) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 05/03/1954 page 13

Skidmore 10st 10lbs Stimpson 10st 3lbs 12ozs

May 31 Laurie Davies (Nigeria) LKO4 Football Ground, Bedworth

Source: Boxing News 04/06/1954 page 13

Skidmore 10st 10lbs 12ozs Davies 10st 7lbs 4ozs

Oct 4 Attu Clottey (Gold Coast) LKO3(8) Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 08/10/1954 page 12

Skidmore 10st 9lbs Clottey 10st 8lbs

Nov 22 Ken Bebbington (West Ham) LPTS(6) Hippodrome, Great Yarmouth

Source: Boxing News 26/11/1954 page 10

Skidmore 11st 0lbs 4ozs Bebbington 10st 8lbs

1955

Oct 25 Roy Always (Halifax) WKO1 Festival Hall, East Kirkby

Source: Boxing News 04/11/1955 page 11

Skidmore 10st 9lbs Always 10st 6lbs

Nov 8 Ken Barley (Birmingham) LPTS(6) Bingley Hall, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 18/11/1955 page 10

Skidmore 10st 6lbs 12ozs Barley 10st 6lbs 12ozs

Nov 14 Teddy Searle (Hackney) WPTS(6) Town Hall, West Bromwich

Source: Boxing News 18/11/1955 page 12

Skidmore 10st 9lbs 8ozs Searle 10st 6lbs

Promoter: JJ and RB Promotions

Nov 28 Dennis Rowley (Pontypridd) WRSF1(6) Winter Gardens, Malvern

Source: Boxing News 02/12/1955 page 11

Rowley boxed for the Welsh Welterweight Title 1953.

Skidmore 10st 10lbs 8ozs Rowley 11st 2lbs

Dec 6 Tim McLeary (Wrexham) LKO2 Town Hall, Walsall

Source: Boxing News 09/12/1955 page 12

Skidmore 10st 6lbs McLeary 10st 5lbs 8ozs

Dec 13 Peter Ratcliffe (Bristol) LKO2(8) Sportsdrome, Birmingham

Source: Boxing News 16/12/1955 page 4

Skidmore 10st 7lbs Ratcliffe 10st 7lbs

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