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## Bruce Woodcock (Doncaster)

Active: 1942-1950

Weight classes fought in:

Recorded fights: 39 contests (won: 35 lost: 4)

### Fight Record

#### 1942

Jan 26 Fred Clark (Edmonton) WRSF3(6) Royal Albert Hall, Kensington

*Source: Boxing News 29/01/1942 pages 12 and 13*

*Woodcock 12st 8lbs*

*Promoter: John Muldoon*

Feb 23 Charlie Bundy (Treherbert) WPTS(6) Royal Albert Hall, Kensington

*Source: Boxing News 26/02/1942 pages 12 and 13*

*Bundy boxed for the Welsh Light-Heavyweight Title 1934 and boxed for the Welsh Heavyweight Title 1935.*

Apr 21 Sgt. Tommy Moran (Burnley) WRSF3(8) Town Hall, Watford

*Source: Boxing News 23/05/1942 page 10*

Jun 20 Len Munden (Bristol) WRSF2(6) White Hart Lane, Tottenham

*Source: Boxing News 25/06/1942 pages 7, 11 and 12*

*Munden was Western Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1938.*

*Promoter: John Muldoon*

- Jun 30 Don Burton (Salford) **WRTD2** Oldham  
*Source: Boxing News 16/07/1942 page 12*
- Aug 7 George Davis (Banbury) **WRSF2** Manchester  
*Source: Vic Hardwicke (Boxing Historian)*
- Sep 25 Jack Robinson (Nottingham) **WKO3(12)** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Vic Hardwicke (Boxing Historian)*  
**(Northern Area Light-Heavyweight Title)**  
*Robinson was Northern Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1936.*
- Oct 29 George Hinchcliffe (Pontefract) **WRSF3(10)** Heckmondwike  
*Source: Vic Hardwicke (Boxing Historian)*

### 1943

- Apr 2 Arnold Hayes (Canada) **WKO3** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 15/04/1943 page 14*  
*Promoter: Tom Hurst*
- May 19 George Muir (New Zealand) **WRSF4** Queensberry Club, Soho  
*Source: Boxing News 27/05/1943 pages 12 and 13*  
*Woodcock 12st 9lbs*
- Jun 18 Glen Moody (Pontypridd) **WRSF6(10)** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 24/06/1943 pages 14, 15*  
*Moody was Welsh Area Middleweight Champion 1931 and 1932-33*  
*and Welsh Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1939.*
- Nov 19 Martin Thornton (Ireland) **WRTD2(8)** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 25/11/1943 page 15*  
*Woodcock 12st 11lbs Thornton 13st 4lbs*
- Dec 27 Glen Moody (Pontypridd) **WRSF6(8)** Nottingham  
*Source: Boxing News 06/01/1944 pages 13 and 14*  
*Referee: Moss Deyong*

### 1944

- Feb 4 Tom Reddington (Salford) **WKO6(8)** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 17/02/1944 pages 7 and 11*  
*Attendance: 7500*
- Mar 13 Ken Shaw (Dundee) **WRTD3(8)** De Montfort Hall, Leicester  
*Source: Brian Strickland (Boxing Historian)*  
*Shaw boxed a British Heavyweight Title Eliminator in 1945 and 1947 and*  
*1948 and was Scottish Area Heavyweight Champion 1945-49.*
- Jun 19 Bert Gilroy (Coatbridge) **WKO6** Leicester  
*Source: Boxing News 09/11/1944 page 9*  
*Gilroy boxed a British Middleweight Title Eliminator 1940 and*  
*was Scottish Area Middleweight Champion 1938-39 and Scottish*  
*Area Light-Heavyweight Champion 1945-49.*

- Aug 7 Joe Quigley (Ireland) **WRSF2(8)** Nottingham  
*Source: Boxing News 09/11/1944 page 11*
- Sep 15 George Markwick (Cuckfield) **WRSF3(8)** Belle Vue, Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 09/11/1944 pages 14 and 15*  
*Attendance: 7000*
- Oct 9 Al Delaney (Canada) **WKO5** Nottingham  
*Source: Boxing News 09/11/1944 page 12*

### 1945

- May 3 Cal Rooney (Canada) **WRSF3(8)** Queensberry Club, Soho  
*Source: Boxing News 09/05/1945 page 14*
- Jul 17 Jack London (West Hartlepool) **WKO6(15)** White Hart Lane, Tottenham  
*Source: Boxing News 25/07/1945 pages 13, 14 and 15*  
**(British Heavyweight Title)**  
*London was British and British Empire Heavyweight Champion 1944-45.*  
*Woodcock 13st 0lbs London 15st 6lbs*  
*Attendance: 38000*
- Aug 24 Martin Thornton (Ireland) **WRTD3(10)** Theatre Royal, Dublin  
*Source: Boxing News 29/08/1945 pages 15 and 16*  
*Promoter: Jack Solomons*
- Nov 27 Jock Porter (Glasgow) **WRSF3(10)** Royal Albert Hall, Kensington  
*Source: Boxing News 05/12/1945 pages 13 and 14*  
*Porter boxed a British Heavyweight Title Eliminator in 1945.*  
*Woodcock 13st 5lbs Porter 13st 2lbs 8ozs*

### 1946

- Mar 29 George James (Cwm) **WRSF3** Hull  
*Source: Boxing News 03/04/1946 pages 15 and 16*  
*James was Welsh Area Heavyweight Champion 1938-49.*  
*Woodcock 13st 9lbs James 13st 13lbs*
- Apr 8 Bert Gilroy (Coatbridge) **WRSF2** Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 17/04/1946 page 14*
- May 18 Tami Mauriello (USA) **LKO5(10)** Madison Square Garden, New York City USA  
*Source: Boxing News 22/05/1946 page 15*
- Jun 4 Freddie Mills (Bournemouth) **WPTS(12)** Arena, Harringay  
*Source: Boxing News 12/06/1946 pages 13 and 14*  
*Mills was British and British Empire Light-Heavyweight Champion 1942-50*  
*and European Light-Heavyweight Champion 1947-50 and World*  
*Light-Heavyweight Champion 1942-46.*
- Jul 29 Albert Renet (France) **WKO6(15)** Manchester  
*Source: Boxing News 31/07/1946 page 15*  
**(European Heavyweight Title)**

Sep 17 Gus Lesnevich (USA) WKO8(10) Arena, Harringay

*Source: Boxing News 25/09/1946 pages 12 and 13*

*Woodcock 13st 10lbs Lesnevich 12st 13lbs 8ozs*

*Referee: Moss Deyong*

Nov 15 Georges Martin (France) WRSF3 Belle Vue, Manchester

*Source: Boxing News 20/11/1946 page 14*

*Woodcock 13st 9lbs Martin 13st 5lbs*

*Attendance: 7000*

Dec 17 Nisse Andersson (Sweden) WRSF3 Arena, Harringay

*Source: Boxing News 24/12/1946 pages 16 and 17*

*Woodcock 13st 11lbs Andersson 15st 4lbs 8ozs*

*cut eye*

### 1947

Mar 17 Stephane Olek (France) WPTS(15) Manchester

*Source: Boxing News 26/03/1947 page 13*

**(European Heavyweight Title)**

*Woodcock 14st 4lbs 4ozs Olek 13st 5lbs 8ozs*

Apr 15 Joe Baksi (USA) LRSF7 Arena, Harringay

*Source: Boxing News 23/04/1947 pages 10, 11 and 12*

### 1948

Sep 21 Lee Oma (USA) WKO4(10) Arena, Harringay

*Source: Boxing News 29/09/1948 pages 12 and 13*

*Woodcock 14st 1lbs Oma 13st 9lbs 4ozs*

Dec 6 Lee Savold (USA) WDSQ4(10) Arena, Harringay

*Source: Boxing News 08/12/1948 page 15*

*Woodcock 13st 9lbs Savold 13st 6lbs*

### 1949

Mar 26 Johnny Ralph (South Africa) WKO3(10) Johannesburg South Africa

*Source: Vic Hardwicke (Boxing Historian)*

Jun 2 Freddie Mills (Bournemouth) WKO14(15) Stadium, White City

*Source: Boxing News 08/06/1949 page 16*

**(British European and Empire Heavyweight Title)**

*Woodcock 13st 13lbs 8ozs Mills 12st 7lbs 8ozs*

1950

Jun 6 Lee Savold (USA)

LRTD4(15)

Stadium, White City

Source: *Boxing News* 14/06/1950 pages 8, 09 and 10

**(Billed for World Heavyweight Title)**

Attendance: 50000

cut eye

Nov 14 Jack Gardner (Market Harborough)

LRTD11(15)

Empress Stadium, Earls' Court

Source: *Boxing News* 22/11/1950 pages 8, 09 and 13

Gardner was British and British Empire Heavyweight Champion 1950-52

and European Heavyweight Champion 1951.

Woodcock 13st 13lbs 8ozs Gardner 14st 12lbs 8ozs

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