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McATEER v. LAZAR.

When Pat McAteer defends his British and Empire middleweight title against Lew Lazar at Nottingham, the challenger is soon in trouble, and by the beginning of the fourth round there can't be much doubt in promoter Reg King's mind what the outcome will be. The title-holder is pressing his advantage home, and he soon has Lazar on the canvas for a count of nine.

Tommy Farr and other ringside experts can see that Lazar's right eye is bothering him. He's still game - but he's fighting through a haze.

McAteer has the challenger in a corner - and he's down again! Referee Ike Powell pushes McAteer away - and starts to count.

Eight, nine, and Lazar's on his feet! Pat McAteer 's coming in again - and this time he means to finish the fight. The challenger looks dazed and helpless - and the referee is watching that eye carefully.

Lazar sinks to the canvas for the third time in this disastrous round. He'll be up again if he can - but surely the referee can't let this go on!

Ike Powell counts to eight, and then he stops the fight. Lazar's eye is too badly damaged. So Birkenhead's Pat McAteer is still middleweight champion!