

McCoy will remain in Miami at least a month while his manager, Bill Brennan, completes plans for a late spring exhibition tour and the bout with Louis.

Jimmy Pearl In Rockland Feature Fri.

ROCKLAND, Jan. 27—Jimmy Pearl, hailing from Portland and Ellsworth, is matched with Sylvester Davis of Worcester, Mass., for the main bout at Hamlin's Potato Bowl, Tillson avenue, Friday night.

The semi-final is to be a five rounder between Ponzi Cochran of Rockland and Jack Haggerty of Worcester. Walter Reynolds of Rockland is booked to meet Joe Riley of Worcester in the top prelim of four rounds.

Sully Cohen of Rockland is down on the card to box with Jesse Collins of Burkettville. The opener will be between two local boys.

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Low Punching Mars Hard-Hitting Battle

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When the going gets rough, the young man from Stroudwater just will disregard the Queensbury code and shoot his punches low.

He did it last night, coming down the stretch at the Expo, but it didn't do him any good. For when, at the conclusion of six hard-fought and bitterly-contested rounds, the bell clanged "cease fire," Roy Chapman, ebony-hued puncher from Uniontown, Pennsylvania, was definitely out in front and Ad Zachow, the young man from Stroudwater, was just as definitely trailing.

The Pennsylvania Negro, weighing 158½, got away to a good start and had a commanding edge in the first three rounds. Coming to town billed as a destructive left hooker, the Negro more than lived up to his reputation. Throughout the first three frames he was the steady aggressor and his hard left smashes to the body had Zachow bicycling on the defensive and spending the greater part of his time blocking and dodging.

Zachow made his bid for victory at the halfway mark. It was a strong bid, too, and it's a pity that he marred it by mixing at least a half dozen plainly low punches into the barrage of left hands that he started throwing at Chapman's body. It's a pity because he was doing very well without those illegal punches. For the first time he was taking the lead, sending the Negro back on his heels with raking lefts and then, as a rule, following through with jaw-clipping rights. Chapman wavered a couple of times under fire and Zachow, going into the sixth and final frame, seemed victory bound.

It was in that final round, though, that this dusky lad from Uniontown showed his real fighting spirit. Coming out fast he clipped Ad with a straight right to the chin, and then drove him half around the ring and to the ropes with a two fisted barrage to head and body. On the ropes Zachow tried

trading punches but Chappie was throwing them too hard and too fast. Not until the final minute did Ad get an offensive of his own started. He was forcing the fight at the bell and had Chappie breaking ground but, as usual, he spoiled a game ending by sinking two more low punches. It was Chapman's round and Chapman's fight.

Last night's semi-final was a hard luck bout for Paul Roderigues, veteran Lewiston heavyweight. For four rounds Paul bopped tall and awkward Harvey Caswell, Dover novice, at will. Caswell was on the floor ten times in a series of acrobatic falls that had the press row thinking it was Monday night. In the fifth, however, he came to his feet to nail Paul with a beautiful right to the chin. Roderigues finished the round groggy and with a badly cut eye. He resigned between rounds and young Caswell, who could hardly have expected it, went home with the bacon.

A badly damaged optic also proved too great a handicap for "Tuffy" Ferland, another Dover lad who was completely outclassed by Abe Nathan, Portland boy making his first Expo appearance in several years. Nathan carried too many guns for "Tuffy" and had him on the floor for a nine count early in the first round. For the balance of the frame he punished his badly and Ferland, taking no chances with his eye, said enough between rounds.

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Expo Punchers - - - By Landers



Expo Ring Card

Roy Chapman, Uniontown, Penn., vs. Ad Zachow, Portland, 160—Six rounds.

Paul Roderick, Lewiston vs. Harvey Caswell, Dover, N. H., 180—Six rounds.

Tuffy Ferland, Rochester, N. H., vs. Abe Nathan, Portland, 142—Six rounds.

George Blakdell, Portland vs. Frankie Rich, Fort McKinley, 138—Six rounds.

Frisco Dick Subasla vs. Gabby Poulin, Waterville, 145 — Six rounds.

Coley Welsh, Portland vs. George Anderson, Dover, N. H., 147—Four rounds.

Eddie Saltis, Dover, N. H., vs. Eddie Burke, Portland, 160—Four rounds.

Batty Frisco, East Derry vs. Rudy Westbrook, 150—Four rounds.

Burgess—Jim Feeney and Ken McDowell.

The keeper—Challey Plum-