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Britannia Shield Boxing at Wembley; the annual contest commemorating the spirit of comradeship of the Allies during the Battle of Britain.... And Bantamweight Corporal Lewis of the R.A.F. beats Private Hellebuych of Belgium - on points.

In the Lightweight Final - Airman Hornsby of the (U.S. Forces in Europe) met Private J. Vouvrie of the Netherlands. But the Dutchman soon felt the HAND of comradeship - and the Referee stopped the fight in the first round.

The Bout of the evening was in the Middleweight class - and what a battle, between A.C.2 Phillips of the R.A.F. and Airman J. Palmer - a coloured American fighter. Well, There's one thing about this kind of comradeship - they certainly learn how to give and take.

And After three hectic rounds - Phillips won on points - one of the R.A.F.'s six Final winners.

The overall result was a third successive victory for the R.A.F. - who received the Britannia Shield from General Norstad - of the U.S. Air Force.