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McKenley recovering after surgery

OLYMPIC CHAMPION Herb McKenley is said to be recovering well after undergoing triple bypass surgery at the Miami Heart Institute in Miami Beach, yesterday.

"The surgery went well," said son Michael, who spoke with **The Gleaner** shortly after the operation took place. He said the doctors who performed the operation indicated to the family that they were happy with the result. "They were pleased with how things went," he stated. Mr. McKenley, 76, suffered a heart attack in Miami on Saturday night, at a reception in honour of Dr. Frank Roberts, a former president of the Jamaica Amateur Athletics Association. He reportedly collapsed after giving a toast at the function.

According to Michael, the family is holding up well and is optimistic that things are going to improve. He also stated that he was informed by the doctors that it would be at least another week before his father could be released from the hospital. Mr. McKenley represented Jamaica in the Helsinki Olympics in 1952 and the London Olympics in 1948. In Helsinki, he copped two silver medals in the 400 and 100 metres and a gold in the 4 x 400 in which he gave a memorable performance.



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