

Questionable Weight-lifting Records.

WILFRED DIAMOND writes: In the current "H. & S." I see that Jack Whittle (Preston) has broken the 8st. British record by raising laterally $3\frac{1}{2}$ lb. in each hand. These lifts by Whittle and his friends are not accomplished under the auspices of the B.A.W.L.A., and the offer of a representative to judge has been refused. Neither the men nor the weights are weighed. Mr. Whittle weighs close on 11st., therefore the idea of his breaking the 8st. record is ridiculous. I understand that letters from the Association to him have been ignored.

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