

The Claims of Edward Aston.

DEAR SIR,—I am surprised that I have had no reply to my challenge for the Middle-weight Championship of Britain.

Under the circumstances, I consider myself justified in assuming the title, which I will defend against all comers. I repeat my challenge, all-round lifting, any amount from £20 to £100 a side for the Middle-weight Championship of Britain,

but whilst at the present time I am in a position to make a match, shortly I shall be fully booked up at the music-halls and unable to compete.

Therefore, any reply must be sent in at once, or your readers will know what to think if a discussion starts when I am booked exclusively for the halls and barred from public competition.—
Yours truly,

E. ASTON.

