IN ANSWER to Mr. Tom Leamore's Comments in "The Era," of Feb. 5th, on the "(hampion Clog-Dancing Contest," at Eastern Empire, Bow, London, I, Joe Nixon, one of the Competitors for the above, will dance Tom Leamore, Twenty Steps and Shuffle, in Clogs, tor £50 a side, for which I have deposited £20 with the Editor of "The Era." The Match to take place in London not later than March 14th,

(Signed)

W. J. NIXON, of

Pollinta's Marionettes.

IN REPLY to Mr. Tom Leamore's Remarks, in the "Gossip" of last week's "Era," I have this day Deposited £5 with the Editor of "The Era." I Back the Winner of the Second or Third Prize in the present Competition now taking place at the Eastern Empire.

By Mr Leamore covering same a Match can be made for £50 a-side or Upwards. (Signed)

PAT CARRY.

Feb. 10th, 1898.

THE Great MACK, of Rochdale, now Dancing in the Championship Contest,

will Back James G. Burns, of Glasgow (Win or Lose his Heats), to Dance Tom Leamore, or any Man in the World for £50 to £100 a-side. Money Ready on Receipt of Telegram, or Letter to me at

Empire, Bow, London. Signed, the GREAT MACK.

N ANSWER to so many Enquiries, I, E. H. DOYLE, beg to state my reason for not entering the present Champion Clog Dancing Contest of the World, now taking place at the Empire Palace, Bow. That I, having Danced in so many Championship Contests, have decided to give way to our New Dancers to show their ability.

Those who never Danced in any approved and Contest.

Those who never Danced in any acknowledged Contest, should try their luck before insulting others.

I have been Specially Engaged by
J. H. Wood, Esq.,
to act as one of the
Principal Judges.