

MIT KINGS EXCEPT KILBANE SIT SECURE

By Henry L. Farrell

(United Press Staff Correspondent) NEW YORK, April 4. - With the possible exception of Johnny Kilbane all of the pugilistic champions seem firmly seated on their thrones after one of the biggest winters in the history of boxing.

Johnny Wilson, the middleweight champion and one of those of whom the bugs said, "He's done for, the first time he defends the title," was the last to prove himself the best in to dispose of Brennan in a round or the excavator happen on it, however his class.

Wilson is far from what the Amerinevertheless he proved himself the best in the division by defeating Mike O'Dowd, ranked the next best, for the second time

was charging the referee who took the chance at the title. The St. Paul boy samples of the contemporary mertitle away from him with larceny came out with a line that may follow him to seems to have enough to extend the the end of his career-"There are a lot of boys who can beat me, but Mike O'Dowd is one that I can whip every night in the week."

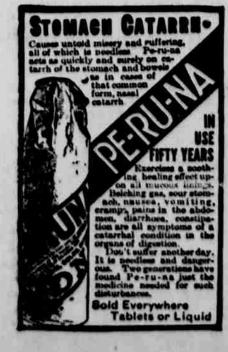
O'Dowd not only lost his bid for the grown he used to wear, but he demonstrated that he is not to be considered any more in middleweight matters. He seems in short to have reached the peak of his power and is now going down the other side.

Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, was the only titleholder to remain inactive during the winter. Several times it seemed he would defend his title, but the negotiations were never completed. It would not surprise close followers of the sport if the Cleveland Irishman never pulled on the gloves again. He is a veteran in years and experience and unless he can be tempted by a huge purse to go through tedious training for a fight, it is not at all unlikely that he will announce his retirement this summer.

As was said of Johnny Wilson before he gave O'Dowd a return fight. the fans were predicting all winter that the first good featherweight to get in the ring with Kilbane would tatke the title away from him. However, this is not a unanimous opinion by a long ways. Matt Hinkle, Cleveland millionaire and one of the best authorities in the United States, maintains that Kilbane is not at the end of his string and that if he wants to come out, he can still beat any boy in the class.

Benny Leonard is supreme in the lightweight class. Lew Tendler and Willie Jackson are the next best in the class and they are both "scared to death" of the champion. When Benny disposed of Joe Welling and Richie Mitchell during the winter, he removed the really dangerous contenders from the field.

"Old Man" Britton gave evidence in trouncing Ted Lewis that he is still the best of the welterweights, Lou Bogash has been considered as worthy



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of a chance for the title, but he is EXCAVATORS OF 5921 TO far from ready, as the "grand old man" knows too much for him.

Joe Lynch has had a lot of contenders following him since he took the title from Pete Herman, but he also seems safely housed with the crown.

As to Jack Dempsey, it is merely a matter of opinion. The heavyweight champion lost a lot of prestige when for the failure of the "Toledo Lion" people are busy "planting" it. Should fact remains that Dempsey defeated in the year 1921 a building had been can expects in a ring champion, but the most likely contender in America erected in Aldwych by the Bush Terand that seems the main purpose of minal company and with the thought-

is the only one at the weight who

Jimmy Wilde isn't considered the marvel that he used to be since Pete Herman knocked him out, but he still looks to be better than any boy who pickles 4000 years old may puzzie will make the weight for him.

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Whether the excavator digs it up Bill Brennan stayed with him for or no, the evidence will be there, betwelve rounds. The reasons attribute 1 cause at present quite a number of two are many and varied, but the he will discover from documents that ful idea of perpetuating the memory Carpentier looks safe for life as the of the civilization of the 20th cenlight heavyweight king, unless he de- tury they had hidden in reinforced The Boston Italian, when O'Dowd cides to give Tommy Gibbons a concrete beneath the foundations, chandise.

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he'll make out of a pre-war continen-

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