

The cartoon depicts Willie Ritchie, a pitcher, running away from his friends and supporters. He is carrying a large barrel labeled "CONTRACT". A crowd of people is chasing him, holding signs that say "AMERICA CUP GROUNDS", "MARQUARD MARRIED", and "WELL MARQUARD'S BATTING DAYS ARE OVER". A speech bubble from Ritchie says "RASCAL! YOU!". Other signs include "NOTHING DOWNS HAVE TO TURN YOU DOWN", "LIFTON", "CHALLENGE", "RETIREMENT HOUNDS", "JUNK", "OLD JUPE PLAN", and "WILL BE ON THE JOB CONTRACT OR NO CONTRACT". The cartoon is signed "GREENE" at the bottom right.

## RITCHIE LOSING FRIENDS; HE SHOULD MAKE MATCHES

W. W. Naughton writing from San Francisco says that Willie Ritchie the champion is losing friends and should make matches.

"If Willie Ritchie is given to thinking at all, it is high time for him to hunt his considering cap. For Willie's friends are drifting away from him in great numbers, and if the desertion

and who risked it and defended it as often as an opportunity arose.

"Ritchie has himself to blame if a suspicion of this attaches to him. He hasn't accomplished sufficient to warrant him playing fast and loose with the boys of his class, and with the sporting public generally in the way he is doing. He knows that even those who took his side of the argu-

**WOOF! WOOF!**  
**ELIZA MARQUARD**  
**CROSSING THE ICE—**  
**ONE FINE ACT**

## SPORTOGRAPHY BY "GRAVY"

Prince "Cupid," who was heir apparent to the Hawaiian throne until Queen Liliuokalani was given the bounce, and who now represents his native country in the United States Congress, is an all-round sportsman. His ex-Majesty, who is forty-two years old today, naturally specializes in aquatic sports, since there is a lot of water around the Hawaiian Islands.

Prince "Cupid" 42  
—An All-round Sportsman—  
—Big English Races.

a trip out of town. The second Lincoln opens next Monday, famous Lincolnshire Hand scheduled for Tuesday. Some of the best horses now in England entered in the last-named event.

GENTLE TO IMPURE

Marlin, Tex., March 25.  
McGraw, one of the greatest

be made.