

# Williams' Arm Still Troubling Everybody Worried Except Terrible Ted

By Joe Reichler  
SARASOTA, Fla., March 4—(AP)—Despite reports to the contrary, Ted Williams' celebrated left elbow is still giving baseball's premier power hitter plenty of trouble.

Williams says the elbow, fractured in the all-star game in Chicago last July, still hurts; the arm is not straight, the muscles are loose and the joint at least a half-inch smaller than it should be.

But Ted isn't worried — much. He believes the arm will regain its former power "in due time." He is greatly encouraged by the progress he has made in the last three weeks and says the arm is getting stronger every day.

"I'd say my left arm has only about 60 per cent of its normal strength," was the ever-honest Boston Red Sox slugger's remark. But judging by the steady improvement in the past three weeks, I am confident it will be as strong as ever in due time.

"Right now it is 40 per cent stronger than it was when I rejoined the club last September. But it still hurts when I try to flex my muscle or touch the left shoulder with my fingertips."

Williams said he found it tortuous to swing a bat during the two-game series against the New York Yankees stadium the final week of the 1950 campaign. Yet he managed to wallop two mighty home runs deep into the right field stands in one of the games.

"Before each game," he explained, "I took whirlpool baths and had all kinds of hot stuff and massages applied to the arm. Between innings I'd sneak behind the stands and swing a couple of extra heavy bats in order to keep the elbow loose. It would tighten up on me every few minutes."

Williams still takes those whirlpool baths every day and is constantly exercising the muscles to speed their development.

"I know I'll be all right," the slender slugger reiterated, "provided there are no setbacks — no hurting it again. It's just going to take time."

Williams said he has felt no pain while taking his cuts in batting practice but hasn't really swung from the heels yet. However, some of his belted home runs remind of the old style Theodore thumps.

# Huskies' Ace Hurt in Crash

BREMERTON, Wash., March 4—(AP)—Don Heinrich, all-American quarterback from the University of Washington, and two other persons narrowly escaped death when an automobile plunged over a 75-foot embankment near here last night.

C. (Whitey) Ohnstad, Bremerton, and Jack Moore, Port Orchard, suffered cuts and bruises. The three were taken to Harrison Memorial hospital for treatment and then released.

Heinrich returned to the hospital today for an x-ray of his right hand. Hospital attendants said Heinrich's hand was not broken but was "badly bruised."

Bremerton policeman James Boat said the accident occurred when the car was approaching an arterial highway from a side road. Moore was driving the car.

Boats said the car brakes failed at the stop sign. The vehicle careened across the highway, hit the shoulder of the road and plunged down the near vertical embankment. The car landed upright.

Ohnstad was thrown through the roof of the car and landed on a pile of soft dirt. Heinrich was riding next to the door on the right side of the car. He also suffered face cuts and bruises.

Boats said there were skid marks showing on the roadway for about 110 feet.

# EAGLES NOSE VICTORIA

PORTLAND, March 4—(AP)—The Portland Eagles strengthened their hold on fourth place in the Pacific Coast hockey league tonight by noosing out the Victoria Cougars, 6-4.

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# By Jimmy Hatlo



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# Rollin' Along

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Gehrman apparently ran too much—with his mouth... Wait Yonamine, the Senators new Hawaiian outfielder, is a good man with the stick and he also possesses that commodity valuable to all ball clubs—speed... Amby D'Eagle, the former Willamette U man Salem junior ball league worker, is now with the Salem YMCA physical ed staff...

They called Matthews' New York debut against highly-favored Bob Murphy a "sensational" one—and the clamor is now on for a lightweight title match between Joey Maxim and the Seattle beller. It may be that one day Seattle's pride in her Harry will equal or surpass the fond regard her sundry citizenry felt for Freddie Steele and Al Hokstak... Layne's Bronx appearance against Cesar Brion was not nearly so impressive but nonetheless the wise-sores figure he has the stuff in him to eventually become a terror in heavy circles...

# A Case of Too Much Talk

Fred Wilt finally goes to the wire ahead of arch-rival Don Gehrman in the latest of the pair's mile duels. And wonder if it couldn't have been because of that remark Gehrman got off last week to the effect that Wilt doesn't have the "kick" to be a stand-out miler. When a man gets riled he can be dangerous. Mr.

# Jim Ferrier Putts Way To St. Petersburg Title

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 4—(AP)—Jim Ferrier putt-putted his way to victory in the \$10,000 St. Petersburg Open Golf tournament today.

The big Australian who plays out of San Francisco polished off his last round in 69—two under par—for a record 72-hole score of 269. The previous record of 269 was set by Ben Hogan over the shorter par 70 Suncoast course.

Ferrier wielded the aluminum plated putter which he fashioned himself in a way that kept the rest of the touring pros behind him through the whole tournament. In all he sank seven putts around 30 feet or more—three of them in his opening 64. He got the others in successive rounds of 69-66-69.

He finished five strokes ahead of second-place Al Brosch of Garden City, N. Y. Brosch was one under par for the 6,285-yard Pasadena course for a 274 total.

Four players tied for third place another stroke back.

One of them, Jim Turnesa of Briarcliff, N. Y., tied the course and tournament single round record with 63 in spite of a strong wind off Boca Ciega bay that sent most scores higher than in earlier rounds.

The three others were Bob Toski, youngster from Northampton, Mass.; Glen Teal of Jacksonville, Fla.; and Clayton Hafner of Charlotte, N. C.

Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago, leading money winner this year, tied with George Fazio of Washington, D. C., for the next spot with a 276.

The money winners included Al Zimmerman, Portland, Ore., whose 282 was good for 18th place and \$120.

# Local Gunners High in Shoot

Salem Gun club shooters lost only two birds Sunday in the opening round of the state telegraphic meet. Hank Peters of Sublimity led the top gunners with 25 straight. He was followed by son Don, Ted Welty, Salem, and Fred Leisy, Salem, each with 24 out of 25.

Other results of Sunday shooting included Chris Neitling, Stayton, Park Thede, Salem, and Lawrence Imlah, Salem, each with 23 and Harold Busik, Salem, 22, and Herman Keiper, Jefferson, 21.

# PIE FOR FINAL EXAM

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—The final examination in a short story course at the University of Southern California was as easy as pie—literally. Professor Lynn Clark's students studied magazines last summer. One day they came upon an inviting picture of a blueberry pie. "You've never tasted blueberry pie until you've eaten some of my wife's," he bragged. To prove it, he brought one to the final examination and served it. "This will not become a regular feature of the test, however," he said.

# CIGARET TEST FOR ROBOT

MINNEAPOLIS—(AP)—A cigaret standing on end in a plane was used to demonstrate the sensitivity of a new improved automatic pilot here recently. As the automatic pilot put a navy transport through its paces, the cigaret remained upright, and never toppled, say aero research engineers for the Minneapolis Honeywell Regulator Co. The plane went through landing approaches, turns, and finally an automatic instrument approach.

# NAGEL WINS COMBINED

WHITEFISH, Mont., March 4—(AP)—Amateur Jack Nagel of Sun Valley swished through a blinding snowstorm today to win the men's combined crown in the National Ski championship races at Big Mountain today.

# BIBLICAL SITE TO BE SPA

TEL AVIV—(AP)—Tiberias, on the western shores of the Sea of Galilee, is to be developed into a winter spa and a health resort, it is learned. Plans submitted by the Tiberias Municipality stress that the Biblical and historic sites in the area shall be protected. Tiberias lies 682 ft. below sea level. It has hot springs with good anti-rheumatic effects.

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and William and Mary College in Virginia dispute which is the first school for higher education in the United States. The Virginia claim is 1617; Harvard's 1636.

# Matthews Eyes Maxim's Crown

By Murray Rose  
NEW YORK, March 4—(AP)—Harry Matthews, the body bomber who made good with a bang in his first start here Friday night, may try for a crack at Heavyweight Champion Ezzard Charles if he can't get a shot at light heavy weight king Joey Maxim's crown.

"Maxim is the guy we want," said Manager Jack Hurley as he rejected a proposition to meet Bob Murphy again.

"We're willing to give Maxim \$80,000 to fight Harry in Boise next June. The whole state of Idaho would turn out for that fight headed by Gov. Len Jordan. Matthews was raised in Idaho and everyone knows him there. I don't know where Maxim can get that kind of money anywhere else. But if we can't get him, we may try for Charles. I think Matthews is ready."

There hasn't been a Garden debut like that in years nor has any boxer displayed that kind of body punching here in years. Hurley was busy accepting congratulations on all sides today. Matthews, meanwhile, nursed two bruised, swollen hands which will keep him idle about a month.

"Harry is going back to Seattle and rest up his hands," said Hurley. "When he's ready we'll take him around the Seattle, Spokane, Portland, Boise circuit. He can make some money there and get in tight shape for a championship fight with someone."

# Truth, Isn't It?

One of the best statements to come out relative to the hoop scene was that rendered by Chester Maxey, president of Whitman college. Said Maxey: "How can you blame athletes for taking bribes to throw games when they're bribed in the first place to play ball for their schools?"

# Jersey Joe Shows Power

DETROIT, March 4—(AP)—Jersey Joe Walcott heard a sermon today on "Joy in the Morning," and then contributed a little of his own in the afternoon.

The Camden, N.J., heavyweight, training here for his Wednesday title bout with Champion Ezzard Charles, appeared at the morning services of the First Baptist church. The house was packed.

He heard Jack Thompson, his sparring partner and assistant pastor at the church, speak on "Joy in the Morning." Then the Rev. Thompson introduced Walcott, remarking:

"We are glad to have Jersey Joe Walcott here with us this morning. He is a God-fearing and a family man and a good church member, a good Christian."

Resuming his training at Sportsman's gym in the afternoon, he brought plaudits from another packed house by flooring Johnny Hubbard, another sparring partner, with a left hook in the first round.

It was the first time in 50 rounds of boxing with Hubbard that he had been able to knock Hubbard off his feet.

Walcott also went two rounds against the Rev. Thompson. Charles, appearing in the same gym, boxed six rounds, two each against Al Smith, Big Boy Brown and Al Hunter.

# GAINS OLYMPIC BERTH

RUMFORD, Me., March 4—(AP)—Young Ted Farwell of Montague, Mass., who interrupted a college career to train and improve his skiing, virtually assured himself of a place on the 1952 U.S. Olympic ski team today by leading a crack field of jumpers on snow-swept Scott mountain.

# Look and Learn

- By A. C. Gordon
- Which state's coastline is indented by Puget Sound?
  - What little field animal has no external ear?
  - What is alluvium?
  - Who was Israel's first king?
  - What famous poet married a famous poetess?
- ANSWERS
- Washington.
  - The mole.
  - Soil, sand, gravel, or similar material, deposited by running water.
  - Saul.
  - Robert Browning (1812-89) and Elizabeth Barrett (1806-61).

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WHAT DID YOU SAY, BLONDIE? I CAN'T HEAR YOU WITH THE WATER RUNNING

WHAT DID YOU SAY?

THERE, NOW—THAT'S BETTER

NOW WHAT WERE YOU SAYING? I COULDN'T HEAR YOU WITH THE WATER RUNNING

BLONDIE



I GOT ONE OF 'EM! HE'S ON THAT SECOND LANDING.

AND INSIDE THE RESTAURANT, AS A MATTER OF FACT, I SEE YOU, TOO.

YOU CAN'T SHOOT A CORNER, WHY DON'T YOU COME AND GET ME?

—BUT I CAN SHOOT THROUGH A WALL!



IT'S NO USE LOGGING YOUR TEMPER AND CALLING NAMES—YOU'RE JUST THE TOWN CONSTABLE—NOT RULER OF THE UNIVERSE— JUST FORGET ABOUT THE TWO ORPHANS—

I'LL NEVER FORGET! THEY LEFT TOWN ON THE FAST FREIGHT YESTERDAY—THE FIRST STOP IS GREEN HILL—I'LL WARN THE CONSTABLE THERE—THEY CAN'T MAKE MONKEY OUTA ME—

HOLD IT, JOCKO—IF YOU WANT TO BE CONSTABLE THE MORNING AFTER ELECTION, YOU'LL FORGET ABOUT THEM KIDS—AN' WHAT'S MORE IMPORTANT, LET'S HOPE THE TOWN FORGETS AN' FORGIVES!

YESTERDAY THE TRAIN WE PASSED ON DIDN'T STOP WHEN IT PASSED YOUR HOME—BUT WE SEEN IT, SO WE KNOW WE'RE ON THE RIGHT TRACK—ALL WE GOTTA DO IS KEEP WALKIN' AN' WALKIN'!



GYPSY, LOOK! THE LAW OF THE WILD, TORCHY—THE STRONG DEVOUR THE WEAK.

THERE ARE THINGS I FEAR, WHEN PEOPLE—EVEN NATIONS—ARE LIKE THIS.

—BUT YOU STARED THAT SHARK WITH A KNIFE! GYPSY, I THINK YOU'RE THE BRAVEST, MOST GLAMOROUS MAN I EVER MET.



DICK TRACY



LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



BUZZ SAWYER



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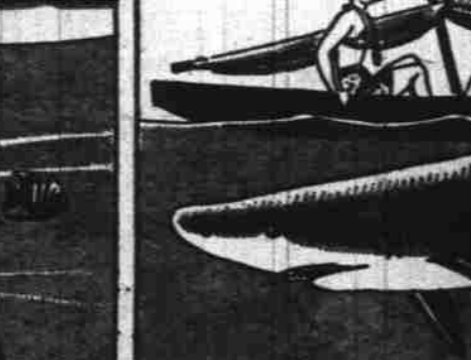
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THEE? NO SENSE OF HUMOR?

GODDESS... I'VE COME TO YOU FOR HELP! I...

WELL, LET'S GET BACK TO THE PALACE! HEY, XERES!

I NEVER SAW A DINOSAUR BEFORE!

HE NEVER SAW ONE OF THESE, EITHER!



SAV! THAT'S THE SPEEDBOAT THAT TOOK THE WIDOW AND JOE SEVEN OFF THE CORNICRANT! THEY MUST BE ON THIS ISLAND!

AH! DUNGAREES! HAVEN'T WORN A PAIR SINCE IWO JIMA... BUT THEY LOOK GOOD TO ME NOW!

THESE DAMES! THE WIDOWS JUST LIKE THE REST OF 'EM! ALWAYS FORGETTIN' SOMETHIN'! 'CURTAINS' SHE SAYS, 'RUN DOWN TO THE BOAT AN' GET MY PURSE! WHAT AM I, A TORPEDO OR AN ERRAND BOY?



I hope you don't mind answering the phone when I'm at school, Mother

No, Judy, but it keeps me busy sometimes.

I'm telling parents to call after four, but they don't.

Here are your calls for today.

I'm sorry you didn't care for Skuffy as a sister, Mrs. Throttle. I'll send you a girl tonight.

She said it was like having three kids instead of two.



WHAT A BODACIOUS SHOWER WE GOT, CRICKET—GRITS, SALT, A PECK OF TATERS, MEAL, AN—

I CAN'T WAIT TILL WE UNS START HOUSE-KEEPIN', SO'S I CAN L'ARN TO COOK, RIDDLES

I KNOW WHAT HONEY POT!! WE-UNS CAN L'ARN TOGETHER--

DO WHICH??

I'LL L'ARN TO COOK TH' VITLES-- YE L'ARN TO EAT 'EM