

# Ted Williams, Now in Marine Corps, Joins Area's List of House-Hunters



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Ted Williams, recently retired from baseball and now stationed at Cherry Point in the Marine Corps, is house hunting. He, his wife and four-year-old daughter, Bobbie Jo, are reported to be interested in a home in Morehead City, with Cherry Point and New Bern as second and third choices.

Williams, who will serve as a captain in the corps for the next few months, doesn't much care where he lives in his off hours, just so it's near a good place to fish. He doesn't even care what kind of fishing.

Ted, who was formerly with the Boston Red Sox, visited in New Bern Friday. Until he fractured his elbow in the 1950 All-Star game in Chicago he was regarded as baseball's greatest hitter of the last de-

cade. He had a lifetime average to prove it, having hit .350 until 1950.

Had Ted not seen three years of service as a flying instructor during the second world war, there is no telling how many records he might have established. He led the American league in hitting four times. His .406 mark of 1941 is the highest in the American league in the last 30 years. Four times he led the league in home runs and in runs batted in.

Joe Dimaggio recently said, "Williams is the greatest hitter I ever saw." Ted used a 34-ounce bat 35 inches long.

If Ted wants cooling breezes from the ocean plus some of the best fishing along the Atlantic coast, he has no choice but to settle in some spot in Carteret county.

# Freeman Brother Jaycees Win

In softball play this week Freeman Brothers Grocery and the Morehead City Jaycees were victorious. Monday night team from the grocery defeated Carolina Power and Light 15-1.

Freeman Brothers, Ray Ga pitcher, made 15 runs on 14 hits and 5 errors. The losers had run-on-5 hits and 8 errors.

Tuesday night the Jaycees defeated the Firemen 16-6. The win made 16 runs, 12 hits and 4 errors. The losers had 6 runs, 5 hits and errors.

Winning pitcher was Sam Gries and catcher was Sonny G. Losing battery was Pat Fodrie Jimmy Bell.

## Saltwater Schedule

### SATURDAY

Marshallberg at Harkers Island.

### SUNDAY

Beaufort at Salter Path (2).

Mill Creek at Atlantic (2).

Harkers Island at Marshallberg.

# Ben Wade Pitches 2-0 Win Over Pittsburgh Pirates

Ben Wade of Morehead City pitched a 2-0 Brooklyn victory over the Pirates, June 5. This boosted the Bums lead in the league to three games. Wildness by three Pittsburgh pitchers made it easy for first-place Brooklyn to shut out the Pirates and make a clean sweep of their Steel City series.

The Pirates, who now have lost eight straight games to the Dodgers, tried hard to win for starting pitcher Ronnie Kline.

Kline gave up only two hits but nine walks, before he was lifted in the sixth in favor of Forrest Main.

After six scoreless innings, Campanella of the Dodgers reached first on a walk and eventually scored on a single by Carl Furillo.

The Dodger score in the ninth was made by Jackie Robinson who walked to first and advanced to third on a wild pitch and an infield out. He came home on a double by Gil Hodges.

The Dodger victory was No. 5 for pitcher Ben Wade. The game was Brooklyn's 20th without a loss against Cincinnati, Boston and Pittsburgh.

# Handy Reva Wins Inaugural Cup

Handy Reva, slated to come in second in the Carolina Inaugural Race, Wednesday night at the Morehead City track, came in first. Other winners of the eleventh and last race on opening night were Three Dots second and French Park, third.

Racing fans of this area are still talking about the course of events in the Inaugural Cup race, June 5. It was that Wednesday night when Jack Archer stepped out front and won the Inaugural Cup, setting a course record for 5/16's of a mile. Jack had set the record his first time out, and he went on to be the track champion of the year.

Thus, the interest on the opening night's big event rose as over 300 greyhounds' busied themselves with

# Drug Ordinances Needed To Curb Illegal Sales

Singapore (AP)—Penicillin and other antibiotic drugs are being offered for sale openly by grocers and street vendors in Malaya, Malayan Pharmaceutical Journal discloses.

Calling for an ordinance to control sale of therapeutic substances and antibiotic drugs, the official organ of the Malayan Pharmaceutical association says there are loopholes for unscrupulous dealers to supply such drugs.

The final schooling races Tuesday and field preparations for Carolina Racing association's annual Inaugural Cup which on display at the track for a week.

Racing Secretary Leo Hart said that the kennels present year will offer the keenest competition ever.

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