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Dear Lefty:

I got a big thrill out of hearing from you this morning. It has been a long time since I have known of your whereabouts and naturally I am pleased to know you are building back and will soon be up and at 'em again.

That weight of 225 pounds means that you are back to normal and in fighting trim. I well remember our last visit when you were down in weight and looked like a sick man.

I handed your letter and clippings to our sports editor who is going to make use of the information today. A tear sheet containing the clipping will be enclosed with the letter. You always have my best wishes and I hope this siege will be the last of bad health for you. You have had your full share of troubles and are now due for many happy years ahead.

Fraternally,

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