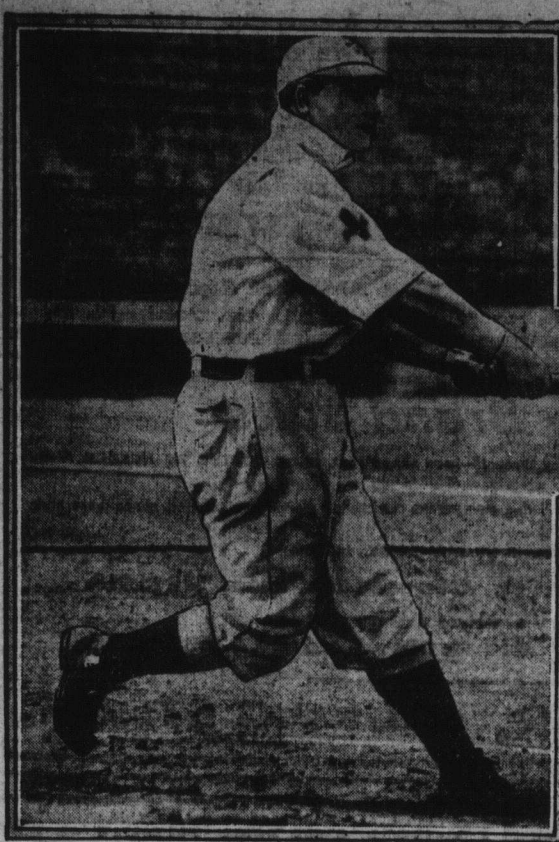


"HOBE" FERRIS, ARTIST IN HOME RUNS, HAS A PREFERENCE FOR PROVIDENCE CHOWDER



FERRIS, WHO HITS SOME FOR THE ST. LOUIS AMERICANS
PHOTO BY BILL & PALFREY

When "Hobe" Ferris was "second basing" for the Boston Americans three years ago—and the Bostonians were the banner boys of their organization—every now and then the account of a ball game would conclude: "And then Ferris walked to the plate, picked out one that suited him and rapped the ball far beyond the outfielders for a home run, winning for the home team."

"Hobe" does the same thing now and then since he has been with the

St. Louis Americans. He doesn't always happen to find just the right situation to win a game, but he frequently jars the ball with such force that nothing can stop its flight except a well regulated fence.

The other afternoon he hit one of those long, spread eagle drives for which he is famous, to the far side of American League Park.

"I like St. Louis pretty well," said the stocky built home run prodigy, "but I miss New England in summer. They don't have any clams out there, and say, when it comes to a chowder what's the use of talking about it? There's only one place where they make chowder, and that's Providence. I'll, where I vote when I'm home and hang up my Christmas stocking."

LAST NIGHT'S GAME WAS EXCITING; ST. JOSEPH'S OVERCAME A LEAD OF 4, SCORING 6 IN LAST

St. Johns came to getting St. Josephs between wind and water last evening, and to win out, the St. Josephs had to furnish the spectators with the season's most exciting game. St. Johns used Barrett up to three innings and Callaghan was put in to bat in the third and to pitch in the last.

With a quartette of runs to the good St. Johns handed St. Josephs a goose egg in the first and held a large lead until the last half of the last.

When St. Josephs came to the bat in the fourth they had a disadvantage of four runs to overcome, but they proved strong on the stretch and jammed in six runs before the game was called with only one out. It was a dazzling finish and one which put the "I told you so grin" upon the faces of the St. Josephs' backers.

1st Inning—St. Jos. 0; St. J. 4. Cregan stroled to first in the beginning on four of the divergent variety, and finished another, Koloher who followed him, singled to left as the first of his three hits, placing Cregan on third, and closing the gap on a steal. When Riley lost Conboy's fly, Cregan beat him with Koloher at his heels. The throwing left Conboy get to second, and when Simpson ran down second way to miss Doherty's gentle slap, Conboy landed on third. Doherty stole and scored while Breen struck out, but stayed on Daley's pretty hit into left, with Conboy as a pace maker. That made it four, but there was a cessation of the scoring. Kelly reached first at the expense of Daley's force out at second, Donnelly to Long. Cullinan had a hit to right direction, but after he and Kelly had reached third and second, McGuigan fanned. McGuigan had three strike-outs in the third inning. Koloher dropped the third strike on Long and Simpson, but got the men out at first. Small gained second on his own hit by nice footwork, and Britt was hit, but Burke was struck out.

2nd Inning—St. Johns, 5; St. Jos. 2. Cregan scored again for St. Johns in the second after singling safely. Koloher was declared out for interfering with Long between second and third. That player was trying to negotiate Conboy's grounder. Conboy made the second out when Long threw to Burke from Doherty's grounder. Daley fled out to Riley.

St. Josephs did their first scoring in the second. Riley who had reached third on the benefit of Daley's fumble, a steal and a passed ball scored on Barrett's nifty smash, which also brought Taylor home on a pretty sprint.

3rd Inning—St. Johns, 7; St. Jos. 4. Koloher's long two-bagger in the third made Kelly and Cullinan figure in the runs column, and brought the St. Johns' score up to seven.

St. Josephs also tallied twice in this inning, Simpson posting around from first on Breen's double-sacker, and Britt doing the other two stretches on Burke's two-bagger. Burke himself was nabbed beyond second.

4th Inning—St. Johns, 8; St. Jos. 10. St. Johns added their last run in the fourth and, with a lead of four, seemed to have the game clinched. Doherty brought in the rally after banging out a snapping two-bagger, advancing one on Breen's bunt, and starting the last stretch on Kelly's safe one over short.

Long started the batting and running burst which won St. Josephs' the game with a single to left. Simpson's single brought him home, and Small scored all the way from first. Simpson and Burke got home on Donnelly's two-bagger, the fifth of the game, and Riley came in with the winning run when Taylor hit safely to left. Donnelly also scored on the throw, but that was only rubbing it in.

St. Josephs.

AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Long, s. a.	..	3	1	1	1
Small, c. f.	..	3	1	2	0
Simpson, 1b.	..	3	2	1	2
Britt, r. f.	..	2	1	1	0
Burke, 3b.	..	3	1	2	3
Riley, l. f.	..	2	2	0	2
Donnelly, 2b.	..	3	1	2	1
Taylor, c.	..	3	1	2	3
Barrett, p.	..	1	0	1	0
Callaghan, p.	..	1	0	0	1
Totals	24	10	12	5	3

*Only one out when winning run was scored.

St. Johns.

AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cregan, 2b.	..	1	2	1	0
Koloher, c.	..	1	2	1	0
Conboy, 3b.	..	3	1	2	1
Doherty, c. f.	..	3	1	1	0
Breen, l. f.	..	2	0	1	0
Daley, s. s.	..	3	1	0	2
Kelly, 1b.	..	3	1	2	1
Cullinan, r. f.	..	3	1	0	0
McGuigan, p.	..	2	0	0	0
Totals	28	10	12	5	3

Summary:—Two-base hits—Koloher, Doherty, Small, Britt, Burke, Donnelly. Sacrifice hit—Breen. Double play—Riley to Donnelly. Hits—Off McGuigan in 4 innings—12; off Barrett in three innings; 8; off Callaghan in one inning; 2. At bat against McGuigan, 24; against Barrett, 18; against Callaghan, 4. Struck out by McGuigan, 3; (2 missed third strikes); by Barrett, 2; hit by McGuigan, Britt; by Barrett, Cregan, Wild Cullinan had a hit to right direction, but after he and Kelly had reached third and second, McGuigan fanned. McGuigan had three strike-outs in the third inning. Koloher dropped the third strike on Long and Simpson, but got the men out at first. Small gained second on his own hit by nice footwork, and Britt was hit, but Burke was struck out.

A welter-weight battle will be decided tonight at Hammond, Ind., between Dick Fitzpatrick and Jimmy Clabby.

Hugh McGann, who recently boxed pitch-Barrett, passed balls—Taylor, 3; Koloher, 3; Umpire, P. Carroll.

Kid McCoy is telling the Parisians that the bouts at his new club will be on the level. Sounds funny coming from McCoy. But then, they call him Kid.

Tex Rickard is back on his financial pins again, and intends going after some of the big title plums for Goldfield, Nev. There is a chance that he will secure the Johnson-Kaufman fight.

The manslaughter threats indulged in by the press agents of Jeffries and Jack Johnson are distinctly injurious to the sport. Even the bitterness brought out no such expressions.

Jimmy Gardner is reported to have broken down and will be forced to remain quiet for some time to come. Illness in his family was the direct cause of the trouble which was so severe that he was begged to call off his fight with Quill.

Prof. Jimmy Kelly, who died at Chicago Sunday, was well known throughout New England as the trainer of mysterious Billy Smith, Billy Hen-

NEW WORLD'S CAR RECORD FOR 25 MILES

Readville, Mass., June 17.—Average of 56 seconds for each 25 circuits of the one mile Readville track today. Ralph de Palma, driving a sixty horse power Fiat car, set up a new world's record for 25 miles, the finish flag being dropped 23 minutes and 35 seconds after it had been waved for the start. De Palma's new record displaces the mark of 23 minutes, 38.5 seconds made by Barney Oldfield at Fresno, Cal., December 13, 1904.

The events were part of the annual race meeting of the Bay State Automobile Association, eight races being run off.

De Palma's record performance gave him first place in the race for the Harvard trophy, and enabled him to pocket \$500 accompanying the cup. In this event, L. B. Lottimer of Worcester was one mile behind, in a Chalmers Detroit car, following De Palma throughout the race. The latter in a race for the Automobile Club Trophy, won by a margin of 15 seconds, finished first in 9 minutes, 46.1 seconds.

neasy, Eddie Connolly, Mike Sears and other pugilists. After leaving Boston he was in the hotel business with Smith at Portland, Ore.

Two complete cards at the Armory Club next Tuesday consist of the eight-round and one 12-round bouts. In the opener Young McGregor of Roxbury meets Angus McDougall of South Boston. The semi-final introduces Walter Willoughby, the wrestler and boxer, who meets Andrew Morris, the East Boston heavyweight. The final bout is between Sandy Ferguson of Chelsea and Joe Jeanette of New York.

Speaking of the coming Ketchel-Papke fight, Tom Jones, former name of Papke says: "Ketchel is a great boxer all right, but if Stanley Ketchel makes 155 pounds for the Illinois boy will beat Ketchel just sure as they enter the ring. I am confident although I am not manager of Papke now, that Billy is the greatest fighter that ever lived at 155 pounds. I was talking with Ketchel and he told me that he would not make weight for Papke. I consider that Ketchel is afraid of Papke from what he said to me."

Catcher Simon Pauts, the former University of Pennsylvania football and baseball player, has been sold by the Highlanders to Atlanta. Manager Stallings may release Pitcher Eustace Newton to Toronto.

Paul Cobb, the brother of Tyrus, will next try his luck with Fresno of the California league.

Charlie Marston, who signed Lajoie for his first engagement at \$100 a month, was at a game at Boston the other day, rooting hard for Cleveland to win.

On the same day that the San Francisco nine beat Oakland, 1 to 0, in 24 innings Portland and Sacramento played a 1-1 tie game of 18 innings.

ROSS CAN'T GO TO WINNIPEG. Pres. Lithgow, of the M. P. A. A. A., has received a wire from Secretary Crow, asking if Ross, Schaefer and McDonald can go to Winnipeg for the C. A. A. U. championships, and stating committee meets Tuesday. Mr. Lithgow has written Pres. Merrick, asking for a few days to reply, as he has no definite answer yet from McDonald and Schaefer.

Mr. Lithgow has a letter from Ross who is in Gaborus, C. B., expressing how pleased he would be to go, but his business engagements will not permit.

MONTREAL TUMBLES INTO FOURTH PLACE

American League
Boston, Mass., June 17.—Second game—Boston won the afternoon game easily, 6 to 1, Ryan out-pitching Smith; Chicago managed to score one run in the 9th inning, when the visitors filled the bases with no one out and Isbell scored on a sacrifice by Atz.

Boston . . . 00021021x-6 6 1
Chicago . . . 000000001-1 5 1

Batteries: Ryan and Carrigan; Smith and Sullivan; Payne. Time, 1.50. Umpires, Perrine and Evans.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 17.—Score: Philadelphia . . . 000000001-1 7 1
Detroit . . . 001002010-4 6 0

Batteries: Plank, Dyer, Coombs and Thomas; Summers and Stange. Time, 1.50. Umpires, Connolly and Hurn.

Washington, D. C., June 17.—Score: Washington . . . 10112-5 9 3
St. Louis . . . 00010-1 5 1

(Called end fifth, rain.)
Batteries: Groom and Street; Graham, Howell and Criger. Time, 1.05. Umpires, Egan and Sheridan.

New York, June 17.—Score: Cleveland . . . 30000000-3 8 1
New York . . . 000101000-2 9 0

Batteries: Berger and Bemis; Hughes, Warhop and Kellnow. Time, 1.58. Umpires: O'Loughlin and Kerin.

At Boston—Chicago 9; Boston, 2.
American League Standing

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	31	18 .633
Philadelphia	29	20 .574
New York	24	22 .522
Boston	24	24 .500
Cleveland	24	23 .511
Chicago	20	24 .455
St. Louis	20	28 .417
Washington	16	28 .364

National League
St. Louis, Mo., June 17.—Boston gave the St. Louis team hard work today, but Brennan's men managed to win by the score of 4 to 3. Lush pitched good ball except in the third inning, when he was hit hard. Boston supported White poorly. Score:

St. Louis . . . 1010002x-4 9 2
Boston . . . 003000000-3 8 0

Batteries: Lush and Phelps; White and Brown. Time—1.54. Umpires—Kane and Klem.

Chicago, Ill., June 17.—Score: Chicago . . . 00102000x-3 7 2
Brooklyn . . . 02000000-2 7 3

Batteries: Brown and Moran; Hunter and Bergen. Time—1.47. Umpires—Johnstone and Cusack.

National League Standing

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	35	13 .729
Philadelphia	33	18 .647
New York	24	20 .545
Cincinnati	27	24 .529
Philadelphia	22	23 .489
St. Louis	21	31 .404
Boston	12	32 .268
Brooklyn	17	31 .354

Eastern League
At Jersey City—Jersey City, 0; Buffalo, 3.
At Newark—Newark, 5; Montreal, 2.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; Toronto, 3 (called 7th, rain).
At Providence—Providence, 0; Providence, 0 (forfeited in 14th inning with score 1 to 1 because Manager Duffy, Providence, refused to leave the field when ordered to do so by umpire.)

Eastern League Standing

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Rochester	27	17 .614
Newark	22	21 .512
Buffalo	22	21 .512
Montreal	21	21 .500
New Haven	22	24 .479
Baltimore	22	24 .478
Providence	22	25 .466
Jersey City	19	25 .432

New England League
At Brockton—Brockton, 11; Worcester, 2.
At Haverhill—Lowell, 3; Haverhill, 0.
At Lynn—Afternoon game—Lynn, 5; Fall River, 2.
At Lawrence—Lawrence, 1; New Bedford, 0.

Connecticut League
At Hartford—Hartford, 4; New Britain, 1.
At Bridgeport—Bridgeport, 3; Waterbury, 1.
At Northampton—Northampton, 1; New Haven, 4.
At Springfield—Springfield, 4; Holyoke, 4. (called in 8th, darkness.)

QUITE COMFORTABLE.
(The Bills.)
A slater, who was engaged upon a roof of a house in Glasgow fell from the ladder and lay in an unconscious condition upon the pavement. One of the pedestrians in the street who rushed to the aid of the poor man, chanced to have a flask of spirits in his pocket, and to revive him, began to pour a little down his throat. "Can't you, mon, canny," said a man looking on, "or you'll choke him." The "unconscious" slater opened his eyes and said quietly: "Pour awa, mon, pour awa; ye're doin' fine."

YOUNG JOHNSON TO BOX MOIR.
London, June 17.—Articles have been signed by Gunner, Moir and Young Johnson to fight 20 rounds at catchweights for £100 a side and a percentage of the gate receipts. The fight will take place early next month.

Wild Duck in Captivity
Mr. Charles Elwell is the owner of an interesting family and one rarely seen in captivity. Mr. Elwell has had a number of tame wild ducks. One of these built a nest for herself and two days ago hatched out a brood of 25 young black ducks. The brood are lively as can be and apparently will thrive and come to maturity. Many have visited Mr. Elwell's premises at the Marsh Bridge to inspect this happy family.

St. John Clearing House.
Week Ending June 17, 1909, \$1,247,957
corresponding week last year \$1,100,225

MARINE NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN
Arrived, June 17.
S. S. Ada (Nor.), 689, Alaska, St. Johns, Nfld., P. C. Beatey, bal.
Sch. Romeo, 111, Whelpley, New Haven, Peter McIntyre, bal.
Coastwise: Schs. Lena, 50, Scott, Noel; Defender, 19, Crocker, Digby, and cld.

Arrived, June 16.
Stmr. Competitor, 2216, Whitby, from Civita Vecchia, Italy, W. Malcolm, Mackay, bal.
Cleared, June 17.
Sch. Quetay, Saunders, New Rochelle, N. Y., cargo lumber, loaded at Windsor and Weymouth.
Sch. Rewa, McLean, Stanington, Conn. A. Cushing and Co.

Coastwise: schrs. Francis, Gesner, Bridgewater, Blanche, Brown, Campello; Winnie Lawry (Am.), Smith, Dorchester. Sch. H. A. Holder, Rolf, Apple River; tug Springfield, Cook, Farraboro.

Canadian Ports.
Liverpool, N. S., June 17.—Arrived: Stmr. Minnie F. Moody, Kirby, Boston; S. S. Mersey, Hart, Vogler Cove; Sch. Ellen, Mary, Penny, Halifax.
Cleared:—S. S. D. Mann, Nickerson, Lockport; sch. Ellen, Mary, Penny, N. B. Harbor.

Parraboro, July 17.—Arrived—Stmr. Ravn, from Montreal; schs. Effort; Mayfield from Grand Manan; Gertie from Windsor; Cleared: Barges No. 7, St. John; stmr. Ravn from Portland.

St. Johns, N. F., June 17.—Arrived—Stmr. Siberian, Glasgow, via Liverpool for Halifax, N. S., and Philadelphia.

British Ports.
Southampton, June 16.—Arrived—Stmr. Oceanic, New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
Main Head, June 17.—Passed: Stmr. Manchester Shipper, Montreal for Manchester.

Avonmouth, June 16.—Arrived: Stmr. Cornishman, Montreal, via Liverpool. Glasgow, June 17.—Arrived—Stmr. Mongolian, Philadelphia via St. Johns, Newfoundland.

Foreign Ports.
Vineyard Haven, Mass., June 17.—Arrived: schrs. Abbie C. Stubbs, Weehawken for St. John, N. B.; Genetiere (Br.), Port Johnson for do.; H. Chase, Portland for New York; Henry D. May, Calais, for do.; Priscilla (Br.), Jacksonville to New York; Laura L. Sprague, do, for do.

Sailed: schrs. L. L. Hamline, from New York, Nantucket; Scotia Queen (Br.), from Five Islands, N. S., for New York; for doers.
Passed: Stmr. Nanna, (Nor.), New York for Hillsboro, N. B. Schrs. Geo. E. Walcott, Newport News for Boston; Hockietta A. Whittey, Stonington for New York; Chas. W. Church, Portland for a coal port.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 17.—Arrived: Schs. De Haven, New York, N. B.; Frank Brainerd, John, N. B.; Craig, Barren Island; Nellie W. Delaware Breakwater, Del. June 17. Passed: barkentine Mary Barry, Philadelphia for doers.
City Island, N. Y., June 17.—Bound South: Schrs. Freedom, Halifax, N. S.; Lilla B. Hirtle, Halifax, N. S.

Pond, Mass., June 17.—Arrived—Sailed—Stmr. Fram, (Nor.), Dalhousie, N. B.; North Star, New York. New York, N. Y., June 17.—Arrived—Schrs. Massachusetts, Charleston; Hucks, Sattler, Edwin, Kirwan, Cambridge; Chas. E. Wymann, Virginia; Mason, Norfolk; Abel W. Parker, North River.

Boston, Mass., June 17.—Arrived—Stmr. Lancaster (Br.), London; Nantucket, Norfolk; Prince Arthur (Br.) Yarmouth, N. S.; City of Bangor, Bangor, Governor, Dingley, Portland, Schrs. Stephen G. Lord, Savannah, Malcolm Baxter, Jr. Newport News, Annie Alnsale, South Amboy; Silver Star, Nantucket, N. S.

Sailed—Stmr. Quantic, Philadelphia; Prince George (Br.), Yarmouth, N. S.

Vessels in Port.
Steamers.
Mooris, 2460, R. Reford and Co., Pettingill wharf.
Tromberg, 1008, John E. Moore and Co. C. P. R. west.
Adra, 1804, Wm. Thomson and Co., F. R. R.
Ada, (Nor.), F. C. Beatey, No. 2 berth.
Competitor, 2216, W. Malcolm, McKay, C. P. R. berth.

Alhelm, 1142, Wm. Thomson and Co., Rodney wharf.
Schooners.
Annie A. Booth, 165, A. W. Adams, Gregory's wharf.
Cheslie, 295, G. E. Holder, Pettingill wharf.
Calabria, 530, J. Splane and Co., Gregory's wharf.
Georgia, 514, Jenkins, 398, master, Gregory's wharf.
Irma Bentley, 414, R. C. Elkin, Cushing's wharf.
Lucia, 109, The Carrille, Patterson Mfg. Co. McCarty's wharf.
Mansfield, 90, J. Splane and Co., L. A. Plummer, 336, in the stream.
Jennie N. Palmer, 248, Walker's wharf.
W. H. Watters, 120, master, Stetson's.
Winnie Lawry, 215, D. J. Purdy, Hilgard's wharf.
Abbie and Eva Hooper, 165, R. C. Elkin.
Lucia Porter, 284, P. McIntyre, Gregory's wharf.
Ethel, Market Slip.
L. M. Ellis, Market slip.
Constance, Market slip.
Lay Queen, Market slip.
Lone Star, Market Slip.
Linnie and Edna, Market Slip.
Ethel May, Market Slip.
Margaret, Market Slip.
Hustler, Market Slip.

Vessels Bound to St. John.
Steamers.
Merchant, Panambuco, May 26. Ramon de Larrinaga, Cardenas, May 24, for St. Jago.
Newport News, Para, May 26, for Boston and New York.

Charters.
British steamer 1383 tons, West India trade, one round trip, at about 2s. 7 1/2d. prompt; British steamer, 2350 tons, lumber, Mobile to Quebec, 470 tons, lumber, Belfast, Ga., to Philadelphia, private terms; Italian ship, 1649 tons, lumber, Gulf to Bahia Blanca, \$12.25; Norwegian

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PROBATE COURT.
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN.
WHEREAS the Executor and Trustee of the estate of WILLIAM J. MURPHY, deceased, has filed in this court an account of his administration of the said estate and has prayed that the said account be passed and allowed in due form of law.

You are therefore required to cite the devisees and legatees of the said deceased and all of the creditors of the said deceased and all of the creditors of the said deceased to appear before me at the Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court room in the Registry Building in the City of Saint John, on Monday the twenty-eighth day of June next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and there to attend the passing and allowing of the said account as prayed for and as by law directed.

(Signed) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Judge of Probate.
W. H. Harrison, Proctor. 2-10-17.

PROBATE COURT
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN.
To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Constable of the said City and County—Greeting:
WHEREAS the Executor of the estate of JOHN R. MURPHY, of the Borough of Warren, in the County of Saint John, of the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States of America, deceased, has filed in this Court an account of his administration of the said deceased's estate within the Province of New Brunswick, and have prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of law, and distribution of the said estate directed according to the terms of the last Will and Testament of the said JOHN R. MURPHY deceased.

You are therefore required to cite the devisees and legatees of the said deceased and all of the creditors of the said deceased to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court room in the Registry Building in the City of Saint John, on Monday the second day of July next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and there to attend the passing and allowing of the said account, and the distribution of the said estate as prayed for and as by law directed.

(Signed) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Judge of Probate.
(Signed) H. O. FORBES, Registrar of Probate.
(Signed) HOMER D. FORBES, Proctor. 18-25-2-9-16-22.

"BOBBY" KERR WAS IN POOR SHAPE WHEN BEATEN BY WALKER
It is a pity that "Bobby" Kerr could not have met Walker, the famous African sprinter in Canada, before tackling him in England. People here about who follow athletics would like to see the great Hamilton runner in a race with somebody capable of making him put forth his best efforts.

Foremost Canadian Sprinter.
There is no sprinter in Canada any way within two yards of Kerr, either in the 100 or 220, and he has always been a foregone conclusion that he would win when competing at any meet. In the Olympic champion, Kerr will meet probably the classiest short distance man in the world and if he manages to retain his English championship at both the 100 and 220 his friends will be greatly elated.

Kerr is Confident.
Kerr is firmly of the opinion that he can beat Walker despite the phenomenal running that the latter has been doing the past year. He points out that he had three hard tussles one after another in the 100 and 220, and that he entered the race comparatively fresh. He had not considered Walker as the dangerous man and confined all his attention to Kestor, and as a consequence Walker's great burst at the end came as a surprise. Although Kerr was placed third, he along with a few other Canadians, believe that on the part of the American people of \$7,500,000 annually for seed alone.

N. Y. Tribune.
The export of canary birds to the United States from this district during the year 1908 amounted in value to \$130,355, writes Consul Thompson, at Hanover, "against \$136,355 in 1907. It is estimated that there are not less than five million caged birds in the United States. The ordinary house canary will eat twenty-five pounds of seed a year, which represents a cost for each bird of \$1.50. It will be seen that this luxury represents an outlay on the part of the American people of \$7,500,000 annually for seed alone."

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