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"HAMMERING HERMAN" TAKES KINDLY TO DETROIT OFFERINGS

RUTH NOW SIX
DAYS AHEAD OF
RECORD YEAR

'Cube' Root Hurls Cubs to Victory Over Giants

NEW YORK, June 9.—George Herman Ruth, called Babe by his admirers, may well thank Ty Cobb and the Detroit Tigers for being a part of the American League.

Five years ago, just about this time, "Hammering Herman" made known to the baseball world that he was aiming all shots at the far fences that a new home run record might be established. There were skeptics, but most of them were converted after that first series in Detroit.

On June 11 he found Middleton for a four base blow, and the next day he straightened out a Sutherland offering. But the great burst of speed was to come. Howard Ehmke, then a Tiger of renown, did mound duty for Cobb on June 13, and suffered two home run knocks at the hands of the new champion. And the same fate befell George Daus, the next afternoon.

Yesterday Ruth once again opened up on the Detroit hurlers, for this year he seeks another record, and the two homers he tore from the service of Stoner and Holloway, placed him six days ahead of his 1921 effort.

Ruth's eleven hitting home runs gave the Yankees a victory over Detroit 11 to 9. Unexpectedly strong contention developed in the western corners of the circuit, as the long battle through the heat of July and August.

Chicago, after several seasons of reverses, seems determined to land somewhere. The White Sox, fighting the Mackmen desperately for second position sent Urban Faber to the lists against Lefty Grove yesterday and won 3 to 0. At the same time Charley (Cube) Root, of the Cubs turned back the New York Giants with six safeties and captured the verdict 2 to 1. The Cubs are battling Pittsburgh for second place in the present.

Cincinnati, which holds the National leadership at present, went down before the Boston Braves for the fourth straight time, 8 to 0. The Braves, who were leading the league in the running by defeating Brooklyn, 4 to 0.

After Washington had tied the score in the ninth inning, Cleveland came through to win 14 to 1, 5 to 4. Boston errors gave the St. Louis Browns a verdict 4 to 0.

Permanent Force Has Opening Shoot
The M. D. No. 7 Permanent Force Rifle Association got away to a good start in their D. C. R. A. matches on the local range yesterday afternoon.

The weather did not help matters at the start of the shoot but finally developed into a very good afternoon. The wind was from the west, blowing in the range at times causing changes of two or three minutes between shots.

Major E. J. Mooney acted as range officer for this match in a very efficient manner. In conjunction with these matches the association held its regular open shoot, the winners of spoons being: "A" class, S. Sgt. G. L. Landry, who also won a special spoon for a score of 100; "B" class, A. Sgt. D. H. Brown, and "C" class, A. Sgt. R. Mitchell.

S. Sgt. Weatherall graduated into "A" class and A. Sgt. Mitchell into "B" class.

ROVERS WON
The Saint John Rovers motored to Torriburn last evening and defeated the Torriburn team 10-7. The batteries for the Rovers were George Kelly and Walter Scott, for Torriburn, C. McVail and Marney. The feature of the game was the hitting of the Rovers. The Rovers will play Torriburn again on Wednesday, June 16.

Score by innings:
Torriburn 1 0 3 1 2—7
Saint John Rovers 8 1 9—19
The Rovers wish to thank Mr. Mason for the drive in and out.

JOHNNY IS WINNER
Johnny McIntyre, former light and welterweight champion of the Maritime Provinces, added to his list of victories by winning over Pinky Burns at Providence recently. Johnny was too clever for his Providence opponent. The fourth was a hard session for Burns. In this round Johnny started a rally that forced his opponent to the ropes with the bell coming to his rescue.

McIntyre is soon to meet Lou Kid Lewis, the Montreal and Jamestown N. Y. welter, and Sailor Darden, world's colored welter champion and recent conqueror of Willie Harmon, in coming bouts.

Bald Men Grow Hair
Surprising reports are coming from men who were bald or losing hair and who acquired a new, vigorous growth by using a peculiar compound known as "The Hair Grower." The compound is a potent hair restorer. Four inches of hair have grown over what was a bald spot, in the report of G. W. Mitchell. "I had a large bald spot and real, healthy hair had developed all over my head," writes G. P. Heiler. "Imagine the enthusiasm of my hair. I was as bald as the bottom of a bucket and now I have a good growth of hair." Gen. M. S. of the U. S. Army, who even with a second application of the compound his hair stopped falling, then a new growth started.

Anyone who is losing hair, or is bald, can obtain a proof box of this compound from duty and picky at the by writing to Kofalo Office, R-18, Station L, New York.

Fitzgerald Brothers Battery Shows Up Well In St. Rose's Win

Along The Sport Trail

By JOHN J. DUNLOP
THE BIG LEAGUE RACES

A MERRY BATTLE for leadership is being staged in both the major leagues these days with the chief interest centered on the drive of the Pirates and Athletics. Somehow the fans have a sneaking idea that despite the great work of the Yankees, it will be these two teams that will settle the world series dispute. Slowly but surely the hitting which enabled the Yankees to obtain a firm hold upon first place in the American League is diminishing in volume. Instead of consistently heavy hitting, the Yankees now do their hitting in spurts only and the periods when they make only 5 to 10 hits instead of their customary 10 to 20 are growing more and more frequent. Fans can ordinarily tell the strong pennant contender by its steady pace over a long period of time. It moves towards the top with an even pace, winning three-fourths of its games without any obvious losing runs. Although the Athletics have attained second place they are still far below their normal hitting capabilities. New York in its turn, is very weak on the fielding end, ranking last in that particular phase of the game in the league. Philadelphia's pitching is on a par with any in the major leagues and it is gaining every day in hitting as fast as the Yankees are losing, which may supply the Athletics with the needed balance to pass the Huggins' organization.

HAWAII is to be represented in the marble tourney at Atlantic City. Francis Kau, 14, a Chinese boy, has decisively defeated all the knuckle artists on the island and his friends are backing his trip.

ONE of the old guard of rowing coaches in the United States, a former New Brunswick, "Dad" Vail, has his crew from Wisconsin University at Poughkeepsie for the regatta there this month and old timers will be wishing him luck. Facilities at Wisconsin are none too good for rowing and the variety crew was glad to reach better quarters. In an interview in the New York papers, Vail declined to comment on his chances. His presence there, along with several of the other old coaches, was in striking contrast to the youthful appearance of other coaches from some of the big universities and caused some of the writers to lament over the changed order. One writer, in his comment says:

"The old order in rowing grew from the ranks of the professional carmen who fourished one day in this country and in Canada. That old order produced Charles Courtney and Jim Rice and Joe Wright, and, in a measure, old Dick Glendon. It also produced Jim Ten Eyck, who still remains along with Dad Vail of Wisconsin, the last of the Old Guard in the coaching ranks. The service that these men did for rowing in this country cannot be over-estimated. When their active rowing days were over, they turned to the colleges and, as college coaches, they established the present rowing age."

A LIGHTED MATCH or cigarette dropped through the grandstand of the San Francisco ball park started a fire that did \$200,000 damage and gave the firemen the biggest scare in 20 years.

PAUL IS LEADING HITTER SOUTH END

Royal's Star Has Mark of .583
—Dalton Leading Twirlers
—Other Marks

Averages for the South End League, not including last night's game between the Royals and Saint John the Baptist, released by Scorer Watling, show Paul, Royal's star, leading the league with .583. "Tack" Dalton is the leading pitcher. Other marks are:

Games, A.B. H. P.C.
Paul, R. 12 7 383
Roberts, N. 7 4 371
Baxter, C. 4 14 7 300
Ferryweather, M. 11 5 459
Joyce, M. 3 9 444
Dalton, St. J. B. 2 7 3 428
Williams, C. 3 2 428
Saunders, R. 3 10 400
Gilles, St. J. B. 2 5 400
Nixon, St. J. B. 3 8 373
Griffin, C. 3 13 4 307

TEAM BATTING
A.B. Hits. P.C.
Martellos 86 26 279
Nationals 67 18 269
St. John the Bap. 13 13 282
Royals 88 20 227
Crescents 177 26 222

Most Hits—Paul, R., and Baxter, C., with 7 each.
Most Runs—Harper, R., with 4.
Most Stolen Bases—Wittich, N., with 4.
Dalton, of the St. John the Baptist, is leading the pitchers with 2 wins and no losses.

LEAGUE STANDING
(To date.)
Won. Lost. P.C.
St. John the Bap. 2 1 666
Martellos 2 1 666
Nationals 1 1 300
Royals 2 2 300
Crescents 1 3 250

GAMES TONIGHT
City League
Water Dept. vs. Trojans, North End.
City and County
Shamrocks vs. St. Peter's, East End.
Imperial vs. St. Peter's, South End.

WILL PERFORM IN MONCTON.
MONCTON, June 8.—John C. Miles, of Sydney Mines, winner of the Boston Marathon in record-breaking time, will race here in August at the Maritime track and field championships which are to be held in the city, according to word received here this afternoon. The champion signified his intention of running in a letter to the secretary of the Y. M. C. A., under whose auspices the meet is to be conducted on the M. A. A. field here.

TO GOOD START.
The Intermediate Baseball League got away to a good start last evening when St. John the Baptist took the Y. M. C. A. into camp, 13 to 9. The game was interesting and went seven innings.

The league is managed by Frank Garfield, well known speed skater and athlete. Last night's game was played on the North End diamond.

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Helpful Hints

By
Golfing Stars

By CECIL LEITCH.

THERE are women players who go up to the ball and putt without any hesitancy. The results are so good at times that it makes the ordinary mortal wonder whether she ought to adopt a similar casual manner, but in the long run a strong combination of determination and concentration on the green will reap its reward. Speaking of my own experiences I am convinced that my mind is not on the task in hand half the time. I am endowed with a particularly keen sense of hearing and, when playing before a crowd, I constantly find myself listening to whispered remarks when I should be concentrating to an extent which would make this eaves-dropping impossible. I am constantly asked why I do not learn to putt, but few people realize how difficult it is to practice this part of the game. To my mind there is nothing simpler than to put approach putts stone dead and hole out with regularity from a reasonable distance when nothing is dependent upon the result.

It is a very different story in an important event, for then the yard putt is doubly difficult and the long approach putts become terrifying.

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MILES WILL MOVE TO U. S. SHORTLY

Father Admits Tempting Inducements to Sydney Mines Runner

Canadian Press Despatch.
SYDNEY MINES, N. S., June 8.—John C. Miles, of Sydney Mines, famous since his sensational capture of the Boston Marathon race last April, and his parents will take up their residence shortly in the United States. It was in United States was under consideration.

John will complete his 10-mile race next Saturday.

Mr. Miles said that while it had not been definitely decided to leave Canada, negotiations were in progress of "tempting inducements" and admitted that his family's removal to the United States was under consideration. He would be in a better position to make a definite announcement when he returned from the present trip, he said.

SOFTBALL LEAGUE.
An exhibition game was played between the Vets and Ludlow teams on the West Side playgrounds last evening when the Vets won by a score of 1 to 0. Due to causes the league opening has been postponed to a later period, the date of which will be announced through the press later in the week. Last night the batteries were: For the Vets, Hart and Penland, and for Ludlow, G. Belyea and Marr.

How They Stand
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Won. Lost. P.C.
Cincinnati 29 20 592
Pittsburgh 25 21 543
St. Louis 26 25 510
New York 25 26 490
Boston 18 27 411
Philadelphia 17 29 370

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Two Home Runs
New York 81210002002—11 8 3
Detroit 10030103100—9 14 2
Batteries—Thomas, Jones, Hoyt and P. Collins; Stoner, W. Collins, Holloway and Manion, Woodall.

St. Louis Beats Boston 6-5
Boston 000200201—5 11 4
St. Louis 40100100—9 8 3
Batteries—White, Wingfield, Russell and Gaston; Zachary and Dixon.

Cleveland Beats Washington 4-1
Washington 00020002—4 9 2
Cleveland 20020001—5 10 2
Batteries—Ogden, Morrell, Ferguson, Mackery and Ruel; Severide, Levens and L. Sewell.

Chicago Beats Philadelphia 1-0
Philadelphia 00000000—0 6 0
Chicago 00000000—1 7 0
Batteries—Groves and Cochran; Fisher and Schallie.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Newark—R.H.E.
Toronto 00050000—10 11 1
Newark 10060000—7 10 3
Batteries—Hubbell, Satterfield and O'Neill; Chesterfield, Schroeder and Schulte.

Second game—R.H.E.
Toronto 0500100—6 12 0
Newark 0003000—3 4 0
Batteries—Pannell and Styles; Twombly, Smallwood and Schulte, Wilson.

At Reading—R.H.E.
Rochester 200122410—12 14 1
Reading 00020021—8 13 3
Batteries—Weaver, Karp, Moore and Devine; A. Jacobs, Zellars and Lynne.

Second game—R.H.E.
Rochester 0121001—5 8 1
Reading 0002002—4 9 2
Batteries—Behan, Howe and Head; Marquis and Lynn.

At Baltimore—R.H.E.
Syracuse 101100100—7 9 1
Baltimore 010310012—8 11 2
Batteries—Dickerman and Niebergall; Parnham, Ogden and McKee.

At Jersey City—R.H.E.
Jersey City 100001000—2 10 1
Buffalo 000000001—1 4 0
Batteries—Koupal and Pond; Moss and Pretis.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At St. Paul—R.H.E.
Kansas City 0000000—4 10 2
St. Paul 0000000—0 6 2
Batteries—Zinn and Snyder; Johnson, Piggars and Hoffman.

At Milwaukee—R.H.E.
Milwaukee 0000000—0 4 2
Milwaukee 0000000—2 7 1
Batteries—Benton and Sukeroff; Zedlman and McConney.

INTERMEDIATE HURLERS STAR IN SENIOR GAME

Royals Down Old-Time Rivals in South End Contest

"CHARLEY" Fitzgerald, younger son of Manager "Doc" Fitzgerald of the St. Rose's, and brother of the Saints' catcher, Freddie, won his senior sports last evening in a brilliant pitching duel with Burgess, St. Peter's fine little hurler, by winning his game, 3 to 2 after nine innings of one of the best games of the year in the County League on St. Peter's Park.

The battery of brothers turned in a class exhibition, and those who saw young Fitzgerald in action have little hesitation in predicting that "Fitzgerald and Fitzgerald" as a battery will make a name for itself in local baseball history. The youngsters played last year with the intermediates on the same team as did Burgess, who held the St. Rose's to one hit on the opening day and the battle for honors last evening between the former teammates was a corker. Loose support by the St. Peter's gave Burgess several trying moments.

In the other senior game last evening, those old time rivals, Royals and Saint John the Baptist clashed on the South End grounds, the colored boys winning 10 to 7.

The City League game between the Trojans and Saint John's was postponed on account of wet grounds. Tonight the Water Department and Trojans will play. Eddie Sparks, star catcher of last year's Water Department team, is back in town, but amateur authorities said last night that he would not be given a card until they were satisfied that he was within the residence clause.

A meeting of the City and County League executive was held last evening with the president, Thomas Nagle, in the chair. An arbitration board was appointed to look after possible disputes. D. J. Corr, James Doherty and William Murphy are the members.

ST. ROSE'S WIN
St. Rose's defeated St. Peter's before a good sized crowd at St. Peter's park last evening in a nine-inning contest by a score of 3 to 2. The game was very interesting all through. Both pitchers worked well, Fitzgerald holding the St. Peter's to six hits and fanning ten; Burgess kept the Royals leaders to five hits and striking out nine.

St. Rose's opened proceedings by scoring twice in the first session. Con went to third on Burgess' grounder, Fitzgerald stole second and reached the plate on O'Toole's double to tie the score.

The summary:
St. Rose's—A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
Conlon, H. 4 1 1 0 0 0
Nelson, H. 5 0 2 1 0 0
St. Peter's, St. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Fitzgerald, C. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Burgess, B. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Doherty, B. 3 0 1 2 3 0
O'Toole, B. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Logan, R. 3 0 0 1 0 0
Pox, B. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Geary, R. 1 0 0 0 0 0
38 3 5 27 10 2

St. Peter's—A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
O'Connor, B. 5 0 0 0 0 0
Dew, C. 4 0 0 0 0 0
McCain, B. 5 1 1 1 0 0
A. Morris, H. 3 0 0 0 0 0
P. Morris, C. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Howard, B. 4 0 2 1 2 1
White, S. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Stevens, R. 2 0 0 1 0 1
Burgess, B. 4 0 0 0 0 1
33 2 6 27 14 7

Score by innings—
St. Rose's 2 0 0 1 0 0 0—3
St. Peter's 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2

Summary—Two base hit, Conlon, O'Toole, Howard, Doherty, Earned runs, St. Peter's, 1. Stolen bases, F. Fitzgerald, Dewar, A. Morris, O'Toole, Rogers, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, 10b, 11b, 12b, 13b, 14b, 15b, 16b, 17b, 18b, 19b, 20b, 21b, 22b, 23b, 24b, 25b, 26b, 27b, 28b, 29b, 30b, 31b, 32b, 33b, 34b, 35b, 36b, 37b, 38b, 39b, 40b, 41b, 42b, 43b, 44b, 45b, 46b, 47b, 48b, 49b, 50b, 51b, 52b, 53b, 54b, 55b, 56b, 57b, 58b, 59b, 60b, 61b, 62b, 63b, 64b, 65b, 66b, 67b, 68b, 69b, 70b, 71b, 72b, 73b, 74b, 75b, 76b, 77b, 78b, 79b, 80b, 81b, 82b, 83b, 84b, 85b, 86b, 87b, 88b, 89b, 90b, 91b, 92b, 93b, 94b, 95b, 96b, 97b, 98b, 99b, 100b, 101b, 102b, 103b, 104b, 105b, 106b, 107b, 108b, 109b, 110b, 111b, 112b, 113b, 114b, 115b, 116b, 117b, 118b, 119b, 120b, 121b, 122b, 123b, 124b, 125b, 126b, 127b, 128b, 129b, 130b, 131b, 132b, 133b, 134b, 135b, 136b, 137b, 138b, 139b, 140b, 141b, 142b, 143b, 144b, 145b, 146b, 147b, 148b, 149b, 150b, 151b, 152b, 153b, 154b, 155b, 156b, 157b, 158b, 159b, 160b, 161b, 162b, 163b, 164b, 165b, 166b, 167b, 168b, 169b, 170b, 171b, 172b, 173b, 174b, 175b, 176b, 177b, 178b, 179b, 180b, 181b, 182b, 183b, 184b, 185b, 186b, 187b, 188b, 189b, 190b, 191b, 192b, 193b, 194b, 195b, 196b, 197b, 198b, 199b, 200b, 201b, 202b, 203b, 204b, 205b, 206b, 207b, 208b, 209b, 210b, 211b, 212b, 213b, 214b, 215b, 216b, 217b, 218b, 219b, 220b, 221b, 222b, 223b, 224b, 225b, 226b, 227b, 228b, 229b, 230b, 231b, 232b, 233b, 234b, 235b, 236b, 237b, 238b, 239b, 240b, 241b, 242b, 243b, 244b, 245b, 246b, 247b, 248b, 249b, 250b, 251b, 252b, 253b, 254b, 255b, 256b, 257b, 258b, 259b, 260b, 261b, 262b, 263b, 264b, 265b, 266b, 267b, 268b, 269b, 270b, 271b, 272b, 273b, 274b, 275b, 276b, 277b, 278b, 279b, 280b, 281b, 282b, 283b, 284b, 285b, 286b, 287b, 288b, 289b, 290b, 291b, 292b, 293b, 294b, 295b, 296b, 297b, 298b, 299b, 300b, 301b, 302b, 303b, 304b, 305b, 306b, 307b, 308b, 309b, 310b, 311b, 312b, 313b, 314b, 315b, 316b, 317b, 318b, 319b, 320b, 321b, 322b, 323b, 324b, 325b, 326b, 327b, 328b, 329b, 330b, 331b, 332b, 333b, 334b, 335b, 336b, 337b, 338b, 339b, 340b, 341b, 342b, 343b, 344b, 345b, 346b, 347b, 348b, 349b, 350b, 351b, 352b, 353b, 354b, 355b, 356b, 357b, 358b, 359b, 360b, 361b, 362b, 363b, 364b, 365b, 366b, 367b, 368b, 369b, 370b, 371b, 372b, 373b, 374b, 375b, 376b, 377b, 378b, 379b, 380b, 381b, 382b, 383b, 384b, 385b, 386b, 387b, 388b, 389b, 390b, 391b, 392b, 393b, 394b, 395b, 396b, 397b, 398b, 399b, 400b, 401b, 402b, 403b, 404b, 405b, 406b, 407b, 408b, 409b, 410b, 411b, 412b, 413b, 414b, 415b, 416b, 417b, 418b, 419b, 420b, 421b, 422b, 423b, 424b, 425b, 426b, 427b, 428b, 429b, 430b, 431b, 432b, 433b, 434b, 435b, 436b, 437b, 438b, 439b, 440b, 441b, 442b, 443b, 444b, 445b, 446b, 447b, 448b, 449b, 450b, 451b, 452b, 453b, 454b, 455b, 456b, 457b, 458b, 459b, 460b, 461b, 462b, 463b, 464b, 465b, 466b, 467b, 468b, 469b, 470b, 471b, 472b, 473b, 474b, 475b, 476b, 477b, 478b, 479b, 480b, 481b, 482b, 483b, 484b, 485b, 486b, 487b, 488b, 489b, 490b, 491b, 492b, 493b, 494b, 495b, 496b, 497b, 498b, 499b, 500b, 501b, 502b, 503b, 504b, 505b, 506b, 507b, 508b, 509b, 510b, 511b, 512b, 513b, 514b, 515b, 516b, 517b, 518b, 519b, 520b, 521b, 522b, 523b, 524b, 525b, 526b, 527b, 528b, 529b, 530b, 531b, 532b, 533b, 534b, 535b, 536b, 537b, 538b, 539b, 540b, 541b, 542b, 543b, 544b, 545b, 546b, 547b, 548b, 549b, 550b, 551b, 552b, 553b, 554b, 555b, 556b, 557b, 558b, 559b, 560b, 561b, 562b, 563b, 564b, 565b, 566b, 567b, 568b, 569b, 570b, 571b, 572b, 573b, 574b, 575b, 576b, 577b, 578b, 579b, 580b, 581b, 582b, 583b, 584b, 585b, 586b, 587b, 588b, 589b, 590b, 591b, 592b, 593b, 594b, 595b, 596b, 597b, 598b, 599b, 600b, 601b, 602b, 603b, 604b, 605b, 606b, 607b, 608b, 609b, 610b, 611b, 612b, 613b, 614b, 615b, 616b, 617b, 618b, 619b, 620b, 621b, 622b, 623b, 624b, 625b, 626b, 627b, 628b, 629b, 630b, 631b, 632b, 633b, 634b, 635b, 636b, 637b, 638b, 639b, 640b, 641b, 642b, 643b, 644b, 645b, 646b, 647b, 648b, 649b, 650b, 651b, 652b, 653b, 654b, 655b, 656b, 657b, 658b, 659b, 660b, 661b, 662b, 663b, 664b, 665b, 666b, 667b, 668b, 669b, 670b, 671b, 672b, 673b, 674b, 675b, 676b, 677b, 678b, 679b, 680b, 681b, 682b, 683b, 684b, 685b, 686b, 687b, 688b, 689b, 690b, 691b, 692b, 693b,