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ROGERS HORNSBY HAS BEEN SUED FOR DIVORCE

Defendant Gives General Denial to Charges—Hornsby Mentioned in Former Action.

St. Louis, June 13—Mrs. Sarah E. Hornsby wife of Rogers Hornsby second baseman for the St. Louis Nationals today filed suit for divorce charging general indignities. The ball player entered a general denial for the charges.

In her petition Mrs. Hornsby declared that she was married to the champion batsman of the National League in Philadelphia Sept. 23, 1918 and separated from him in St. Louis, Dec. 27, 1922.

Mrs. Hornsby said she separated from her husband after she had "learned what was going on" intimating that the suit for divorce would be associated with a hearing on the divorce case of Mrs. Jeanette Pennington Hine, 23 years old a sales woman.

Hornsby's name was mentioned as the author of a love letter to Mrs. Hine in an action brought by the latter's husband an automobile salesman, several weeks ago to have a divorce granted Mrs. Hine set aside. Hornsby denied knowledge of the note.

The item doesn't state, but it is inferred that the army of caterpillars that delayed a passenger train in Aregon, ran it down.

MILE RUNNERS LONG TIME IN DEVELOPMENT

"Trotting horses" says an exchange "have been bred and developed so that the record for a mile has been clipped from 3 minutes to 1.58 in only 100 years In that same length of time only a few seconds have been clipped from the mile run by the human race. The human race however had been developing runners for some 2000 or more years. The old Greek record was probably under 4.30. Yet the number of records that have fallen in the last 10 years in field and track would fill a book. Just when the human runner will be due for a mile in 4.10 is another guess. But he is on his way.

CY WILLIAMS EASY GOING

Cy Williams the present kleagle of Klout, not only carries the wallop but also the temperament to give Ruth a dizzy spin down the highway. Cy is a happy hearted individual who hews to the right field line and lets the home runs fall where they may. He takes his cut at the ball and lets it go at that, neither brooding over failure nor straining for effect. He will hardly beat the Babes record of 59 but neither will the Babe.

Every gardener knows that you can't keep a good bean down.

EASTERN HARNESS RACE GOSSIP; WHAT IS HAPPENING ON TRACKS IN NEW ENGLAND

Al Standish does the starting at Combination.

Racing on the Charles River Speedway tomorrow.

The pacer Dr. Todd 2.10 winning out in Ohio is blind.

Ben White has moved his stable from Lexington to North Randall.

Lee Worthy 2.03½ worked in 2.13 before being shipped from Kentucky.

Arion Guy 1.59½ is still at Lexington, Ky. Bob Grady is training him.

Bogalusa 2.06½ has matineed in 2.12 with owner Walter T. Chandler driving.

The death of Peter Tarbell takes a real stake trotter out of the Good Time Stable.

Earl Jr. 2.01½ is in training at the Bangor track for his guideless wonder stunts.

Mr. L. E. Goss of Freedom, N. H. has bred Dolly Frisco 2.16½ to Nelson Dillon 2.05½.

Harry Fleming plans to open his campaign with the Hillanddale Farm horses at Readville.

The yearling sister to Abbedale 2.01½ is a trotter and has shown an eighth in 20 seconds.

Etta Smith 2.11½ the 2 year old half sister to Lee Worthy 2.03½ is lame and out of training.

Emilly Ellen, 2.09½ dam of Brusiloff, 2.04½ and Day Star 2.05 has been bred to Peter Volo 2.02.

Fred Pickle leaves his home training ground at Newport, Vt. for Medford with a dozen head.

Lon McDonald has been in 2.13½ with Taurida and in 2.15 with his futurity 3 year old The Senator.

The Australian bred pacer Happy Voyage lately set the New Zealand pacing record at 2.04½.

Alice Ford 2.11½ owned by George McKinney of Brighton has a colt at foot by Peter The Great, 2.07½.

"Wat" Cleveland is at the Goshen halfmile track with the horses owned by A. Albright Jr of Newark, N. J. Dan King is at Lexington, Ky. with half a dozen youngsters from Thomas Taggart's French Lick, Ind. farm.

Ed Geers and Sanardo were rained out of their first engagement off the season, at Toronto on the King's birthday.

Cegantle Boy 2.14½ winner of the Philadelphia horse dealers sweepstakes last week won second money in the event a year ago.

Geers plans to race Sanardo 1.59½ as a trotter next year. The San Francisco gelding showed the Grand Old Man a mile in 2.06½ last Fall.

The season record at Lexington, Ky. is 2.07½ made by Anna Bradford's Girl the 3 year old pacer Ben White is training for Fred F. Field of Brockton.

Two of the feared pacing stake candidates have faded from the picture Iskander is lame and Gamey the Great in two starts has failed to come through.

Ed Allen worked Single G., 1.50

ADDITION TO FREDERICTON BALL CLUB

Definite word that neither Joe Sepka, Southpaw pitcher, nor Dan Sylvestor, outfielder and catcher, will report to the Fredericton club, who had been dickering for their service, was received here last night. Both had been expected this week.

Manager Joe Ford has, however, signed Les Andrews, who pitched for his Newburyport, Mass., club last season and who made one trip to New Brunswick last year. Transportation was sent last evening to Andrews but he cannot report here before next week.

Bennie Smith, who left the ball park last evening when he was pulled out of the game by Manager Joe Ford for disregarding instructions at the bat will continue with the Fredericton club it was stated last night.

HUSSEY EASILY DEVELOPED AS SPIRIT PHENOM

Frank Hussey, the New York schoolboy who is the sensation of the hour in track athletics was discovered and developed by Albert E. Collins one of the regular instructors connected with the New York schools. Collins knows his book in his judicious handling of Hussey by minimizing the amount of his competition.

BASEBALL LAST EVENING

St. John, June 14—St. Peter's and Quincy battled nine innings last evening to a 4-4 tie under ideal football conditions, as the breeze which blew across the field seemed to come straight from the Arctic regions. A large crowd of fans witnessed the contest and, under less frigid conditions would have been aroused to greater enthusiasm as the locals endeavored to battle their way to a tie with Fredericton for the league leadership in the closing stages of the game. However, in view of the wretched fielding game the Saints played they were fortunate to secure a tie.

Score by Innings—
St. Peters1 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—4
Quincy0 0 2 0 2 0 0 0—4
Stafford and Killen; Callanan and Ward.

MONCTON WINS OVER VETS

Moncton, June 13—By the score of ten to six the Moncton team, strengthened by the addition of Casey, formerly of the Boston All-Stars defeated the St. John G. W. V. A. team here

N. Y. YANKEES HAVE SIGNED COLLEGE STARS

Columbia, Fordham and Lafayette — St. Louis Browns Also Pick One Up for Tryout.

New York, June 13—The New York Yankees announced the acquisition of three college stars, Mike Gazella, captain and shortstop of Lafayette; Lou Gehrig, pitcher and first baseman of Columbia and Ed Vanderbeck, catcher of Fordham.

Gehrig worked out with the Yankees today for the first time. The others will report to Manager Huggins as soon as the college season ends.

Star for Browns.

Cincinnati, O. June 13—William Ulery, firstbaseman of the Bellevue Ky, K. I. P. Club has been signed by the St. Louis Americans. Ulery is a graduate of Penn State College an all round athlete and an electrical engineer.

U. S. SENATOR WAS ATHLETE

It is said that U. S. Senator George Wharton Pepper of Pennsylvania was a fourletter man at Penn. He probably outclassed any man in Congress as a fan of "letters" though there are probably plenty of "letter" men in the House of Representatives besides the three from Massachusetts, Messrs Winslow, Frothingham and Gullivan. Senator Harry W. Keyes of New Hampshire is another letter man in the Senate.

this evening in the Independent League.

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