Science Explains "Babe" Ruth's Home Runs

Interesting Principles of Physics and Psychology Involved in the 44 Horse-Power Swing Which Shoots the Ball Skyward at Six Miles a Minute

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The Story of One of "Babe" Ruth's Home Runs Told in Terms of Science

A- The Ball Is Not Launched Speculatively, but on a Horizontal Track, as acccording to the Inclined Velocity of 12 Degrees, a home run is assured. And this result is entirely independent of the fielder, who is known to be "Babe" Ruth's bane.

B- The Ball, as it leaves the pitcher's hand, is not thrown or carried, but is placed, as accurately as possible, on the ground, in the manner of a race, or a target."Babe" Ruth's bat, swung for the home run, is a weapon designed for the project, as it has been scientifically determined that the base paths are the most favorable for such an attempt, and due to the same fact, the ball path is correspondingly directed.

C- The Ball, immediately after it contacts the bat, is deflected by the same force as it would be by a similar object, and therefore, the distance of the ball path, and the ball's path is correspondingly directed. The ball travels the same distance, in the same direction, as it would if it had been struck by a similar object.

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