

As Seen in The Mirror's

SPORTS REFLECTIONS

of Athletes and Events

No New Bern baseball fan, to our knowledge, is completely indifferent about the New York Yankees.

Almost without exception, local followers of the national pastime are divided into Yankee lovers and Yankee haters. You'll find more of the latter, since most mortals like to see the high and mighty knocked flat on their posterior.

Admittedly, there are plenty of people who scramble to get on the band wagon with a winner, but one needs only to

scrutinize the popularity of the lowly New York Mets to realize that David, not Goliath, is ever and eternally the logical hero.

Connie Mack discovered as much when his Philadelphia Athletics were winning pennants consistently in the late Twenties. Crowds dwindled at Shibe Park, so Mr. McGillicuddy (Cornelius that is) sold his brightest stars and pocketed the cash.

A good contender, placing in the first division year in and year out, often pays off better than a champ. Fans will grumble, but meanwhile the turnstiles keep clicking at a merry pace.

The most exciting thing that could possibly happen in the Majors would be a pennant for the Mets in the National League and likewise for the Yankees in the American. It may never happen, but hundreds of thousands would want World Series tickets.

Yankee followers won't agree, and who can blame them, but and end to the team's domination of the American League is long overdue. It isn't good for any sport-professional, college, High school or kid league--when one ball club shows marked superiority repeatedly, season after season.

Don't count the Yanks out, however. A lot can happen before September rolls around. All signs point to a free for all battle involving seven teams, and what could be better?

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-CHARLIE KIMBRELL

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Robert Emsley Ange, Sr., to James T. Wells and wife, Gloria S. Wells. Property in No. 6 township.

Southern Holding Corp. to H. M. Carpenter and wife, Mary S. Carpenter. Property in No. 8 township.

Jack Phillips, Jr., and wife, Mary Elizabeth Phillips, to Oscar F. Broadway and wife, Mary H. Broadway. Property in No. 2 township.

Albert Earl Cannon and wife, Peggy Boyd Cannon, to James H. Ipock and wife, Ruth O. Ipock. Property on Spencer Avenue.

Thomas Cowan and wife, Ethel B. Cowan, to John R. Cobb and wife, Lillie Bell Cobb. Property in No. 2 township.

R. L. Higgins and wife, Ludie E. Higgins, to Raymond Lawrence Higgins, Jr., and wife, Della Leona Higgins. Property in No. 8 township.

Margaret W. Baxter and husband, Theodore J. Baxter, to William W. Hopkins and wife, Agnes G. Hopkins. Property in No. 7 township.

S. A. Wilson, Jr., and wife, Margaret C. Wilson, to Euclid D. Armstrong, Jr., and wife, Brenda E. Armstrong. Property in Trent Park.

T. B. Coleman and wife, Robertha K. Coleman, to N. E. Russell, Sr., and wife, Hester M. Russell. Property at Pollock and Bern Streets.

Builders And Finance, Incorporated, to Carl Henry Dixon, Jr., and wife, Patricia Wilson Dixon. Property in No. 7 township.

Gulon E. Lee and wife, Dora Mae Lee; James Earl Jones and wife, Daphne P. Jones, to Cortez Cox and wife, Alene Garrell Cox. Property on National Court Drive.

Norman E. Russell and wife, Hester Russell, to Joe S. Johnson and wife, Frances A. Johnson. Property in DeGraffenried Park.

Sam Murray Whitford and wife, Grace Gray Whitford, to Walter Bryan Barrow and wife, Linda Annette Barrow. Property in Craven County.

Hurley Gerlinger and wife, Daisy Boyd Hadder Gerlinger, to Ormand L. Thomas and wife, Mary Ellen Thomas. Property in No. 7 township.

Hurley Gerlinger and wife, Daisy Boyd Hadder Gerlinger, to Donald R. Hadder and wife, Lola E. Hadder. Property in No. 7 township.

H. E. Beaman and wife, Betty Beaman, to Ernest Wade Johnson and wife, Marilyn M. Johnson. Property between Highway 70 and Washington Road.

Tryon Construction Company to John F. Walsh and wife, Lois F. Walsh. Property in Sherwood Forest.

Tryon Construction Company to James E. Oliver and wife, Etta T. Oliver. Property in Southgate.

Allen T. Trader and wife, Eugenia C. Trader, to Jay Clarke

and wife, Ethel T. Clarke. Property in No. 6 township.

R. L. Williams and wife, Margaret P. Williams, to A. J. Wade and wife, Ruth P. Wade. Property in No. 7 township.

Gulon E. Lee and wife, Dora Mae Lee, to William E. Baldrée and wife, Versie H. Baldrée. Property in Trent Park.

Rebecca C. Ferebee to Elizabeth H. Ferebee, William W. Ferebee and Samuel W. Ferebee. Property on Haywood Road.

Ethel L. Pugh and husband, Isaac A. Pugh, to James W. Hill. Property on Murray Street.

Sudie Casey Reel to Carl R. Dunn and wife, Ruth R. Dunn. Property on Wright Street.

E. D. Scales and wife, Rose Ann Scales, to Henry Lee Gurganus and wife, Elizabeth K. Gurganus. Property in No. 7 township.

Ella S. Meadows and husband, Wade Meadows, to J. E. Jones and wife, Daphne P. Jones; G. E. Lee and wife, Dora Mae Lee. Property in Highland Park.

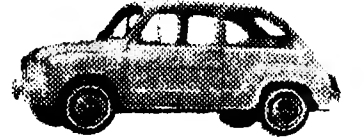
Earl Claus McIlwean and wife, Ila McIlwean, to John Sandy Evans. Property on Spring Garden Road.

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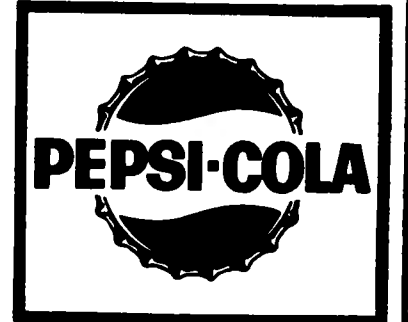
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