

MENKE SAYS JOHNS IS MOST VALUABLE MAN

AVERS THAT HE OUTCLASSES THE UNCANNY GEORGIAN, LYONS COBB.

(By Frank G. Menke.)
New York, May 7.—We have with us today a man who is still honorable, though as to which gentleman is the more valuable to a team—Walter Johnson, the pitcher, or Lyons Cobb, who does everything but pitch.

The answer is simple—Johnson is far more valuable, despite the wonderful, uncanny, all-around ability of the Georgian.

Cobb, marvelous though he is, is but a cog in a machine of nine cogs. His position as an outfielder forces him to share only a portion of the defensive play. But a pitcher is the main cog the real cog. Upon him stands the greatest portion of the defense. In fact, every defensive play of the game depends first upon him and his pitching arm.

If a pitcher is going "right" it need but little offensive work on the part of his team mates to bring home a victory. But if the pitcher fumbles, and the opposition begins to batter around his twists and slants the official scorekeeper usually proceeds to chalk a defeat against the team that wins that wobbling pitcher.

Not since the Federals pried open the season and outdrew most of the organized majors has Ben Johnson rushed to the fore with any remarks about "joke." Nor has Garroulous Garry Herrmann murmured "bloor—bloor" when anyone mentioned the Feds. And Charles Holiday Ebbets, the Brooklyn magnate, no longer grins from ear to ear, no longer holds his sides to suppress boisterous giggles when somebody hazards the remark that "it looks as if the Feds are there."

John McGraw, whose fame through being hit "from behind" has almost overshadowed the fact that he's the \$30,000 manager of the Giant Giants, boasts of the greatest collection of base stealers in captivity.

Hock, the new third sacker, stole forty-three bases while with Mobile last year, and is running wild this season. Merkle pilfered 35 sacks in 1913; Bescher, 38; Murray, 35; Burns, 40; Doyle, 38 and Fletcher 37, which gives McGraw seven regular with a grand average of something like 38 bases.

Jim Coffey, the Irish White Hope, who journeys soon to England to scrap with Bombardier Wells, the oft-battered English heavy, entered the ring through accident.

He harpooned a job as subway guard soon after arriving here from Erin. One day some rowdy youths boarded his train. In the polite, refined manner that subway guards use (at times) Jim asked the youths to desist. They desisted not. Whereupon, Jim waited for a station stop and then began heaving the youths off his train. He did it with such ease and dispatch that he won the admiration of Mike Donovan, the old Middleweight fighter, who was on the train.

Mike walked to the vestibule and engaged Jim in combat. Mike told Jim that he thought he had the makings of a fighter in him. Jim wasn't sure.

"Come up to the New York Athletic Club and I'll give you a try out," invited Mike.

Jim came. Mike showed him a few tricks in the fighting game and then matched Jim with a husky person who had "white hope" hopes. Jim knocked all the hope out of that fellow in two rounds. Then he went home, wrote out his resignation from the subway job and has been keeping his huge frame within the pugilistic spotlight most of the time since.

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The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly his health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers.

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Treasurer's Report

Alderman Dill offered the following report for the City Treasurer:
CITY OF NEW BERN, N. C.

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR MONTH OF MARCH 1914.

GENERAL FUND			
Balance on hand.....	2627.88		
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from J. J. Tolson.....	2392.05	5019.93	1133.12 3886.81
FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	1734.68		
from J. J. Tolson.....	1012.55	2747.23	501.96 2245.27
POLICE DEPARTMENT			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	401.67		
from J. J. Tolson.....	1012.54		
from C. Lupton.....	71.85	1486.06	598.65 887.41
STREET DEPARTMENT			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	13.42		
from J. J. Tolson.....	1012.54	99.12	829.46 169.66
W. & L. DEPARTMENT			
from F. Scott.....	2691.55		
from L. Harris.....	274.92		
Balance on hand 3-1.....	2903.13	5869.60	5374.40 485.20
COLORED SCHOOLS			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	267.75		
from C. Lupton.....	71.50	339.25	339.25
SCHOOL FUND			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	705.60		
J. J. Tolson.....	1687.01	2392.16	705.60 1687.01
BOND INTEREST			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	1427.97		
from J. J. Tolson.....	1687.01	3114.98	1500.00 1614.98
GREENWOOD CEMETERY			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	18.37		
from R. J. Disoway.....	18.90	37.27	25.40 11.87
CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY			
Balance on hand 3-1 O. D.....	111.78		
from R. J. Disoway.....	131.40	19.62	53.93 34.31
SINKING FUND			
Balance on hand 3-1.....	1475.54	1475.54	1475.54
Total.....	23501.21	23501.21	10722.52 12778.69
On deposit in National Bank.....			5074.32
On deposit New Bern Banking & Trust Company.....			7486.03
Cash on hand.....			218.34
			12778.69

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TELEGRAPH TICKETS

BLEASE'S RACE IS ALMOST RUN—HE MAY RETIRE.

(Special to the Journal.)
Columbia, S. C., May 7.—That Governor Blease will be beaten for the United States Senate nomination by Senator E. D. Smith is the strong indication of the incomplete reports from the twenty-four county conventions. It is believed from these reports that in the State Democratic convention to be held here May 20th, Smith will have the support of at least 250 delegates as against about 50 delegates for Blease.

At the expiration of his term as Governor early next year, Blease will be merely a private citizen.

MEETING OF THE SEVENTH SENATORIAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Pursuant to action of the Seventh Senatorial Democratic Executive Committee, at a meeting held in the City of New Bern, N. C., Thursday April 30th, 1914, the Seventh Senatorial Democratic Convention is called to meet in the City of New Bern, N. C., at the Court House on Wednesday, May the 27th, 1914, at twelve M. o'clock, for the purpose of nominating two Senators, and for such other business as may come before the Convention.

C. D. Bradham, Chairman of the Seventh Senatorial Democratic Executive Committee. J. K. Warren, secretary.

If you don't want to laugh, don't see Mrs. Rufus Snitters, Friday night.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick?

A cross, peevish, listless child, with coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; stomach sour; breath fetid; pains in stomach, with diarrhoea; grinds teeth while asleep, and starts up with terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—something that expels worms, and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed. Get a box today. Start at once. You won't have to coax, as Kickapoo Worm Killer is a candy confection. Expels worms, the cause of your child's trouble. 25c., at your druggist.

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By New Bern Testimony. Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's statement.

Read New Bern's endorsement. Read the statements of New Bern's citizens.

And decide for yourself.

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F. P. Avery, Spencer ave, Ghent, New Bern N. C., says: "I have no reason to change my high opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills which I expressed through the local newspapers some years ago. I began using this remedy procured at Bradham Drug Co., when I was suffering from kidney complaint and backache. It cured me."

If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mr. Avery had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c. all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY

I desire to announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, subject to the will of the Democratic Voters at the Primary on May 16, 1914. And to assure the Democrats of Craven county, that if I am nominated and elected, I will endeavor to promote the welfare of the whole county, for the good of its people. Yours Respt., H. A. Marshal

STEAMER L. B. SHAW

Balto. & Norfolk to New Bern SCHEDULE

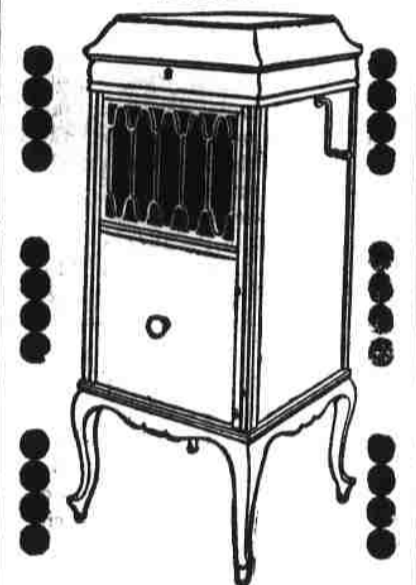
Lve. Baltimore	May 2nd
" Norfolk	" 4th
Ar. New Bern	" 6th

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Norfolk — Jones & Co.
New Bern — J. B. Blades
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NOTICE
As is our usual custom, we will commence the Summer Sunday delivery of ice, the first Sunday in May. The wagons will make one delivery of ice Sundays until further notice.
Our patrons will kindly help the drivers by having their money or ice tickets convenient, also ice boxes and refrigerators ready for ice, as a minutes delay in each house means hours late on the end of the route. Very Respectfully, N. B. Ice Company, 5-2-10ti. A. Cook, Supt.

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NORFOLK SLEEPER
Effective May 1st, the New Bern—Norfolk sleeper heretofore open for occupancy at New Bern at 9:00 P. M., will be opened at 10 P. M. For further information and reservations apply to T. H. Bennett, Ticket Agent, Phone 737.
E. D. Kyle T. M. H. S. Leard G. P. A Norfolk, Va., 4-29-10ti

F. M. Simmons A. D. Ward SIMMONS & WARD
Attorneys and Councillors at LAW
Rooms 401 and 404 Elks' Temple NEW BERN, : : N. C.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR.
Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of David E. DeBruhl, all persons holding claims against the estate will present them, duly sworn, to the undersigned Executor on or before the fourteenth day of April, 1915, or this notice will be plead in bar.
All persons indebted to the Estate will please make payment to the undersigned.
New Bern Banking & Trust Co., Executor.

J. LEON WILLIAMS
ATTORNEY AT LAW
126 MIDDLE ST. NEW BERN, : : N. C.

Unless your bills are paid By May 1st you cannot vote. Your other taxes must be paid at once or I will positively levy on your personal property as the law directs and sell the same for your taxes
Don't delay for this will be done as I must enforce the law.
R. B. Lane Sh'ff.

MORTGAGE NOTICE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CRAVEN COUNTY.
By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed made by Edward Hall to Frank J. French, dated November 8th, 1911, recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Craven county, in Book 184 page 417, on account of default in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, I will on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1914, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon at the Court House in the City of New Bern, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash at public auction the following described piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being in Craven County, State aforesaid, described and defined as follows to wit:

That certain tract of land in the County and State aforesaid, on the South side of Neuse Road, adjoining the lands of D. G. and George Daily, William Mosely land and T. J. French containing TEN ACRES more or less, being the same land purchased by J. J. French from Caswell Wood, said deed being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Craven county in book 116 page 59, to which reliance is made for a more complete description. This 14th day of April, 1914.
F. J. French, Mortgagee
Geo. T. Willis, Attorney.

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Flush out the accumulated waste and poisons of the winter months; cleans your stomach, liver and kidney's of all impurities. Take Er-King's New Life Pills; nothing better for purifying the blood. Mild, non-gripping laxative. Cures constipation; makes you feel fine. Take no other. 25c. at your Druggist.
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