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WEEKLY, CYL. 6, MILES 2—ROADS: } To the North, Good. } To the South, Good.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1914.

Office and Garage, 7 West Eighth Street.

WHY ARE TRAFFIC LAWS?

Now that Charlotte has been operating under traffic laws for nearly a year, it behooves the public to pass upon the efficiency of same.

Take, for instance, the question of turning around the intersection of two streets. This is never done except at the square and the four corners nearest same.

Let the public take stock of what it wants and the Board of Aldermen will revise the traffic laws and enforce the public's wishes, the rest goes into the discard.

OSMOND L. BARRINGER.

1915 CHALMERS SIX HERE.

Last week we received one of the new Chalmers Master Light Sixes, which has been the subject of much interest among the automobile buying public.

A REAL REO REPRESENTATIVE

The Carolina Motor Co., of Statesville, N. C. has already put in orders for more Reos than they contracted for.

This shows what good roads will do to a territory, as two or three years ago it was impossible to sell an automobile in Iredell county until the roads had dried up and the public was satisfied they would stay good.

BUSINESS LOOKING UP.

With a March that was full of snow and sleet, and weather that almost required anti-freeze, Charlotte automobile business was mostly wholesale.

We received and disposed of two carloads of Reos, to say nothing of a Reo two-ton truck chassis.

SOME WINDOW DISPLAY

One of the most attractive window displays ever seen in Charlotte was gotten up last week by Mr. Smith of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company.

FOUND

One of our men found a State license number on the Statesville road, No. 10984.

THEY DO COME BACK

After having been called "king of the track" Barney Oldfield, erstwhile champion of the flat dirt track has more than come back.

FOR SALE

1911 Overland roadster with top, windshield, self-starter, etc. Has been run about 1,000 miles.

GOOD ROADS AND BAD

Speaking of roads, it is funny how a county will get a bad reputation, as was evidenced by the fact that when the Recorder Friday morning accused a negro of having been "on the roads" in Lincoln county he immediately denied that Lincoln county had any roads.

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SPORTS

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR THIS WEEK

- Tuesday, April 14. Carolina vs. University of W. Virginia, at Chapel Hill. Wake Forest vs. Durham (N. C. League) at Durham.

Hornets Will Do Some More Buzzing This Afternoon

This afternoon at 3:30 the Hornets will make their second appearance before Charlotte fans in a practice game, this time with the strong Oak Ridge team.

received the surprise of their lives at the showing Manager Emery's Hive made, and they will no doubt show up even better this afternoon.

CAROLINA-DAVIDSON GAME IS POSTPONED

By mutual agreement of the managers of the Carolina and Davidson teams, the game between these two college teams which had been moved up to Tuesday 14, at the request of Carolina, has been changed back again to the original date and will be played at Wearn Field tomorrow week, Tuesday the 21st.

After a week's more of play, both teams should be in fine trim and a fast game can be counted on.

Gun Club to Have Shoots on Thursdays

At a meeting of the members of the Charlotte Gun Club it was decided to hold their weekly shoots on Thursdays at 3:30 p. m.

Any member is at liberty to invite his friends to participate in these shoots, though non-members cannot shoot for prizes.

U. Va. Takes No. 8

Philadelphia, April 12.—The University of Virginia has taken No. 8 in the forthcoming two mile college race in drawings for national and international relay championships at the University of Pennsylvania, it was announced today.

Toronto 11; Nashville 5.

Nashville, Tenn., April 12.—Toronto won from Nashville yesterday, 11 to 5.

Kansas City 8; Pittsburg 5.

... Kansas City, Mo., April 12.—The Kansas City team easily defeated the Pittsburg Nationals, 8 to 5, yesterday.

Mowrey, of Pittsburg, batted a triple, a double and two singles.

Score: R. H. E. Kansas City 8 11 3 Pittsburg 5 8 4 Batteries: Richie, Ragan and Moore; O'Toole, Conzleman and Cooper and Bronnagan.

Hit By Ball and Died.

New York, April 13.—John Nelson, Jr., eighteen years old, playing first base, was struck in the head by a ball Saturday and he died yesterday. Blood vessels in the forehead burst. Nelson's was the first death due to baseball reported in the metropolitan district this year.

The Midnight Strike, a fine 3-reel Warner feature at the Princess today.

LEAGUE MANAGERS PREDICT GOOD SEASON

By Associated Press

New York, April 13.—On the eve of the major league baseball season executives and magnates of the American and National League predict another six months of exciting pennant races and general prosperity.

Both President Ban Johnson of the American League and President John K. Tener of the National League express the belief that organized baseball will receive the confidence and support accorded it by devotees of the game in past years.

President Johnson, as the spokesman for the junior association, said: "The American League, which entertained the largest aggregate number of fans in its history during the season of 1913, looks forward to another year of loyal support from the public—support earned by the constant efforts of its club owners to give patrons the best there is in America's National game.

"I think the quality of baseball to be played this year will equal or excel that of the past. The Philadelphia Athletics naturally command the greatest respect because of the pennant and world's series victories, but several other clubs must be given serious consideration.

"Washington and Boston are clubs of known strength. Chicago appears to have found new men of exceptional value. Cleveland has not been seriously crippled by the Federal League invasion but accidents to Chapman and Liebold will interfere materially with its success in the early part of the season. Detroit has developed two or three players of splendid promise.

"I am encouraged over the prospects of the New York club. St. Louis has one of the best pitching staffs in the league and a little hitting will make the Browns dangerous against any club."

President Tener, as representative of the National League, expressed similar sentiments, saying: "Generally speaking, I am well pleased with the outlook in the National League and for organized ball everywhere for the season of 1914.

"I think competition will be keen in our organization. With the probable exception of one club, I believe every team in the National League is stronger this year than in 1913, and, if I am not mistaken this condition will naturally produce a stirring fight for the pennant.

"From my contact with the general public, I am led to believe that interest in organized baseball never so strong, and its confidence never so strong. I expect a year of financial and artistic success for organized ball in general."

Golfers are not taking kindly to the arrangements for the playing of

the British open championship at Prestwick in June, at which several American players are expected to compete. It is not the foreign entrants but the home professionals, however, who are protesting against the long-drawn-out schedule, which requires two weeks of practice and play to complete. According to present plans the qualifying rounds will be played on courses other than the championship course, and practice days have been allotted for both qualifying and championship courses.

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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS

Comic strip titled 'DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS' showing a woman writing a telegram and a man reading it. The man says: 'YOU SEE, THERE ARE THIRTEEN WORDS IN THAT AND THERE ARE ONLY TEN WORDS ALLOWED IN THE REGULAR MESSAGE AND WE DON'T WANT TO PAY ANY EXTRA BESIDES THIRTEEN IS UNLUCKY ANYWAY.' The woman replies: 'WHAT WE WANT TO DO IS TO REDUCE THE MESSAGE BY THREE WORDS AND GET IT IN AT THE REGULAR RATE. YOU'VE GOT IT. MAY YOU HAVE A HAPPY AND JOYOUS MARRIED LIFE LIKE OURS HAS BEEN.' The man replies: 'CUT OUT THE "HAPPY AND JOYOUS" FROM THAT MARRIED LIFE AND IT'LL BE JUST RIGHT.'