

BOOSTERS HOG SPOTLIGHT

Bowlers Roll Up Big Scores that Top the Record.

NEALE DOES THE BEST ROLLING

Meet League Will Lay Off Until After Holiday Season—Turkey Shoot the Big Attraction Last Week.

The Booster league was the main attraction on the bowling stage last week. The high season and individual total was beaten twice in the same evening, first by Learns with 677, and later by Neale with 678. Both of these just noted out the total of 676 rolled by Bowers two weeks ago. Immediately after the regular league matches Doherty rolled the record score on the Farnam alleys with a 299 single game.

Special matches were played throughout the week between rival mercantile teams.

The Association alleys presented an exciting scene, where the merry-go-round tournament and turkey shot was held, both ending at midnight Christmas eve. The turkey shoot proved to be the most interesting, with Neale winning with a 90 score, rolled late on the last evening play. With this score he passed Cain, who was leading with a 661 count. Maurer also was a strong contender with 665, and Stuns rolled 663.

Cain and Jarosh won the merry-go-round with a 1,538 total. Neale and Stuns took second money with 1,526, Neale and Jarosh third with 1,522, Jarosh and Stuns fourth with 1,524.

Holiday Week to Be Slack. During the coming week most of the leagues will postpone their games on account of the holidays.

To keep things alive "Dad" Huntington has scheduled a Mercantile tournament to take place on the Association alleys Monday night. The five-man event will be rolled and sixteen teams have entered. The first squad of eight teams will commence rolling at 7:30 o'clock and the next squad starts at 8:30 o'clock. The entrance fee is \$1 per man and there will be four prizes. All teams entered represent a local firm and are composed of only employees of the firm they represent.

The teams already entered are: Cudahy Packing company, McCord-Brady, Standard Oil company, Paxton & Gallagher, Orchard & Wilhelm, Union Outfitting company, Nebraska Telephone company, Omaha National Bank No. 1, Omaha National Bank No. 2, Selden-Breck Construction company, Omaha Gas company, M. B. Smith company, Midland Glass and Paint company and Columbia Fire Insurance company.

The Drexel Shoe company and Kling-Reck company will enter tomorrow.

Week's Bowling Schedule.

ASSOCIATION ALLEYS

Mercantile League, Tuesday—Games Postponed.

Styro League, Wednesday—Games Postponed.

Sunderland Bros. League, Thursday—Games Postponed.

Paxton & Gallagher League, Friday—Games Postponed.

METROPOLITAN ALLEYS

Women's League, Monday—Regular team matches.

Standard Oil League, Monday—Polarine Auto Oil against Mica Axle Grease.

Omaha Gas League, Monday—Polarine Auto Oil against Mica Axle Grease.

Commercial League, Monday—Green Guard Crowns against Stars and Stripes.

Commercial League, Tuesday—Beehive's Old Mixers against Frank's Candy Kids.

Browning-King League, Thursday—Games Postponed.

MORNING ALLEYS

Fairmont Creamery League, Monday—Diadem against Better Butters.

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Gale City League, Tuesday—Fairmont Creamery against Ragan's Pastafas.

Omaha Gas League, Wednesday—Interdepartment matches.

Nebraska Telephone League, Wednesday—Interdepartment matches.

Omaha League, Friday—Games Postponed.

BRUNSWICK ALLEYS, SOUTH OMAHA

Meigs City League—Games Postponed.

FARNHAM ALLEYS

Knights of Columbus League, Monday—Special team matches.

Booster League, Tuesday—Clara Bellis against Power Supply Company.

Omaha League, Wednesday—Clara Bellis against Power Supply Company.

Nebraska Telephone League, Wednesday—Interdepartment matches.

Omaha League, Thursday—Games Postponed.

Union Outfitting League, Thursday—Games Postponed.

Dempster Photo League, Thursday and Friday—Games Postponed.

Bowling Notes.

The Omaha league is taking a two weeks' leave.

Harvey Shaw has been annexed to the Krug & Lusk House.

George Hagaman is dividing his time between bowling and coaching.

"Dad" Huntington is stirring up things around the Association alleys.

The Farnham House has signed up Baum, the Standard Oil Star.

El Maurer says that even if he had won the turkey would be a cost in it.

It is a common sight to see women bowlers around the local drives these days.

Thomas says he has quit the Lusk on account of his inability to roll 500.

The Broadmead Crowns have again folded into the lead of the Commercial league.

Fritz Dahmke rolled a 63 total as a farewell score. He leaves for Denver January 1.

"Don" Amundson presented the pinboys at the Farnam alleys with a handsome silver dime.

When asked about the secretaryship of a tournament, Kenneth Scipio says, "Never again."

The Lewis Buffet and Ragan's Pastafas will have a cattle royal when they meet next time.

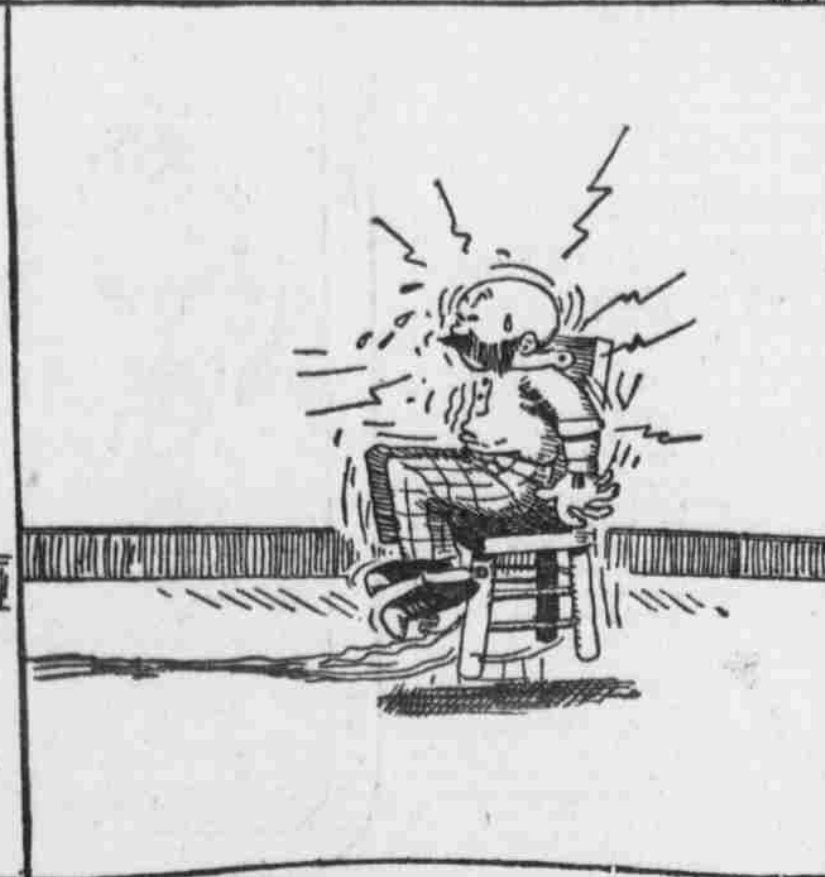
The Knights of Columbus will not roll on their regular schedule until after the first of the year.

Thomas won the turkey in the C. class on the association alleys, with a 697 score. He is a new bowler.

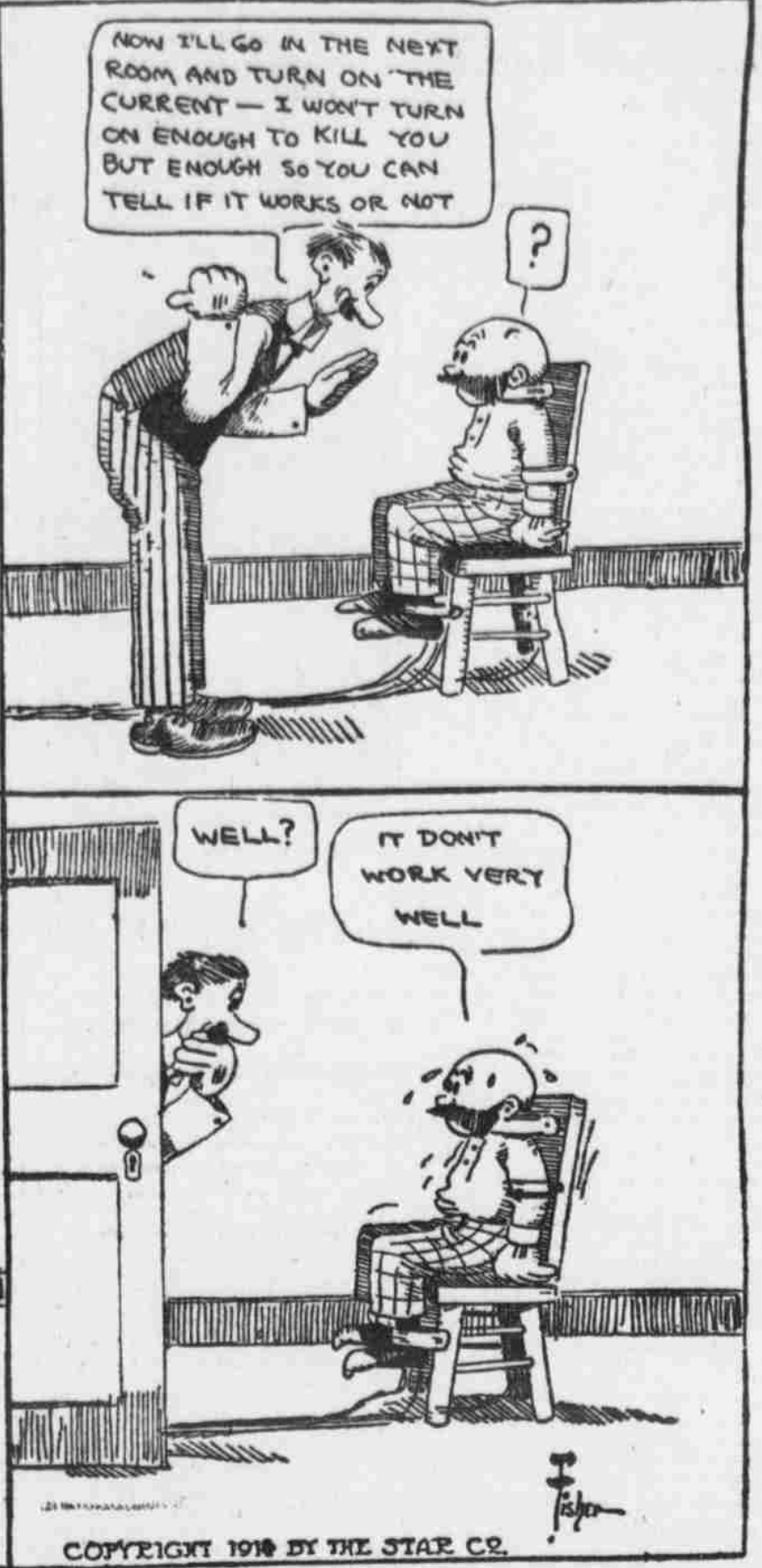
The bowlers will hold a meeting on January 19 and plan for next season's Midwest tournament.

Joe Berger left through yet. He is anchored for the McRowndobers in the "Monday" tournament.

Mutt is Not Exactly in Edison's Class



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the first 188 game rolled Lee won a merchandise prize; for the first 131 game rolled Knowles was the winner and Miller won a prize by rolling the first 177 game. The prize put up for any score over 200 was not won.

CAN WILLARD WHIP JOHNSON?

(Continued from Page One.) and didn't Al stay there? Certainly. Well, they couldn't say enough for Carl. He was the little white-haired boy around here, and then we sicked our HP Jess on him. Well, everybody knows the result. Carl got the whipping of his life, and Carl hasn't been to the city since.

STANDARD FOR WATER SPORT

(Continued from Page One.) agreeable compromise or ended regretably. Code Would Be a Help. The adoption by the governing body of a recognized code will not only provide safe meeting ground and avoid all future trouble, but also serve to place water sports on a firm foundation, encourage competition between distant swimming centers, make possible the yearly holding of consecutive national championships and increase progress by giving to the several collegiate associations a community of law and purpose.

Supply of Candy Comes in Aeroplane

Laded with candy, an aeroplane sailed around in the Hancock Park Methodist church last night, finally settling down on the preacher's platform, where it was taken in charge by a Santa Claus, who dismantled it and distributed the load to the children of the Sunday school.

Book by Dr. Henry Bears the Name of "Equitania"

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FRENCH ELEVENS IN ARMY

Most of the Gridiron Warriors are at the Front in Battles.

ENCOURAGING ALL THE SPORTS

Gauss Urging Men to Keep Up Exercise in Athletics in Contrast to the Order in England to Stop Such Exercises.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Nearly all the foot ball stars of France are either on the "gridiron" of Flanders or rushing the German lines along the Aisne, and they are making themselves heard from Augustin Joue, a foot ball star of Perpignan, in the Nineteenth dragons, just mentioned in orders, was promoted to lieutenant on the battlefield for having rescued a fallen comrade and carried him out of the fire zone under severe shell fire. Planus, another mainstay of the French sporting association, was promoted to lieutenant of Germans who was in the act of capturing a French cannon. He bayoneted them, one after another, and alone succeeded in bringing the gun back into the lines. Cyclists have also done great work, both in the French and Belgian armies.

Encourage All Sports.

Contrary to England, in France everything is being done to encourage the continuation of all sports as in times of peace. It has already been announced that there will be no athletics of any kind at Cambridge university this year. The principal reason for the cancellation even of the minor sporting events is that the men have no time to train or practice, five afternoons a week being occupied by work in the officers' training corps. The official notice applies to all freshmen's sports, and to the intercollegiate games.

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Battling Nelson Attempts to Come Back



Eight Men Drown As Trawler Hits Mine

GRIMSBY, England, Dec. 26.—The trawler Oceana was sunk by a mine today. Eight men were drowned, only the second engineer being saved.

OFF WEEK IN BASKET BALL

(Continued from Page One.) of Weigle's buccaneering Pirates. Even at that, their victory was a signal one, as the work of Shields, home from the University of Nebraska for a vacation, was responsible for it. The Pirates were handicapped by the absence of their center and forward, Wilson and Root.

CHICAGO ARRANGES GAME WITH HASKELL

Coach Stagg Gives Out Schedule of Games for the Coming Season.

IOWA DROPPED FROM LIST

For Some Reason Not Announced the Illinois Mentor Has No Desire to Play the Hawkeyes.

Thirty-Six Rifle Clubs Compete in Washington Match

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Thirty-six rifle clubs from thirty-four cities participated this week in the opening match of the Rifle club gallery championship Association of America.

Volunteers Feed 250 Poor Families

The Volunteers of America distributed over 250 Christmas baskets of food yesterday morning to as many of Omaha's poor and needy families.

Box of Lemons Brings Bad Luck to Moore

Robert Moore, colored, stole a box of lemons from a freight car, police officers who arrested him yesterday declare when arrested he was trying to sell them, asserted Sergeant Wilson.