

Mueller, Melahn Hit 657, 650 Pin Totals Latter Paces Schlitz Beer Record Counts

Joe Mueller, one of the top ranking bowlers of the East Side, hammered out a 657 count and Lee Melahn, an up-and-coming strike thumper, powdered a 650 series Friday night to set the pace in city bowling individually while Schlitz Beer was cornering team honors.

The Beers battered out a high single game of 1,036, sparked by Melahn's opening thrust of 266, as they hit a 2,911 pin total in the Classic League at Schwoeglers Alleys. Mueller cracked out an opening game of 254 and finished it with 213 and 190 for his 657 count that was No. 1 on the city honor roll for the night.

Table of bowling scores for Mueller and Melahn, including names of other bowlers and their scores.

Eight other male bowlers bettered '600' with Cully Freund, operator of Freund's Alwood Alleys, ranking third at 636. He had games of 211, 214 and 201.

Vic Oakey is to bowl in the Petersen event Sunday and Freund and eight other city bowlers, including world's individual champion Connie Schwoegler, are to take to the drives Jan. 30.

The best ladies count reported Friday night was a 486 series by Bea Zitnick in the A. F. of L. League at the Moderne Recreation alleys.

At Schwoeglers... Classic: Schlitz Beer, 2,911 (1,036-951-924); Fauerbach Beer, 2,839 (1,005-954-885); Bireley's Beverages, 2,744 (1,005-954-744); Lee Melahn, 650 (256-213-171); Cully Freund, 628 (211-214-201); Don Nagel, 624 (210-209-205); Scotty Skidmore, 618 (199-205-209); Charles Barr, 608 (213-210-185); Zane Zepher, 598 (200-200-198); Gay Will, 591; Ed Easter, 580; Joe Hackett, 582; Carroll Jones, 580; Jack Hickers, 582; Connie Schwoegler, 579; Chuck Crake, 572; Sam Parisi, 572; Ghilotti, 547; Arden, 547; Screws, 2,237; Northern Hot Shouts, 2,248; Vernon Baugh, 537; C. Berens, 537; Koether, 517; H. Thompson, 501; G. Drevsen, 510; W. Flagstad, 500; L. Swan, 498; W. Stick, 497; C. Bellmer, 498; ...

McGinley Stars, Spring Green Triumphs, 34-20

Spring Green high school's undefeated basketball team continued its march through all opposition Friday night as it trounced Mazomanie, 34-20, for its sixth straight Tri-County League win and its eighth successive triumph of the season.

The victory gave the Green Avalanche cagers a full two game lead in the league race. Black Earth, beaten by Arena Thursday night, 21-20, is in a second place tie with Prairie du Sac and Arena.

Prairie du Sac defeated Lodi's defending champions, 24-14, Friday night while at the same time Waunakee was downing Sauk City, 39-24. With one win in six starts, Lodi is out of the championship running. Jim McGinley, sharpshooting forward, registered 20 points in leading Coach Oswald Barth's Spring Green team to its win over Mazomanie. The league leaders set the pace all the way, holding a 14-9 lead at the half.

Portage Upsets Fort; Reedsburg Takes Lead in Southern 10

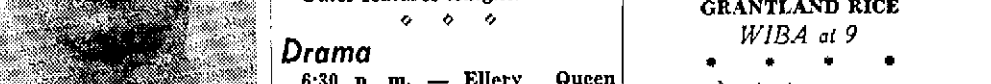
Two Southern 10 high school conference individual scoring records went by the boards Friday night as Reedsburg took over the undisputed conference lead with a 38-34 win over Edgerton while Portage was upsetting Ft. Atkinson, previous first place shareholder, 30-28.

By scoring 20 points against Edgerton, Jack McCormick, Reedsburg forward, established a new conference scoring record of 127 points. Tom Wright, Wisconsin high of Madison center, scored 126 points in the conference's first campaign last season.

Johnny Meyers, Baraboo forward, accounted for the other record, 23 points in a single game, as he led Baraboo to a surprise 35-28 win over Stoughton. McCormick held the previous single game mark of 20 points which he tied Friday night. Monroe defeated Wisconsin Dells, 26-20, and Wisconsin high bsted Richland Center, 16-12, in other conference games Friday night.

What's on the Air Forum to Air Cure for Nazis

On the 10th anniversary of Hitlerism, four leaders of contemporary thought will join Acting Chairman Harry D. Gidensee of the People's Platform in a discussion "Is Germany Incurable?" at 6 tonight. Speakers on the program, scheduled on WBBM, will be Alexander Woolcott and Rex Stout of the War Writers board; Pres. George N. Shuster of Hunter college, and Editor Freda Kirchwey of the Nation.



JACK MCCORMICK Set One New Record

Cobb, Highland, Ridgeway Win

Cobb kept its Iowa County high school league basketball title hopes "very much alive" Friday night when it emerged as one of three victors in league games. Highland and Ridgeway were other winners while the Barneveld-Montfort first place battle was postponed.

Coach Len Schmitz's Cobb team remained a half-game behind the co-leaders with a 33-19 win over Livingston. Highland held fourth place with a 29-16 decision over Linden, and Ridgeway beat Rewey, 32-20.

Livingston trailed Cobb all the way with the winners controlling the ball most of the time. Cobb took 90 shots and connected on 13 of them for a .143 average. The winners held an 11-5 lead at the half. Ridgeway also paced Rewey all the way and held a 17-10 margin at the intermission.

Highland gained a slender 4-3 lead over Linden in the first quarter but then stepped up its offensive to gradually pull away to a decisive victory. The Montfort-Barneveld game was postponed because of illness, and Barneveld posted a 30-19 win over Blanchardville in a non-league tilt. Box scores:

Box scores for basketball games: Cobb vs Livingston, Highland vs Linden, Ridgeway vs Rewey.

Beloit Upsets Kenosha Five... BELLOIT - Kenosha's highly favored basketball team was upset 21-18, by Beloit in a Big Eight conference game here Friday night.

Coach H. L. Jacobson's Purple quieted jumped into the lead early in the first period and was never headed. Beloit was on top 13-6 at the first quarter, 17-7 at the intermission, and 18-11 at the three-quarter mark.

The game was fast and rough, officials calling 29 personal fouls, 12 on Beloit and 17 on the Redskins. Means paced the winners with nine points. Inele was high man for Kenosha with 10.

The result left the Purples and Reds tied in the Big Eight standings with three wins and three losses each.

ALMOST REPEATS: John Stanley, who won the 1942 ABC singles championship with a 75 total, rolled a 748 in a Cleveland league.

Beit retained its lead in the league race. It won 11-7 from Kenosha in a Big Eight conference game here Friday night.

Hillsboro, New Lisbon Preps Still Tied in Juneau County

Hillsboro won by a wide margin and New Lisbon barely eked out a slim victory Friday night as the Juneau County high school league co-leaders maintained their pace. Each has scored five victories against one loss.

Viola Retains Sole Kickapoo League Lead

Viola rang up its third straight victory Friday night and maintained its half-game margin over Readstown for the undisputed Upper Kickapoo Valley League lead. The Bluejackets measured West Lima, 28-15, while Readstown was posting a 34-21 decision over LaFarge.

What's on the Air WBBM Tonight

Table listing radio programs for WBBM and other stations, including America Calling, NBC Can You Top This?, The University Forum, etc.