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BOWLING MATCH TUESDAY NIGHT

Farmington Team Defeated by
Redford Bowlers

The Redford bowling team came up here Tuesday evening for a match game with the Farmington boys, and took two games out of three from the locals.

The Farmington team took the first game by a score of 688 to 738, while the second game was won by Redford, the score being 664 for Farmington and 755 for Redford. The score of the third game was: Farmington 702; Redford 758.

No high scores were made by either team, the highest being 168, made by Sheere of Redford. Farmington's highest score was 160 made by George Cox.

The following table shows how many points each player made in the match:

REDFORD	
Hantz	137 164 154-455-151
Sheere	168 146 152-466-155
Vivier	120 166 150-436-145
Monier	99 152 141-392-130
Burgess	114 127 159-400-133
Total	638 755 756-2149

FARMINGTON	
Clark	150 157 137-444-148
Lapham	154 140 127-421-140
Cox	113 110 160-383-127
Lamb	159 122 130-411-137
Grace	112 135 148-395-131
Total	685 664 702-2054

T. H. McGee, referee.

Perry L. Prindle, score keeper.

In the three games Clark made 7 strikes and 10 spares; Lapham 3 strikes and 16 spares; Cox 6 strikes and 7 spares; Lamb 4 strikes and 12 spares; Grace 4 strikes and 11 spares for Farmington. Hantz 6 strikes and 14 spares; Sheere 6 strikes and 13 spares; Vivier 4 strikes and 15 spares; Monier 5 strikes and 10 spares; Burgess 6 strikes and 8 spares.

Ladies Literary Club

The Ladies Literary met at the home of Mrs. Nellie Dickinson, Wednesday afternoon, December 1st, with 16 members in attendance. The scheduled response to roll call resulted in special items of interest concerning our battle ships and naval officers.

On this day the club very gladly added to its list of active members the name of Miss Ester Boynton, who has recently made her home in our midst.

The reading of Macbeth was completed, having been a left-over from the last meeting. The question for debate, Resolved: "That we possess an adequate army and navy," was certainly very ably discussed. The affirmative of the question was undertaken by Mesdames Pierce and Way while Mesdames Moore and Irish took the opposing side. Now the arguments they propounded would have done justice to men of large ability.

The discussion was enthusiastic and long. Suitable judges were chosen to decide, after hearing the above splendid speech makers whether the United States had a sufficiently large army and navy. However they wisely concluded it was not for us to decide whether to spend our time and money preparing for war or to save our millions to maintain peace.

After spending one of the most intellectual afternoons of the year the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Martha Hutton, December 15 for a Merry Christmas meeting.

MARY JOHNSON, Sec'y

See Cook & Co. for all kinds of footwear.

Fine new home for sale by Fred M. Warner.

Oakland County Centennial

The Woman's Auxiliary Committee to arrange for the coming Oakland County Centennial celebration at Pontiac, beginning August 1, 1916, has invited all the organizations of women in the county, religious, fraternal, literary and civic, to unite in making "Women's Day" a memorable event, and to this end I take pleasure in announcing the following committees for the township of Farmington:

INFORMATION AND FINANCE—Mesdames T. H. McGee, F. Moore, Minnie Hogle G. Hendryx and Miss Zayda Steele.

LADIES LITERARY CLUB—Mesdames Bertha Steele, Martha Warner, Agnes Chamberlain, Z. Wilbur and Nellie Dickinson.

OFFICE—Miss Elinor M. Peterson, Mesdames T. Layle, F. L. Cook, Clyde Seelye, John Clark.

REHEARSALS—Mesdames Tessa Pierson and Norine Hogle, Mesdames Imogene Ricketts, Perry Prindle, James Lapham.

N. P. AUXILIARY—Mesdames Ella Irish, Winter Davis, Ellis Randall, Arthur Grace, Mary Walters.

CLUB—Mrs. Samuel Gourley, Miss Belle Crawford and Edith Bassett, Mesdames Harry McCracken, Charles Hagedorn.

LIBRARY AND CEMETERY IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION—Mesdames M. R. Wilbur, Nina Whipple, Ida Hamilton, L. F. Schroeder, Lou Pauline, Frank Parsons, Charles Pettibone and Miss Mary Kennedy.

LADIES UNION (Universalist)—Mesdames Mary Crosby, Minnie Johnson, Cloyes Steele, C. J. Sprague and Miss Ida Steele.

LADIES AID (Methodist)—Mesdames E. Stevenson, Truscott, Havens, Alice Way, Frank Allen.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL—Mesdames Martha Schroeder, George Nacker, Wm. Maas, Jr., John Landau, Misses Stange and Emma Gillemeister.

MRS. B. M. PIERCE, Local Chairman.

School Notes

School work was resumed Monday, after Thanksgiving vacation. All report having a fine time.

Seventh and Eighth grade examination in Geography Wednesday.

Julius Eisenlord absent Wednesday.

Miss Leona Simpson entertained the Senior class at her home one evening last week.

Report cards were given out this week.

Class in English II are reading Ivanhoe.

Dr. Watson, of Redford, gave a lecture to the High School and Grammar school Tuesday morning. His subject was "The Construction and Care of the Teeth."

Seating according to standing in Algebra I, has had good effects. Those with low standings are put in the front row in recitation, and are trying to raise their standings to get in the back seats, while those in the back seats are working hard to retain their places in class.

Miss Hicks spent Thanksgiving vacation with her parents and friends at Webberville, Miss Knox at Clarkston and Miss Day with friends in Detroit.

The basketball team will go to Detroit this evening and play a return game with the N. E. club.

Next basketball game here will be December 10th. The last River Rouge team will play on that date. We won from River Rouge twice last year. Let's have a good crowd out to help win again this year.

The school will give an oyster supper in Firemen's hall Friday evening, December 10th, 5 to 7:30. Everybody come.

Notice

Tomorrow, December 4th, Cook & Co., will give another demonstration of Van Houten's Rona Cocoa. All are cordially invited to attend.

Try the Enterprise liners.

FIFTY-FIFTY



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J. I. O. F. Election.

At the regular meeting of Farmington Lodge, I. O. F., last Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

N. G.—Perry L. Prindle.
V. G.—Manley Newman.

Recording Secretary—Benjamin Van Wormer.

Financial Secretary—Carl Hly.

Treasurer—Henry Lee.

Trustee for 3 years—Lewis Davison.

Conroy's Corners

Miss Grace West spent Thanksgiving at Pontiac.

Mrs. Will Gilliner is entertaining Miss Iva Murray, of Detroit.

James Conroy of Farmington, was a Tuesday caller in this vicinity.

Clyde Roat of Pontiac, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Electa West.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartlett and son, Floyd, spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason and two children spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley spent Sunday at the home of Joe Young at Clarencerville.

Miss Sadie Turner, of near Farmington, spent Thanksgiving with Miss Jessie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Adams spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Noble.

Miss King, who is attending the State Normal at Ypsilanti, was an over Sunday visitor at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Densmore entertained the former's mother and uncle, of Detroit, and the latter's brother on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Don Conroy and children of River Rouge, were over Sunday visitors at the home of her father-in-law, Ed Conroy of Maple Ridge farm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hinbern and Tracy Conroy of Pontiac, and Mrs. Fremont Barker of Redford, were Sunday visitors at the home of Omer Conroy.

The Mystic Workers of East Farmington, will hold their December meeting Friday, December 10th, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Seelye at North Farmington, on the D. U. R. This is for dinner to which every one is cordially invited. All members are requested to donate for the bazaar.

Visiting cards printed or engraved.

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Mrs. E. Grosan is visiting Mrs. John Green.

Dr. Holcomb and wife spent Sunday at Redford with relatives.

Miss Lila Lazenby, who has had typhoid fever, is recovering nicely.

A. N. Wixon and daughter transacted business in Detroit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks are attending their daughter, who has typhoid fever.

Mr. Banks and family are very busy now days, preparing for a trip to Florida.

John Myers has rented Mrs. Bloomer's house, and intends to move his family here.

The many friends of Dr. A. T. Holcomb are pleased to see him out again after his sickness.

David Poppan and bride, of Dearborn, are spending a few days here, while on their honeymoon.

Lee West has returned from a hunting trip in the northern peninsula, where he killed a nice young deer.

Miss Mae Holcomb has returned to her school at Ypsilanti after a visit with her parents over Thanksgiving.

Prospects look bright for having electric lights here, as there has more signed the papers than it requires.

August Holcomb has returned to school at Chicago, after spending Thanksgiving week with his parents here.

Alfred Hyde has returned home from a visit with his sister at Northville and is much improved from his long illness.

A new stock of Black Cat hosiery just received at Cook & Co's.

TAKEN FROM OUR EXCHANGES

News Items Taken From Other Papers Over the County and Surrounding Territory

L. R. Hunter's automobile was stolen from his barn at South Lyon Sunday night. A young man employed on the farm disappeared at the same time. —Milford Times.

People who saw Elmer Steffen the other morning, were wondering why he was stepping so high and singing so happily. The secret soon got out. A big bouncing boy has arrived at his home. —Redford Record.

An unfortunate accident occurred a week ago when Robert Meddaugh fell and broke his arm. Mr. Meddaugh is 86 years of age and though wonderfully well preserved his age makes the accident serious. —Rochester Era.

Andrew DeVere, on the Dake farm, was quite seriously injured when his automobile was struck by an automobile truck, in Detroit last week. His ribs were badly fractured, besides being bruised otherwise. —South Lyon Herald.

What might have proven a bad accident was narrowly averted at the Main street crossing of the M. C. and D. U. R. Monday when a M. C. freight train backed into a well filled D. U. R. car, endangering the lives of about 30 passengers.

Fortunately the train was brought to a standstill before the trolley car was overturned. This is the second time within 30 days that freight trains and electric cars have collided at this crossing, and it is high time some one was taking more necessary precautions. —Rochester Clarion.

NOTICE

The tax rolls of Farmington township are in my hands for collection, and I will receive taxes every Friday and Saturday, beginning December 10th, at Schroeder's meat market, during banking hours only.

L. F. SCHROEDER,
Township Treasurer.

Enterprise liners always pay.

Remember the Rona Cocoa Demonstration at Cook & Co's. tomorrow, December 4th.

TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Eisenlord
Entertain a Number of
Relatives and Friends

Last Saturday, November 27th, being the twentieth anniversary of their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Eisenlord celebrated the event by entertaining their relatives and friends at their home in this village to the number of 40.

The home was prettily decorated with green and white, favors being carnations and roses; also white baskets trimmed with pink ribbon.

A four course dinner was served at 6 o'clock, after which progressive pedro occupied a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eisenlord were the recipients of a number of gifts, and many congratulations for their future happiness and prosperity.

Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Fitzer, Miss O'Brien, Mr. and Mr. Duane Tibbitts, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. R. Van Avery, Redford; Mr. and Mrs. F. Van Avery and Mrs. Cummins of Franklin.

The event was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

How to Care for Seed Corn

On account of the very wet season this year corn as it comes from the field has more than the ordinary amount of moisture. If allowed to remain until freezing weather and the corn freezes in this condition, the germ in each kernel will have its life or growing power injured, and the value of the corn for seed for next year will be greatly reduced.

For that reason it is necessary to dry seed corn as quickly as possible after selection in the field by hanging in the kitchen or furnace room where heat can be applied and the ventilation is good.

Requirements of a seed curing room are:

1. Ventilation.
2. Heat.
3. Dryness.

Hanging the seed corn by a criss-crossed double cord, placing the ears between them so that they can be held securely but apart from each other, is often done and is to be recommended.

A device sometimes used for curing small quantities of seed corn is "The Corn Tree." Finishing nails are driven into an ordinary cord post about three inches apart and the corn placed on the nails. This post can be placed on a standard and set in a doorway or window where there is a current of air to help carry off the moisture.

Gilt Edge News Items

Frank Bradley has his new barn nearly finished.

Willard Travis, who teaches in the Pierson district school, is now quite ill with eczema.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metting, of Detroit, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Kahrl and family.

Asa Kahrl and Earl Couklu went on a hunting trip west of South Lyon last Saturday, and both returned with their hunting bags loaded.

Mrs. Riley Wolfrom lost her watch last Saturday somewhere along Main street, but when she got ready to go home, she found it lying beside one of the wheels of the buggy.

Turner's orchestra and Earl Alexander as solist, a combination worth hearing. Princess Rijk at Northville Saturday evening.