

BICYCLE CLUB STILL LEADS

ITS BOWLING TEAM WINS THREE MORE GAMES.

Took Them from the Orange and Blacks Last Night and a Tighter Grasp on First Place Is Thus Secured—Suburban Team Drops Its Hard Luck and Does Some Fine Rolling—Only One Set of Games Played in the City League—Standing of the Teams.

The bowling in the Scranton Bicycle club league last night was uniformly good. The best work of the night was done by the Scranton Bicycle club team which won three games from the Orange and Blacks and made a grand total of 2,647, thus taking a leap still higher than before. The score:

SCRANTON BICYCLE CLUB.

O'Connell	118	132	152	502
Gorman	152	187	177	516
Mitchell	167	164	168	499
Roper	190	206	178	574
Wardell	118	109	136	363
	815	907	895	2517

ORANGE AND BLACKS.

Litt	114	135	151	400
Northing	132	152	147	431
Simpson	117	129	142	388
Clarke	150	159	178	487
Stair	162	166	148	476
	502	581	554	1637

High score, O'Connell, 229; high average, Roper, 191.2.

The Suburban team also rolled in a most superior manner and took three straight from the Electric City Wheelmen's team by good-sized margins. The score:

SUBURBANS.

Trowson	175	159	191	525
Dood	180	149	195	524
Hitchcock	201	196	180	577
Sherman	168	192	167	527
Nichol	182	184	195	561
	806	805	800	2411

ELECTRIC CITY WHEELMEN.

McCracken	117	169	145	431
Williams	179	174	147	499
Davis	159	159	208	526
Cooms	152	164	156	472
Wetting	143	171	169	483
	755	844	825	2424

High score, Davis, 208; high average, Hitchcock, 191.3.

The Green Ridge Wheelmen's team didn't have a very hard job in taking three games from the Arcadians on the Electric City Wheelmen's alleys. The score:

ARCADIANS.

Deque	135	149	171	455
Morgan	179	166	158	503
Chaffield	168	152	169	489
Owens	159	157	152	468
Stover	152	164	156	472
	781	789	780	2350

GREEN RIDGE WHEELMEN.

Taylor	178	171	191	540
Wedman	151	152	173	476
Mason	181	159	151	491
Moore	161	204	150	515
Weichel	188	169	176	533
	859	857	790	2506

High score, Moore, 204; high average, Taylor, 180.

The standing of the teams in this league is now as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Scranton Bicycle club	19	5	.792
Electric City Wheelmen	15	9	.625
Green Ridge Wheelmen	14	10	.583
Suburbans	13	11	.542
Arcadians	7	17	.292
Orange and Black	4	20	.167

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE.

Only one set of games was played last night in the City Bowling league, the other three sets having been postponed for various reasons. These games were played between the Backus and Cambrian teams and the former won all three. The score:

BACKUS.

Fahrenholt	151	159	167	477
Moore	159	170	159	488
Vogelsang	144	165	172	481
Peckham	152	159	168	479
Hopkins	184	171	176	531
	791	795	841	2427

CAMBRIANS.

A. Davis	159	119	129	387
Jehu	140	123	150	422
Feldman	135	113	153	401
Bonner	116	152	147	415
Gillespie	187	131	162	480
	717	617	750	2084

High score, Gillespie, 187; high average, H. J. J. 171.

M'ILLAN GETS A MATCH.

His Wrestling Challenge Accepted by Prof. Dwyer. McMillan, the wrestler who came into prominence in this section two weeks ago when he was defeated in a handicap match by Prof. Dwyer is to meet Dwyer again. The challenge issued by McMillan has been accepted by Dwyer, and the latter yesterday telegraphed from New Haven, Conn., that he would meet McMillan in a mixed match here on December 29. Arrangements have been made to hold the go in Music hall. At the last match McMillan agreed to throw Dwyer three times within an hour and succeeded in throwing him twice in half the time. However, when the men went on the mat for the third time, Dwyer got the better of his opponent and secured a fall. The match is for \$100 a side, the winner to get 75 and the loser 25 per cent. of the gate receipts.

SHOT BY SON-IN-LAW.

Sebato Ledesco Badly Wounded by Marco Mamchello. Sebato Ledesco, an old Italian, was shot and seriously wounded on Sunday evening at Old Forge, by his son-in-law, Marco Mamchello, who is being held at the county jail to await the result of his victim's injuries. The shooting occurred on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the injured man's brother, Louis Ledesco, who lives on Main street. A number of men were in the house playing cards, when Ledesco and his son-in-law got into a wordy war. The elderly man said something which annoyed Mamchello, who pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired three shots at him. One of the bullets went wild, a second passed through Ledesco's shoulder and a third grazed his skull. The injured man was attended by Dr. Timlin and Mamchello was arrested by Chief of Police McKenna. He made no offer of resistance and was committed to the county jail by Justice Holland without bail. Ledesco's injuries are serious but it is believed that he will recover.

ARIEL.

D. W. Mittan died Sunday morning at 7.10 o'clock, of cancer of the liver. He was 52 years of age. The funeral will be held at Waverly, Pa., on Wednesday, at 2 P. M. Mrs. Lewis Benjamin, of Dalton, has come from this place to Hawley, where she is visiting friends.

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