Carlton Berry

Date of birth - 11/6/25

Residence - 1115-1st Street West,Vinton,Iowa 52349

Carl is a Posthumous selection having died March 11,1985

Carl was a fine team bowler who helped make the Silver Corporation and NovakAmusements teams one of the best bowling teams in the 1950's. His ability was exceeded only by his good nature and great outlook of the game.

He won two Iowa State titles, winning the singles in 1950 with a score of 685 and the team title in 1951 with the Silver Corporation a score of 2944. Carl was Iowa State runnerup twice.

in 1962, Carl purchased a bowling establishment in Vinton. He built up the business until he was able to build a larger bowling center there in Vinton. His family still owns and operates that business, and they owe the success of that business to the sense of fairness that Carl had established with the bowlers.

Carl was very much respected in the bowling circles, not only for his bowling ability but his strong support of Junior Bowling.

Carl was presented with the Cedar Rapids Bowler of the Year Award in 1954 and elected to the Cedar Rapids Bowling Hall of Fame in 1977.

Bowling Achievements:

- 1st Singles in 1950 Iowa State Bowling Tournament with 685
- 1st Team in 195| Iowa State Bowling Tournament Silver Corp. 2944
- 2nd team in 196| ISBA Tournament with Novak Amusements
- 2nd in 1962 in ISBA Tournament Doubles
- 1st All-Events, Iowa State Legion
- 1st All-Events, Iowa State Kiwanis
- 1st All-Events in Cedar Rapids City Tournament (twice)
- 1st All-Events in Cedar RApids 700 Club Tournament (3 times)

Carl had a high game of 287 a high series of 734 and his highest average was 198.

Carl died on March 22,1985.

Inducted into the Iowa Bowling Hall of Fame, Posthumously in March 1988,