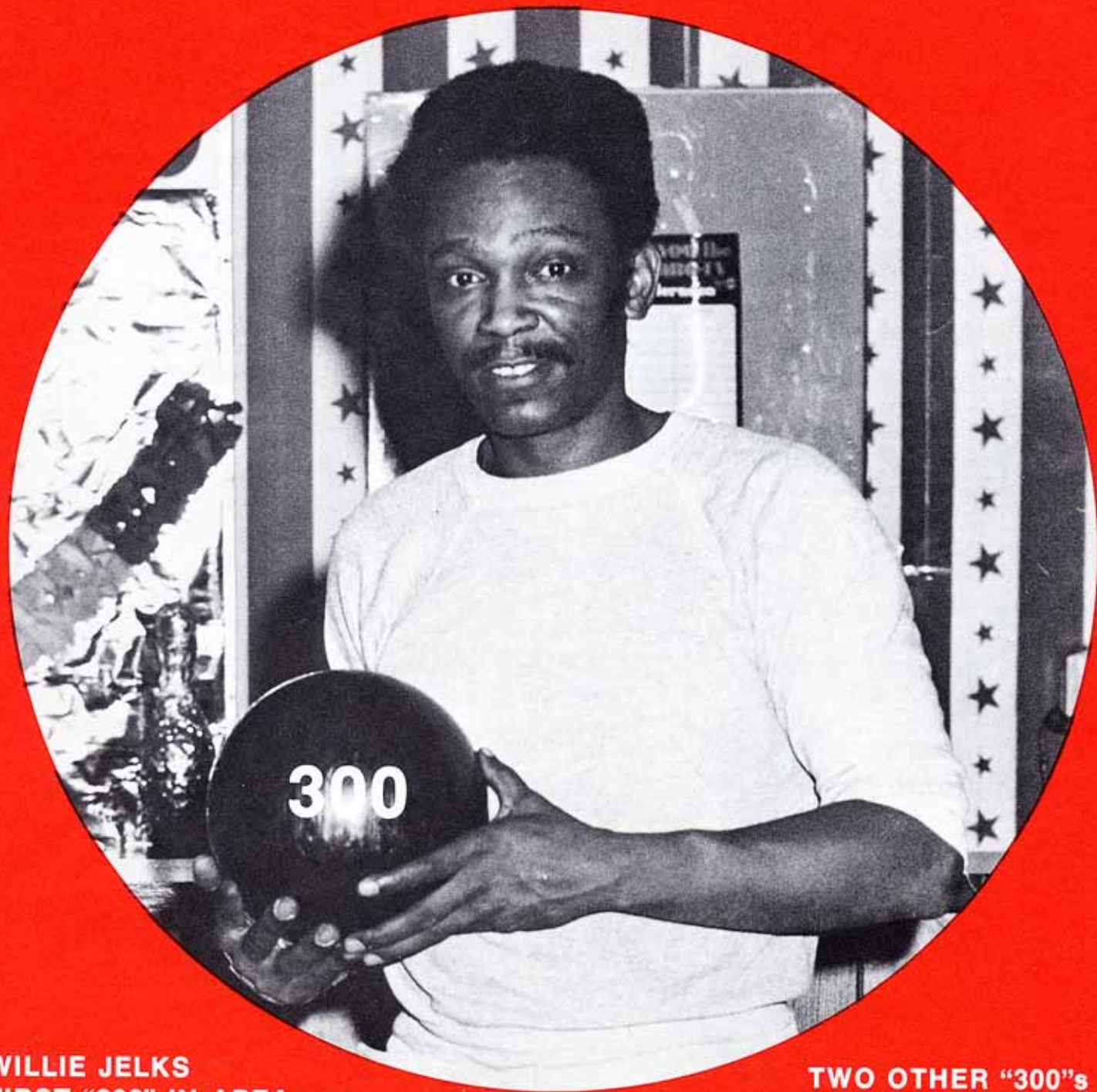


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Willie Jelks, a 35-year old dry wall contractor, rolled the first 300 game of the season in the Nation's Capital Area Bowling Association while bowling in the Ted Newman Classic at Bowl America Shirley on Friday, January 9, 1976. Jelks, a 190-average bowler in recent years, is currently maintaining a 200 average. His "perfecto" game was the first game of the series, the second game was a 161 and the final game a 222 for a total set of 683. His highest series in 16 years of competition has been 777. In 1965, Willie rolled a 299 game. For the 1974-1975 season, Willie was ranked in 19th place with a 186.360 league average and a 188 tournament average for a composite of 186.561.

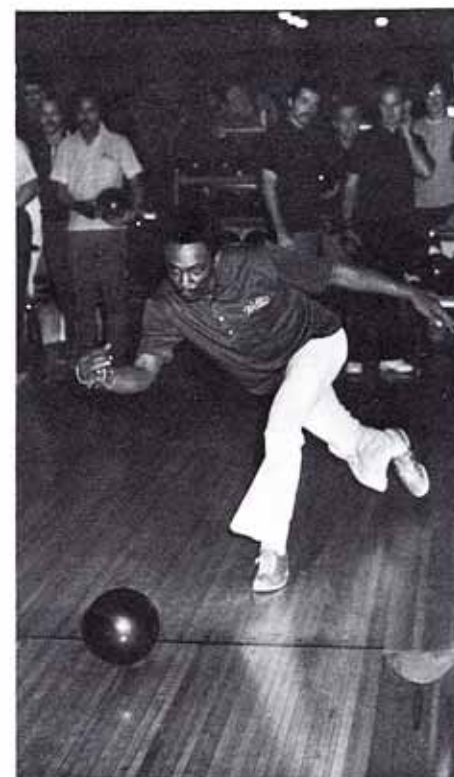
Currently, Willie is bowling in the Falls Church Men's Commercial, Tuesday Men's Commercial League at Fair Lanes Capital Plaza and the Virginia Masters at Fair Lanes Springfield as well as the Ted Newman Classic.

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Willie said the eleventh ball was the tough one. He said it was high and he got the break when all the pins fell. After getting that break, Willie knew the last ball had to be there and it was.