

TOURNEY IS NOW ON

Billiard Players of Richmond
Fight for City Cham-
pionship.

HANDCAPS ARE ARRANGED.

The city handicap billiard championship tournament is now on at the Simmons Brothers pool and billiard hall. Eight of the best known players in the city are entered in this match and general interest in its results is being taken by the followers of the cue. Thursday afternoon the first match was played between Braffett and Burr, the former winning after Burr had led him nearly the entire distance. Thursday evening R. Poundstone defeated Roberts and last evening Bacon took Twigg into camp by playing a brilliant steady game. The following is a list of the players with their handicaps:

Braffett 150, Bacon 110, Suters 125, Hibberd 110, Roberts 95, Burr 85, R. Poundstone 80, Twigg 75.

These handicaps, for the benefit of the uninitiated, mean, for instance: When Braffett and Twigg play Braffett must run 150 points while Twigg is running 75. Last year Hibberd won the city championship from Braffett.

AARANGES BIG MATCH

Charlson Will Pull Off Double Header on Monday, November 30.

CHAS. OLSON MAY APPEAR.

Promoter Charlson writes that the next wrestling match in Richmond will be pulled off on Monday, November 30. "I am arranging a double header that will outshine all other matches ever held before in Richmond," he says. Charlson does not state who the principals in this match will be. Olson will probably be matched against the former wrestling partner of Hackenschmidt, who was defeated by Gotch for the world's championship. This mat artist weighs 210 pounds—30 pounds more than Olson—and is said to be a wonder. The principals of the other match will probably be announced next week.

Thursday night at Anderson, the Turk defeated Young Beel, after losing the first fall of the match. Olson challenged the winner but the Turk refuses to take him on.

QUAKER PLAYERS
NOT PRACTICINGGymnasium Is Undergoing Re-
pairs.

All basket ball practice at Earlham has been declared off for the next several days, as the gymnasium is undergoing repairs, a new steam heating plant being installed. The new system is being put in as rapidly as possible, and it is expected that practice will be resumed by the latter part of next week. During the meantime, Coach Vail is working among the students, stirring up enthusiasm.

Dousier's Sweeping Challenge. Jake Dousier, the professional motor cycle rider, holder of all world's records from one to five miles, recently issued a challenge to meet any motor cycle rider in the world at any distance from one to a hundred miles for any part of \$1,000. The race is to be ridden under the rules of the Federation of American Motor Cyclists, the machine having sixty-one cubic inches piston displacement.

Rector Will Not Retire. There is no truth in the report that James A. Rector, the Virginia flier, is to retire from track athletics. Rector will again lead the Virginia track team during the coming season.

SPORTING BRIEFS.

The Pacific coast amateur rowing regatta will occur at Naples on Nov. 25.

Duluth, Minn., will organize a big stock company to promote sporting events.

Jimmy Smith, the individual bowling champion of New York, will roll a fifty-one game home and home series with Dave Woodbury, champion of Chicago.

Six countries—England, Hungary, Germany, Sweden, Holland and Belgium—have joined in an International swimming organization, and the United States has been invited to join.

Wisconsin and Michigan are looking forward to basket ball games with some of the eastern colleges. Chicago won the inter-collegiate title by beating Pennsylvania last season.

Robert Hellmich, who is cycling from New York to Germany, reached San Francisco recently. He started July 14 and expects to be in Berlin next August to win a wager.

RAW LUNGS.

When the lungs are sore and inflamed, the germs of pneumonia and consumption find lodgement and multiply. Foley's Honey and Tar pills, the cough germs, cures the most obstinate racking cough, heals the lungs, and prevents serious results. The genuine is in the yellow package. A. G. Luken & Co.

AT THE LOCAL PLAY HOUSES

"Jane Eyre"—Gennett.

Something different in the way of a comedy-drama production will appear here at the Gennett theatre when "Jane Eyre" makes her first bow this afternoon and tonight. This is a clean-cut comedy in the broader sense with a dramatic story threaded through so intense in its telling that it compels attention. There is not a dull moment or incident from the rise of the first curtain. Every reader of good literature has read Charlotte Bronte's great work ("Jane Eyre") and after its first production in Chicago, so great was the demand for the book that the publishers were compelled to put out several new editions.

"A Message From Mars"—Gennett. "All the world loves a lover." In "A Message From Mars," which will again be seen here at the Gennett theater, matinee and night, Nov. 24, there are a pair of lovers that rivet the attention of audiences from the time the story of the play begins until it ends—and of course it ends happily. True love does not seem to run smoothly anywhere and as shown in this play its smoothness is disturbed by that most abominable of crimes, selfishness. That girl throws her sweetheart overboard because he is selfish. When he reforms she takes him back, but in bringing about the reformation is the interesting part of the play. It is heroically done by a messenger from the planet Mars.

Vaudeville—New Phillips.

Swans alligators, the sensation of the vaudeville circuit will be headliners at the New Phillips the coming week. The act introduces Bert Swan, England's champion deep sea diver and aquatic champion. Feats of unheard of novelty will be seen in the performance. The alligators, carefully trained show much intelligence.



WATSON DENOUNCING BISHOP IN "THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE."

One of them is a wrestler and Mr. Swan has a fierce contest with him in the water.

Nancy Lee Rice, the dancing harpist, is another novelty that will be featured. This graceful girl beside being a creditable dancer is a skilled musician on the harp, and combines

the two in a most happy effect. Her good looking actress, of some renown.

Lou Hanvey and Agnes Baylies in a high class and comedy singing number are a worthy addition to the program.

Moving pictures and the illustrated song complete the bill.

ELLERY.

Great Band Leader Is
Recipient of Many Compliments



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Col. Ellery, of the Ellery Band, has probably been the recipient of more compliments regarding his band than any manager that ever toured in America. He says that he particularly appreciates the words of praise that come from the very old and the very young. On the occasion of the first appearance of the Ellery Band in New York City at the Hippodrome last year, an old man with snow white hair, issuing from the concert with his children and grandchildren, was overheard to exclaim with the tears in his eyes: "That was Heavenly Music at Mortal Hands." The uplift in the Ellery music is something that must be experienced in order to be fully realized. Music-lovers who once hear a concert by this band, cannot remain away from the subtle atmosphere of its intimate charm. Ellery appears at the Coliseum tonight.

SENTENCE COMMUTED.

Preble County Burglar Gets Off Easier.

Eldorado, O., Nov. 21.—Fred Ellis, who was sentenced to the penitentiary from Preble county, for ten years, for burglarizing an uninhabited dwelling, has had his sentence commuted to six years by Governor Harris.

In the last ten years over \$20,000,000 has been spent by the Wesleyan Methodist church of England on churches and halls for religious work.

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THANKSGIVING
ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Williamsburg Cemetery As-
sociation will serve their annual
Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner in the
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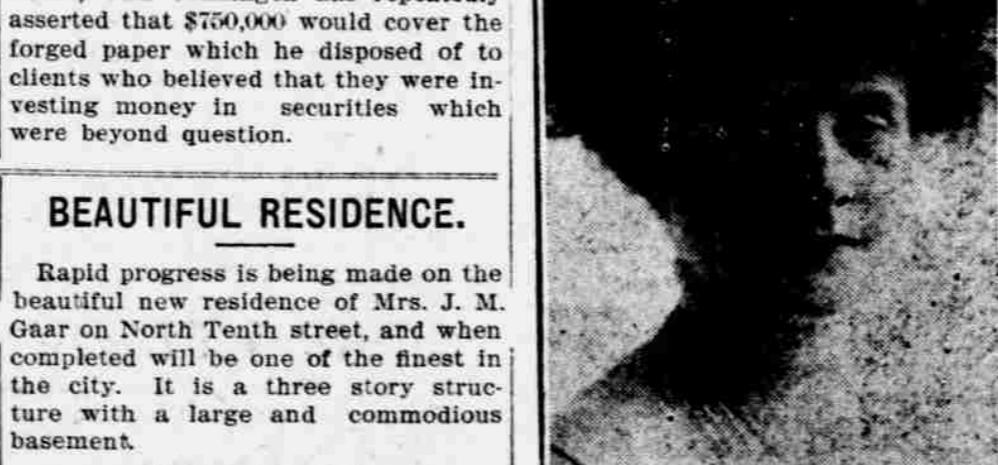
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Very Game.
A lady who had made a tour of
England told a quaint story about a
precocious boy.
They are very precocious indeed."
she said, "those little chaps from Eton
or Rugby, with their round, sober faces
and their quiet air.
A very pretty American girl was
talking one evening in London to one
of these urchins.
"And have you got a sweetheart
yet, Tommy?" she said playfully.
"No," said Tommy. "Still I'm game
enough for a bit of spooning. If that's
what you're after."

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