

New Year Cards, Pocket Diaries, 1897, Peloubet's Notes on the Sunday School Lessons, 1897.

Deep cut in prices all this week on all Holiday Articles, Toys, Games, Blackboards, Desks, Toilet Cases and Fancy Articles, Holiday Books and Fancy Stationery, at very large reductions, to clear out balances.

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The use of Shavings for bedding for horses or cows is not

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ANOTHER INSURANCE SUIT.
Industrial of Newark Is Sued by Mrs. Anna Keogh, of Minooka.

The United States Industrial Insurance company of Newark, N. J., was yesterday made defendant in a suit for \$500 instituted by Anna Keogh, of Minooka, through Attorney E. C. Newcomb.

POOLITZ ARRESTED IN THIS CITY.
He is Wanted in Exeter Borough for Desertion of His Family.

For nearly a month Andrew Poolitz has been wanted by the authorities in Exeter on the charge of desertion of his family, the warrant being issued at the instance of John Tooshey, of that place. The warrant for Poolitz's arrest has been in the hands of Chief Robling, of this city, since Dec. 10, and yesterday afternoon the man was located near the corner of Penna and Lackawanna avenues by Patrolman Palmer. He was immediately placed under arrest.

Poolitz probably be taken to Exeter to day, as Justice of the Peace McCawley, who issued the warrant for his arrest, has been notified that he is in the custody of the Scranton police.

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Is he whose feet rest comfortably in our correct-made shoes. The most attractive of Bull Dogs if you want—any other shape toe if you wish.

There's no other Winter Shoe like Our Tan "College" Boot.

\$3.50 The Pair.

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FIVE THOUSAND FOR EACH OF TWO KISSES

That is the Price Mrs. Emma May Bradish Wants to Obtain.

SHE HAS SUED SANFORD GRANT

Her Story is to the Effect that Grant Pinned Her Arms in a Corridor of the American House on Franklin Avenue and Kissed Her on the Lips and on the Cheek—Details of the Story That She Relates.

Mrs. Emma May Bradish, wife of T. A. Bradish, a traveling photographer, yesterday sued Sanford Grant for \$5,000 for kissing her twice, first on the lips and the second time on the cheek. The assault, for such Mrs. Bradish declares it was, took place on Dec. 4 last in the American house, on Franklin avenue. The home of the Bradishes is in Utica, N. Y., but they were residing in Scranton for several months while Bradish and his partner, Richter, took interior views of offices, photographs of buildings, etc., in this city and its vicinity. They left yesterday afternoon for Wilkes-Barre, which is their present headquarters.



MRS. EMMA MAY BRADISH.

Mrs. Bradish is a handsome, dashing young woman of 25 or 26, and is well known about town. He is the possessor of a snug income and is not at present engaged in any particular business. He spent some time in the west, returning in late in the fall and since then has been frequently seen about town. His grandfather was Sanford Grant, one of Scranton's most prominent and progressive citizens in her early days. His father died some years ago, leaving to his wife and two children a quantity of the most valuable real estate in the city, some of which has been disposed of at fancy prices during the last few years.

MRS. BRADISH'S STORY.
The story of the kissing, as told by Mrs. Bradish is as follows: On Dec. 4 she was living with her husband at the American hotel on Franklin avenue. His partner, Richter, and wife, lived across the street. Bradish and Richter were in Carbondale on the night of Dec. 4, and Mrs. Richter joined Mrs. Bradish at the American house to keep her company. The Bradishes owned a valuable dog, which showed signs of illness early in the evening, and Mrs. Bradish left word with the clerk of the hotel to send Herman Cohen, one of her husband's employes, to her room when he came in, that she might instruct him to have the dog cared for. Cohen soon afterwards appeared and seeing the condition of the dog, decided to obtain a veterinary surgeon to attend to it.

He obtained Dr. John M. Courtright, and Sanford Grant accompanied the doctor and Cohen to the floor on which Mrs. Bradish's room was located. The dog was lying in the hallway and Mrs. Bradish came out of her room to describe its symptoms. Mrs. Richter was in bed. The doctor, having examined the dog, went downstairs to get some necessary remedies, and Grant asked Mrs. Bradish and Cohen to have something to drink. She declares that they both refused to drink, but nevertheless Grant went downstairs and got two glasses of beer and brought them up, at the same time sending Cohen down for cigars. Grant and Mrs. Bradish were then alone in the corridor and she alleges that he grabbed her and pinned her arms.

KISSED HER TWICE.
Having thus rendered her powerless to defend herself, she says that Grant kissed her on the lips and cheek. He then somewhat relaxed his hold and she tore herself away from him and fled into her room. Ten minutes later she asked who was outside; a voice replied, "the doctor." She opened the door slightly and Grant's head at once appeared through the aperture. Mrs. Bradish slammed the door in his face and she did not afterward hear anything from him that night.

The next day she says she told her husband that Grant had insulted her, and when the two men met in the office of the hotel later in the day a fight took place, during which Bradish had a finger broken. He swore out a warrant for Grant's arrest and on Dec. 7 Alderman Millar held the accused in bail for his appearance at court. The case was heard yesterday by the grand jury.

Mr. Grant denies having taken part in the kissing episode so minutely and graphically described by Mrs. Bradish, and says that it is a put-up job for the purpose of blackmailing him. He says he will be able to prove his entire innocence of the charge.

ARRANGING FOR A CONCERT.
It will be Given Under the Auspices of H. R. Y. M. C. A.
The railroad department of the Young Men's Christian association, under whose auspices the "Messiah" was rendered last year, is planning for a concert in the Frothingham on Monday evening, Feb. 1, to be given by a quartette of vocalists which is undoubtedly the finest in America. The quartette is made up of T. Henry McKinley, tenor; Carl E. Duft, bass-baritone; Kathryn Hille, soprano, and Mary Louise Clary, contralto.

Mr. McKinley and Miss Hille sang the tenor and soprano solos in the "Messiah" last year, and their work received the most favorable criticism of the music lovers of this city. Mr. McKinley has more than national reputation, having achieved a flattering degree of success in England dur-

MRS. FRANCES SWAN MARRIED YESTERDAY

In Chicago, to Her Former Husband's Brother, James Swan.

CEREMONY QUIETLY CONDUCTED

None of Mrs. Swan's Sisters were Present—Cards of Announcement Will Be Delivered Today—Mr. Swan is a Real Estate Agent in Chicago Where They Will Probably Reside for a Short Time—Her Prominent Public Office.

ing a two years' visit to that country. Mary Louise Clary is a contralto whose work has attracted much attention during the past few years. The Louisville Courier-Journal in a recent criticism of Mrs. Clary's singing, said: "There was not one in the house who did not enthusiastically endorse the verdict of the eastern press and people that Miss Clary is the greatest of all American contraltos. Those who remember Annie Louise Cary in her prime heard here a successor who worthily wears the laurels which so long crowned the brow of that great artist."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Chauncey A. Reynolds and the Misses Reynolds gave a tea from 4 to 6 o'clock yesterday at their home, 47 Wyoming avenue. They received with Mrs. Reynolds' niece and sister, Miss Reynolds, of Kingston, and Mrs. G. G. Williams, of New York city. In serving and waiting they were assisted by Miss Merrill, the Misses Matthews, Miss Jernyn, the Misses Reynolds, of Sanderson avenue; Miss Rogers; Miss Lutz; Miss F. Dikson, in the lateral decorations of the rooms, pink was the prevailing color.



MRS. JAMES SWAN.

In St. Peter's cathedral on Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, Michael Lynnott, of North Scranton, was married to Miss Nellie Cummings, of central city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Lyndon, a cousin of the groom. Many people were present to witness the ceremony. A reception was held later in the evening in the bride's home. Mrs. Lynnott is a traveling salesman for M. J. Kelly, the cracker manufacturer, and is well and favorably known in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Lynnott left town early yesterday morning for an extensive wedding tour.

Mrs. Calvin Seybold and the Misses Seybold were formerly the guests of Mrs. Lyndon at the recent anniversary of their Wednesday's at home.

PERSONAL MENTION.
Captain W. A. May was in New York city yesterday.
Optician S. H. Twining, of Penn avenue, is home from Philadelphia.
Ex-Sheriff H. P. Carter, of Wilkes-Barre, was in this city yesterday.
Mrs. Henry Wolf and daughter, of South Ansony, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Ross, of 121 Pine street.
Chief Clerk Wagner, of the county commissioners' office, is ill at his home, in the Tenth ward.
C. W. Wisner, of Warwick, N. Y., is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kingsbury.
Mrs. E. B. Scott and Joseph C. Egan, of Jersey City, who attended here the funeral of Attorney J. D. Rogan, have returned home.
J. A. Simon, manager, and George Ashtey and J. W. Chidwell, managers of the "Heart of Chicago" company, are registered at the Westminster.

NO FEATHERS ON THEM.
Mr. Quinn and Mrs. Finnerty Declare They Stole No Geese or Chickens.
Just before Christmas, it would appear from papers filed in Prothonotary Fryor's office, yesterday, some fowl were stolen from one Nora Dempsey, of Johnson street, Mrs. Bridget Melody, a resident of that classic neighborhood, for some reason which is not made apparent in the papers, formed in her mind the conclusion that the stealing was done by Thomas Quinn and that he was aided and abetted in the fowl deed by Bridget Finnerty. At all events, she, it is alleged, in a public place and at diverse times, in a loud voice declared of Mrs. Finnerty that "she picked and cooked and helped to eat the geese of Nora Dempsey." Then at another place and time and with the same outspokenness of tongue but in unmeasured verse said of Thomas Quinn: "You stole the geese. You are a chicken thief. You are the one who stole the chickens and geese. Tommy stole the chickens and the geese and ate them."
For all of this Mrs. Finnerty and Mr. Quinn say they were besely slandered and through Attorney M. A. McKinley they seek to recover \$1,000 apiece from their accuser.

DIED.
FORDHAM—in Scranton, Pa., Jan. 6, 1897, at 12 m., Mrs. Isabel E. Fordham, nee of the late John R. Fordham, at her home, Sanderson avenue, in the seventy-second year of her age. Funeral Friday at 10 a. m., from residence, Park street.
GIBNEY—in Scranton, Pa., Elizabeth Gibney, 2 months and 5 days of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gibney, of 306 North Everett avenue. Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.
JUDGE—in Scranton, Pa., Jan. 6, 1897, at 9:30 p. m., Mrs. Agnes Judge, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Patrick Cannon, 47 Railroad avenue. Funeral announcement later.

KEILLOUF—in Dunmore, Pa., Jan. 5, 1897, John Keilouf, Esq., was killed by a train from his late residence, on Walnut street, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in St. Mary's Catholic cemetery.

ONE CENT WORD

Have you a house, barn or anything to rent?
Have you any real estate for sale?
Have you lost or found anything?
Do you want to rent a house?
Do you want a housekeeper or servant?
Do you want to buy anything?
If so, try a "want ad." in THE TRIBUNE

WINTON SCHOOL BOARD AGAIN.
Tax Collector Refuses to Turn Over Funds to New Collector.

MILLS START UP TODAY.
Nothing Definite Concerning the Length of Time Work Will Last.

BEN HUR SPECTACLE.
Mrs. H. J. Anderson, Director, Has Selected the Chaperones—A Most Deserving Charity.

Mrs. H. J. Anderson has accepted the direction of the Ben Hur production that is to be given in the Frothingham on Jan. 20, 21 and 22 for the benefit of the summer home of the Men's guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church. For chaperones of the groups of characters in the dances, tableaux, etc., Mrs. Anderson has selected the following:

Princesses of Apollo—Mrs. William T. Smith, Mrs. James Archibald, Mrs. Henry Bell, Jr.
Nymphs of Daphne—Mrs. J. Ben Dimmick, Miss Jennie Reynolds, Mrs. W. W. Scanton, Mrs. Charles S. Weston.
Arabian Girls—Mrs. Everett Warren, Mrs. H. W. Kingsbury.
Egyptian Maidens—Mrs. H. P. Simpson, Mrs. A. H. Stors.
Spirits and Hatteries—Mrs. Frank Rhyme, and her three sisters, Mrs. W. W. Ives, who is the wife of Dr. Ives; Mrs. Edward Ives and Mrs. William Keiser, all of whom reside in Scranton.

CARDS OF ANNOUNCEMENT.
Cards of announcement were mailed in this city last night and will be delivered this morning.
Mr. Swan is engaged in the real estate business in Chicago. None of Mrs. Swan's sisters attended the wedding. She has two brothers who live in the west, George, at Topoka, Kan., and Burton, at Chicago.
Mrs. Swan is the poor director representing the Ninth, Tenth and Seventeenth wards. She was appointed by Judge Archibald early in 1896 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Stewart. Her husband was the person named in the petitioners of the district, but as there developed some opposition to him, Judge Archibald appointed her to the office.

Prices Slaughtered
at the great-auction sale of diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, clocks, etc., at Davidson Bros., 217 Lacka. Ave.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

FANCY BASKET SALE

Your Chance

Is here to get a Work Basket for a song. Two or three hundred are to be closed out. We are going to drop this line and to get them out of the way at once. The prices will be little.

15c. to 3.00.

TRACTION COMPANY CAR DAMAGED THE GRAVITY HOUSE IT IS ALLEGED.
One night last fall a car on the Moosic line of the Scranton Traction company ran away on the Starik's Hatch hill and jumping the track on the curve at the foot of the hill dashed into a house, knocking down a fence, a cherry tree and part of a porch before coming to a standstill. A number of the passengers were hurt and one of them, Miss Mary Moran, of the West Side, has a case for damages now pending in the courts.

MAHON WAS WILD.
Beat His Wife, Wrecked His Home and Was Arrested.
The sound of a woman's cries and the crashing of furniture early last evening brought neighbors to the house of William Mahon on Phelps street. The interior of the house was a wreck. Chairs, dishes and tables had passed through a course of harsh treatment at Mahon's hands. He was wild drunk and in his craziness had beaten his wife.
The neighbors subdued the man and sent for the police who gave him a ride in the patrol wagon. He will explain to Mayor Baily this morning.

REXFORD'S,
303 Lacka. Ave.

THE KEELEY CURE
Why let your home and business be destroyed through a cure of drink or morphine, when you can be cured in four weeks at the Keeley Institute, 28 Madison avenue, Scranton, Pa. The Cure Will Bear Investigation.

The Hostess

Knows that the decorations of her dinner table will be regarded as reflecting her good taste and judgment. An artistic and handsome Dinner Set will add much to the effect. How much better your New Year's dinner will taste with white table linen and dainty dishes. We can furnish the dishes at any price you want to pay. Come in and look them over.

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You can save money by buying spectacles of Silverstone, the eye specialist, at 309 Lackawanna avenue, only one flight over the Lehigh Valley ticket office. The following prices will satisfy you that they are the cheapest in the city: Solid gold-rimmed spectacles at \$3.00 per pair; filled bows at \$2; nickel bows from 50c to \$1.50; aluminum bows from 75c to \$2.00; colored glasses from 25c. to \$1.25. We have a large line of reading glasses, the best in the market, at 25c. per pair. Opera and magnifying glasses at reduced prices. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 12m.; 1 to 6 p. m. Remember that your eyes will be examined free and satisfaction is guaranteed.

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Cloaks and Trimmed Hats.

We have 10,000 Dollars worth of JACKETS, CAPES, SEPARATE SKIRTS AND TRIMMED HATS, and in order to dispose of them in time to carry them over, we will not wait until March, as others do before they really reduce their prices to any extent.

We have already put the knife into our prices and cut them right into half. Not a single garment can you find in our handsome, cheerful and well lighted store that does not come up to the full standard in regard to STYLE and QUALITY. Our store is lighted not by gas, or any other light that makes your garment look one way in the store and another when you get home. Our store is lighted by NATURAL DAY LIGHT and with PLENTY of it.

We handle NO TRASH. If you want trash, there's no place where you'll find plenty of it there. We handle FINE goods only, and we will not keep in our store anything that is not FINE IN QUALITY and UP-TO-DATE in style, even if we could never sell a garment.

Reliable Goods, Reliable Treatment, Is Our Motto.

It is only six weeks since we have opened our store, and we can confidently say that we have, during that time, made more friends than all other cloak stores during so many years.

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