

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. Complaints having come to us that persons soliciting work in our name have in some instances kept the umbrellas and in others done inferior work, we desire to state that we have no representatives on the road whatever. We will call for your work on mail order only.



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City Notes.

CAN EXCHANGE TICKETS.—Tickets can be exchanged and seats for "Kevonia Komor" reserved at the Lyceum theater this morning at 9 o'clock.

INFORMAL DANCE.—The informal dance of the K. Y. G. club will be held at the Scranton Biograph club house tomorrow evening.

PAPER BY DR. GATES.—At a meeting of the Lackawanna County Medical society held last night in the city hall a paper on "Surgical Diseases of the Kidney" was read by Dr. L. M. Gates.

CHRISTMAS SALE.—Mrs. Damico's Christmas sale and supper is to be held this week (Thursday, Saturday and Sunday) at the Lyceum theater.

KILLED TWO BEARS.—Edward Robinson was receiving the congratulations of his friends yesterday for having killed two young bears on his recent trip to the Adirondacks.

TONIGHT'S RECITAL.—Seats for the Conservatory artist recital by Arthur Hoffman, at the recital house, tonight, may be secured at the Conservatory office or at the door.

TO HEAR OBJECTIONS.—The railway committee of the common council will meet tonight to hear the objections to the City Railway company to the running of cars out of Wyoming avenue, as provided in one of the new franchise ordinances.

THROWN FROM HIS HORSE.—Captain W. H. Burke, the military officer, was thrown from his horse near the Diamond crossing on Monday and his horse was killed.

MASS MEETING.—The "Hammets' League," Nos. 229, 297 and 299, will hold a mass meeting in Rath's hall this evening.

ASSAULTED HIS WIFE.—A warrant was issued by Alderman Miller yesterday for the arrest of Albert Price, of Gibson street, who committed a vicious assault on his wife.

ATTRACTIVE CHRISTMAS SALE.—The ladies of the Penn avenue Baptist church are to conduct a Christmas sale of aprons, fancy articles and home-made candies.

UNITED STATES COURT. Judge Archbold and Clerk Searle have returned from Harrisburg, the session of court there having adjourned.

CATERING.—Hanley. These two words are practically synonyms.

POOR TAXES. The 1901 poor taxes are past due.

BOND OFFERINGS. Spring Brook Water, 1st Mtg. 5s.

Angel Food Cake. As made by Hanley, is the standard of excellence.

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THE DOERSAM CONCERT. Programme That Has Been Arranged for It.

It is very gratifying to the friends of Charles H. Doersam to find that so great an interest is being taken in the testimonial concert which is to be given at the Lyceum theater, Thursday night.

A number of our leading musicians will assist. The program opened last Monday morning at Powell's music store and it is requested that all who have tickets and wish to exchange them for reserved seats please do so by Thursday noon.

- Orchestra, "Die Söhne Gathe's" (F. von Suppe). Soprano—Miss Susan Block. Tenor—Mr. W. M. Russell. Alto—Miss Lida Garagan.

A TALK ON "HAMLET."

Dr. J. J. Walsh, of New York, addressed the Catholic Historical Society on the Tragedy.

Dr. J. J. Walsh, of New York city, gave a most interesting talk on Shakespeare's "Hamlet" last night before the members of the Catholic Historical Society.

In beginning his talk, he referred to "Hamlet" as the greatest tragedy ever written and traced in an interesting manner the development of tragedy through all the ages.

When the verdict of not guilty was rendered Judge Edwards said the evidence warranted a conviction. There is a good deal of such fraud practiced in this region.

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WE ARE PROGRESSING.

It is a proud day when the average boy passes from fractions to decimals. It is progressing; he is gaining knowledge.

Colored Man Used Razor.

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MINOR CRIMINAL CASES.

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