West Side and City Suburban

Miss Hannah Davis and John Harwood United Last Evening.

A quiet home wedding occurred at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Harwood, last evening, when Miss Hannah Davis, of Frink street, was united in marrigae to John Harwood. The ceremony was performed in the prettily decorated parlor at 8 o'clock and Rev. Peter Roberts, of Olyphant, was the officiating elegyman. The couple entered the parlor accompanied by Miss Mary Davis, sister of the bride, as beldesmuid and John Jones as best man. Miss Elizabeth Petrick preceded them as flower girt. The entrance march was Lohengrin and Miss Zeruyah Fethrick was organist. During the ceremony Miss Pethrick softly played "O. Promise Me," and as a fin-

ale played Mendelssohn's march. The parlor decorations consisted of evergreen, palms, and cut flowers. The bride was attired in a next fitting gown of cadet blue, with lace and pearl trimmings. The bridesmaid wore a pretty costume of broadcloth, while the flower girl looked charming in cream silk and carried carnations. At conclusion of the ceremony congratulations were tendered and all sat down to a sumptuous post-nuptial re-

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, of Frink street, and is well-known. The greem enjoys a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. They will reside with his invalid mother at 1821 Price street.

The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Pethrick, Mr. and Mrs. John Pethrick, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Camper. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Camper. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Williams Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wescott, Mr. and Mrs. John Grew, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William Williams, Mrs. Hopkin Maddock, Mrs. Harvey McCarthy, Mrs. William R. Jones, Mrs. William Jones, Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, and the Misses Sarah Powell, Eleanor A. Jones, Zerulah Petherick, Nellie and Jennie Davis, Elizabeth, Martha and Mary Jones, Mary Thomas, Edith and Sarah Powell, Elizabeth James, Lena Schoen, Margaret Walsh, Mary Jones, Tillie Tillie Amand, Margaret Lewis, Mary Thomas, Eliza D. Price, Annie Joseph, Catherine Hawkins, Ruth, Ama and Rachel Jones, Emma Morris. John R. Jones, Frank Hellmig, Frank Richards, Llewellyn R. Jones, Llewellyn Jones, John Thomas, Richard Phillips, William Powell, Samuel, James, and Miles Morgans, Reese Griffiths, David Jenkins, John G. and Evan R. Davis, Thomas Jones.

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about hung festoons and streamers of the gully-decked stage stood a miniature ship under full sail and manned

by a dozen sailor lads in real costume.

E. R. Griffiths, superintendent of the Sabbath school, acted as chairman. son, followed with an anthem by the While waiting for the ship to ing to recitations, interspersed with tery where interment was made. songs and anthems. Recitations were given by the Misses Cora Jones, Allie N. Evans, D. D. Evans, David E. Lew-May Williams, Corrine Collins, Hattie is, John Long and Richard Owens. Ellis, Elizabeth Morris, Annie Thomas, Avus Pritchard, Elizabeth Davis, Lois Beddoe, Elizabeth Thomas, and Nettic Evans, and Chester Thomas, Willie Nicholis and Chester Williams.

Then there was a flag drill by the Misses Millie Thomas, May Jones, Gertrude Morgan, Nellie Lance, Anna and Ethel Lewis, Laura De Gruchy and Avus Pritchard. Of course, all this time the ship was getting nearer and nearer, as was frequently announced by Howard Griffiths, who presided at the telephone. At last the ship came in, and Santa Claus, in the person of Richards, was with it. His crew of sailor boys Howard Griffiths, Willie Nicholis, Chester Thomas, Stephen Davies, Frank Howells, Willie Owens, Howard and Bert Lewis, sang the entering chorus. Santa at once liberally distributed the presents, which formed the cargo of his ship. The exercises

were concluded with a carol. To E. R. Griffiths, superintendent, and Rev. Thomas De Gruchy, pastor, were given a Bible and easy chair, respectively, as tokens of esteem from last evening. The defendants reside at the Sabbath school. Much credit is 1614 Luzerne street, and Constable Timdue to the pastor for the success of

WERE DISCHARGED.

Andrew Olcheski, boarding boss; George Sinicavitch and Charles 'Capres, boarders, defendants in a suit for alleged assault and battery upon Charles Sinicavitch, were discharged at a postponed hearing held before Alderman Johns last evening. The boot was usen the other leg, as the evidence showed.

The defendants testified that the prosecutor had come into the boarding house run by Cloheski, on North Van Buren avenue, about 5 o'clock last Sunday afternoon and insulted the parding bass' wife. The defendants together with a dozen others, threw the offenders cut. Charlie, the brother, had warrant issued from Alderman Johns' office immediately and the three were held under ball for a further hearing, which was held with the above

FUNERAL OF MRS. ROBERTS. The many friends of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts gathered at the resi of the Jackson Street Baptist church dence, 121 North Lincoln avenue, yes gave a fine production of the cantata | terday afternoon and paid the last tribute of respect for one whom they had church. It was the annual observance sarvices were conducted according to of Christmas joys and the full capac- the usages of the First Welsh Congre

Globe Warehouse

ity of the church was taxed by the gational church, of which the deceased people in attendance. A pretty sight was a member Rev. David Jones, greeted the eye upon entering. All pastor of the church, officiated and was assisted by Rev. R. S. Jones, D. D., of parti-colored paper ornaments. Upon North Scranton, and Rev. Hugh Davles, of the South Main avenue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church, Each divine spoke in commendatory terms of the deceased and spoke of the fut-

ure granted to one whose life had been The exercises opened with an organ devoted to the uplifting of humanity voluntary by Miss Marion Hutchin- by Christian living. The floral tributes were profuse and very beautiful. choir, who were assisting. The usual At the conclusion of the services the prayer and responsive readings fol- remains were viewed. Accompanied by an immense funeral cortege, they "sail in," the time was spent in listen- were then borne to Forest Hill cemepallbearers were: Roger Evans, John

BURIAL OF A CHILD.

The funeral services of Julia Etta. the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett, were held yesterday morning at the parental home, 1107 Locust street, and were attended by a large number of the friends of the bereft parents. The floral offerings were very beautiful. Rev. Joseph K. Dixon, D. D., pastor of the Penn Avenue Baptist church, officiated and was assisted by Rev. S. F. Matthews, pastor of the Scranton Street Baptist church. The remains were borne to the Washburn street cemetery where Interment was made. The pallbearers were: Masters A. Beddoe, F. Wheeler, B. Jacoby and R. Miller,

THE DUDKIS ARRESTED.

John Dudki and his wife. Theresa Dudki, were held under \$500 bail for their appearance at court on a charge of selling without a license. The hearng was held before Alderman John othy Jones, of the Fifth ward, was presecutor. The defendants admitted they sold ale and whiskey, but both disclaimed any knowledge of the way the law evoked upon their action.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. M. F. Wymbs, of Jackson street, s the guest of friends in Honesdale. Funeral Director P. W. Tague, of this side, is at Lemon, Pa., attending the funeral of a relative. Dr. John Finnerty, of Buffalo, has

Director M. F. Wymbs, of Jackson Miss Rose Phillips, of Rebecca ave nue, has as her guest, Miss Elizabeth

eturned home after visiting Funeral

Sammon, of Philadelphia. Miss Jane Hartman, of Waller, Pa, s the guest of West Scranton friends. Miss Hattle Yates, of Rupert, Pa., s the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George

Beagle, of Keyser avenue. W. D. Jones, of Carbondale, is the guest of Merchant H. D. Jones, of Jorth Hyde Park avenue Lee Campbell, of North Sumner ave ue, has returned from a visit at

Honesdale, is visiting West Scranton riends. Alderman and Mrs. J. F. Kelly, of Scranton street, have returned from visit at Alden, Pa.

MINOR NEWS NOTES. David M. Jones yesterday announced

ils withdrawal from the controllership ight in the Fitteenth ward.

The members of the Anthracite Glelub are requested to meet at Jones' . North Main avenue, at 8.30 o'clock

Election of officers of Washington amp, No. 178, Patriotic Order Sons of America, will be held this evening at Red Men's hall, and a full attendance members is requested.

The West Side Whist club will have pen house this evening at their rooms. 62 South Main avenue. Marion, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig, aged two years, four months, died at their home, corner of Meridian and Hampton streets on Thristmas morning of membraneous

croup. The funeral services were confucted at the residence Monday afterfrom at 2 o'clock. The Rev. F. P. Doty, of the Hampton street Methodist Episopal church, conducted the services. A large concourse of friends followed the remains to their burial place in the Forest IIII cemetery. We're moving down the stocks in this Department The congregation of the Hampton street Methodist church will hold a atch night service on Friday evening

of this week. Service will begin at o'clock with a praise service, followed y a sermon and that succeeded by a ociai half hour. Then will follow anther short sermon after which the paster, Rev. F. P. Doty, will conduct a consecration service. All are weleme to attend

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SOUTH SCRANTON.

association members held their Christ-

nas exercises Tuesday afternoon. Miss

Van Nort and Miss Clearwater were in

harge. Miss Conner masqueraded as

Santa Claus. The following participat-

d in the programme of thations and

ongs: Lucy Linn, Della Knoble, May

and Edith Milligan, Minnie Egen, Le-

na Eichstedt, Annie Huber, Lizzie Webley, Katie Trester, Josephine Fad-

den, Lucy Huber and Lizzie Serimo,

ida Kible, Dorn Kiefer and J. Con

nor, Dora Schouer, Rosa Rader. The

New Year reception will be held Sat-

urday from 2 to 9 p. m. There will be

an entertainment, orchestra music and

The following have been elected offi-

cers of Comet lodge, No. 431, Knights

f Pythlas: Chancellor commander,

Martin Graff; vice chancellor, Philip

Wirth; prelate, John Z. Jones; master

Martin Langan, of Prospect avenue

with relatives here, will return soon to

efreshments.

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of work, Frank Kieffer: master of rms, Aloise Rudler: inner guard Philip Ehrhardt; outer guard, Henry trustee, eighteen months, About 40 very fine Black Kersey August Schimpff; representative to Pythian Relief bureau, Harry Klau-

> William Maloney, of Beadsley, Minn. s visiting South Side friends. Fred Mack, a Cedar avenue boy, was dragged by a runaway team on Tuesday, but suffered no serious injuries. The boy was left by his father in charge of the team at Burgess' stable He fastened the reins about his waist and fell to the ground. The fall frightened the team and they ran away dragging the lad behind them. At the corner of Cedar avenue and Alder street.

the boy was whirled beneath the hoofs of a horse driven by A. W. Schroeder. This released him. He was carried into Phillip's saloon where it was found he had not been seriously hurt. His heavy overcoat had saved him. The team was

stopped on Mattes street. Joe Allen, the lightweight boxer, sprained his foot while walking Monday evening. He is under the care of a physician.

Edward Smith defeated Edward Reil-

ly in a pigeon shoot above Connell park Monday. The Democrats of the Twentieth ward will hold a caucus in Corcoran's hall Friday afternoon between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock to nominate a candi-

date for select and common council. The South Side Young Women's Christian association, 1021 Cedar avenue, is making special arrangements to keep open house on New Year's day from 3 till 9 o'clock. A musical programme will be furnished during the reception. We are to be favored by Conrad's orchestra. Refreshments will be served. The lady and gentleman friends are invited. Children will not be admitted.

NORTH SCRANTON NEWS.

Miss Bessie Goss and Joseph Reynolds Married at the Home of the Bride's Parents.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goss, 433 Deacon street, was the scene of a brilliant wedding last evening, when their daughter. Bessle, was united in marriage to Joseph Reynolds, of Dickson City. As the wedding march was being played by Professor Phillips the bride and groom, attended by Miss Viola Goss, a sister of the bride, and Joseph Bees, entered the parlor which was prettily decorated with a profusion of palms and flowers. Here they were met by the Rev. Charles Prosser, pastor of the Primitive Methodist church, who pronounced the words that made them man and wife in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

After congratulations were tendered the couple a wedding repast was tendered the guests. The young people were the recipients of many handsome and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Rey-nolds will make Dickson City their home, where the groom has a lucrative position.

WEBB-SOOBY NUPTIALS.

A quiet wedding was performed by Alderman Fidler in his office yesterday afternoon. The parties interested were Miss Elvira Sooby, a resident of Wilkes-Barre, and Thomas webb, a well known and popular young man of this place. The ceremony was witnessed only by Mr. and Mrs. William Wells, relatives of the groom.

The party then repaired to the groom's home on Throop street, where an informal reception was tendered them by their numerous friends. Mr at Mrs. Webb are favorably known throughout this section.

OF A GENERAL NATURE. Great preparations are being made by the Ladies' Aid society of the Welsh Congregational church for their unique tea party which is to be conducted in Company H armory tomorrow evening

and New Year's day.

The members of Washington camp. No. 177, Patriotic Order Sons of America, elected the following officers last evening: President, George Mitchell: vice president, Harvey Jones; master of forms, Fred Hartsell; recording secretary, Charles W. Connolly; secretary, Charles Hopewell: treasurer, Freder ick Hufford; conductor, W. P. Guest inspector, A. Bisbing: guard, W. Phil-

lips; trustee, J. U. Hopewell. Mrs. Margaret Gaughn had her hus band, John Gaughn, arrested for committing an assault and battery upon her. The case was given a hearing vesterday by Alderman Rob its who held the defendant in \$500 bail, and in default was committed to the county

Miss May Powell, of Summit avenue, and Miss Lena Clark, of Wood street, are visiting friends at Peckville Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Healey, of lusick avenue, are entertaining Miss Satherine Brannan, of New York city. George Jackson, of Lehigh univeris visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson, of Belmont Terrace.

A special meeting of the Christian Endeavor choir will be held this evenor in the North Main Avenue Presbyterian church. All members are earnestly requested to attend.

GREEN RIDGE.

Miss Mable Huffling, of Monsey aveme, is confined to her home with scar-

Mrs. Robinson and daughter, of Wiloughby, Ohio, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Warner, on Capouse avenue. Miss Mary Greeley, of East Market

treet, is spending her holiday vacation with friends at Hawley, Ralph Staples, of Chicago, spent the past week with his sister, Mrs. James Dyer, of Monroe avenue,

Mrs. El anor Smith and daughter Mable, of Wilkes-Barre, are guests of friends on Sanderson avenue.

A watch-night service will be held Priday evening in the Asbury church. The Epworth league will have charge of the meeting for the first hour, after which Rev. Mr. Wilbur, pastor of the der of this week, Methodist church at Factoryville, will deliver an address. The service will be closed with a prayer and testimonial

Miss Hazel Warton and Miss Dora Williams, of Moscow, visited Mrs. O. L. Bates, of Mylert avenue, yesterday.

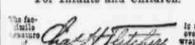
MINOOKA.

The Republican conferees met at No. school, Greenwood, last evening. T. I. McCarthy was elected chairman and exhibition for the Moscow Erworth 2. S. Snyder served as secretary. The offices to be filled were apportioned as 12. follows: The offices of justice of the peace and assessor were given to the the Dudley street Raptist church, held South district. The West district re-ceived one school director and town of John Watrons on Chestrut street, clerk. The Southwest was well cared A fine musical programme was renfor with a supervisor, one school direct dered and a good time enjoyed by all ter, and an auditor. The Northeast present. district was awarded a supervisor and treasurer. The primaries will be held on Jan. 4. The conference was a very ame one, in comparison to preceding and James Christy, of Brook street, who have been spending the holidays Miss Lizzie McDermott, of Rock

Island, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. P. J. Mulherin, on Stafford street,

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NEW YEAR'S DAY AT THE Y. M. C. A

Annual Reception Will Be Held Wyoming Avenue Building.

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One of the most delightful attractions on New Year's day for several years past has been the annual reception of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association in the association building on Wyoming avenue. This year will be no disappointment, judging from the extensive programme that is being prepared.

A committee of forty has been appointed to conduct the reception. The nembers are: John Kemp, Charles Vegiard, Isaac Haslam, Phillip Haendiges, Dr. Pierce, George De Wilde, George Schroeder, George A. Walter, D. L. Wilson, Charles R. Broome, William Long, William J. Griffiths, Alfred Guthinz, J. Frank Richards, W. M. Curry, J. M. Gail, John L. Phillips, Edward Frear, W. J. Douglas, Dr. Blanchard, Frank P. Benjamin, O. R. Wolf, Fred Behling, Harvay Wilbur, Ralph Weeks, W. Clayton Banister, L. V. Frantz, Dr. Jachman, Truman Surdam, Charles Fox. D. J. Jordan, Fred Buntz, Patti A. Discon, Arthur Sancton, Edwin Giles, Walter Jones, William Brandamon, D. L. Fickes, Joseph Jennings, Pryce Thomas,

The day's celebration will be in two parts, afternoon and evening. In the afternoon, from 3 to 4 a general reception wil be conducted. Orchestral music will be given during this period. After this the gymnasium exhibition will be given under the direction of Professor Anderson. The exhition will continue until 6 o'clock.

In the evening a basket ball game between the junior and senior classes will be played in the gymnasium. The entertainment will begin at 5 o'clock in the auditorium and will conclude the affair. The Manhattan Triumvirate has

been engaged for the entertainment. The programme to be given is: Junketing-Piano Solo, Mr. Harvey Worthington Loomis.

Mr. Harvey Saw, What the Moon Saw, Hans C. Andersen With musical background composed by Harvey W. Loomis. r. Edwin Star Belknap.

Mr. Harvey Worthington Loomis. Bruddeh Isaac's Discourse—Sermon, Charles B. Loomis Charles Battell Loomis.

The Travelled Man-Monologue Mr. Edwin Star Belknap. Lady Clare-Reading....Alfred Tennyson Charles Bettell Loomis.

The Musical Critic's Dream, Edwin A. Dix Mr. Edwin Star Beiknap.
Mr. Harvey Worthington Loomis.
Unnatural History.....Charles B. Loomis
With Illustration by the Unnatural

Historian. Charles Battell Loomis. Monologue Mr. Edwin Star Belknap.

The Short Cake Family-A Sunday School EntertainmentAnonymous Charles Battell Loomis. (a) The Mandarin. From the Pantomime (b) Bacchanal, "The Enchanted Foun-W. H. Loomis Mr. Harvey Worthington Loomis.

Musical Eccentricities: Musical Chalk Talk. Originated and performed only by Charles
B. Loomis,
The Little Old WomanFolk Song
Musical Illustration by Edgar Stillman

Operatic Aria: Mr. Charles Battell Loomis. Mr. Edwin Star Belknap. Mr. Harvey Worthington Loomis.

Assistant Secretary William H. Stanton, jr., will be in charge of a full or-The admission to the reception will be by card or under the escort of a member,

A nominal sum will be charged for eserved seats at the concert. The Young Women's Christian assoiation is making special arrangements to keep "open house" on New Year's day from 4 until 10 o'clock. A musical programme will be furnished, during the reception, by the best talent in the

DUNMORE.

The funeral of Miss Jennie Russell, of North Blakely street, was held yes-terday afternoon from the Presbyterian church and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. W. F' Gibbons, paster of the church, assisted by Rev. C. H. Hayes, of the Methodist Episcopal church. The floral offerings were very fine and showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The pall-bearers were John Wert, Arthur Johnson, Charles Potter, Bert Bingham, Joseph Vickus and Harry Smith. Harry Young was flower hearer. Interment cas made in Dunmore cometers Mrs. Angwin, of South Elakely

street, has to overed from her late ill-No. 5 breaker of the Pennsylvania Coal company will be idle the remain-

John Rice, of Spencer street, who was injured by being thrown from his wagon by a runaway team a few days ago, is able to be out again.

The Christian Endeavor societies of yterian and Baptist churches and the Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal will hold a union sunrise prayer meeting at 1.50 a. m. in the Presbyterian church New Year's morn-

P. E. Flicks will give a phonograph League Wednesday evening, January The Christian Endeavor society of

The cantata, "Our Old Friend Santa

Claus" will be repeated in the Methodist church New Year's night. Mr. Fitzpatrick, of Monroe avenue has returned home after spending the past year in New York city. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stein and family

f Hallstead, are visiting at the home of Mr. Stein's mother, Mrs. Etcin, on Main street.

John P. Manley & Co., fire insurance.

ONLY DID WHAT "O TELLO" DID hakespeare an Tragedy as the Cause of Actua | rime.

George MacKern, M. D., in a letter to the London Lancet, says: Some years ago I had to do with a case of murder where the idea of strangulation was

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directly prompted by a theatrical representation of "Othelio." It was the case of a young Italian who insured the life of his servant to his own benefit, and after waiting a couple of menths smothered him in his bed one pight. At his trial the criminal calmly remarked that he had lately seen (twice he actually went, probably with the object of perfecting his method) the opera "Othello," and that he "only did to the young man what Othello did to Desdemona," and he also confessed that in the very act of smothering his victim "the scene in the theatre vividly before him as it was before him now." This is one case, at any rate, for Sir Henry Irving to pender

OBITUARY.

Ellen C., widow of the late Selden T. Scranton, of Oxford, N. J., formerly of Scranton, died at noon yesterday at the old Henry homestead at Wyoming, Pa., from a sudden and violent attack pneumonia. She was a daughter of the late William Henry, who was associated with Colonel George and Selden T. Scranton in the early development of this city, A sister, Mrs. Charles Scranton, of Ox-ford, N. J., and a brother, Reuben Henry, of Jersey City, survive her. A brief ser-vice will be held at the Henry homestead, Wyoming, tomorrow at 10 a. m. will be funeral services at Oxford, N. J., on Saturday and interment will be made at Bevidere, N. J. William Henry, Colonel George W. Scranton, Selden T. Scran ton and Sanford Grant were the four original purchasers of the coal and from properties on which was founded the city of Scranton, Mr. and Mrs. Sciden T Scranton moved here from Oxford, N. J. in 1841, and built and occupied the hom where J. H. Bessell now lives on 10w. She possessed a most lovable Christian character and her hospitality knew no bounds. Rich and poor alike regarded her their friend. She was the last of the original members of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Thomas Henry Atherton, of Wilkes-Barre, is a half brother, and Mrs. W. Scott Steter, of Wyoming, a half sister of the deceased

Stricken with paralysis while at work Monday morning, John W. Griffiths, of 1161 Eynon street, never recovered from the stroke and last evening about o'clock succumbed. The deceased was about 46 years of age and came here from Wales several years ago. For some time he resided with an old time friend, Evan Edwards, at Hampton street, and then married. His wife alone survives him. He was a quiet, home loving man, but enjoyed a wide circle of acquaintances. His father was a sea captain and his five brothers are all sallers. The fivices will be announced later.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

[Under this heading short letters of in terest will be published when accompa-nied, for publication, by the writer's name. The Tribune will not be held re-sponsible for opinions here expressed.]

Card From Fannie May Brockway.

Editor of The Tribune. Sir: The "girl from Hawley only 14 years of ago" was not "conducted" to my house "by a young man." She came alone and said she came from Carbondale to look for a situation. The first I knew of her watch Mr. McHale had it and he found it on the stairs. Alderman Millar did not require me to furnish ball but issued a warrant for McHale. Please

some of the Scranton papers.
Fannie May Brockway.

Explaining a Mystery.

"Talking about warnings," said the doctor, "you would be surprised to know how many people believe in them in these enlightened days, and actually are guided in important affairs by some such absurdity as a clock strik ing thirteen, or a black spider running

over a white cloth." "How do you account for it, doctor? "The leaven of old Egypt. They inherit those fancies just as they take their hair and eyes from some remote ancestor. When you see a group of breathless children listening to some weird yarn told by an elder, just say to yourself, 'that will be folk-lore in the future.'"

"Have you ever met with any in stances of those so-called warnings?"
"Yes, and seen the impression they make, and I must say there is some thing very impressive about an unusual happening at a deathbed or on a solemn occasion. I was called to see a man die, and as I stood with his family about his bed, there came three distinct raps back of a large mirror in the room and instantly it was shivered to fragments. Naturally we were all startled. There is supposed to be some special significance in three raps e breaking of the mirror is popularly believed to mean sorrow to its possessor. The family at once accepted the event as a sure indication of death, and it added poignancy to their grief, although they knew before that the case was hopeless."

"Did you discover how it happened?" "Yes. I was alone in the room the next day when all was over. A white cloth covered the broken mirror, but on looking back of it I found that the point of a large nail which had been driven in the wall of the next room had penetrated through and cracked the glass. So the message of the three mysterious raps was accounted for by purely human agency. But I did not tell the family they seemed so settled in their conviction that it was a supernatural warning."-Detroit Free Press.

Ready to Supply the Need. Iraic business man (white with anger at being disturbed)-"You book agents

make me so argry with your confounded nerve and impudence that I cannot find words to express my indignation." Book Agent (jumping with enthusiasm) -"Then, sir. I am a God-send to you. I have here the very thing you need-a dictionary of the English language contairing all the words and slang phrases known, and only one dollar and a half. Take it, and you will never be at a loss

THE EEB OF TIDE. At ebb of tide, the wild sea leaves the

to express yourself again."-Puck.

That late his strong arms clusped a And shells and mosses strew the sombet strand At ebb of tide.

What is love's dalliance to his empire Far from long, level lines of windswept sand. His steaming cohorts toss white plumes

Amid the chill coze on the shore I stand The storm-bird's cry above and-at my slike. A dream-I turn-then falls an empty hand.

At clib of tide -Elizabeth Worthlagton Fiske.

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