FATHER

LIVE NEWS OF

WEST SCRANTON

FRICKER OFFICIATED

Marriage of Miss Anna M. Siess to

John J. Bartosh.

served Tonight in the Sumner Ave-

nue Presbyterian Church--Per-

o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Ger

man Catholic church, South Main ave-

Promptly at the hour set the bridal

couple, accompanied by Miss Mary A. Wax as bridesmaid, and William Boz

as best man, proceeded up the cen-

tral aisle of the church. They were

ick Fricker, the rector, who performed the ceremony. The attendance of

costume of blue silk with appropriate

trimmings. She carried bridal roses

charming gown of blue cloth.

The bridesmaid was costumed in equal-

party repaired to the residence of the

brides parents, 1727 Luzerne street

where a reception of friends was held in the evening. The evening was spent

Mrs. Bartosh are papular young peo-

ple of West Scranton, and have a wide

circle of friends. They will take a

short wedding tour to Buffalo and upon

their return will reside with the

present last evening were: Mr. and

Mrs. John Rolands, Mr. and Mrs. John

S. Bartosh, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fad-

den, the Misses Anna and Mary Wax.

Anna and Mary Bartosh, Lena and Barbara Siess, Martha Jones, Theresa

Hoz, and Charlotte Schultz, Fred. Rog-

ers. Daniel E. Gregory, Adam Kantz.

John Morris, William Kreinberg,

Henry Fadden, John Bartosh, Joseph

TONIGHT'S ENTERTAINMENT.

The following programme will be

avenue church entertainment, com-

mencing at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15

PROGRAMMIL

Incirumental Duct. Guitar and Mandolta Miss Frounfelter and Mr. Morse

Recitation, Selection. Mrs. Jones Gordon

James, Two Violins and Organ,

Wax and Joseph Sless.

James, accompanist.

Recitation

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Song Recitation

bride's parents. The guests who were

a most enjoyable manner. Mr. and

The ceremony concluded the bridal

The bride was attired in a beautiful

met at the sanctuary by Rev. Freder

sonals and Otherwise.

friends was large.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1808.

THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE.

mediately hastened home. He escaped injury, save for bruises sustained by being hurled into the creek.

A slight blaze was discovered in the house owned and occupied by Thomas Duffy, of Keyser avenue, yesterday af-ternoin at 5.20 o'clock. Fearing the fire would be disastrous, an alarm was sent in from box 86. The Excelsior and Cumberland Hose companies responded, but when they arrived the fire had been extinguished by a bucket bri-

gade. The fire is thought to have originated from an overheated stove. Property holders residing on Margaret avenue, Edna avenue, School street and Williams street are receiv ing notices to the effect that sewers of Stone Avenue -- Anniversary of are to be laid under the above thoroughfares.

The Bachelor's society of this place which comprises a number of promi-nent young men, are busily engaged in perfecting arrangements for their annual ball on Feb. 14.

Thomas Layden, the young man who is alleged to have taken \$85 from the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington, on Marvin avenue, was captured late Wednesday evening in the central city. Layden was arraigned before Alderman Edward Fidler. Yesterday during the proceeding, he sought to deny that the amount taken was near what Mrs. Harrington estimated. She, however, stated that earnings of her two boys and the proceeds of the day's sales of a store which she keeps had been takén. The alderman held Layden in

\$500 ball and in default he was committed to the county jail. Arthur Linney, of West Market treet, is ill.

The many friends of Ralph W. Owens vill be grieved to learn of his death at Cross Forks, Pa. Mr. Owens was employed in a planing mill at the above place and while engaged in his duties he met with an accident and was so badly injured that he died about an hour afterwards. The funeral will take place today, and the remains will be taken to Mind, Potter county, Pa., where interment will be made. John Caffrey had indulged to excess

of the flowing bowl. In this condition he entered Langan's hotel, on Albright avenue, and immediately began to abuse the occupants of the place.' The police were called and after a short struggle convoyed him to the station ouse. He was made to explain his reasons for his unbecoming conduct by Alderman Roberts yesterday afternoon and the reasons not being satisfactory, he was fined \$7.

The members of the Wayne Avenue Baptist church are busily engaged in arranging the affairs of the social which they expect to give next Tuesday evening at their place of meeting on Wayne avenue.

Benjamin Hopkins, of Spring Brook. s visiting relatives in this place. The electromotoscope which is to be

n exhibition this evening in Company H amory, will undoubtedly attract widespread attention, and those who contemplate attending can be assured of their money's worth. The affair is gotten up under the auspices of the

Young People's society of Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church. It should be liberally patronized, as it wanted to fittingly observe it. Everyis for a worthy cause

thing that would add pleasure to the A large crowd witnessed the polo evening was pressed into service, A game on roller skates last evening in quartette of young men sang. The members of Rebecca lodge, No. 64, of Company H armory, between a team from Pittston and the Anthracite Wheelmen of this place. The game the Odd Fellows, were largely represented. The hostess was a recipient of was close and exciting throughout. Brilliant plays were accomplished by many tokens of esteem, and at a seamembers of both teams. were

hour refreshments The dwelling of Mr. and Mrs. Wil-The guests in attendance were: Mr. liam G. Smith, of 1844 Nay Aug aveand Mrs. Louis Neuls, Patrolman and nue, was the scene of an explosion Tuesday evening, which badly dam-Mrs. Charles Neuls, Mr. and Mrs. Peter aged the room in which it occurred and Neuls, Mr. and Mrs. James Hawks, Mr. almost produced a fire. Mr. Smith, as and Mrs. Conrad Bellerstein, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Stringer, Mrs. Dippre. was his usual custom, had filled the Mrs. Gottwaltz, Mrs. Peter Brier, Mrs. large parlor stove for the night, and had stepped from the room. Almost at that instant a terrific explosion occurred. Windows were blown out. walls shattered and parts of the stove and hot coals were distributed about the room. Mr. Smith, with the aid of neighbors, extinguished the flames.

peace. **NEWS IN DUNMORE** Alexander Thompson is confined to his home on Clay avenue by illness. The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ford is brightened by the arrival of a daugh-Republican Borough Committee is Acter.

tively at Work on Campaign. Miss Maggie Logan and Miss Mary McDonald are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Katle Logan, at Albany, N. Y.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1898.

Apple street, where he will hereafter

conduct his business as justice of the

OBITUARY.

J. Michael Wild, died Wednesday even

"A large company of people, including many of the city's oldst and most promi-

has not been in good health for over

nue. Death was due to tubercular men-ingitis and the child was ill but a short

time. The funeral services will be held

for the fu-

The

HELD LAST NIGHT MEETING

It Was of a Very Enthusiastic Nature. John T. Hopkins, one of the most Men Who Are Candidates on the wildely known residents of North Scran-ton, died suddenly yesterday morning at his home on West Market street. The decoased was 51 years of age and was born in Waies, but came to this country Republican Borough Ticket--Democratic Borough Committee Held a Private Meeting Last Night-- An with his parents when about a year old. After a few years' residence at Miners-ville and the West Side, his parents re-Hungarian Sustained a Broken Arm -- Minor News Jottings.

while and the west Side, his parents re-moved to North Scranton, where he has since been a resident. His many years of residence in this city brought him a contact with a farge circle of friends. He never married and is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Thomas Honking and Wise David Richards of Dunmore Republicans need have no fear that the present campaign will not be well handled. Beginning with last night the fight will be waged from Hopkins and Miss David Richards. now until election day, Feb. 15, with this section; William Hopkins, of Forest City; Benjamin Hopkins, of Spring the vigor and determination which has characterized the men who conduct Brook, and Mrs. John Herbert, of Lead ville, Col. Arrangements for neral have not been completed. Republican compaigns of recent date in the borough. Last night the borough committee met at the Neptune Engine house and decided upon several

ing at 8 o'clock after one day's liness of paeumonia at his residence, rear of decisive moves. Of these the foremost is the open 573 Cedar avenue. The deceased was fa years of age, having been born in Wur-tenberg, Germany. He came to America in 1891 and located in South Scranton and have mained ing of a headquarters in O'Boyle's hall, on the square. The hall will be opened at 9 o'clock this morning, but is expected that tomorrow evening the Rehas resided there since. He was em-ployed for years by the Lackawanna publicans of the borough will assemble en masse to meet the candidates and talk over the battle. The headquarters fron and Steel company, but owing to his advanced years he has not worked for will be open morning, noon and night. few years. He belonged to no societies. His wife, three daughters and two sons survive him. The children are Mrs. Rosina Weasel, Mrs. Mary Waltz. until after election day. It was de-cided to place a suitable banner on the front of the building.

Mrs. Katherine Bender, Jacob and John Wild. The funeral will be held from the At the meeting last night Daniel Powell, burgess, presided. There was perfect attendance. The committeemen who are now regularly appointed will be made at the Dunmore cemetery are: Burgess Powell, chairman; Moses Kellum, vice chairman; Byron Brady The Pittston Gazette last evening said

secretary; George Phaler, Third ward; Joseph Medway, Sixth ward; Thomas Shepherd, Sixth ward; L. Bidwell, Fourth ward.

nent residents, attend the funeral of the late William Bechtold, in this city, this This years' candidates are: Counafternoon. Services were held at the familmen, Henry Smith, Third ward; Wilily home on North Main street and were in charge of Rev. Robert Conrad. A ham S. Jones, First ward; school directors, Henry Webber, First ward; Har-ry M. Spencer, Second ward; street number of beautiful floral offerings wer tokens of the respect in which deceased was held by his many friends. Interond ward; auditor, H. F. Marshall; commissioner, Joseph Jackson, Secment was in Pittston cemetery, pall-bearers were members of Luzern lodge, Independent Order of Odd Feltreasurer, Louis Engle. All are men who need no word of compliment-they lows, which society was present in a body. They were: Ernest Schmaltz, Al-bert Brown, Joseph Forn, Fred Adrian, are well known enough to inspire every confidence.

The headquarters will be open from sr., Peter Schultz and Gotlieb Schmaltz. now on to Feb. 15, and the fight is on The death of Victor Murray occurred

HIS ARM WAS BROKEN.

Wednesday evening at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook An Hungarian employed on the Murray, at Maplewood. The deceased was about 27 years of age and was a dump at No. 1 colliery had his arm broken yesterday in a peculiar way. promising young man. He was well known here and enjoyed a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. He was a He with another young man was shoving a car when in some way the door caught his arm and snapped the bone graduate of the Scranton Business college and was employed as bookkeeper by a well known business house here. He in the forearm.

DEMOCRATS MEET.

three years and recently was compelled to relinquish his position. The funeral The Democratic borough committee will be held from the residence this afhad a meeting in Manley's hall last evening. The Tribune correspondent Maplewood cemetery. was informed that the meeting was "private." and that there would be no

news for the public.

NEWS MENTION.

Dominick O'Boyle, of Chestnut street, resumed work yesterday after an illness. Miss Mary Jackson, of Baltimore, is

Saturday afternoon at the parentai residence at 2 o'clock. Interment will visiting friends on Blakely street. e made at the Washburn street ceme The many friends of Mr. David Miller, of Rigg street, tendered him a sur-

prise in honor of his birthday, at his

FREE TO MILLIONS.

A Valuable Little Book Sent Free for the Asking.

Medical books are not always interesting reading, especially to people en-joying good health, but as a matter of

act scarcely one person in ten is perfectly healthy, and even with such, ooner or later sickness must come It is also a well established truth that nine-tenths of all diseases originate with a breaking down of the digestion, a weak stomach weakens and impoverishes the system, making it easy for

disease to gain a foothold. Nobody need fear consumption, kidney disease, liver trouble or a weak heart and nervous system as long as the digestion is good and the stomach able to assimilate plenty of wholesome food.

Stomach weakness shows itself in a score of ways and this little book de scribes the symptoms and causes and points the way to a cure so simple that anyone can understand and apply.

Thousands have some form of stomach trouble and do not know it. They ascribe the headaches, the languor,netvousness, insomnia, palpitation, constipation and similar symptoms to some

other cause than the true one. Get your digestion on the right track and the heart trouble, lung trouble, liver disease or nervous debility will rapidly disappear.

This little book treats entirely on the cause and removal of indigestion and its accompanying annovances,

It describes the symptoms of Acid Dyspepsia, Nervous Dyspepsia, Slow Dyspepsia, Amylaceous Dyspepsia, Catarrh of Stomach and all affections of the digestive organs in plain language easily understood and the cause removed.

It gives valuable suggestions as to residence Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Services will be held at St. Peter's Lu-theran church. Petersburg. Interment diet, and contains a table giving length of time required to digest various articles of food, something every person

with weak digestion should know. No price is asked, but simply send your name and address plainly written on postal card to the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., requesting a little book on Stomach Diseases and it will be sent promptly by return mail.

WHALEBONE

No Substitute Invented Equal to the Production of the Right Whale. From the Pall Mall Gazette.

whalebone less valuable today than it was seven years ago? question suggests itself by reason of the lower prices obtained at the recent, sales held in Dundee, where a ton whalebone, part of the catch of the whaler Active last year in the Artic regions, has been disposed of to a foreign firm for 11,800. At the previous sales, held in the earlier part of 1895, 'baleen," to give whalebone its other name, realized 12,000 a ton, but since then, it is said, the market has been considerably depressed. The reason for his it is difficult to say, especially as the whaling season last year proved a disastrous failure, the vessel referred to above being the only one to secure a catch. The rise in the price of whaleoon. Interment will be made at the bone during the past thirty years has undoubtedly been very marked, and some consumers are of opinion that it The demise of Reese Williams, the inhas been carried too far. Between 1867 fant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Will-lams, occurred yesterday morning at the parental residence, 15 Acker ave-

and 1877 whalebone was worth no more than 1400 a ton but from that time up to the present values have been rapidly rising, and in 1890 a sale was readily effected at £1,950 a ton. Of course whalebone is now only used in the manufacture of corsets or dresses of the very best description, but it is generally admitted that no substitute has

yet been invented which is equal to the Franz, the infant son of Mrs. Louisa productions of the "right" whale. Good whalebone defies imitiation as much

dge at that place. Arch Johnson, of New York street, was Uniondale this week. Mins Dianche Freeman, of Monsoy venue, went to Philadelphia the first f the week to visit friends. Miss Emma Thompson, of the Green Ridge library, is quite fif. Miss Druscilla Phillips, is entertaining or niece, Miss Lizzie Smith, of Hazle-Miss Hattie Ferris, of Albany, N. Y. spending several days with relatives rendered this evening at the Sumner Proved His Faith in Science.

cents, including refreshments. Rev. L. human hand may be placed unit-d m lead boiling at white heat, be-R. Foster will preside. Mrs. John L. ng protected from any harm by the noisture of the skin. Should the lead be perceptibly low temperature, the efect need not he described. The Prince of Wales and Dr. Lyon

Song, Angel's SerenadeMrs. Foster With Violins and Organ Accompaniments RecitationMiss Jennie Hughes a at white heat. "Has your royal highness any faith science" said the doctor. Miss Frounfelter and Mr. Morse

"Certainly." replied the Prince, "Will you then place your hand in the colling metal, and ladle out a portion of ... Miss Gertie Hughes Mr. Thomas Abraham Miss Mattie Hughes

"Do you tell me to do this?" asked the

"I do," replied the doctor, The Prince then laid out some of the boiling metal with his hand, without sus-.Mrs. Jones Gordon taining any injury.

Finale, "My Country 'Tis of Thee," Whole Congregation HIS MONEY DESAPPEARED. A few days ago one Charles Brush. of 421 North Sixth street, went into the hotel on Lackawanna avenue known as the "Palace." He left shortly afterward and claims he did not take \$33 which he had when he went in. He necused "Nick" Patistino, the hotel boot black, of picking his pockets. warrant was issued from Alderman Wright's office, and the accused boot

Miss Mary A. Wax Was Bridesmaid black went before Alderman Kelly, of and William Bog Was Groomsthe Eighteenth ward and entered bail man--- Reception Held at the Siess in the sum of \$200 for his appearance before Alderman Millar this afternoon Residence at 1227 Luzerne Street. Programme That Will Be Ob-

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Susan Ash, of Rendham, has returned from a visit with Mrs. S. A. Hartman, of North Rebecca avenue. Mrs. S. Bellinger, of Evan's court. quite ill.

Miss Anna M. Siess, daughter of Mr. Mrs. James Ord, of North Lincoln and Mrs. John P. Siess, was united in evenue, is entertaining Miss Elizabeth marriage to John J. Bartosh, at 3 Watkins, of Carbondale, John Hartman, of Lackawanna, vis-

ed friends here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shoemaker, of

North Hyde Park avenue, are happy ver the arrival of a boy at their home

Miss Emma Gannon, of North Filnore avenue, is home from a visit at Carbondale. Mr. and Mrs. J. Helz, of North Main ivenue, are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a boy at their

West Side Business Directory. MRS. FENTON. CLAIRVOYANT AND phrecologist, 412 North Main avenue.

ome

GREEN RIDGE.

Rev. Mr. Bird. of the People's Prohibiion church on Adams ayenue, was ten-lered a reception by the members and of his congregation at his home riends 1 North Park last Tuesday evening, Mrs. Henry Stakes, of Elmira, N. Y., the guest of her brother and family the Ridge, a the Ridge, A sleigh load of heaple of the Ridge

ade to Archbald end back Wednesday aght. Thes were the numbers of the beliefkan lodge. Independent Order of Robekan. Ord Pelews. who visited their sister

It is a well-known scientific fact that

Playfair, it is related, were standing near a cauldron containg lead which was bolt-

.Miss Margaret Jones

Prince Miss Fisher, Miss Kenward and Mrs.

SOUTH SCRANTON Number of Very Pleasant Social Events Held. A SLEIGH RIDE TO PITTSTON Participated in by a Number of Young People .- Party at the Resi-

HAPPENINGS OF

dence of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Reap the Birth of Mrs. Adam Neuls Was Fittingly Celebrated -- News in

Condensed Form.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Reap took possession of their cosy residence, at the corner of Stone avenue and Willow street, Wednesday night and made merry for several hours. It was an anniversary of Mr. Reap's natal day and his friends wanted it observed. There were vocal and instrumental solos, recitations and other amusements which fill out an evening's pleasure. Frank Gardner

furnished the accompaniments. At a seasonable hour refreshments were served. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, of New York: Mr. and Mrs. Reap, Pittston; Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolfman, Mr. and Mrs. John Roth,

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lingler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hydricks, Mrs. P. Gunter, Mrs. H. Weill, Mrs. P. O'Brien, Mrs. J. Heffinger, Mrs. G. Gardner, Mrs. J. Betcher, Mrs. R. Hansolman, Mrs. H. Drier, Mrs. R. Bace, Mrs. S. Kline, Mrs. R. Mertz, Mrs. H. Phillips, Mrs. W. Edhart, and the Misses Mame O'Brien. Mame Pfaff, Lizzie Gardner, Messrs, James Johnson, John Ruddy, Harry O'Boyle.

SLEIGHRIDE TO PITTSTON.

Wednesday evening a party of South Scranton young people went to Pittston for a sleighride. They took lunch at the Eagle hotel and enjoyed a dance. They made the trip both ways without any mishap and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Those who composed the party are: The Misses Ellen Coyne, B. Coyne, B. Galiagher, M. Gallagher, M. Dolan, W. Langan, M. Carney, Nellie Carney, Mary Davin, Nellie Carey, W. Caroy, Tessie Carey, M. Miller, Messrs. John Mulherin, D. Ward, C. Hefferon, P. Diskin, W. Ruane, P. Gallagher, J. Noon, J. Gallagher, T. Sheridan, M. McDonough, R. Donovan, D. Moffatt, M. Ratchford, P. Conway. Music was furnished by Charles Heffron.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

sonable

served.

The residence of Mr. and Mrz. Adam Neuls, of 520 Hickory street, was a scene of brilliancy and hearty enjoyment Tuesday evening. It was the oceasion of the fifty-eighth anniversary of the latter's birthday and her friends



\$1.89= 'Tis a small figure for a stylish coat, but it's popu. lar, and so we stick to it, bettering the qualities and broadening the variety.

\$1.89= Will buy this week your der, Helen Schatz, Lulu Baldener, Flora Wolf, Mamie Morlong, Verna Wolf, Lizzie Morlang, Lottie Morlang, Stella Morlang and Elsie Morlang: Messrs. Arthur Schantz, Louis Youngs. at from \$4.00 to \$6.00 each. and there is not a back number in it.

\$1.89= Is the price for this week several tokens of their regards. At an early hour refreshments were served. The funeral services of Rose, the The sizes range only from 32 to 40, and include held this afternoon from the residence. a very few choice garments for Misses' wear.

\$1.89= Did not pay the cost of The Star Social club of South Seran-ton will conduct their annual ball at Natter's hall, Feb. 14. It will be a making in many instances, but February has set in, and with Spring Goods already in sight, we want to make the clearance of our coat stock complete.

To Hand Today

First ideas in Separate Skirts for Spring wear. They're worth a look and include some striking novelties.



Bottka, Mrs. Catherine Sontag. Mrs. Casper Jenny, Mrs. Dimler, Mrs. George Winterstein, Mrs. Horace Green, Mrs. George Schumacher, and the Misses Minnie Neuls, Lena Bottka, Lena Weirig Caroline Weirig, Mary Hartman, Regina Croft, Martha and Libble, nma and Yetta Lutz, Katle Dippre, Katie Fink, Messrs, William Lutz, Ad-am Frantz, Philip Young, Mr. George Schumacher, Burt Hunt, Henry Motter, Fred, Edwards and John Neuls,

NUBS OF NEWS.

Invitations were issued by Mr. and Mrs. Aloise Rudler, of Willow street, Arthur Schantz, Louis Youngs. A large number of the schoolmates of Miss Rose Miller surprised her last evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Miller, 1021 Irving ave-

nue. It was the occasion of the young Miss' birthday and the company made merry. They tendered their hostess young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Bluege, of 721 Maple street, will be Interment will be made at No. 5 cemetery.

The members of the Junior Maennerchor are requested to be present for rehearsal this evening at the hall.

most enjoyable affair. The funeral services of the late Casner Hartman will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The remains will be borne from the residence at 509 Pittston avenue to the Hickory Street German Presbyterian church, where the pastor, Rev. W. A. Nordt, will preach. Interment will be made at the Pittston avenue cemetery.

The Loyalty club of the South Scranton branch of the Young Women's the new arrangement the island will be Christian association will hold a meet- divided into forty-two medical dising this evening at the association rooms. Mrs. John Manning, of New York city, is the guest of South Scranton

NORTH SCRANTON.

friends

The miraculous escape of Arthony Tonery from a terrible death on Wednesday afternoon is being freely com-mented upon by his many friends. He was returning home from the Marvine mine, where he is employed, and took as his course the railroad branch which runs from the mine to the Leg-gett's Creek. He had wrapped himself up tightly, so as to be protected from

the piercing cold, and had reached the bridge used for running cars over the creek when a train of cars, which he falled to hear, came along rapidly. He vas struck and hurled to the creek below, which is a distance of about ten feet. The force of he fall broke the

THRIFTY ICELANDERS.

They Want Telegraphic Connection With the World.

From the Independent.

But not only are the Icelanders steadily increasing in material wealth, they for a party to be given their son, Master seem also to be making the best use of Edwin, Wednesday afternoon and a their enlarged opportunities. As there large number of the young folks re- are no great capitalists in Iceland the sponded. It was a very pleasant af-fair. Mrs. Rudler was assisted in initiative in many enterprises that in caring for the little ones by Mrs, other countries might better be left to J. Schlantz. The guests were the private individuals. Thus a large ap-Misses Carrie Rudler, Sophia Schneipropriation has been made this session for subsidizing steamship communication with Denmark and along the coast. When these arrangements are completed it will be possible for the tourlst to reach Iceland much more readily than is the case now. A contract has been made with a Danish company by which sixteen trips a year will be made between Reykjavik and Copenhagen and six trips along the coast. Even more important for the future development of Iceland is the proposed plan for telegraphic communication with the Shetland Islands over the Faroe Islands. A large appropriation for this purpose was unanimously passed by the althing, and the Danish government has signified its intention to give the measure substantial aid. While no final arrangements with either of the companies that bid for the contract have been made, there is no reason to doubt that the plan will be successfully carried through. A natural extension of the idea would be a north Atlantic cable between America and

Europe, with Iceland as a stopping place. One direct practical and scientific result of the present scheme would be to add immensely to our meteorological resources by furnishing daily weather reports from Iceland.

Of immense importance for the health of Iceland is the new arrangement of the state medical system. Thirty years ago there were only seven official physicians in the whole Iceland, Under the new arrangement the island will be

tricts, each with a regular physician, A salary, varying in amount in the different classes, is attached to the posi-tion in addition to patients' fees, which latter are regulated by government or-

dinance, and there is a pension. But when one thinks of the enormous distances to be traveled on cold, dark, winter days and nights, there seems to be no occasion to envy these Icelandic country doctors their salaries and pensions.

A Lesson in Brevity.

Wellington wrote to Dr. Huston for in-formation as to the scientific acquire-ments of a young officer who had been under his instructions. The doctor thought he could not do less than answer the questions verically, and made an ap-pointment acordingly. Directly Welling-ton saw him, he said, "I am obliged to you, doctor, for the trouble you have taken. Is — fit for the post?" Clear-ing his throat Dr. Hutton began: "No two more so I can..." reet. The force of he fail broke the ice which covered the creek and he was submerged in its cold waters. With how valuable your time is; mine. "That's quite on. "I know rare presence of mind he scrambled now valuable your time is, mine, just from his dangerous position and im-

10 mwere: Mr. and Mrs. Israel Grice, Mr and Mrs. William Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bameliffe, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. David Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis, Mrs. John Leonard, Mrs. William Lewis, Miss Adterment die Harrison, Miss Gertrude Farber. Mr. Walter Stephens, Mr. Clayton

George, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Rosar, died yesterday at-ternoon at the residence, 455 Birch street. Perry, Charles Farber. Games and music were indulged in until a seasonable hour. Refreshments were served He was a bright and interesting lad and had been ill but a short time. Functal and all departed for their homes. announcement later. Miss Anna Simons, of Sterling

Wayne county, has returned home after spending the past two weeks with friends in town.

night at the home of her grandson, Sel-den Gathercole, of Waverly. The fu-neral services were held last evening at A surprise party was given last even-ing in honor of George Kellam, at his home on Grove street. It was largely Carbondale today. attended.

Mrs. J. C. Lord and family, of Brad-Richard Henwood died yesterday ford, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hobday, of Brook street. Justice of the Peace Abner Krotzer was 83 years of age.⁸ Announcement of has removed his office from 121 to 123 funeral later.

home, 639 Cherry str illness of diphtheria. street, after a short ria. The funeral will today as it did in the old times, when London was the headquarters of a be held Saturday afternoon from the esidence at 2 o'clock. The remains will flourishing whale fishery. e borne to St. Mary's church and thence to the German Catholic cometery for in-

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Mrs. William Gathercole died Tuesday

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DR. C. L. FREY, SCRANTON SAVINGS Bank bldg, 122 Wyoming avenue.	WILLARD, WARREN & KNAPP, AT- torneys and Counsellors-at-Law, Re- publican building, Washington avenue,	Architects
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