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Rev. Irl R. Hicks is Not Dead.

Notwithstanding a widely current rumor that Rev. Irl R. Hicks was dead, he never was in better health, and never did a harder and more successful year's work than that just closing.

A Physician Testifies.

"I have taken Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have never used any thing in my life that did me the good that did." says County Physician Geo. W. Scroggs of Hall County, Ga.

Be Careful.

At this season when there are so many men and boys using firearms, too much caution cannot be exercised; while accidents are of an almost daily occurrence, one peculiarly distressing occurred near Cassville, a few days ago.

Sarah Blanche, the twenty months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chilcoat, was playing in the yard near the house when suddenly it screamed and fell to the ground.

Spreads Like Wildfire.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years."

The Perils of Night on an Ocean Liner.

How many of the thousands of people who travel across oceans on huge liners know how these great ships are safeguarded at night against dangers which may at any moment spring from the utter darkness ahead?

Certainly very few, says the London Express, and millions of those who have not traveled on such vessels know nothing whatever about the manner in which passengers are protected from peril.

Chief Officer Armstrong, of the Celtic, which is the largest ship afloat, gives an interesting account of how the work of watching is carried on.

Each of the 313 men who compose the crew has his special duty to perform. The burden of responsibility is felt keenly by the men on the stem head, or foremost point in the bow of the ship; in the "crow's nest," on the bridge and in the engine room.

On the stem head, in ordinary weather, there are usually two men. When it is heavy weather, misty or hazy, three men are there.

In the "crow's nest" there are also two men. These men are practically the eyes of the ship. They are selected with especial care and receive more pay than ordinary seamen.

Before a man can become a look-out his eyesight is rigorously tested both as to distance and color. No one may act as look-out on a ship like the Celtic without first obtaining a certificate as to physical fitness from the Board of Trade.

Opinions expressed by Senators and Representatives who have been in Washington within the past few weeks, and those who are now there for the session, leave no doubt as to the principal matters that will come before Congress at an early day.

The Children's Friend. You'll have a cold this winter. Maybe you have one now. Your children will suffer too.

Ram's Horn Blasts. The new heart helps to put off the old man. Men easily choke off mere crumbs of comfort.

Doing His Best. In the early morning I went to the postoffice in an Alabama town to inquire for mail, but found I was half an hour too early.

From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest.

PEW NEW MEMBERS IN THE COMING CONGRESS. Body Will Have Membership of 357 and Five Delegates.

In the Fifty-seventh Congress, which will assemble at Washington, Dec. 2, less than the usual number of new members will be found in the House of Representatives.

In dealing with the membership of the House the Delegates are not taken into account. The 357 Representatives are divided politically into three classes, the Republicans having 197, the Democrats 125 and the Populists and Silverites 8.

Of the 357 members, 91 only were not in the last Congress, and of these five have had previous service in the House.

The fact that there will be so few new members in the House is regarded by some observers of affairs as giving assurance that the speaker will be able to announce the standing committees at a much earlier period than usual, and that the House is likely to be fully prepared to enter actively upon business within a week or 10 days after organization.

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Oberammergau used to be deserted by tourists except in the years of the Passion performances. It is now becoming a regular summer resort about 500 persons having spent the hot months there this year.

The highest of all clouds are those delicate white, fibrous detached masses of frozen vapor; always seen high against the blue sky. The topmost point of the highest of these may be 10 miles above the earth.

In the early morning I went to the postoffice in an Alabama town to inquire for mail, but found I was half an hour too early. I was walking away when the colored janitor who was sweeping out called to me and asked: "Was yo' procrastinatin' around yere after yo'r mail, sah?"

Den, sah, if yo' don't keer to eliminate about de street fur half an hour yo' can stop right yere, an, I'll do my best to considerate de reciprocity of de situashun an' make yo' feel to home!"

Pointed Paragraphs.

A wise man in business may be a fool in love. Lots of verse writers actually imagine they were born poets. Only a fool would trust a man who says the world owes him a living.

Some men manage to keep from being imposed upon by being disagreeable. Distance doesn't lend enchantment to ones view of the almighty dollar.

The man who waits for something to turn up is apt to discover that it is his toes.

A run of bad luck may not remove the mote, but it takes the beam out of a fellow's eye.

When a man marries he thinks he is getting a mate, but often the supposed mate turns out to be a captain.

After her school days are over the sweet girl graduate is apt to learn that beyond the altar lies the wash tub.

Before marriage a man thinks his best girl a little dear; after marriage he usually considers her a little extravagant.

A lie is a handle that fits many tools.

Pain is the shadow that follows pleasure.

Heaven never helps men who have that tired feeling.

A wise man can answer a lot of questions that a fool wouldn't think of asking.

There is always a chance for a man to go higher if he has the ability to climb.

Occasionally a sensible woman attracts attention by making no effort to attract it.

Humor is said to be one of the elements of genius, but it is impossible to make a pessimist believe it.

The poet of motion must be the kind that is sent the rounds. Ireland claims the honor of the first electric railway in the United Kingdom.

Even the greatest germ cranks do not hesitate to stack up against the microbes that infest a \$20 bill.

A good appetite is what every body is wishing for and yet wants to get rid of it as soon as obtained.

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Your Column.

To show our appreciation of the way in which the Fulton County News is being adopted into the homes of the people of this county, we have set apart this column for the FREE use of our subscribers for advertising purposes.

1. It is free only to those who are paid-up subscribers. 2. Only personal property can be advertised. 3. Notices must not exceed 30 words. 4. All "legal" notices excluded.

WANTED.—The News office wants a load of coal. M. A. Reed of Owl Creek has on hand at his mills a lot of fine yellow poplar and fine lumber for building purposes.

Church Directory.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. W. A. West D. D., Pastor. Sabbath school, 9:15. Preaching service—each alternate Sunday morning counting from Aug. 12th, at 10:30, and every Sunday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. A. D. McCloskey, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning, counting from June 16th, at 10:30 and every Sunday evening at 7:30.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. J. L. Grove, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.—Rev. A. G. Wolf, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

REFORMED.—Rev. C. M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

J. K. JOHNSTON'S Announcement of Fall and Winter Goods

Bargains for Men. Men's Black Suits, \$5.00, \$4.85, \$6.75, \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$10. Men's Business Suits, \$3.50, \$4.75, \$6.00, \$7.00, and \$10.00. Children's two-piece suits, \$5, \$6, \$8, \$10, \$15, \$20, \$25 and \$30. Boys' Reeler Coats \$1.75. Children's Vestee Suits—3 to 7 years old—\$1.25 to \$2.00.

J. K. Johnston, McConnellsburg, Pa. PHILIP F. BLACK, Manufacturer of Sash, Doors, Newel Posts, Hand Rails, Stairs, Banisters, Turned Porch Columns, Posts, &c. Doors 2 : 8 x 6 : 8 ; 2 : 6 x 6 : 6 ; 4 and three-eighth inches in thickness. Sash 11 x 20; 12 x 24; 12 x 28; 12 x 30; 12 x 32; 12 x 34; 12 x 36—inch and a quarter thick—always on hand.

Our President's name is pronounced several ways, but there is only one correct way Secretary Loeb says he has been asked a thousand times as to the pronunciation. Probably the majority of people pronounce the name with the sound of the two o's, but this is incorrect. The name is composed of three syllables, and is pronounced as if spelled Rose-a-velt, with the accent on the first syllable. Practically the same sound is obtained by spelling the name Ro-sie-velt, with the accent on the first syllable.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat. A report comes from Monument, that on Saturday evening while the fire clay miners were on the clay train returning from their work in the mines, a deer came bounding down over the side of the mountain and leaped over the moving train. The deer made the jump successfully, but one of the miners had his gun with him and as soon as the deer landed on the ground a bullet from the gun killed the frightened animal. The train was stopped and the deer, which weighed 125 pounds, was taken to Monument and afterwards sent to Lock Haven.