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IRISH BANKS GAIN IN CASH DEPOSITS

Half Yearly Report of the Government Bureau Shows Prosperity.

Dublin, Ireland, May 30.—The half yearly report—July to December, 1909—just issued by the department of agriculture and technical instructions for Ireland, in Irish banking and railway statistics, shows that in December, 1909, there was an increase in deposits and cash balances in the Irish joint stock banks, as compared with the corresponding period in 1908, of 985,000 pounds, while there was an increase of 1,149,000 pounds as compared with the June half year of that year.

There was an increase of 330,000 pounds in the deposits of savings banks in Ireland in December, 1909, as compared with the close of the year 1908, there having been an increase of 682,000 pounds in the sum in the post-office savings bank, and an increase of 38,000 pounds in the amount in the trustees' banks, there being an increase of 241,000 pounds as compared with June of the same year—282,000 pounds in the post-office savings bank and 8,000 in the trustees' banks.

The Agricultural Credit societies in Ireland for 1908 numbered 268, as compared with 271 in 1907, while the membership was 17,467, as compared with 17,110 in December, 1907. The total loans granted in 1908 amounted to 53,113 pounds 2 shillings nine pence. In 1907, were 512 pounds 8 shillings 12 pence, and a reserve fund amounting to 1,960 pounds 4 shillings.

The return showed that the total receipts for the Irish railways for 1909 was 4,180,613 pounds, an increase of 74,494 pounds as compared with the figures for the previous year.

THE JEALOUS HUSBANDS ON AFGHAN FRONTIER

Cut Off Their Wives' Noses as Punishment for Infidelity

London, May 29.—After having spent eighteen years among the wild tribes of the northwest frontier of India, Dr. Theodore L. Pennell, medical missionary of the Church Missionary Society, has just returned to London on a brief visit. Below are some of his remarkable experiences which he related in an interview:

"On the Afghan frontier a husband is very jealous of his wife's honor," he said, "and if he has a suspicion that anything is wrong he just cuts off her nose. Some time ago a husband who had shown his displeasure in this barbaric manner brought his wife to our hospital at Bannu, and said he was very sorry. There was very little of the nose left and there was therefore very little he could do.

"I told him that if he would pay the money we could get his wife an artificial nose from England. He asked how much it would cost, and I said \$10. He began to hesitate and I asked him the reason. 'Well,' he said, 'I could get another wife for \$24.00. Eventually he agreed to buy the nose and his old wife was patched up.'

Dr. Pennell gave another illustration of matrimonial jealousy. "One day he said, 'an Afghan chief had been across the border and saw his wife speaking to a man over the wall in his compound. He then drew his sword and cut off her head and threw it to the man, saying, 'if you want to speak to her now, you can.'

Many of the patients at the hospital are the victims of frontier raids. One man who was admitted there for treatment had been shot by his uncle. The bullet had gone through his lung, and when he was brought to the hospital, he was very near death. However by dint of careful nursing, they pulled him through. "When he was convalescent," said Dr. Pennell, "he called me one day to his bedside and explained that he had a petition to make. I asked him what it was. He said, 'O, Sahib, I want you to cure my wife. She is now very shortly we shall have the same trouble with your uncle.' He said 'Oh, no, you need not be afraid of that Sahib. I am a better shot than he is. We did not get the uncle in, and we heard eventually that he had killed him.'

BOMBS STUFFED FULL OF POISONOUS NEEDLES

New Weapon Now in Use by the Hindus Against the Foreigners.

London, May 30.—Cocoon shell bombs filled with poisonous needles are the latest weapon used by the seditious Bengali against the English. A copy of what is described as the most outrageous incitement to murder Europeans yet in the Indian press has just reached London. It is held fully to justify the recent rigorous application of the press law in India. A passage from it reads:

"We once more appear before you to preach our revolutionary doctrine to all for redemption of our mother from the atrocious hands of Feringhis (foreigners), more particularly the English. Your life is not worth even dust or straw if you do not soil your hands with blood of our oppressor, Feringhi. 'You must kill as many of these white sheep as you can have,' says whether men, women or children. And yourselves with bombs and despatch Asuras soon to Yama's abode. (Yama is the Indian Pluto)."

A DANE CURES MENINGITIS

A Hitherto Incurable Disease Succumbs to Science

New York, May 30.—Records of another step made by science in its war on human ailments are brought to this country by Dr. H. Myring of the University of Copenhagen, whose work on cerebral meningitis, considered incurable until the discoveries of the Rockefeller Institute in this city, has lately been attracting the attention of the medical world.

"A case of meningitis has always been believed to be hopeless," he said today, "and physicians have not even tried to cure it. I have proved, however, that it can be successfully treated by operating. I have had a large number of cases and have attained remarkably good results."

"The operation consists in opening the skull to the brain and removing the inflamed membrane. This should be done within a very short time after the trouble sets in. I get patients into my hospital and operate within forty-eight hours when it is possible."

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You'll Never Be Well Till You Heal the Lungs With "Catarrhazone."

Nothing pulls down strength, makes you wretched, miserable and dependent, like a chronic cough. The old-fashioned liquid mixtures slip down the throat, enter the stomach and do little else but ruin digestion.

Catarrhazone is the only breathable cough, catarrh and cough medicine. Instead of taking drowsy drugs, chloral, morphia and opium mixtures, you simply inhale the richest pine balsams, breathe into your lungs the healing, soothing vapors of a scientific remedy that commands the admiration of all good physicians.

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"For more than twenty years I suffered with a cough, bronchitis, asthma and nasal catarrh," writes J. E. Fenwick of Stanton, P.O. "Every attack I had seemed to me as if I could hardly breathe on account of an accumulation of phlegm in the nose and throat. One day I tried Catarrhazone and in ten minutes was wonderfully relieved. I could breathe freely and naturally through the nose and blood-spitting was stopped—the phlegm was cleared away and my regular breathing restored. No remedy can do more than 'Catarrhazone.'"

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SCHOOL LAND SALE IS OVER

High Prices Prevailed to the Last—Irrigation Co. Bought

Medicine Hat, May 27.—The sale of school lands was concluded this morning and the bidding today was even keener than any of the previous days. The land sold today lay mainly between the Bow and the Belly Rivers in ranges eleven to sixteen. By far the greater part of this land was bought in by the Southern Alberta Land Company of this city, this land lying in and about their large tract in that locality, and most of it will be served by the irrigation canal now under construction.

The prices today were very fair on the average, the highest being \$24 per acre and the lowest \$10. The former price was paid for the N. E. quarter of 29-12-11. This section averaged \$21.55 an acre and was purchased by the Southern Alberta Land Company and H. A. Bird of Taber. Section 11-13-11 averaged \$19.25. This price was also paid for section 29-13-11. Section 29-11-12 brought an average of \$11.25, two quarters selling for \$12. Section 11-12-12 brought an average of \$20, the south east quarter bringing \$21. The west quarter averaged \$12.50, a little over \$12 per acre, practically all of this being bought by the South Alberta Land Company.

The land in range fourteen averaged about \$15, section eleven in township 12-13-18 sold for \$19, and the south east of 13-18 for \$18.25. Out of a hundred pieces offered this morning only seven remained unsold. In all seven hundred and forty-seven pieces were put up, and the total number sold was 654.

The sale and the prices realized from it are a great deal of significance to this district in particular, and to Southern Alberta in general. The fact that the land in its raw state brought \$15, section eleven in township 12-13-18 an acre means that the value of this land and of this country as an agricultural country is just beginning to be realized. The high prices paid in almost every case were by the farmers and not the speculator, a fact that bodes well for the permanence of the enterprise of these men who have opened up the district for farming.

Good Work of Presbyterian Church

London, May 30.—At the general assembly of the Church of Scotland, the Rev. Dr. Norman of Macleod, Alberta, claimed that no finer work was being done than by the Presbyterian Church of Canada in the far west, and he appealed for help from Scotland.

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