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## POULTRY IN IRELAND

Great Wealth in Industry, Says Official Report.

Chickens Supplied to England Exceed in Amount That Which Comes From All Other Countries of Europe Combined.

Dublin, Ireland.—The opinions of experts given at a conference on the poultry industry, held in Dublin recently, confirm the views expressed in the report of the department of agriculture and technical instruction for Ireland. Sir Horace Plunkett, a former vice-president of the department, declared that there was a mine of wealth in the poultry industry awaiting development. The present vice-president, T. W. Russell, gave figures showing the development of the industry in the last five years, and said that the export of butter alone almost equaled the export of whiskey and porter combined, and that when eggs were added to butter the two combined almost doubled the alcoholic export; this in spite of the fact that the export of whiskey and porter is commonly believed almost to equal linen, which was of course easily first.

The poultry supplied by Ireland at the present time to Great Britain exceeds in amount that which is being supplied by all the other countries of Europe. Diagrams and maps exhibited at the conference showed side by side the growth of the system of instruction and organization and the growth of the export of eggs and poultry. The correspondence between the two sets of charts was remarkable. The value of the export now amounts to \$20,000,000 a year and a prophecy that in the near future the amount of money earned by Ireland from eggs and poultry would be nearer to \$100,000,000 than to \$20,000,000 was made by T. P. Gill, secretary of the department and formerly the nationalist member of parliament, who was on an Irish mission in the United States with Mr. John Dillon and the late Timothy Harrington when the Parnell crisis occurred.

The wealth from this industry mainly goes to the small farmers and labor-

## AIRMAN SEEKS ADDED LAURELS



PIERRE VEDRINE

PIERRE VEDRINE, the French aviator who recently won the Paris to Madrid aeroplane race, with its \$40,000 prize, is now trying to capture the \$100,000 offered in the Paris-Rome-Turin air race. He was one of the last of the contestants to start and then was delayed by an accident to his machine.

ers and their wives. There is no form of wealth that can be more thoroughly or more minutely distributed in a rural population than this. It is said that in many cases the receipts from eggs are sufficient to pay the rent. The industry gives employment to farmers' wives and daughters, yielding returns on small farms of from \$100 to \$300 per annum.

The conference was attended by officials and representatives of the Irish county committees which work the poultry schemes, and by experts and public representatives from England and Scotland. The practical manner in which the business was conducted made a deep impression on the visitors.

One delegate, from Bristol, gave a

dramatic touch to the proceedings just before the close. He stood up in his place and said: "I was all my life an anti-home ruler, but the way this conference has been conducted may lead me to alter my views." A delegate from Armagh protested against this observation, but he was quickly answered by Mr. O'Connor, a delegate from Cork, who said: "And as representing Cork, I applaud it."

The incident passed off with this observation. Slight as it was, it summed up the Irish situation admirably. The proceedings of this conference opened the eyes of the visitors from England and Scotland by showing what Irishmen could do to develop this country if they were permitted to do so.

## THREE KILL A TIGER

Village of Nan, Siam, Rejoices at Death of Beast.

Bangkok Paper Gives Graphic Account of Slaying of Ferocious Bengal Tiger by Three Americans—Woman Watched Battle.

Minneapolis, Minn.—How a Minneapolis young man, well known socially, helped to bring down a Bengal tiger in Siam, is told in a Bangkok newspaper, a copy of which was received by John S. Bradstreet. Ray Peoples is the man. The account of the hunt, as it appears in the Nan correspondence of the Bangkok paper, follows:

"The quiet city of Nan was stirred up last Saturday by the news that a large Bengal tiger was in our midst. He had killed a large bullock in the morning and was hiding under cover in an old deserted hut across the river from Dr. Taylor's compound. The hut was grown over with dense thorns so thick that a man had to cut his way through. It did not seem possible that a tiger could be so near us, not a quarter of a mile from Dr. Taylor's house.

"Siamese dwellings were within 300 yards of the spot where he was hiding. Word was sent to Dr. Peoples, who had a good gun. He sent for Captain Springer, who is at the head of the gendarmierie force, to assist. Ray Peoples was here visiting his parents. Each of these three had guns. The plan was to station the men with guns in trees and have beaters drive the tiger out. He came out once and was shot at, and returned.

"All efforts by the beaters and men with guns could not drive him out. The

afternoon was spent, darkness came on and still the tiger held the fort. After the men left and all was quiet, the three men decided to watch for him. Everything was in their favor. The tiger would wait to finish the meal he had commenced in the morning. The full moon was shining in all its tropical brightness across the rice fields and upon the spot where the tiger would come out.

"They did not have to wait long before the tiger made his appearance, cautiously creeping out. After his head and shoulders were in view, Dr. Peoples fired, striking him in the neck. The tiger gave a terrible growl and a spring forward. Ray Peoples shot him in the chest. Captain Springer sent a well-directed bullet, striking him un-

der the eye. A few more shots ended the battle.

"There was great rejoicing on the part of all over the fact that there was one fewer Bengal tiger in Nan. His body was seven feet long, tall three feet, height three and one-half feet, with head, shoulders, teeth, paws to match. Thousands called to see him the following day. Great credit is due to the three men that stood so bravely to their post and also to the beaters who took their share in the hunt. This was a great treat that many enjoyed, it being so near that ladies could sit on Dr. Taylor's upper piazza and look over the river and rice fields and see the battle go on all the afternoon and could hear the men directing the fight. Tigers have been troubling the people much in this vicinity the last six months. They have killed a number of cattle and dogs. Many people have been killed by them, too, in the villages."

## Our Pronunciation Is Bad

London Elocution Teacher Especially Complains of Nasal Twang of the American Women.

London.—English teachers of elocution are shocked by the American pronunciation of English. One of the cult, speaking to an English newspaper reporter, said:

"To cure the American nasal twang completely after it has become habitual is impossible. That curious rising inflection to nearly every word which is characteristic of Americans from the northern states and is of Indian origin, may be modified. But the hardest part of my task with American women is to teach them to speak more softly. Their high-pitched voices are not welcome in European

drawing rooms, and I find the best method is to keep them whispering for ten minutes together."

It appears that Americans emphasize the Saint in Saint Paul too much, say "I guess" and indulge in slang which is incomprehensible to the keen English intellect. So when you come over here don't forget that the American "lobster" in England is a "silly awss," that "hot air" is translated into "bally rot," and that instead of saying "Here's luck," it is your duty to shout "Cheer oh."

If you wish to inform your English friends that you are in business for yourself, tell them that you are "on your own," and in explaining to him that the food at your hotel is excellent, don't forget to say "They do me very well at the Savoy."

If you will take these substitutions, call casual acquaintances "dear old chaps" and refrain from boasting, which in this country is termed "swanking," you may be able to get along, but you will still have to pay American prices in the shops. However, cheer up, the worst is still to come. Our English elocutionist concludes his criticism with this:

"One of the most irritating accents of all is the Canadian, which is the nearest thing there is to utter negation of accent. There are types of Canadians who talk very fast and very insistently on one monotonous note, which to a sensitive ear is simply maddening."

**Polar Bears Go A-Summering.**  
New York.—Passengers of the Car mania, which has finished her trip from Liverpool, were at religious service in the main dining saloon during the voyage when a large iceberg was sighted eleven miles to the northward, off the banks. Imaginative passengers who were not at the service counted as many as seven polar bears huffing around on the berg.

**Boy Finds Maharajah's Gem.**  
London.—The diamond lost from the turban of the maharajah of Bikaner, for which all London searched three days and nights, was found by a boy in the street.

## ALL OVER NEBRASKA

**Woman Jumps Into a Well.**  
Otoe County.—Mrs. Anna Sprague, aged 55, who resides with her son and brother, in the eastern part of Nebraska City, attempted to take her life by jumping down a well 25 feet in depth. She was rescued before death came.

**Many Autos in Dawson.**  
Dawson County.—According to the recently completed report of the assessors, Dawson county had, April 1, 1911, 258 automobiles. The report for 1910 shows there were 290 that year. Gothenburg leads the rest of the towns in the number of autos.

**Marketed the First Wheat.**  
Jefferson County.—Stanley Williams, a farmer living near Fairbury, had the distinction of marketing the first of the 1911 wheat crop in Fairbury. He sold his wheat to the Fairbury roller mills and it tested 63 pounds to the bushel, making 15 bushels to the acre.

**Girl May Die of Shock.**  
Buffalo County.—Ruth, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scott, of Kearney, is in a critical condition, the result of an electric shock received from a vibrator while standing in the bath tub. The child remained unconscious for six hours after the accident.

**Wheat Yielding Well.**  
Richardson County.—Farmers in the locality around Humboldt have been in the wheat fields the past week and report good yields. Corn is in good condition in spite of the hot weather, but oats and pastures show the effects of the drought and the potato crop is a complete failure.

**Has Lived in Three Centuries.**  
Custer County.—To Thomas Morris of Westerville, Custer county, Nebraska, belongs the distinction of having lived in three centuries, the eighteenth, nineteenth and twentieth. He was born January 15, 1794, and is still living. He has lived through the term of every president of the United States, except Taft. He is a native of Wales and was 1 year old when the famous trial of Warren Hastings closed, 7 years old when Ireland and England were united, 64 years old when the first Atlantic cable was laid and was 67 years old when Fort Sumter was fired upon.

This patriarch never attended school and never married. When a mere lad he started work as a butcher, but gave up that to become a cobbler. He followed that occupation until more than 100 years old, during which time he mended shoes for people of two continents. Just before his 115th birthday he gave up work for good and now spends all his leisure time when the weather is good, in fishing. His sight is remarkable and he uses glasses only for close work.

Mr. Morris never had any serious illness, only suffering a light sunstroke when he was a mere boy in his fifties. He has always smoked, and used liquor in a moderate amount. Upon retiring at night he often takes a quart of strong tea or coffee with him, which he drinks during the night.

Forty-four years ago a lad 12 years old came to live with the old gentleman, then 73 years old. From that time he and Charles Mythen have been inseparable companions. They left Wales and came to this country in 1871, arriving in Chicago the day after the big fire. They went to Missouri, where they lived until 1886, when they moved to Nebraska, locating on a farm four miles from Westerville in Custer county. Later they moved to an adjoining farm where they still reside.

**Seward Institute Dates.**  
Seward County.—The Seward County Teachers' institute will be held in Seward from August 28 to September 1. August 31 will be school officers' day. At the last meeting of the county school board officers it was unanimously decided to hold another school exhibit this year.

**Buys and Sells Bonds.**  
Lancaster County.—The board of educational and funds bought \$190,000 worth of 4½ per cent Richardson county drainage district bonds. The state will draw 6 per cent on the attached coupons and pays \$17,886 premium for them. The board sold \$150,000 worth of North Carolina at 4 per cent.

**Wheat 20 Bushels to Acre.**  
Gage County.—John Scheve, a prominent German farmer living northwest of Beatrice, began threshing his 260-acre field of wheat last week which is yielding 20 bushels to the acre. The grain is of fine quality. Culvin East, living south of the city, reported a yield of 18 bushels to the acre.

**Kick of Horse Fatal.**  
Gage County.—W. Shaffer, a farmer living northeast of Liberty, this county, was kicked in the stomach by a horse and killed. He was trying to catch the animal in a pasture, when it turned and struck him.

**Sheriff Goes After Alleged Forger.**  
Richardson County.—Sheriff Fenton is at Monroe, Mich., to bring to this county Harry Davies, who is wanted here for forgery. On the way to Michigan, Sheriff Fenton took William Langford from Falls City to the penitentiary at Lincoln.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

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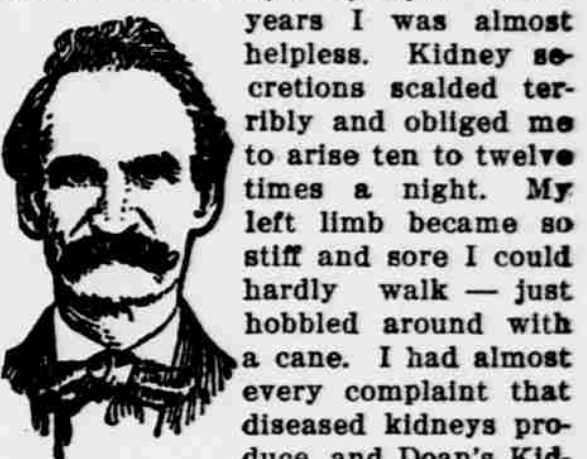
**A New Sensation.**  
Little Jean had visited one of the large summer amusement parks for the first time, and with the courage possessed only by those girls whose playmates are boys and girls older than themselves, she had not hesitated, when invited, to take a ride on one of the "thrillers" that abound in such places.

"To her mother, on her return from the park, she confided the emotions she had experienced as she swept round the curves of the "figure eight" with her elder brothers.

"Mamma," she said, "when I went round those awful turns so fast I felt just as if I had freckles on my stomach!"—Youth's Companion.

**FEELS LIKE A BOY.**  
Since Doan's Kidney Pills Cured Him of Terrible Kidney Trouble.

Sheldon Smith, Prop. Arlington House, Woodland, Cal., says: "Three years I was almost helpless. Kidney secretions scalded terribly and obliged me to arise ten to twelve times a night. My left limb became so stiff and sore I could hardly walk—I just hobbled around with a cane. I had almost every complaint that diseased kidneys produce, and Doan's Kidney Pills removed them all. At the age of 76 I feel like a boy and enjoy health and comfort. Can anyone wonder at my gratitude?"



Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by druggists and general storekeepers everywhere. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Playing Blind.**  
This is a funny little stunt enjoyed alike by old and young. If one has never tried it it is very amusing to find anything with your eyes shut or to judge distances.

First place a piece of paper on the floor before you, shut your eyes, walk backward two steps; then try to walk on the paper and pick it up. Then stick a pin in the wall about four feet up and try to pick it off blindfolded. Stand about five or six feet away from a table, shut your eyes; then try to walk up to it without knocking against it."—Woman's World.

**Some Aviation Records.**  
Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria is the first crowned head who has made an aeroplane flight. The aviator who took him up is the first man who ever was knighted in midair. Prince Henry of Prussia is the first professional aviator of royal rank. Mr. Roosevelt is the first prominent statesman to have made an ascension in an aeroplane. Arthur J. Balfour is the second.

**Lead in Salt Industry.**  
The six leading states in the salt industry are Michigan, New York, Ohio, Kansas, Louisiana and California, and in 1909 these six states produced salt valued at \$7,714,557. The salt from these states is obtained from rock salt, sea water and natural brine—in other words, from all the known sources of salt.

**HEART RIGHT.**  
When He Quit Coffee.

Life Insurance Companies will not insure a man suffering from heart trouble.

The reason is obvious. This is a serious matter to the husband or father who is solicitous for the future of his dear ones. Often the heart trouble is caused by an unexpected thing and can be corrected if taken in time and properly treated. A man in Colorado writes:

"I was a great coffee drinker for many years, and was not aware of the injurious effects of the habit till I became a practical invalid, suffering from heart trouble, indigestion and nervousness to an extent that made me wretchedly miserable myself and a nuisance to those who witnessed my sufferings.

"I continued to drink coffee, however, not suspecting that it was the cause of my ill-health, till on applying for life insurance I was rejected on account of the trouble with my heart. Then I became alarmed. I found that leaving off coffee helped me quickly, so I quit it altogether and having been attracted by the advertisements of Postum I began its use.

"The change in my condition was remarkable. All my ailments vanished. My digestion was completely restored, my nervousness disappeared, and, most important of all, my heart steadied down and became normal, and on a second examination I was accepted by the Life Insurance Co. Quitting coffee and using Postum worked the change." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.