

SAVINGS ARE INCREASING

One Billion and Half Increase Is Noted in Saving Deposits in Comparison With 1921.

(By Associated Press)
 CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Savings deposits in the United States increased by about \$1,500,000,000 in 1922 as compared with 1921, according to preliminary figures tabulated by the savings bank division of the American Bankers association and announced here through district headquarters.

The figures show that, compared to period savings deposits on June 30, 1921, of \$1,641,695,000, the amount for the corresponding date in 1922 was \$3,141,695,000.

The number of savings accounts indicated by the partial data in hand was 28,957,526 on June 30, 1922, as compared to 26,627,831 on the corresponding date in 1921, a gain of 2,329,695. For both the amount of savings and the number of depositors, later data of states from which complete returns have not yet been received are expected to show larger gains for 1922.

According to this report school savings systems reported deposits of \$5,500,000 during the last school year, an increase of 40% over 1921 and 100% during the last school year, and the number of pupils reported as participating was 1,120,000, a growth of 20% over the previous school year.

The data collected by the savings bank division indicates that life insurance, not including beneficial societies or the government bureau, now carried on American lives total more than \$50,000,000,000. Premiums on new business during the year ending November 1, 1922, amounted to \$225,580,000. The total premiums, including the payments on annuities, paid during the year, amounted to more than \$1,500,000,000. The amount of new life insurance purchased during the year 1922 was \$9,300,000,000, an increase of \$800,000,000,000 or 7% over 1921.

RECORD BREAKING SHOW.

(By Associated Press)
 CLIVE, N.J., Feb. 8.—A record for the number of exhibitors is expected to be established at the National Food Show to be held here February 5 to 19, according to J. P. Langue of Kansas City, general manager of the National Association of Retail Grocers, which is staging the show.

The purpose of the show is to promote a better knowledge of good food values. Among those invited to talk is Secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

If Rheumatic Eat No Sweets

Says Glass of Salts Helps to Overcome Rheumatism Acid.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly, keep the feet dry, avoid exposure, and above all, drink plenty of good water and avoid eating sweets of all kind.

Rheumatism is caused by body waste and acids resulting from food fermentation. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this poison from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this waste and acids, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints, muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize acidity, remove waste matter, also to stimulate the kidneys, thus often ridding the blood of rheumatic poison.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with bicarbonate and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism.

THE FOG



COAL MINE FIRES BURN FOR YEARS

(By Associated Press)
 SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 8.—Fires burning for years in coal mines deep beneath the ground, are one of the unsolved problems of coal mining in Illinois.

Many of these fires, waited up years ago, recently have caused trouble in southern Illinois mines, according to Robert M. Medill, director of the state department of mines and minerals.

The Donk brothers' mine at Collinsville, the North mine of the Illinois and Indiana coal corporation at Witt, and several mines near Springfield have been compelled recently to seal up portions of their workings to prevent the spread of these smoldering furnaces, which burn without stopping in the hidden chambers underground. One mine was ordered closed entirely.

The fires start in the refuse which is left after the coal is dug and are caused by a process similar to spontaneous combustion, according to Mr. Medill. The miners call them "gob fires," from the word applied by coal diggers to the debris in the mine.

MANY CARS IN KETCHIKAN

(By Associated Press)
 SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 8.—The greatest motor car population per mile of improved road is to be found at Ketchikan, Alaska, in the opinion of J. H. Krause, automobile dealer of the Alaska city. Mr. Krause says there are 100 machines in Ketchikan with only 10 miles of improved highway, or about 11 cars to the mile.

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TOWN'S FIRSTBORN GETS BIG LEGACY

(By Associated Press)
 GRASS VALLEY, Calif., Feb. 8.—It was worth several hundred dollars for Butler assay, a young man formerly of this city, to be born in Cononah, Nev., very soon after the late "Jim" Butler made his famous gold discovery that is said to have brought

the mining district of Cononah into existence. He was the first child born in the new town, and in honor thereof Butler donated \$100 to the credit of the baby in a San Francisco bank.

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FAMILY GETS LOST

(By Associated Press)
 SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 8.—Found a family that persisted in getting lost, individually, was the recent experience of Sergeant Frank E. Busch, of the local marine recruiting office. Another sought his assistance in finding her son, Heber D. Hogan, Jr., from whom she had not heard for several weeks. Busch traced the boy to Mrs. John C. Cull, but when he went to report his find, he had to begin all over again. The mother was lost.

The use of indeterminate sentences by too many writers is to be deplored.

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