

The Bank of Killarney.

"To speak of the banking system in Ireland, during the late war, and, indeed, at the present day," said an Irish gentleman, one evening, at Bruner's, "is as bad as talking of a fire to a man who has been burned out, and lost all property in the flames. To such an extent was this species of robbery carried, at one time provincial or country notes were issued for sums as low as three-pence; whilst then for six shillings were actually counted out."

Another gentleman having expressed disapprobation in this state of things, the first speaker gave the following instance of the truth of his assertion:

"I once accompanied a large party of English ladies and gentlemen to that enchanting spot, where, having amused ourselves for a few days, we were on the point of returning to Dublin, when one of the party recollecting that he had in his possession a handful of the adder's paper. Accordingly we all sat out, by way of sport, to have exchanged; our principal object being to see and converse with the proprietor of such a bank."

"Having entered the shop, which hardly sufficed to admit the whole company, we found the banking adder hard at work making a shillie. One of the gentry thus addressed him:

"Good morning to you, sir, I presume you are the gentleman of the house?"

"At your service, ladies and gentlemen, returned the adder.

"It is here I understand, the bank is kept," continued the adder.

"You are just right, sir," replied the adder, "this is the Killarney Bank, for want of a better."

"My friend there said: 'We are on the eve of quitting your town, and as we have some few of your notes, which will be of no manner of use to us elsewhere, I'll thank you to cash them.'

"The banker replied: 'Cash! please your honor, what's that? it is anything in the leather line! I have a beautiful saddle here as ever was put across a horse, good and cheap, upon my say so. How much of my notes have you, sir, if you please?'

"This question required some time for an answer, calculation being necessary; at length my friend counted them out as follows:

Three notes for 3d. each,	—	6	6
Two notes for 6d. each,	—	12	0
Two notes for 9d. each,	—	18	0
Three notes for 12d. each,	—	36	0
Four notes for 15d. each,	—	60	0
One note for 3d. and one thirteen-	—	13	0
One note for 6d. and one thirteen-	—	19	0
One note for 9d. and one thirteen-	—	25	0
One note for 12d. and one thirteen-	—	31	0
One note for 15d. and one thirteen-	—	37	0
One note for 18d. and one thirteen-	—	43	0
One note for 21d. and one thirteen-	—	49	0
One note for 24d. and one thirteen-	—	55	0
One note for 30d. and one thirteen-	—	61	0
One note for 36d. and one thirteen-	—	67	0
One note for 42d. and one thirteen-	—	73	0
One note for 48d. and one thirteen-	—	79	0
One note for 54d. and one thirteen-	—	85	0
One note for 60d. and one thirteen-	—	91	0
One note for 66d. and one thirteen-	—	97	0
One note for 72d. and one thirteen-	—	103	0
One note for 78d. and one thirteen-	—	109	0
One note for 84d. and one thirteen-	—	115	0
One note for 90d. and one thirteen-	—	121	0
One note for 96d. and one thirteen-	—	127	0
One note for 102d. and one thirteen-	—	133	0
One note for 108d. and one thirteen-	—	139	0
One note for 114d. and one thirteen-	—	145	0
One note for 120d. and one thirteen-	—	151	0
One note for 126d. and one thirteen-	—	157	0
One note for 132d. and one thirteen-	—	163	0
One note for 138d. and one thirteen-	—	169	0
One note for 144d. and one thirteen-	—	175	0
One note for 150d. and one thirteen-	—	181	0
One note for 156d. and one thirteen-	—	187	0
One note for 162d. and one thirteen-	—	193	0
One note for 168d. and one thirteen-	—	199	0
One note for 174d. and one thirteen-	—	205	0
One note for 180d. and one thirteen-	—	211	0
One note for 186d. and one thirteen-	—	217	0
One note for 192d. and one thirteen-	—	223	0
One note for 198d. and one thirteen-	—	229	0
One note for 204d. and one thirteen-	—	235	0
One note for 210d. and one thirteen-	—	241	0
One note for 216d. and one thirteen-	—	247	0
One note for 222d. and one thirteen-	—	253	0
One note for 228d. and one thirteen-	—	259	0
One note for 234d. and one thirteen-	—	265	0
One note for 240d. and one thirteen-	—	271	0
One note for 246d. and one thirteen-	—	277	0
One note for 252d. and one thirteen-	—	283	0
One note for 258d. and one thirteen-	—	289	0
One note for 264d. and one thirteen-	—	295	0
One note for 270d. and one thirteen-	—	301	0
One note for 276d. and one thirteen-	—	307	0
One note for 282d. and one thirteen-	—	313	0
One note for 288d. and one thirteen-	—	319	0
One note for 294d. and one thirteen-	—	325	0
One note for 300d. and one thirteen-	—	331	0
One note for 306d. and one thirteen-	—	337	0
One note for 312d. and one thirteen-	—	343	0
One note for 318d. and one thirteen-	—	349	0
One note for 324d. and one thirteen-	—	355	0
One note for 330d. and one thirteen-	—	361	0
One note for 336d. and one thirteen-	—	367	0
One note for 342d. and one thirteen-	—	373	0
One note for 348d. and one thirteen-	—	379	0
One note for 354d. and one thirteen-	—	385	0
One note for 360d. and one thirteen-	—	391	0
One note for 366d. and one thirteen-	—	397	0
One note for 372d. and one thirteen-	—	403	0
One note for 378d. and one thirteen-	—	409	0
One note for 384d. and one thirteen-	—	415	0
One note for 390d. and one thirteen-	—	421	0
One note for 396d. and one thirteen-	—	427	0
One note for 402d. and one thirteen-	—	433	0
One note for 408d. and one thirteen-	—	439	0
One note for 414d. and one thirteen-	—	445	0
One note for 420d. and one thirteen-	—	451	0
One note for 426d. and one thirteen-	—	457	0
One note for 432d. and one thirteen-	—	463	0
One note for 438d. and one thirteen-	—	469	0
One note for 444d. and one thirteen-	—	475	0
One note for 450d. and one thirteen-	—	481	0
One note for 456d. and one thirteen-	—	487	0
One note for 462d. and one thirteen-	—	493	0
One note for 468d. and one thirteen-	—	499	0
One note for 474d. and one thirteen-	—	505	0
One note for 480d. and one thirteen-	—	511	0
One note for 486d. and one thirteen-	—	517	0
One note for 492d. and one thirteen-	—	523	0
One note for 498d. and one thirteen-	—	529	0
One note for 504d. and one thirteen-	—	535	0
One note for 510d. and one thirteen-	—	541	0
One note for 516d. and one thirteen-	—	547	0
One note for 522d. and one thirteen-	—	553	0
One note for 528d. and one thirteen-	—	559	0
One note for 534d. and one thirteen-	—	565	0
One note for 540d. and one thirteen-	—	571	0
One note for 546d. and one thirteen-	—	577	0
One note for 552d. and one thirteen-	—	583	0
One note for 558d. and one thirteen-	—	589	0
One note for 564d. and one thirteen-	—	595	0
One note for 570d. and one thirteen-	—	601	0
One note for 576d. and one thirteen-	—	607	0
One note for 582d. and one thirteen-	—	613	0
One note for 588d. and one thirteen-	—	619	0
One note for 594d. and one thirteen-	—	625	0
One note for 600d. and one thirteen-	—	631	0
One note for 606d. and one thirteen-	—	637	0
One note for 612d. and one thirteen-	—	643	0
One note for 618d. and one thirteen-	—	649	0
One note for 624d. and one thirteen-	—	655	0
One note for 630d. and one thirteen-	—	661	0
One note for 636d. and one thirteen-	—	667	0
One note for 642d. and one thirteen-	—	673	0
One note for 648d. and one thirteen-	—	679	0
One note for 654d. and one thirteen-	—	685	0
One note for 660d. and one thirteen-	—	691	0
One note for 666d. and one thirteen-	—	697	0
One note for 672d. and one thirteen-	—	703	0
One note for 678d. and one thirteen-	—	709	0
One note for 684d. and one thirteen-	—	715	0
One note for 690d. and one thirteen-	—	721	0
One note for 696d. and one thirteen-	—	727	0
One note for 702d. and one thirteen-	—	733	0
One note for 708d. and one thirteen-	—	739	0
One note for 714d. and one thirteen-	—	745	0
One note for 720d. and one thirteen-	—	751	0
One note for 726d. and one thirteen-	—	757	0
One note for 732d. and one thirteen-	—	763	0
One note for 738d. and one thirteen-	—	769	0
One note for 744d. and one thirteen-	—	775	0
One note for 750d. and one thirteen-	—	781	0
One note for 756d. and one thirteen-	—	787	0
One note for 762d. and one thirteen-	—	793	0
One note for 768d. and one thirteen-	—	799	0
One note for 774d. and one thirteen-	—	805	0
One note for 780d. and one thirteen-	—	811	0
One note for 786d. and one thirteen-	—	817	0
One note for 792d. and one thirteen-	—	823	0
One note for 798d. and one thirteen-	—	829	0
One note for 804d. and one thirteen-	—	835	0
One note for 810d. and one thirteen-	—	841	0
One note for 816d. and one thirteen-	—	847	0
One note for 822d. and one thirteen-	—	853	0
One note for 828d. and one thirteen-	—	859	0
One note for 834d. and one thirteen-	—	865	0
One note for 840d. and one thirteen-	—	871	0
One note for 846d. and one thirteen-	—	877	0
One note for 852d. and one thirteen-	—	883	0
One note for 858d. and one thirteen-	—	889	0
One note for 864d. and one thirteen-	—	895	0
One note for 870d. and one thirteen-	—	901	0
One note for 876d. and one thirteen-	—	907	0
One note for 882d. and one thirteen-	—	913	0
One note for 888d. and one thirteen-	—	919	0
One note for 894d. and one thirteen-	—	925	0
One note for 900d. and one thirteen-	—	931	0
One note for 906d. and one thirteen-	—	937	0
One note for 912d. and one thirteen-	—	943	0
One note for 918d. and one thirteen-	—	949	0
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