

DUNGS REPORT.

The Weekly Review Not as Satisfactory as Might Be—Activity in Building.

New York, Feb. 1.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review says: The closing of one considerable bank and two smaller ones, tends to impair public confidence; in other respects the news is less favorable this week.

The exports for December proved much larger than had been expected, with an excess of \$17,000,000 over last year.

The later indications of business activity are not quite so satisfactory as would be wished. A heavy movement followed the cold days at Boston, but wool sales were only 2,400,000 pounds with a depressed market.

From the reports telegraphed it may be inferred that trade since the new year began has not answered expectations, and there are some signs that the mild weather is not solely to blame.

THE BANK WRECKERS.

Arrest of President Classen, the New York Bank Wrecker, and His Brother.

New York, Feb. 1.—George H. Pell, the broker, was arrested Thursday night for the part he took in disposing of the gilt-edged securities of the Sixth National Bank.

Yesterday morning Pell was arraigned before Commissioner Shields, who stated that the arrest was on a charge of aiding and abetting a bank director in having unlawfully embezzled and abstracted certain securities.

Pell was then held in \$25,000 bonds for a preliminary hearing. Later in the day President Classen, of the Sixth National Bank, surrendered to the officers. The securities converted and worthless checks will make the loss of the bank \$750,000.

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GOT SIX YEARS.

Arthur Blake, the Youthful Blockbuster, Goes to the Penitentiary For Six Years.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 30.—The case against Arthur Blake, charged with blackmailing Arthur Gorham, the millionaire cattleman of this county, was called in the criminal court of this city Tuesday and yesterday, on his own confession of guilt, Blake was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

It was while in jail at Los Angeles that Blake told a story of his escapades with Mrs. Padelford, then a member of the "King's Fool" opera company. Wine suppers and a lavish expenditure of money formed the basis of the story.

Some weeks later Blake turned up in San Francisco and created a furore as a heavy swell. He was cartooned as taking champagne baths and an enterprising clothier hired a band to follow Blake about the streets with small boys carrying transparencies bearing the legend: "A. C. Blake buys his clothes from us."

He claimed to have received large sums of money from Mr. Gorham. About one month ago Blake came to Kansas City and put up at the Centropolis. He claimed that he had an appointment with Mr. Gorham, whom he expected from Kinsley.

Yesterday the woman wrote a note to him asking him to meet her at her rooms in River street. He did not come and she started out to find him. She met him in Congress street and followed him to the corner of Broadway and Fifth avenue, where she shot him in the head.

She then started for police headquarters to surrender herself, but was overtaken by an officer. To Superintendent Willard she told the same story that she had narrated on Thursday about Firth wronging her. She was taken to jail.

A CHICAGO WOMAN.

She Shoots Her Alleged Betrayer at Troy, N. Y.

TROY, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Last Thursday a woman giving the name of Minnie McGrath applied to the police in this city for assistance to find Edwin Firth, who, she said, had wronged her. She said that she lived in Chicago and that she had there secured a divorce from her husband in order to marry Firth.

It has been learned that the woman's maiden name was Minnie Drath, and that her marriage name was Mrs. Henry Warnock. She has retained John R. Holligan, of New York, as counsel. He had previously been retained by her to bring suit for seduction.

WORLD'S FAIR BILL.

Prepared by the Special Committee and Ready For Introduction.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The World's Fair bill as it will go to the House was completed at a late hour Tuesday evening by the special committee. It embraces twenty-three sections. The committee submit with the bill a proposition to give Friday and Saturday to arguments in the House upon the question of location and to ballot on Monday for location.

The bill provides for no financial aid from the Government, except \$1,000,000 appropriated for a government building and Government exhibits. The money for the exhibit is to be raised by the guarantee fund and by issuing stock.

CATARRAH.

Catarrahs Don't Stay Forever—A New Home Treatment.

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and catarrhal tubes.

I am like to see any kind of a man distinguishable from a gorilla that some good and even pretty woman could not shape a husband out of.—A. W. Holmes.

A Superior Achievement. Thousands of dollars have been expended in preparing the new catalog for the year just issued by the Bryant & Stratton Chicago Business College.

The philosopher's trouble is that while he can give fifty years of convincing life in parting, life has spent several thousand years in shaping his prejudice.—Century.

Consumption Surely Cured. To the Editors:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease.

Man likes to think the world a stage but he is like to think it a theatre when he is a performer on it.—A. W. Holmes.

Railroad Equipment. The New York Central Railroad has recently added fifty new standard coaches, heated by steam and lighted by the Pathe System of gas illumination.

In moments of decision there is danger of mistaking the exhaustion of long spiritual struggle for resignation to fate.

Fluorine, Ala. The personally conducted excursion to this rapidly growing city has been so successful that the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad, Knoxville Route, will run one car each of the following dates: Feb. 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th.

My face is my fortune, sir, she said. You could easily get a latest acquisition in a dime museum.—Boston Herald.

LEWIS, Ala., Dec. 19th, 1906. Messrs. A. T. BULLENBROOK & Co., Rochester, Pa. Dear Sirs:—Last spring I received by mail a bottle of your Anker-Pain-Expeller for Malaria.

As fast as you master the difficulties of life, new ones arise to demand your attention.

STRENGTH Changes of Weather cause throat Diseases. There is no more effective remedy for Coughs, Colds, etc., than BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROUBLE. Add only 10 cents. Price 25 cts.

A LOVER may be a man who marries a widow whose first husband was wiser to her.

Drummer Electric Bells does not cheap the hands, being perfectly pure. Many people afflicted with flat Rheum have been cured by its use.

Have no equal as a prompt and positive cure for sick headache, biliousness, constipation, pain in the side, and all liver troubles. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Try them.

Two good die young, but it is the old, who live to be wicked, who improve the world.

Cure your cough with Hale's Honey of Herbs and Licorice. It is the best of all cough cures. It is the best of all cough cures.

Runny not yesterday, despite not to-day depend not on to-morrow.—Texas Hilltopper.

A BOX wind machine from to smokers of "Tassell's Patch" by C. G. G.

A SICKLE in the hand beats two in the slot.—H. O. Fitzgibbon.

BROUGHTON is cured by frequent small doses of Fitch's Cure for Consumption.

PERFECTLY INSTANTANEOUS. MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 30.—Willard Boothby, a prominent resident, has been placed under \$5,000 bonds to appear for trial at next term of Grafton County court on the charge of alienating the affections of Mrs. George Keenan, of Bristol.

THE TRIO WILL BE SEEN. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 30.—The State of Missouri will institute suit in the circuit court of St. Louis to-day or tomorrow against the St. Louis & San Francisco railway for the recovery of the \$200,000 which is claimed to be due the State.

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NANNING THE BABY.

This is a problem in any family, and we hesitate to give any advice. The babies are sweet, no matter what names you give to the dear, little things. There are some other little things that have a name, and one you will do well to bear in mind.

Advertisement for 'Women' pills, featuring an illustration of a woman and text describing the benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Catarrh' treatment, featuring an illustration of a cow and text describing the cure for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Flower Seeds', featuring an illustration of a flower and text describing the variety and quality of the seeds.

Advertisement for 'W. Baker & Co.'s Breakfast Cocoa', featuring an illustration of a woman and text describing the product's benefits.

Advertisement for 'I Cure Fits!', featuring an illustration of a person and text describing the cure for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'S. Jacobs Oil', featuring an illustration of a person and text describing the oil's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'The Haworth Corn Planter', featuring an illustration of the planter and text describing its features and benefits.

Advertisement for 'Pensions for Widows', featuring text describing the benefits and application process for widows.

Advertisement for 'The Ladies' Home Journal', featuring the journal's title and text describing its content and subscription information.

Advertisement for 'Epps' Cocoa', featuring the product name and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

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