



# Great Sale Shoes on Bargain Squares

**1200** pairs 2000 pairs men's black 400 pairs boys' 100 pair 1000 pairs ladies' and tan fine black seven button youths and little gents' heavy single and double men's felt sole Winter Shoes, SHOES, sole shoes, beaver lined upper, Overgaiters, in calf and box calf, and patent leather shoes, all sizes, calf and box calf. SHOES all widths, plain lined and leather All sizes, 3 to 7. all sizes from 21 to 5. heel and spring heel worth 50c, go on sale, pair, lined,, worth \$6, at worth \$2, go at worth up to \$3, go at worth \$3, go at \$3.00 -



## WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE

An Extensive Revision of Prices May Dizappoint Extreme Expectations.

LESS THAN EXPECTED CHANGES IN MONEY

Disposition Shown to Ask Still Higher Prices for Boots and Shoes-Wheat Moves Very Stuggishty.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s No Backward Steps Taken in First Weekly Review of Trade will say tomor-

Failures in 1829 were 9.321 in number, with liabilities of \$123,122,573. The last duys of the year added a few to the number and some millions to the known liabilities of firms and bruks which indicat cose to the end, and commercial defaults reached

of firms and banks which fulled close to the end, and commercial defaults reactival \$0,579,889, of which \$30,592,661 were in man-ufacturing, \$45,921,771 in trading and \$11-162,954 in brokerage, promiting and other commercial fiabilities. Most people in business have been so occu-pled with the accounts and the settle-ments of the last year that liftle new busi-ness has yet been done. No new tendency, in manufacture or in trading appears and loss change than was anticipated in the money markets.

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There is nothing unsound in the business of the great industries, but an extensive revision of prices may disappedint extreme expectations. Two ways of stimulating business are adopted. The tron Age notices "transactions of magnitude in foundry lrow, which indicate that some schere are will ing to make concessions to secure the trade of good customers.
But the Steel and Wire company has advanced prices of wire nails, barbod and higher than it was six weeks and and higher than it was six weeks and such the structural and rail month ducers have held, but refused from 3-11 to \$2.55 at Philadelphia, bars at Philadelphia to \$2.56 by \$2.56 while the structural and rail month ducers have held, but refused to advance prices. Some new business is renormal, but in the affect is \$2.55 with Laudon and fit price these to \$5.55 with Laudon and fit opper 316.59 is quoted, instead of \$85.50 at The fit from 226 with a start of the price start is a \$2.55 with lauron and fit in the affect is \$2.55 with lauron and fit is another the structural and rail month ago.

catton does not rise further because fe-reipts from plantations have some what im-recased and accounts of large stocks at many small fowns have attracted atbas-tion. Among the southern mills, which can easily supply themselves with large stocks from the surrounding country without passing the cotton through any market or trawing it until U is wanted, many have drawing it until it is wanted, many have done so in protection against the public;



Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new froid drink cated GRAIN-OF it is delicious and nourishing and teams the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the childian the more health you dis-tribute through their systems. Orain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grade of coffee, but costs about 4 as much. All greecers sell it. 15c and 25c.

nnounced combination last fall to raise rices. These mills consumed last year (49,09) bales, but are reckoned as hav-at taken for this year's crop only show bales. Wheat still moves very sluggishly, with Wheat still moves very sluggishly, with 128,258,977 bu, last year and 132,543,355 bu, in 1897-98. The provided moves were structured to the second the structure of the structure of the second Wheat still moves very sluggishly, with small change in prices. In six months of the creap year about 25,000,000 bushels, flour included, have been exported, against 123,-swoom bushels hast year. Atlantic exports have new failen to only 2,000,020 bushels for the work and Pacific exports were shi.225 bushels, against 611,825 bushels last year. The price is practically unchanged, us also for corn, of which 2,923,135 bushels have been exported for the week, against 3.352,112 bushels hast year. Fullures for the week have been 123 in the United States, against 243 last year, and 25 in Canada, against 244 last year.

PRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

Week of the Year.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 .- Bradstreet's will

The business world hus "marked time" this work, pending the results of annual stock-taking and the passing away of the helday influences which usually make for unetness at this period. Aside from the strengthening of values of a number of startes, such as the cereals, provisions and cetton, which are speculatively dealt in, there has been no decided movement for-ward, but on the other hand the strength of all other starde values points to there having been no backward steps taken. Perhaps the most notable movement among leading startes is that developed in hogs and hog products, a better realization ap-putently being had of the features mak-har for strength in those products, notably New York Chicago ..... Philadelphia St. Louis Pittsburg Baltimore purchicity teeing and of the features mak-bag for strength in those products, notably omong which being the reduction in the supply of hogs, which, like the similar failing off in number of cattle, has gone on for a number of vers past. That the advance in hog products is beginning to intract more attention seems evident from the extent to which take advance has had sympathetic reflection in the prices of wheat and other cereals, which really trace some of the strength which has been shown this week to that source. While stocks of wheat have failed off in Europe, and addet thereto in December were the light-out reflected in the country to nearly us trend in extent. Owher the confidence with which holders maintain prices, cotton has advanced efficiently during the week. It is evident that San Francisco lincinnati Kansas City New Orleans Minneapolis

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Savannah Denver Hartford Richmond Memphis Washington new plan of warcable inducate upon the move-

In this after a full from disc to see, then price rises to \$2.25 with Landon and it is an interval and an experiment of \$15.00 at month ago. The disposition to ask higher prices is used on some for which five was asked on some for which five was in formula weeks, been the natable feature. A rather more sugressive feeding is noted at Chicago, where wire wills have been asked and paid in Networker. The yield ing in bides at Chicago in suite of dort receipts, because warm weaks to an the scattering is a measureable induction sold are at the highest quadations of last year with good demand, though estion has de-clined a little Bud the goods were at ma-time advanced antic to goods were at ma-time advanced and none further algone to been expected. Wool is strength to work the also much lower with respect to wood thous a year use and channels have also manded in many respects and the signifi-tion the obtained. Woole a good at the many respects and the signifi-tion the obtained a mouth ago can-not be obtained. Though full prices not further algone for receipts from plantations have some with many small towns have attracted there and y sould there souther mills which en-many shall towns have attracted to the first of southers in the advanced in the week attracted to the first of a souther of southers in the advanced and none further algone for though full prices not first or the track is the possible plantations of here a souther the first of a souther of southers in the advanced and south ago can-not be obtained. Though full prices not have a souther the ago can be the lamme for an active spin of more theready though full prices not a large souther the first of the first of the possible plantations for the first of the possible plantations for the first of the post of the first of work nears. The large first of the post of the first of work nears. The first of the post of the post

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St. Louis, Pittsburg, Baltimore, San Francisch Cleveland, which was in thirteenth place. Cheminatic Kanasas City and Minne-apolis maintained the rank held in 1959. Cleveland, which was in thirteenth place, displacing New Orleans, which is expense of Louisville, and Omaha, which is expense of Louisville, and Omaha, which is second was discond one point at the expense of Louisville, and Omaha, which is also moved up St. Joseph maide a further gain over the natable jump that city took is an off the second was scarled to a room. All also moved up St. Joseph maide a further gain and increase of 32 per cent satu shown at Cleveland.
BHADSTREETT'S FINANCIAL REVIEW. centage of increase and decrease, as com-pared with the corresponding week last year: Clearings, Inc. Dec. 4.7 1.970.622 25.2 10,476,184 13.8 9,599,756 24.1  $\frac{15.1}{2.2}$ 3.4 1.3

BRADSTREET'S FINANCIAL REVIEW.

Good Tone Given the Market by 39.8 2.4 6.0 .... Ensier Money Conditions. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.-Brads roet's Financial Review tomorrow will say:

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11.2 however, there was a change in the attis last November.

tude of our market, which had its origin abroad. aponding week for 1989 2481.575 but. in 1985, 3106 581 but. in 1985, 3106 585 but. In 1987 and 347.581 but. in 1985, 385.977 but. again 402.581 but. in 1985, 385.977 but. again 402.581.335 but. in 1987 and 32.581.335 but. in 1987 and 32.581.335 but. in 1987 and 32.581.585 but. in 1987 and 32.585.587 but. again again 32.585.587 but. again again 32.585.587 but. again again 32.585.587 but. again 32.582.580 but. in 1987 and 32.585.587 but. again again 32.585.587 but. again 32.582.580 but. in 1987 and 32.585.587 but. again 32.585.587 bu 14.3 It would seem that the money market INDUSTRIAL PROSPERITY THE GREATEST In Every Section Save New England, kets. A resume of the situation follows:

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## ness and industrial prosperity than has apone strong point that failures have been

attempts to restore consciousness failed pared below with the preceding year:

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money men. He was 57 years old. He leaves a widow and two children. Mr. Harwood were \$32,252,399, and in 1898, \$18,395,0 way at one time one of the wealthicst men-

sold stocks of goods on hand. In most di-ABERDEEN, S. D., Jan. 5 .- (Special)-Barnhart, a veleran of the civil war and visions the tendency was still downwar. during the first two months of the year, but me of the earliest settlers of Aberdeen. the character of the market changed. The tted suddenly of heart disease early Wednesilay morning. supplies had been overestimated, the man-

## FIRE RECORD.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 5.-A fire in West. The latter were confirmed by the incorporaatayette last night distroyed one life, tion of the American Woolen company, tak-Join Lynch, who had been alceping in the ing in mills with an aggregate of 5,000 livery stable and twenty-one horses were forms. From March up to the close of the cremated. The stable was destroyed and the year the course of prices was steadily up Record nowspaper plant was wrecked. The ward. During the closing months there do five did some damage to adjoining buildings. Seen a general searcity of supplies in spit-Only six florses were saved. The origin of or the fact that production has been on the fire is unknown larger acide than for a considerable period

Railway company's Juniata blacksmith shop conditions developed during 1898 had barely

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Last Year Ever Known.

Where Troubles Had Nothing

to Do with Trade, Fail-

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Failures.

The failures of 1899 are the smallest re-

of commercial liabilities ever reported and

ported since 1881, with the lowest average

ket for raw material had been a strengthen-

ing influence, and rumors were affoat of.

The year began with the important works ingaged by orders farther ahead than at any previous date, but the excess of current de mund over supply was not clearly realized until after the extraordinarily severe weather of February had stopped many works for a time, and diminished production 15,000 tons weekly. Then began a rush NEW YORK, Jan. 5 .- Dun's Annual Re- to get orders accepted early, and on the view contains an exhaustive report of the other side to increase the output and manubusiness of 1899, covering all leading mar- facture. By about November 1 it was found that the new demand for products, though will heavy, was no long r as large as the output and as the works gained upon their orders in different lines with greater or less rapidity, some were soon seeking more

DEATH OF NEBRASKA PIONEER with greater evidence of commercial sound- and accepting slightly lower prices. Yet only a small proportion of the works was peared in any other annual statement. It is seeking business at the end of the year,

### Railroad Earnings.

smaller than in 1898 or previous years, not Gross carnings of all railroads in the only in the aggregate, but in every section United States reporting for the year to date of the country, but what is more, smaller are \$1.175.180.052, a gain of 10.2 per cent over in trading in every section except New Eng-Inst year and 15.8 per cent over 1892. Roads land, where the clothing troubles involved reporting include nearly 160,000 miles, sevenand M streets this evening from a sudden several connected concerns with heavy lia- sighths the total mileage of the United attack of apoplexy. He entered the building billies, though their failures had nothing States, and earnings are practically comabout 6 o'clock and on the stairway leading down to the basement was overcome with The itabilities of commercial failures in The liabilities of commercial failures in enormous traffic on all lince, more than on paralysis. He fell into the arms of two at-tendants and was carried to a room. All different sections of the country are com-any preceding year. The increase has been expectally marked in anthracite coal roads. Linbitities. central, western and grangers. Figures are

| were \$32,252,350, and in 1898, \$18,395,014.              |                         | 105,110,408<br>00,251,647<br>167,007,001<br>124,715,208 | 9,481,153<br>9,755,767<br>15,314,648<br>10,767,913 |      |  |
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| Woolen Goods.<br>The woolen goods division opened the year | Southwestern<br>Pacific | 151,605,241   | 7,981.521<br>11.219.639                            | 10.3 |  |
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in a depressed condition. Prices were des United States. \$1,175,150,012 \$105,010,392 10.2 clining and there were reports of large un-

## HYMENEAL.

## Ewing-Harris.

A. J. Ewing of this city and Miss Mary demand has been good enough to show that Harris of Malvern, Ia., were married Thursday at the Her Grand hotel. The verimony was performed by Rev. Brown of Malyern in the presence of a few triands. Mr. an impending combination of woolen mills. Ewing is employed in the ticket office of the Northwestern fallway and will make this esty his home,



Life Lost in Fire.

Cotton Gouds Market. Rechtmand Shame ALTOONA, P.a., Jan. 5 - The Pennsylvania The improvement in industrial and trading

in the city, but he lost most of his fortune during the hard times period. Early Aberdeen Settler.