Business Returns Are Irregular Because of Erratio Weather.

FREIGHT BLOCKADE PARTIALLY RELIEVED

Mercantile Collections Are Prompt and High Temperature Greatly

And High Temperature Greatly

Incident in East.

NEW YORK, Jan. II.—R. G. Dun & Co.*

Weekly Review of tomorrow will say:

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prevents any weakness in response to the prevent duliness.

Higher prices have prevailed on the leading commodity exchanges. In wheat there was a natural reaction from the preceding decline, as the short account took profits, and the recovery was carried still further in response to reports from winter wheat states that a sharp fall in temperature threatened much damage from frost because of insufficient snow covering. Interior arrivals of 5.204,084 bushels of corn, compared with 3.995,081 bushels, and Atlantic coast exports were only 1.490,272 bushels, against 5,970,811 bushels in 1906. Cotton was fairly standy.

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Liabilities of commercial failures thus faireported for January amounted to \$3.263,450 of which \$1,511,544 were in manufacturing \$1,400,319 in trading and \$287,287 in other commercial lines.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE Cross Currents Are Noticed in Whole

sale and Retail Trade. YORK, Jan. 11.-Bradstreets' to morrow will say:

There are some cross currents in trade which prevent generalization, but as a whole the situation loses little by comparison with preceding years at this early stage of the season. The need of season able wither is noted throughout the country. In wholesale and jobbing trade spring reseason (citytt is not marked as yet by nesson (ctivity is not marked as yet, but it is to be noted that a number of lines of cotto goods have been advanced, that eastern shoe manufacturing centers are filled with buyers looking around and that shipments of goods on orders are being



A Genuine **Cut Price**

If you want to save money on a plane purchase, then you should not fail to visit the Schmoller & Mueller Plane Co. By we have the largest line of standard planes in the city. Every instrument guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. We carry a complete line of Steinway, Steger, Emercon, Mardman, A. B. Chase, McPhail, Eurtsman and 25 other makes, and quote prices which save the purchaser from \$75 to \$150 on a high grade instrument.

Our New York buyer purchased five carjoads of pinnes for spot cash at about one-third regular value, and we are willing to divide our good fortune with our customers, but you must hurry and call at once, for at the tempting prices this stock will not last very long. Notice a few of the many bargains which await your inspection: \$256 Camp & Co. cottage size. \$55

e many pargains which appection;
256 Camp & Co., cottage size ... \$55
256 Camp & Co., medium size ... \$80
250 Hall & Son, medium size ... \$80
250 Kimball, thoroughly overhauled,
Farlor size ... \$125
250 Chickering, parlor size ... \$125
250 Sterling, in finest condition \$158
2575 Hallet & Davis, walaut case,
slightly used ... \$165
250 Krakauer Bros., looks new ... \$175
325 Vose & Sons. fine walnut
case ... \$199 case 1350 Francis J. Bird, a beautiful : ple plano sara Steger & Sons, parlor size, only three years \$225
4400 Mahogany Sample Plano \$250
5450 Chippendale style Circassian
walnut case \$275
2500 Colonial style Cabinet Grand walnut case, upright.

walnut case, upright.

\$300
\$150 carved art style, modeled walnut case.

Fourteen Scuare Piaros, including Steinway, Chickering, Knabe, Vose, Smerson and other standard makes, \$28, \$35, \$45 and up.

Mason & Hamiin, Kimhali, Parrand & Votey and other standard Organs, \$10, \$15, \$20 and up.

Terms to Suit the Purchaser

Out-of-town purchasers should write at once for catalogues, prices and bargain list regarding this great morey-saving sale. We ship planes berywhere and guarantee freight sharges both ways if the instrument, ifter careful examination, is not enliedy satisfactory to its owner. New Planes for rent, \$3 and up. We tune, nove, store and repair planes.

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fortes. Established in 1859. 1211-1313 Farnam St., Omaha. Douglas 1625.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE called for. The western centers also bring rather more buying from country merchants and some liberal purchases of agri-

chants and some liberal purchases of agri-cultural implements.

In industrial lines previous activity con-tinues without changes. Some few lines of iron and steel, notably structural shapes and cast iron pipe, are in less active re-quest, but other finished lines are active and the market as a whole is atrong, with leading authorities making optimistic pre-dictions as to the coming year's trade. Some shading of prices on far off deliveries is shown.

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*Balances paid in cash. Announcements of the Theaters. Matinee and night performances will ring the excellent bill on at the Orpheum this week to a close. Next week, starting Sunday matinee, those popular and talented stars, Nick Long and Idaline Cotton, presenting their new protean playet by Edgar Allen Woolf, entitled "My Wife's Diamonds," will head a program promised decidedly good. Other contributions are the eight Bedouin Araba; Patrice, in her latest success, a sketch called "Gloria;" the four Rianes, from the New York Hippodrome; Mr. and Mrs. Allison, in "Minnie from Minnesota;" Anna Chandler, singer and imitations: Shields and Rogers, in lasso

feats, and new kinodrome pictures. Tremblor in Kansas. ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Jan. II.—What is believed to have been an earthquake shock was fest here at 1:5 this morning. The shock lasted a few seconds. Persons were awakened and dishes rattled, but no damage is reported.

HARRIMAN IS RUSHING CARS

Pays Freight Rates on Rolling Stock to Get it to Coal Fields.

REVENUES SACRIFICED FOR THE WEST

Chiengo Hears that About Thirty-Eight Thousand Dollars Will Be Lost to Get Fuel to Consumers.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.-The Record-Herald today says the management of the Harriman lines is paying \$31,500 "freight" on cars in order to get them from the east into the coal fields of Illinois, where they can be loaded with coal for the west. This extreme and unusual method was adopted by the officials here after a wire consultation with E. H. Harriman, who gave his consent to the expenditure necessary to relieve the coal shortage in several portions of the west, especially in Kansas

and Nebraska. Added to the loss in paying freight on the cars the Harriman system will lose at least \$5,000 revenue, and possibly three times that amount, which it would have obtained had it permitted its cars to be loaded in the east with merchandise of coal for the territory about Chicago.

As a result of this sucrifice of revenue 65,000 tons of coal soon will be distributed along the lines of the Union Pacific road in Kansas and Nebraska. More than 250 carloads are on their way now and the remainder of 1,300 cars will be forwarded at the rate of fifteen or twenty daily. The question arose of how to get the

The management finally decided to ship them as freight and is paying \$25 for the The Chicago dispatch was confirmed Fri-

cars to the mines without having some

road steal them for temporary use enroute.

day morning by Superintendent Park of the Union Pacific, who said the payment Harriman lines had been taking to relieve the car situation. "Up to the present time we have kept

everybody supplied with cars, no matter what the cost," he said. "We have had no serious shortage except from the cast. As I understand it new, the coal car situation is easy, but this method of hurrying the cars back from the east will enable us to turn coal eastward from Rock Springs to help out the situation in this part of the country. The car shortage is principally noticeable in Idaho and Montana, and this order will help relieve the strain out there. Cars are already coming in from the east.

"We are now filling all orders for coal cars here and we do not anticipate any trouble in getting what cars we need on this part of the line.

"The returning of the cars from the east as empties will cause considerable financial loss to the roads, but it is only an evidence of the methods the roads have been using, regardless of cost, to relieve any possible shortage."

SPECULATION IS SHOCKED

Announcement of Increase in Pennsylvania Stock Causes Excitement on Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 .- The announcement of an intended issue of additional capital by the Pennsylvania Railroad company to the extent of \$100,000,000 in bonds and \$100 .-600,000 in stocks served to shock speculative sentiment in the stock market today Pennsylvania shares sold down 4 points from yesterday's clase under enormous unloading, beginning with 15,000 shares at the opening and selling in individual blocks later up to \$,000 shares. St. Paul, Atchison, Northern Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio were the most acutely affected of the stocks in the general list, but declines of between 1 and 2 points were quite general.

The sharpness of the break invited profittaking by bears and supporting orders were put into the market also as a protective measure by inside interests. The result was a substantial rally in the course of the first hour in which the principal active stocks recovered 1 to 11/2 points. Trading then became quieter.

Colorado Low Rates. On January 20, 21 and 22, 1907, the Union Pacific will sell tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo at \$18.15 for the round

Also rate of \$25.95 to same points, effect every day to May 31, 1907. For full information in regard to Colorado winter tours inquire at City Ticket Office 1324 Farnam street. 'Phone Douglas-334.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Snow and Colder in Nebraska Today-Sunday Fair, Colder in East Portion.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 .- Forecast of the weather for Sunday and Monday: For Nebraska-Snow and colder Satur day; Sunday fair, colder in east and south

For Kansas-Rain or snow Saturday; Sunday fair and colder. For South Dakota-Snow and colder Saturday; Sunday fair.

For Iowa-Snow Saturday, possibly rain in southeast portion, colder in west and 15.0 north portions: Sunday fair, colder in east and south portion.

For Missouri-Rain in south, rain or snow in north portion Saturday, colder; Sunday For Colorado-Fair Saturday, colder in northeast portion; Sunday fair, colder in

southeast portion. For Montana-Fair in northeast, snow in outh and west portions Saturday, colder; 9.0 Sunday fatr.

For Wyoming-Fair in east, snow in south portion Saturday, colder; Sunday probably fair. Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU,
OMAHA, Jan. II.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the
corresponding day of the last three years: 1907, 1906, 1905, 1904 Maximum temperature Mean temperature.... Precipitation Temperature and preci Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal at Omaha since March 1 and comparison with the last two years: and comparison with the said and comparison with the said and comparison with the said and sa Deficiency since March 1, 1906... Deficiency for cor. period, 1908.... Deficiency for cor. period, 1906....

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Temp. Max. Rain-Station and State of Weather. Sismarck, cloudy heyenne, cloudy Davenport, snowing Denver, clear Havre, snowing Helena, snowing Huron, cloudy Omaha, raining . Rapid City, clear

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION



KAUFFMAN'S FULL **ORCHESTRA WILL ENTERTAIN FROM** 7 P. M. TO 10 P. M.

Saturday Specials

VITH us Saturday is a day of unprecedented value-giving. This Saturday will totally eclipse all our previous efforts in genuine bargain giving. We have made extraordinary preparations for this day. Having arranged hundreds of notable offerings on each floor in the entire store. This Saturday will even be greater than last, and last Saturday was a record breaker. Here are a few Saturday Specials,

Our Embroidery

Was a Mighty Crush-Crowds have come before, but nothing to equal the pushing, shoving, squeezing event of today. One great sea of outstretched hands. Everyone who has looked at the enormous values and reductions we were making on these rare embroideries realized the marvelous opportunity offered them. hope everyone got just what they wanted. If not, tomorrow we are going to add several more great values equally as good as those of today, and as long as they last you can take your choice at these extraordinary prices, a yard.

.... 19¢ 29¢ 39¢ 59¢ These are the prices we ask for beautiful Embroideries that are worth and have always been sold from 50c to \$4.00 a yard. Be the first one Saturday.

1000 Dozen 25c, 50c, 75c Handkerchiefs 5c, 10c, 15c

On sale Saturday (Main Floor) Through an extraordinary good streak of luck we bought 1,000 dozen fine Linen Lawn Handkerchiefs—all importer's samples hundreds of exquisite designsregular selling prices 25c, 50c and 75c each-but on account of a missing thread in the embroidery here and there on a few handkerchiefs in each box we have placed the entire 1,000 dozen all out for Saturday's sale at one-fifth their intrinsic value Instead of 25c, 50c and 75c, they go on sale Saturday morning at, each 56. 10¢ and 15¢

Come early.

An Unloading Towel Sale of Great Values for Saturday

100 doz. Towels, fringed and hemstitched, neat colored border, good size, suitable for barber, hotel and dental purposes: worth 60c doz. For Saturday's sale, each3¢

A hemstitched huck, 21x40. also a bleached and unbleached bath towel, heavy and absorbent, 19c values, Saturday's sale . . 12c Extra large size, 21x40 hemstitched huck towel, colored borders, also a large double twisted

thread bath towel, never sold less than 25c each, sale price Satur-A Table Padding to preserve the polished top, heavy weight, 45 inches wide, regular 35c value, special for Saturday, yd....21c

Saturday Will Be Children's Day in the Daylight Store

All Children's Ready-to-Wear-Clothing will be just almost given

GIRLS' WINTER DRESSES, (Ages 4 to 14 years.) Dresses marked 89c, \$1.00 \$1.10 and \$1.25, all at 67¢ Dresses marked \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50, all at \$1.25.

Dresses marked \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.50 and \$3.95, all at...\$2.75 GIRLS' SCHOOL COATS. (Ages 8 to 14 years.) Colors red, tan, brown, navy, green and fancy mixtures, spien-

did cloth, prices were \$3.50, \$3.95 and \$4.95, all Saturday .. \$1.98 ALL OTHER CHILDREN'S MISSES' and INFANTS' COATS at HALF OFF REGULAR

Bables' Padded Silk Bonnets prices were 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25, Girls' Angora Tams, prices were 50c and 75c, all at 39¢ Children's outing flannel Sleeping Gowns, ages 1 to 5 years,

Children's Outing Flannel were 50c and 75c, all at . . 39¢ Girls' Fur Sets, prices 79¢ to\$2.46

GIRLS SWEATERS. AGES 1 to 5 YEARS, all fancy colors, were \$1.00 and \$1.25, AGES 4 to 8 YEARS, white and blue, were \$1.25 and \$1.50, SAT-URDAY\$1.00

AGES 7 to 14 YEARS, red and white, were \$1.75 and \$2.00, SAT-URDAY\$1.19 ANOTHER CORSET SALE-Fine coutille Corsets, medium length, sizes 25 to 30 only, worth 75c, Saturday 39¢

Flowers Flowers

Some excellent Flower Specials for Saturday

Large American Beauty Roses Fifty dozen natural full bloom Roses, with large bud and natural foliage, neatly branched with rubber tubing, on sale at 17¢ America's favorite flower, the "Violet."

Large parma Violets, wood Violets and the double violets, in the seasons. New shades, made of fine quality silks and velvets, on sale at ... 19e. 39e. 48e. 69e Another big lot Ostrich Plumes

100 Dozen 50c and 75c Lace Lisle Stockings

29c pair Saturday Main Floor. We have just received direct from New York another 100 doz. case of those 50c and 75c pretty lace lisle Hose, which we sold recently for 29c pr. The first case sold out in a short time, but this one will go quicker, for the people know a good stocking when they

see one. And here's a good one, the best that ever went over the counter for the money. Some are lace all over, others lace ankle, others are plain, embroidered in silk. They come in black, tans, browns, reds, blue, light pink, light blue, mixed colors and white, They sell for 50c and 75c ordinarily, but while they last take your

Basement Bargains Enormous cuts all through the

basement! Se Percales, dark grounds, with neat designs, Saturday, yd . . 3 1/2 c Special lot of extra quality Beige Suitings, worth 10c, Satur-

day, at, yd. 41/20 Large assertment French mercerized Madras, in white and colors, an elegant fabric, worth 25c to 35c, special Saturday at, yd Our entire line plain and fancy

Flannels, for waists, etc., worth

50c to 60c, Saturday, yd 42c Our entire line of Eiderdown, in white, gray, red, light blue, worth 40e to 50c, Saturday, yd 32¢ 9-4 extra quality Bleached Sheetings, worth 25c, at only, yd Money-Saving Prices on Sheets and Pillow Cases The Basement Lace

and Embroidery

Sale will continue Sat'day

Tremendous line of Lace Curtains-large, long, wide, splendid quality-rich, artistic designsjobbers' samples-bought cheapon sale Saturday at Half Prices.

One lot handsome Lace Curtains, worth \$2.50, at, pr. . \$1.25 One lot handsome Lace Curtains, worth \$2.00, at, pr. ... 98¢ One lot handsome Lace Cur-

tains, worth \$1.50, at, pr 75¢ One lot good, serviceable Lace Curtains, worth \$1.00, at, pr. 59¢ Gigantic Sale of Ribbons Saturday. Silk Taffeta Ribbons, Nos. 7, 9,

Extra quality fine Taffeta Ribbons, Nos. 22 to 40, at, yd. . 8 1/2 c Beautiful 35c, 30c, 25c wide fancy Ribbons at only, yd. 11 1/2 &

This in our new Candy Section: Mixed Candy, pound.....5¢ Chocolate Chips, pound...18¢

House Furnishing Department

SPECIAL FOR WASH DAY. 33c double-faced Wash Boards 175 Wash Benches (folding) that hold two tubs and a wringer\$1.39 Galvanized Tubs, 20 inches in Adjustable Sleeve Ironing Boards that clamp on any table Wooden Clothes Pins, per doz.

China Department. The newly invented Gas Lights. Best in the market. Complete globe, burner and mantle. We adjust them to your burner. Price

Everything in the China and Glassware department at from 20 to 25 per cent discount during unloading sale.

DERNBERG

German Director Says Strength of England

Lies in Colonial Lystem.

AMERICA IS GAINING TOO MUCH GROUND Empire is Losing in South America

and Must Save Itself by Develop-

ing Holdings in South Africa.

BERLIN, Jan. 11-Colonial Director Dernburg explained the foundation of Emperor William's so-called weldtpolitik (world policy) this afternoon at the convention of the German Chambers of Commerce. Laying many's entire requirements. He added: great stress upon the colonial enterprise of Germany and the development of its colonies, Herr Dernburg said:

The German colonial question is the question of the future for national labor, the question of the bread of millions of industrial workers and the question of the employment of German capital in trade, production and navigation. In presenting the facts leading up to these

conclusions, Dernburg said that the English speaking nations of the middle of the eighteenth century numbered 9,000,000, while the German speaking nations numbered selves independent in connection with sup-20,000,000. Today 120,000,000 spoke English plies of rubber, as American interests were and only 70,000,000 spoke German. Germany had lost a position of relative importance in the world because it had no colonies and was dependent more than ever on other countries for raw materials and food sup-

United States Advances. Herr Dernburg described the rapid derelopment of the United States and its ncreasing economic importance and commercial influence throughout the western hemisphere to the detriment of European nations. Light and electrical power plants in Brazil had passed from German into American hands; great mining undertakings on the Pacific coast of South America were in the hands of the United States; Japan and the United States were favored by shorter freight routes and were thus gaining on Germany in supplying the Chiprice of cotton, the advance of 1 cent per pound meaning an added cost of 80,060,000 marks to the world's manufacturers.

The colonial director discussed in detail the probabilities of supplying Germany's needs, such as cotton, copper, rubber petroleum, rice, coffee, oil yielding fruits, hemp, wool, etc., from its colonies. West arrangements for other countries for recip-Africa, he said, can send Germany cotton of the American grades while East Af- products. rica produces the Egyptian qualities. The notton growers of the Nile valley were already studying the cotton possibilities of

half acres in East Africa, compared with \$60 to \$60 in Egypt and \$30 in Texas Prof. Orwarburg estimated that the Ger man colonies were able to produce 2,500,000 bales of cotton. The cotton raised in Togoland already sold for 2 cents a pound more than American cotton.

As to Mineral. On the subject of the production of copper Herr Dernburg said that Germany imported \$37,750,000 worth of copper yearly. Copper mines were now being opened at Otavia, German Southwest Africa, and other deposits were being investigated. As to wool, Director Dernburg said Germany imported

165,000 tons, which can partly be supplied in German Southwest Africa. Of oil-producing fruits he said Germany imported \$42,500,000 worth, of which \$1,575,-600 worth came from the colonies. German East Africa alone was able to supply Ger-

"Germany imports \$1,500,000 worth of rubworth it requires. As the Americans and psual scraping and minor repairs and is British control all the principal sources of ready to be dispersed, some ships of the position of the state's attorneys. supply, the German manufacturers are heavy armored class may be sent around compelled to buy through middle men at the Horn for station in Pacific waters along Liverpool. Togoland, the Cameroons and the United States coast. This, it is said. East Africa produce rubber and large plan- can be accomplished without seriously aftations are being laid out in the Cameroons fecting the composition of the Atlantic and East Africa."

All the industrial states, Herr Dernburg pointed out, were driving to make themseeking to monopolize the market.

Place for Europeans.

On the subject of colonization Herr Dernurg said that while the greater part of African colonies were not adapted to colonization by Europeans, German Southwest Africa and the highlands of East Africa contained areas twice as large as Germany which could be settled by Europeans and large areas were also available in the South sea colonies. The rest of Germany's colonial possessions must remain so-called 'plantation colonies."

"With the necessary patience and persistence," said Director Dernburg, "a great part of Germany's requirements in raw materials can be obtained from its colonles. Germany, necessarily, is becoming an industrial state, owing to the lack of agricultural lands. Hence it is necessary nese market, and the planters of the to export part of the goods manufactured. southern states of the United States were Our colonies can supply cheap raw matrying to arrange for the control of the terials and German manufacturers and working people can thus be assured of be ing able to influence prices throughout the world as against foreign monopolies and high tariffs."

> were powerful stragetic and practical weapons when it became necessary to make rocal trade in raw materials and finished

Herr Dernburg added that the colonie

Tidal Wave Kills Many. THE HAGUE, Jan. 11.-A tidal wave has East Africa because the quality of the devastated some of the Dutch East Indian Egyptian product had deteriorated owing islands south of Achin. The loss is very to the construction of the Assuan dam. great. According to an official dispatch 200 Cotton land cost \$1 to \$1.50 for two and a persons perished on the Island of Tana,

drowned at the Island of Simalu.

MORE SHIPS FOR WEST At Present Pacific Squadron Will No Be Strengthened from the

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 .- Although the suggestion has been made that on account of the weak representation of armed ships on the Pacific coast several such vessels should be sent there at once, it was stated today that the naval general board has no made long since for the maneuvers which are about to begin at Culebra and Guantsname. The program of exercises covers a period of six weeks, during which time the

drills and extensive target practice. It is not improbable, however, that after

fleet, because of the fact that several new battleships and armored cruisers will be commissioned within the next few months which can take the place of the vessels

SHEA EVIDENCE RESTRICTED Accused Teamster Can Only Answer Questions When He Goes

on Stand. CHICAGO, Jan. 11 .- Judge Ball today decided that Cornelius P. Shen, chief defendant in the teamsters' strike conspiracy present intention of disturbing the plans trial, can testify only in reply to specific questions.

It was the plan of the attorneys for the defense to have Shea give a general history of the strike and of all the incidents entire Atlantic fleet will undergo rigid involved in its conduct. The state's attorncy declared that in this manner the defense would be able to bring matters beber from its colonies, out of the \$55,500,000 the fleet reaches northern waters for the fore the jury that have already been ruled out by the court. Judge Ball sustained the President Shea was asked but a single The defense then declared it

had finished its case. Mangum & Co., LETTER SPECIALISTS.

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