

## DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Every Test by Which Conditions Are Determined Shows Gain.

## PRICES AND WAGES ARE HIGHER

Business Interests Tire of Waiting for Completion of Tariff Bill and Move Ahead Regardless of Congress.

NEW YORK, June 4.—R. G. Dun and Company's Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Every test by which trade conditions are determined record improvement. In the iron and steel trade the progress made is, indeed, extraordinary and again does this branch of industry give a signal proof of its power to rise out of the depths of depression with wonderful rapidity. Increased orders expanding production, higher prices and wages, and in some lines records approaching even the high figures before the panic—such are the reports that now come from the trade every week. Thus the recent progress making toward full business recovery in the United States is most noticeable and it is facilitated by financial conditions. The effects of the late panic are still to be seen in the large volume of commercial defaults, although this is a passing condition, as the aggregate of those in May was the smallest in any month of this year. The tariff bill is still on in congress, with the final vote apparently still a month distant, but business world, impatient of further restraint, sets forth a disposition to move ahead regardless of its action and the crop uncertainty.

The primary dry goods market is firmer, although few actual advances in prices are to be noted. Export demand has practically ceased and there is little inquiry, except from the Red Sea, where buyers would purchase it prices were somewhat lower. In the print cloth market prices generally remain steady, but wide variations are higher. Jobbers are operating cautiously on bleached goods, and wool goods are moving slowly, although activities are in good demand. In the women division attention is at present concentrated on the opening of goods for the coming season.

A few of the cheaper lines have made their appearance and much advance business has been done in a quiet way. On staple lines, such as serges, fair proportion of the season's business has been booked.

In the hide market the advance has ceased for the present and the trade is now quiet, as compared with the activity early in May. Tanners appear to be disposed to advance prices on leather, but buyers are holding those of calf skins and heavy under leather being additional to the increase named last month. Sole leather is strong at advances, with large orders booked for later delivery.

## REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Bradstreet's bank clearing report for the week ending June 3 shows an aggregate of \$2,674,160,000, against \$2,700,787,000 last week and \$2,480,191,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc. Dec.
New York	\$1,627,940,000	8.5
Chicago	247,225,000	18.8
Boston	124,428,000	13.3
Philadelphia	106,276,000	18.1
St. Louis	68,800,000	13.4
Pittsburgh	40,833,000	12.7
Kansas City	37,194,000	21.7
San Francisco	25,150,000	7.1
Baltimore	24,841,000	8.5
Cincinnati	21,679,000	11.4
Omaha	17,711,000	10.3
Minneapolis	15,007,000	9.1
New Orleans	11,234,000	9.6
Cleveland	10,415,000	6.4
Detroit	10,300,000	16.9
Milwaukee	9,826,000	12.1
Louisville	11,206,000	12.2
Portland, Me.	11,000,000	12.1
Port Worth	10,042,000	12.1
Los Angeles	11,743,000	27.7
Seattle	9,940,000	31.2
Denver	7,808,000	14.5
Buffalo	7,550,000	13.3
Indianapolis	4,486,000	1.0
Spokane	5,904,000	15.6
Portland, Ore.	6,274,000	16.7
Richmond	5,940,000	39.1
Albany	4,885,000	16.0
Washington	7,434,000	14.8
St. Joseph	5,561,000	11.1
St. Lake City	5,320,000	14.3
Columbus	4,951,000	14.1
Memphis	3,285,000	23.9
Atlanta	5,277,000	34.0
Savannah	2,349,000	6.7
Toledo, Ohio	3,105,000	11.2
Hartford	5,062,000	19.1
Nashville	1,291,000	23.5
Des Moines	2,854,000	5.4
Peoria	2,014,000	21.0
New Haven	2,584,000	41.4
St. Paul	2,540,000	25.1
Grand Rapids	2,178,000	26.1
Syracuse	2,008,000	26.1
Evansville	1,610,000	4.8
Birmingham	1,820,000	4.8
Springfield, Mass.	2,047,000	7.0
Portland, Me.	1,484,000	22.8
Augusta, Ga.	1,787,000	22.8
Dayton	1,753,000	22.8
Oakland, Cal.	1,470,000	22.8
Worcester	1,201,000	8.1
Jacksonville	1,201,000	8.1
Wichita	1,201,000	8.1
Wheeler, W. Va.	1,201,000	8.1
Little Rock	1,201,000	8.1
Chattanooga	1,201,000	8.1
Charleston, S. C.	1,201,000	8.1
Mobile	1,201,000	8.1
Wilmington, Del.	1,201,000	8.1
Lincoln, Neb.	1,201,000	8.1
Wicksbarre	1,201,000	8.1
Topeka	1,201,000	8.1
Davenport	1,201,000	8.1
Oklahoma	1,201,000	8.1
Fall River	1,201,000	8.1
Kalamazoo, Mich.	1,201,000	8.1

## CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN AND BOYS

## A Matchless Clothing Sale!

## A Sensational Sale! A Store Crowding Sale!

## The Greatest Bona Fide Clothing Sale of the Season!

"The House of Kuppenheimer Clothes" absolutely without an equal—quality, patterns, material, tailoring and fit, faultless, and they cover the whole range of men's builds—short—stout—long—slim and regular—no matter the shape, we guarantee a perfect fit. The assortment to choose from is almost bewildering. Hundreds of patterns and models for a satisfactory selection—worsteds, cassimeres, chevots, fancy mixtures, stripes and a magnificent lot of fine blue serges and black unfinished worsteds and Vicuna suits. Actually you never saw a finer line of garments at any price than we show in this special shipment from "the House of Kuppenheimer" Suits made to sell for—

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says too many shirts—that means there's something doing in our shirt dept. Shirts that sold from \$1.00 to \$2.50 are all placed in one great lot and regardless of quality or cost, marked at one price

**75c Each**

All sizes are represented, 14 to 18, cuffs attached and detached.

Our window display is more eloquent than words and the same shirts can be found in the store and sale.

Sacramento	823,000	32.5
Springfield, Ill.	1,057,000	34.9
Helena	725,000	21.8
Fort Ward	1,458,000	12.3
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	1,458,000	12.3
New Bedford	706,000	6.3
Columbia, S. C.	403,000	1.8
Macon	513,000	26.0
Youngstown	1,000,000	44.6
Lexington	44,000	2.3
Fargo, N. D.	630,000	12.5
Akron	568,000	18.8
Canton, Ohio	428,000	7.4
Quincy, Ill.	574,000	31.9
Bloomington, Ill.	425,000	11.9
Lowell	425,000	3.8
Binghamton	340,000	19.4
Chester, Pa.	427,000	8.6
Rockford	421,000	10.5
Decatur, Ill.	422,000	44.4
Springfield, Ohio	429,000	24.1
Duluth	2,027,000	42.5
Freemont, Neb.	411,000	34.7
Manfield, Ohio	297,000	1.9
Jacksonville, Ill.	275,000	42.0
Jackson, Miss.	180,000	35.1
Houston	21,585,000	30.0
Galveston	9,251,000	3.0
Duluth	2,027,000	42.5
Saratoga, Pa.	2,418,000	21.0

\* Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.  
† Not included in totals because comparisons are incomplete.

## FORT DODGE AUTO CLUB READY

Organization of Sixty-Five Car Owners Will Endeavor to Approach- ing Gladiators.

FORT DODGE, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—The automobile club of Fort Dodge has become a reality with sixty-five members. One of them a resident of Carroll, Ia. The remainder are all Fort Dodge owners of motor vehicles. E. N. Macowan has been elected president, T. A. Alexander vice president, J. M. Plaster secretary and R. M. Stevens treasurer. With the officers, Miss Elsie Laufferweiser was elected to act on the board of governors.

The club is affiliated with the state and national organizations and intends to pursue active work in securing good roads and in giving attention to legislation that affects automobilists. The approaching visit of the Glidden tour is responsible for the culmination of several years' talk about forming a club here.

State Attacks  
Jacobs' Defense

Testimony in Sturgis Murder Case Indicates Girl Could Not Have Shot Herself.

STURGIS, S. D., June 4.—(Special Telegram.)—The taking of testimony in the case of Oscar Jacobs, charged with the murder of Elba Roberts, was begun here this morning with evidence on the part of the state that powder burns on the girl's hand and other conditions showed she did not fire the fatal shot herself. Members of the coroner's jury, the coroner and his assistant were called to the stand. William Galvin, a prominent citizen, testified that on the night of the tragedy he stood across the street and heard a scream sounding like a woman's voice, followed by the report of a gun. He went across the street and looked over a screen and saw the girl lying on the floor in the position in which she was afterward found. The surprise of the case was sprung when Mr. Hamilton, an expert from Auburn, N. Y., testified on the use of gunpowder and guns. With an experience of twenty-four years as a witness in many prominent criminal cases, he testified as to his examination of the gun and cartridges and that he had made fourteen experiments, showing the distance the gun was held from the body, having used as a target cloth similar to that worn by Elba Roberts the night of her death. The state offered fourteen exhibits, showing the results of the experiments made by Hamilton.

Pays Price, but  
Gets No Bride

Fort Dodge Would-Be Groom Sends Eastern Correspondent \$35, but She Neglects to Come.

FORT DODGE, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—John T. Carlton of Fort Dodge, who advertised for a wife, is now pursuing legal methods for the recovery of \$35 which he sent to "Miss Beattie F. Hinchley" of Cheshire, Mass., to pay her expenses here after an eastern courtship by mail. Miss Hinchley, so-called, was reported to him as killed in a railroad accident after he had sent the money to her and the man who had been fleeced immediately set the authorities on her trail. It develops that Miss Hinchley is the name of some other Cheshire young woman whom townspeople there testified as to Mr. Carlton's correspondent. She is away visiting and the police await her return, as does the now irate would-be bridegroom.

## EGAN SEEKS REINSTATEMENT

Disbarred Lawyer Cites Many Reasons for a Rehearing.  
PIERRE, S. D., June 4.—(Special.)—When the supreme court meets again on the twenty-second of this month they will have presented to them a peculiar petition from George W. Egan, who is asking to be reinstated as a member of the bar of the state. The petition recites the service of the father of Egan in the war of the rebellion; the fact that since the disbarment of the petitioner by the supreme court, both his father and mother have died, their

death having been hurried by the trouble of their son; that the wife of the petitioner is in failing health from the same cause; that the people of Minnehaha county have given him the endorsement of their votes, regardless of the action of the court, and that he has been punished enough even had he made a slip in the path of legal rectitude, which he denies he did in the case on which his disbarment proceedings were brought about. On all these grounds he asks the court to again take his case under consideration, and to allow him to appear before the court to plead his case.

May Close Saloons  
in Marshalltown

Petitions to Close All Liquor Houses Are Being Circulated by Drys.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—Anti-saloon agitation, which began six months ago in this, and which reached its climax ten days ago when Evangelist W. A. Sunday preached his famous "Booze" sermon is to be given a practical test next week, when petitions to close the nineteen saloons of this city, are to be circulated. To close the saloons this petition requires the signatures of 1,068, a majority of those who voted at the general election in 1908. The anti-saloon people are confident, and the saloon owners are admitting that the saloons will probably be closed. Thirty committees to circulate the petitions have been appointed, and it is expected that the necessary number of names will be secured in two days.

Laws Go to Referendum.  
PIERRE, S. D., June 4.—(Special.)—With the filing of the referendum petition to place the militia law before the people of the state, the list is probably closed, with a majority of "prepared foods." The petition, which does not appear to have been thriving, if that fails to get in, the people will have presented to them on the special ballot next year six constitutional amendments and six laws.

## Today and Yesterday

Changes in What We Wear and What We Eat.

The steamship replaced the sailing vessel, the electric light succeeded by gas, and we have no need, nor desire to "trade back." Our health is just as good and we can crowd that much more work and play into the day of twenty-four hours. Foods have changed, too. Corn bread and wheat flour share honors with dairy yet substantial "prepared foods." People now realize the necessity of stomach care. They eat more fruit and green stuffs and cereals and the health is better for it. The old fashioned breakfast of "beef-steak, potatoes and bread" or "bacon and eggs" and muffins are replaced by Egg-Corn Flakes or Egg-O-Sees Wheat Flakes and fruit, and our health is better for it. All the nourishment of the grain is retained in the crisp flakes, and it's no task for the stomach. Children grow fat on it. Invalids gain strength on it and man can do a better day's work on it than to load his stomach with meats and heavy foods. Remember always it's the "Egg-O-Sees" brands that are "made right." Watch for the E-C Mark on the package.

Stricken by Bolt  
at Supper Table

Hans Hill, at Gilman, Near Death as Result of Shock of Lightning.

GILMAN, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—Struck down by a bolt of lightning while he sat at the supper table with his family, Hans Hill, a farmer living near here, is at the point of death as a result of burns and shock which the lightning inflicted. The bolt struck the chimney, ran down it to the dining room, then leaped to Hill's body. It tore his clothes and threw his shoes across the room and ran down both legs and through the floor. He was fearfully burned. None of the six other members of the family were more than slightly shocked.

## HOSPITAL FOR DANISH CHURCH

Conference at Grand Center May Establish Institution Near Cedar Falls.

GRUNDY CENTER, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—Delegates from all parts of the country are in attendance here at the annual conference of the Danish Evangelical Lutheran church of America. One of the special matters of business to be taken up before the conference adjourns is the establishment of a hospital for the treatment of chronic diseases, with a department for scientific research. The plan for the establishment of the hospital is of primary interest to the Danish American people of the middle west. As the plan is developed it is expected that the hospital will be located not far from the city of Cedar Falls.

## Estherville Educational Notes.

ESTHERVILLE, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the school board it was decided not to bond the city of Estherville for \$10,000 to erect a new brick school building. J. L. Mishler has been retained for another year and the following new teachers hired to fill vacancies caused by others resigning: Gertrude Greene and Alta Cratty of Armstrong; Vashti Wilcox, Mable Miller and Maggie Malone of Estherville. Under the management of Prof. E. E. Strawn and Superintendent J. L. Mishler and other teachers, the Northern Iowa Summer school will convene in Estherville from June 14 to July 27.

## May Cancel Saloon Licenses.

ABERDEEN, S. D., June 4.—(Special.)—State's Attorney Lester T. Van Slyke has spread consternation among the ranks of the saloon men of Brown county by issuing a notice stating that hereafter when a saloon keeper is arrested for a violation of the law the state's attorney's office will insist, as part of the punishment, that the circuit court revoke the offender's license. Heretofore light fines have been imposed for slight violations of the law, but the state's attorney holds that such practice has not resulted in causing the saloon men to adhere more closely to the provisions of the statutes, and therefore he will pursue harsher measures hereafter.

## Manufacturers at Davenport.

DAVENPORT, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—The seventh annual convention of the Iowa State Manufacturers' association will be held in this city on June 9 and 10. Among the speakers who will deliver addresses before the convention are E. E. Clark of the Interstate Commerce commission, S. A. Thomas of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress and Col. John A. Ockerson.

## Brown Goes to Waterloo.

WATERLOO, Ia., June 4.—(Special.)—Rollo Brown of Central City, Ia., one of the best known playing managers and

first basemen of the Iowa State league, and the Central association, also the "Three I" league, has been signed to play first base for the local club of the Central association. Brown until recently has been managing the Cedar Rapids team of the "Three I" league. He formerly managed the Marshalltown club and played with other teams of the old Iowa State league.

## Iowa News Notes.

WATERLOO—More than 100 flour millers of Iowa are in the city today attending the annual convention of the Millers' club of the state.

CEAR FALLS—H. H. Piersall died at his home in this city this morning. For years he was a dry goods merchant in this city and is well known throughout the state.

CEAR FALLS—A class for forty-two was graduated this evening from the Cedar Falls High school. One-half of the number are boys. Superintendent D. M. Kelly delivered the graduating address.

NEWTON—Roy Thomas, a well-known young man of this city and a member of a highly respected family, who was arrested by Constable Agnew last night for wife desertion, waived preliminary examination this morning, and was held to the grand jury. He was able to furnish a \$200 bond and was released.

PORT DODGE—Nineteen graduates, the smallest class in years to be graduated from the Port Dodge High school, received their diplomas tonight, the exercises being held for the first time in the armory, in lieu of the theater building destroyed by fire. The class is unusually talented one and contains two of the high school league champion debaters.

LAKE CITY—In accordance with a custom which has been observed for many years in Iowa towns which have opened libraries within the last few years, the local library committee has arranged for an opening and dedicatory program for the new Carnegie library at Rockwell City, and Thursday was chosen as the date. Mrs. F. H. Allan

has been busy this week getting the books moved to their new home and expects to be ready for callers by the date named for the opening. Judge Z. A. Church of Jefferson will give the dedicatory address.

BOONE—Newell, the 2-year-old son of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hedstrom, lost his balance and fell from a second story window Wednesday and by Thursday was playing around as usual. The child was upstairs with his mother when he leaned out of the window to throw something out. He lost his balance and tumbled out of the window, striking against the porch rail as he fell. A doctor was immediately sent for and found the child suffering from one broken rib and some x-cue bruises on the back, but he had no other injuries.

SHELDON—The commencement exercises of Sheldon High school began Wednesday evening, when the graduating class presented "The Manners of Jane" as the class play at the opera house. The commencement exercises proper were held last night at the Methodist church. Rev. Charles S. Medbury, pastor of the University Place Christian church of Des Moines, delivered the address. The eighteen members of the graduating class received their diplomas from the hand of the president of the Board of Education, W. D. Boies, and the exercises were closed by a short talk by Superintendent O. M. Elliott, who has been promoted to a higher position in a larger city, Twin Falls, Idaho.

## Ment Peddlers Short in Weight.

CENTRAL CITY, June 4.—(Special.)—For giving short weights, two meat peddlers were brought before Judge Peterson and fined \$25 apiece and costs. They used two sets of scales, one of which fell a pound short of the mark, and the other four pounds. Complaint was made by one of their customers that they delivered a 23-pound ham, when 26 pounds had been paid for. They gave the names of John Davis and Richard Roe, and claimed that their home was near Lincoln.

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\$20 Raincoats, Our Special Price	\$12.00
\$25 Raincoats, Our Special Price	\$15.00

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