THE BUSINESS WORLD.

A Remarkable Six Months of General Trade Sized Up by Experts.

THE FAILURES OF HALF A YEAR.

Pig Iron No Better, but the Fight With Organized Labor Averted.

FIRES, FAILURES AND RAILWAY NEWS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, July 1.—Special telegrams to *Bradstreet's* from the more important distributing centers indicate clearly that midsummer dullness is at hand.

The more encouraging advices are from St. Paul, Omaha, Kansas City and St. Louis. The first reports some gains in movement of goods in all staple lines. Kansas City announces that its June volume of trade is in excess of that for 1891, with cattle and hogs active and wheat and corn prospects excellent, and from St. Louis word comes of the gradual improvement in general trade, with excellent crop prospects which stimulate business now and point to a good fall trade.

At Boston manufacturers of boots and shoes are busy, with sole leather higher and advancing, but lumber East is weak. Print mills are crowded with orders at good prices. Baltimore merchants expect a better business in the autumn, as they have been purchasing stocks with conservatism. Philadelphia drygoods dealers are only filling supplementary orders.

Loss by Floods on the Mississippi.

New Orleans reports that continued high water has greatly retarded business throughout Louisiana, while Galveston says Texas trade in staples is only fair, that other lines are quiet, but that prospects for autumn are good.

Memphis, Cincinnati, Pittsburg and San Francisco all report general trade quiet and unchanged. Even at Chicago wholesale jobbers in several lines are only placing customary orders, when given the privilege of cancelling them.

A holiday feeling possesses the speculative share market, the prevalent inactivity being intensified by the absence of foreign participation due to political excitement regarding the general elections in Great Britain. Renewed gold shipments, $3,352,000 having been sent to Europe and Canada, have produced little impression upon either the money market or stock speculation, though limited bearish pressure has been displayed on reports of further storms and damage to crops at the West.

The July 1 disbursements have produced little impression upon either the money market or stock speculation, though limited bearish pressure has been displayed on reports of further storms and damage to crops at the West. The July 1 disbursements have produced little commotion in the New York loan market, the temporary curtailment of the supply of funds being too slight to affect rates. Exchange is firm on the scarcity of commercial bills.

Threatened Iron Troubles Staved Off.

Pig iron is as badly off as ever, with prices for some grades lower than heretofore because of further competition from Southern grades East and West. Best grades of Lehigh iron are expected to sell as low as $15 in the near future, $1 under current rates. No improvement in demand or prices has followed the decreased production of stocks reported for several months past. So many prominent iron manufacturers have signed a modified scale of wages that, after the customary fortnight's shutdown at the West for repairs, it seems quite likely the impending conflict between iron manufacturers and the Amalgamated Association will have practically disappeared.

Bank clearings for June aggregate $4,836,900,000, compared with $4,512,000,000 in June, 1891, a gain of 12 per cent. For six months, total bank clearings at 60 odd cities amount to $30,743,000,000, or 15 per cent more than in six months of 1891, and 2.8 per cent more than in a like portion of 1890. This is in spite of an unfortunate reduction of June bank clearings at New York City due to Stock Exchange Clearing House operations of about $102,000,000.

Exports of wheat, including flour as wheat, from the United States seaports, both coasts, for the week ending June 30 equal 8,216,000 bushels, 1,000,000 bushels more than in the like week one year ago, and 2,000,000 bushels more than in like weeks in 1890, 1889 and 1888.

The increase over the total for last week is 800,000 bushels. The total quantity of wheat and flour exported in June was about 12,700,000 bushels. This points to total exports of wheat, including flour as wheat, of 117,000,000 bushels during the past 12 months, as compared with 106,000,000 bushels in the cereal year ending June 30, 1891.

The Failures for Six Months.

There have been 5,351 business failures in the United States within six months, 686 fewer than in the first half of 1891, a decrease of 11 per cent. Contrasted with six months of 1890, the decrease is only 115, or 2 per cent. Aggregate liabilities fell away to $56,533,000 this year, or 38 per cent less than in the first half of 1891, and 10 per cent less than in a like portion of 1890. From this it is seen that a larger proportion of the failures this year are of smaller concerns than in 1891 or 1890. There were only three more failures with $100,000 liabilities each in the past six months than in 1890, but aggregate liabilities of this class of embarrassments in 1892 are 15 per cent smaller than in 1890, and 62 per cent smaller than in 1891.

Drygoods at first and second hands are less active. Print cloths are firm and active at late advances. New prints will be offered next week. Woolen goods are weaker in some lines. Carpet makers are well supplied with orders.

Raw wool is more active at advances, with a tendency, in case the quality of new clip is high, to higher prices. Prices abroad are relatively higher than here. Raw cotton is 1-16c lower on a restricted market, due to fears of favorable action by the Senate on the anti-options bill.

Dun's Review of a Remarkable Season.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review says: A fiscal year never matched in the whole history of the country, in the volume of industrial production, in magnitude of domestic exchanges or in foreign trade, has just closed. The imports for the year have been about $833,000,000, the increase in New York in June over last year being about 18 per cent. Exports from New York in June gained 15.4 per cent and the aggregate for the year has been about $1,027,000,000.

Railroad earnings have been the largest in any year thus far, and clearings in June the largest ever known in that month, exceeding last year 8 per cent, and for the whole year the largest ever known outside New York. Failures for the half year have been 5,503, against 6,074 in 1891, and liabilities $62,000,000 against $92,000,000, and on the whole about the smallest for five years. In spite of low prices, additional works are going into operation, even in iron manufacture, and yet more in woolen and cotton. Moreover, the crops of this year promise to be very satisfactory, and the new half year begins with excellent prospects.

Pittsburg Eighth in Bank Clearings.

The following table compiled by *Bradstreet's* gives the Clearing House returns for the week ending June 30, 1892, and the percentage of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week of last year:

		Inc.	Dec.
New York	$ 881,123,289	....	10.9
Boston	91,843,435	....	5.2
Chicago	85,890,181	20.4	....
Philadelphia	68,337,222	3.4	....
St. Louis	22,450,903	18.7	....
Cincinnati	15,679,450	11.1	....
San Francisco	14,762,295	....	11.8
Pittsburg	14,321,574	7.2	....
Baltimore	12,269,221	....	19.8
New Orleans	5,465,224	....	15.5
Kansas City	8,684,866	22.9	....
Buffalo	7,465,648	....	14.6
Louisville	7,027,621	....	8.4
Minneapolis	7,038,887	....	9.7
Detroit	6,215,461	8.0	....
Milwaukee	6,778,972	....	7.8
Omaha	6,461,804	46.8	....
Providence	5,090,800	4.0	....
Denver	4,824,791	....	....
Cleveland	3,810,352	6.8	....
St. Paul	3,201,911	19.7	....
Houston	2,033,577	1.0	....
Indianapolis	4,808,931	18.3	....
Memphis	2,286,187	60.8	....
Columbus	2,443,800	21.0	....
Richmond	2,078,138	....	4.7
Dallas	1,471,927	....	6.2
Hartford	1,662,627	....	39.5
Duluth	1,587,861	....	20.1
Nashville	1,493,189	....	12.5
Washington	1,369,718	8.2	....
St. Joseph	1,381,519	27.4	....
Peoria	1,511,128	1.6	....
Portland, Ore	1,301,437	19.1	....
Rochester	1,237,931	....	22.4
Salt Lake City	2,909,134	16.9	....
New Haven	1,225,590	....	24.7
Portland	1,158,243	....	10.3
Worcester	1,251,564	....	1.9
Springfield	1,281,822	....	12.8
Waco	616,576	....	24.8
Sioux City	984,267	15.2	....
Fort Worth	1,042,424	6.1	....
Norfolk	813,284	....	8.9
Wilmington, Del	843,574	....	6.0
Lowell	786,857	5.7	....
Grand Rapids	974,477	22.6	....
Seattle	966,912	....	1.2
Syracuse	818,300	....	4.2
Des Moines	769,857	....	8.9
Tacoma	746,932	....	33.2
Los Angeles	608,987	2.0	....
Lincoln	492,399	....	8.7
Wichita	495,796	12.2	....
Lexington	579,141	5.4	....
Birmingham	576,177	13.8	....
New Bedford	405,000	....	....
Topeka	382,467	6.4	....
*Galveston	3,588,226	....	26.1
*Savannah	1,144,840	....	....
*Atlanta	946,605	....	....
*Binghamton	254,400	....	....
*Helena	767,424	....	....
*Great Falls	294,455	....	....
Total	$1,031,685,808	....	0.2
Outside New York	$ 450,562,579	3.2	....
Dominion of Canada—			
Montreal	10,120,505	41.0	....
Halifax	1,022,310	50.0	....
Toronto	3,814,579	....	....
Hamilton	633,399	....	....
Total	$ 17,601,879	....	....

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

AUGUST H. STEBBINS, wholesale miller of New York, has assigned.

IT is alleged the Umbrella Trust is a failure as a money-making scheme.

AT New York $3,300,000 of gold coin has been ordered for shipment to-day.

THE Nova Scotia Government's 3½ per cent loan has been floated in the English market.

CARL SCHURZ, President Director of the Hamburg-American Packet Company, has resigned.

HAVANA planters will harvest this season 900,000 tons of sugar, nearly 100,000 more than last year.

THE Kansas wheat harvest is immense, and farmers are having much trouble in finding labor.

RUMORED that the Western Railway Company in Cuba has been transferred to an English syndicate.

JUDGE GRESHAM has directed the sale of the entire property of the American Wheel Trust, now in charge of Noble C. Butler as receiver.

THE Rogers Typographic Company was organized in Detroit Thursday, where it will erect an extensive factory for the production of typesetting machines.

AT the International Millers' Exhibition in London, the champion gold medal for the best wheat has been awarded to the Manitoban Government for an exhibit of "red fife."

THE big suit of John W. Plummer against the Granite Mountain Mining Company, at Helena, Mont., was decided in the United States Circuit Court yesterday for Plummer for $30,000.

THE Susquehanna and Columbian Iron companies of Columbiana, Pa., closed down Thursday for an indefinite period for repairs. Over 500 men are thrown out of work temporarily.

C. A. BEYTS and G. C. Grant, London merchants, have been arraigned on the charge of forging bills of lading with intent to defraud the chartered Mercantile Bank of India. Bail was refused.

EIGHT HUNDRED men, women and girl sewers in the shops of some 50 Baltimore contract tailors have begun a movement to do away with the task system and to introduce in its stead fixed wages for a day's work of 10 hours, and the payment of the wages on Friday of each week.

THE notice issued by the Franklin Sugar Refining Company, of Philadelphia, that a rebate of ⅛ of 1 per cent per pound will be granted to the wholesale grocers, went into effect yesterday, although the refiners changed their quotations Thursday and allowed the rebate to the jobbers.

FIVE assignments were made at Canton, O., Thursday. They were the Canton Stove Company, assets $10,000; Mat Bast & Co., saloon and restaurant, assets, $5,000; Mat Bast, individual assignment, assets, $5,000; A. O. Sleaty, assets, $4,000; William Archinal, assets, $2,000. All were members of the stove company, and Samuel Bingest was made assignee.

The Cleveland *Iron Trade Review* says the heavy movement of ore thus far, in the face of comparatively light sales outside of the big Bessemer contracts of last winter, encourages the vessel interest to believe that any change in existing rates will be for the better; but ore sellers give out that whatever rise in freights might take place within the next few weeks by reason of grain movement would be checked by the slowing up of ore shipments. The market for raw iron is still the buyers' own. There is now little expectation that this condition will improve before the end of the year, for contracts are being made with deliveries lapping into 1893. Bessemer pig transactions are paralyzed for the time being by the promised steel suspension at Pittsburg.

RAILWAY INTERESTS.

ARTICLES of incorporation of the Baltimore and Ohio Connection Railroad Company have been filed at Springfield, Ill.

JAMES L. TAYLOR, late General Passenger Agent of the Richmond and Danville system, has been appointed General European Passenger Agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad with office in London. This office has just been created.

THE passenger agents of 9 of the 13 railroads entering Peoria met with a committee of the Travelers' Protective Association to arrange for an interchangeable mileage book over all railroads entering the city. Six of the roads agreed to issue a 5,000-mile book.

THE Chicago *Railway Age*, in its report of railroad building during the first half of 1892, says 1,386 miles of new main track have been laid in the period named, distributed among 115 lines in 35 of the States and Territories. Last year at this time 1,728 miles of track had been laid, and yet the entire year of 1891 showed the smallest aggregate of track laying since 1885. A review of the work in progress does not warrant the belief that the falling off for the entire year of 1892 will be in any such proportion as that during the first six months.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Chicago—The American Toy Company's store was gutted Friday morning. Loss, $20,000, half insured. The cause was the premature letting off by accident of the entire stock of fireworks.

Wilmington, Del.—Mecary & Sons' carpet and furniture store damaged $58,000; insurance, $45,000.

Sixth avenue—The alarm from box 31 shortly before 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon was caused by an awning taking fire on the Duquesne Club building on Sixth avenue. No damage was done except to the awning.

Soho street—No. 5 engine company answered a still alarm for a slight fire in the house of Patrick Bracken, on Soho street, yesterday afternoon. The fire caught in the kitchen from a defective flue. Damage slight.

Lionia, Berks county—John Haring's creamery and factory. Loss, $5,000. The fire originated from the boiler.

A DEEP-SEATED cough cruelly tries the lungs and wastes the general strength. A prudent resort for the afflicted is to use Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, a remedy for all troubled with asthma, bronchitis, or any pulmonary affection.

Excursion to Wheeling To-Morrow.

Rate, $1 50 the round trip. Train leaves B. & O. R. R. depot at 8:10 A. M. 8

AFRICA'S unknown lands to be explored by Young Chanler. Interesting article in THE DISPATCH to-morrow.

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Tickets on sale June 28 to July 1 inclusive, good for return until July 15. Rate from Pittsburg, $21 75.

Fourth of July Excursions Via Pennsylvania Lines.

One fare for the round trip July 2, 3 and 4 to stations within 200 miles. Tickets will be good to return until July 5, inclusive. No excursion tickets sold to adults for less than 25 cents, nor to children for less than 15 cents.

HALF FARE EXCURSIONS

Via the Pittsburg and Western Railway.

Round trip tickets on sale July 2, 3 and 4, good until July 5, to all points on the line between Allegheny, Bradford, Erie, Painesville and Cleveland.

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Marriage Licenses.

Name.	Residence.
Abrah Kaufman	New York
Rose Weinberg	New York
William C. Steeb	Pittsburg
Mary J. Small	Pittsburg
John McCumisky	Pittsburg
Sadie Preston	Pittsburg
Adam Varos	Allegheny
Amelia H. Obsdol	Allegheny
John Rosenberger	Chartiers
Sophia Sniger	Stowe
Frederick Bowes	Pittsburg
Louise Dunn	Pittsburg
John Phillips	Manor station
Theressa Whitehead	Mifflin township
Charles W. Castor	Pittsburg
Elizabeth Linsenberg	Pittsburg
Joseph A. Carr	Braddock
Viola Gilleland	Dravosburg
Edward C. Pack	Pittsburg
Mary C. Mowery	Bedford
Lloyd Simpson	Allegheny
Catharine Harris	Pittsburg

MARRIED.

CARLIN—ALEXANDER—On Thursday, June 30, 1892, by the Rev. Dr. McMillan, JOHN H. CARLIN, of Thomas Carlin's Sons, and MARGARET ANN ALEXANDER.

KING-ZUG—On Tuesday, June 28, 1892, at Bellefield Presbyterian Church by Rev. H. T. McClelland, LINDSAY KING and LIELA B. ZUG.

DIED.

BROKAW—On Thursday, June 30, 1892, at 12:30 P. M., BURGIN BROKAW, aged 53 years 8 days.

Services from No. 20 West Carson street, on SATURDAY, July 2, 1892, at 9:30 A. M. 2

BROWN—On Friday, July 1, 1892, at 7 A. M., JOSEPH BROWN, County Derry, Ireland, aged 59 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 23 Erie street, Allegheny, on SABBATH AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 2

CULP—On Thursday, June 30, 1892, AUSTIN W. CULP, aged 38 years.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 5 Marquis street, Allegheny, on SUNDAY, July 3, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GALLINGER—On Thursday, June 30, 1892, at 3:30 P. M., DEBORAH, wife of Jacob A. Gallinger, aged 28 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 15 Fulton street, Allegheny, on SUNDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock, and services at West View Cemetery. Omit flowers.

JONES—On Wednesday, June 29, at 2 P. M., EDWARD, son of Mary E. and John P. Jones, at parents' residence, 4719 Laurel avenue, aged 14 years.

Funeral services St. Luke's P. E. Church, Pearl street, 2 P. M. FRIDAY, July 1, 1892. 2

JONES—On Thursday morning, June 30, 1892, at 2 o'clock, SOLOMON JONES, Sr., in his 84th year, member of Company F, Eighteenth Pennsylvania Cavalry.

MAHER—Friday morning, July 1, 1892, WILLIAM MAHER, in his 83d year.

Funeral on MONDAY at 10:30 A. M.

MEEDS—At the family house, Brilliant Hill, Twenty-first ward, on Thursday, June 30, 1892, at 7:30 A. M., EMMA R., wife of James B. Meeds, and daughter of R. S. and Crissie A. Wilkison, in her 29th year.

Funeral services on SABBATH, July 3, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Carriages will leave the office of T. B. Moreland, No. 6104 Penn avenue, East End, at 1 P. M. 3

MEYERS—On Friday, July 1, 1892, at 5:45 A. M., HENRY MEYERS, aged 58 years 10 days.

Funeral on SUNDAY, July 3, at 2 P. M., from his late residence, Boggs avenue, Thirty-second ward, Mt. Washington. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

McDONOUGH—Thursday, June 30, 1892, at 3:30 A. M., ELIZA A., widow of the late John McDonough, in her 62d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 6315 Broad street, SATURDAY, July 2, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Washington, Pa., and Mt. Vernon, O., papers please copy). 2

PATTEN—On Thursday, June 30, 1892, at 10 A. M., MRS. MARY, wife of James Patten.

Funeral from her late residence, 1722 Carey alley, Southside, on SATURDAY, July 2, 1892, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Chicago papers please copy.]

PEPPERDAY—On Friday, July 1, 1892, at 2:10 o'clock A. M., AGNES, wife of Thomas Pepperday.

Funeral services MONDAY, July 4, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., at her late residence, 630 South Negley avenue, East End. Interment private at later hour.

RODGERS—Thursday, June 30, 1892, at the residence of his brother, Bernard Rodgers, of Crafton, HUGH RODGERS, in the 76th year of his age.

Funeral at St. Phillips' Church, Crafton, SATURDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. 2

SAULTERS—On Friday, July 1, at 5 A. M., HARRIET R., daughter of Thomas G and Harriet Saulters, aged 5 months and 28 days.

Funeral service at 2:30 P. M. SATURDAY, July 2, at family residence, No. 49 Clifton avenue, Allegheny City. Interment private.

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Send for samples of wall paper, sent free to any address.
G. G. O'BRIEN'S
Paint and Wall Paper Store,
292 Fifth av., 3 Squares from Court House
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SMALLPOX.
The only preventive
GET VACCINATED.
A fresh supply of Bovine Vaccine Quills just received by Jos. Fleming & Son, Druggists, Market st. and Diamond. 20c each. 5 for 75c. je18-55

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

B. & B.
PARIS ROBES.
About a hundred to be sacrificed to-morrow.
Friday and Saturday are the dullest Dress Goods days in the week, and for that reason we selected to-day and to-morrow (Friday and Saturday) for this sacrifice.
RICH PARIS ROBES or INDIVIDUAL DRESS PATTERNS, handsome new goods, two prices only—$15 and $16.50, and $20 values—all at
$7.50 EACH.
$40, $50 and $60 ROBES all at
$20 EACH.
There should not be one of these hundred elegant Dress Patterns left in 48 hours.
BOGGS & BUHL,
ALLEGHENY. jy1

ODDS AND ENDS.
ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.
CARPETS AND RUGS.
Some nice patterns, enough for a room, may be just what you want, and to be had at a sacrifice price. Rugs to match in price and pattern.
CHINA MATTING,
From a good fancy, 85 00 for 40 yards, up to the best brands.
GINNIFF & STEINERT,
Limited.
WOOD STREET CARPET HOUSE,
305 WOOD ST.
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A Family Affair
Health for the Baby,
Pleasure for the Parents,
New Life for the Old Folks.
Hires' Root Beer
THE GREAT TEMPERANCE DRINK
is a family affair—a requisite of the home. A 25 cent package makes 5 gallons of a delicious, strengthening, effervescent beverage.
Don't be deceived if a dealer, for the sake of larger profit, tells you some other kind is "just as good"—'tis false. No imitation is as good as the genuine HIRES'.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Misfit Clothing Parlors 516 SMITHFIELD ST
Opposite City Hall.
The People's Choice!
However people may differ politically, they agree on the MERCHANT TAILOR-MADE GARMENTS as sold by the
MISFIT CLOTHING PARLORS
It is the best platform, pulpit or press Clothing made. Every thread of it is indorsed by the people.
IT WILL WIN IN THE CAMPAIGN
Against anything. It is all right on the money question, too. More elegance and service for less Dollars than any other sold. It's solid with all the people and adapted to their wants;
AND, FOR THE LAST WEEK,
We Will Continue to Quote the King of All 'Em Bargains!
TO BEGIN WITH WE GIVE
FREE CHOICE Of all $20 made up to order Suits at / Of all $22 made up to order Suits at $10.00
FREE CHOICE Of all $25 made up to order Suits at / Of all $30 made up to order Suits at $10.00
This is an offering of choice, seasonable, stylish Spring Suits of this season's make! Not a lot of shop-worn, shelf-stained, fly-blown and dog-eared clothes, and old enough to chew hay. A few words about our PANTS:
WHO EVER SAW THE LIKE?
FREE CHOICE Of all $12 made up to order Pants at / Of all $10 made up to order Pants at $4.00
FREE CHOICE Of all $ 9 made up to order Pants at / Of all $ 8 made up to order Pants at $4.00
MISFIT Clothing Parlors,
516 SMITHFIELD ST.,
OPPOSITE CITY HALL.
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Misfit Clothing Parlors 516 SMITHFIELD ST
Opposite City Hall.
DON'T be misled by low prices—sometimes they're too low. That is to say, really good, meritorious cloths cannot be produced to your profit if the sewing and trimming is inferior and the cloth improperly treated. Our aim has been and is to give none but good, and at as low cost as consistent with good materials and fair prices for workmanship. Suits to Measure, $20 to $30 that are entirely satisfactory.
WANAMAKER & BROWN,
NO. 39 SIXTH STREET.
ANDERSON BLOCK. je11

SOME RARE CHANCES STILL LEFT
IN LIGHT-COLORED SUITS.
QUALITIES:
$18, $16, $14, $12 AND $10.
PRICE:
$7.75
You can't go astray in buying one of these suits. They are cheap in nothing but price. They are of fine fabrics, well made, stylishly cut and trimmed and sold all season for the prices named above. We've simply made a price to close out every suit.
LAST DAY TO-MORROW, SATURDAY.
GUSKY'S, 300 TO 400 MARKET STREET.