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BUSINESS CONDITIONS GOOD

The following optimistic report on
business conditions is reprinted from
Dun's Review:

With the formal recognition of a
state of war generally discounted,
business proceeds without semblance
of disturbance, though with apprecia-
tion of the economic changes that
must inevitably follow. Additional
stimulus to industrial activity is fore-
shadowed by present and prospective
government requirements, and for
some time preparations have been
under way to effect the necessary re-
adjustments in both production and
prices. The exact nature and extent
of Federal financing is as yet unde-
termined, but in banking circles the
pending needs are awaited with com-
posure, as funds have been prudently
kept in a liquid position and the na-
tion's monetary resources are un-
equalled and more skillfully organized.
With such solid facts in evidence,
faith in the future remains a conspic-
uous feature and while there are ele-
ments of uncertainty in the commer-
cial situation, forward plans testify
to sustained confidence in the sta-
bility of the leading markets. Many
new enterprises have started and the
domestic and export demand taxes
the capacity of most mills and fac-
tories, with the full employment of
labor and the further wage advances
tending to offset the extreme costs
of necessities. Except where govern-
ment wants are to be considered, the
prevailing trend of prices continues
strongly upward, and both grain and
cotton have been influenced by pes-
simistic crop advices. With an in-
creased consumption of the principal
staples in prospect, the importance
of large agricultural yields is more
than ever apparent, but it is still too
early to place reliance on predictions
of meager harvests and the outlook
may distinctly improve with a favorable
turn in the weather.

That the country's commercial mor-
tality continues relatively moderate
is natural, with profitable returns in
trade and industry, and comfortable
conditions in money. Yet when the
steady increase in business ventures
is considered, the insolvency record
is even better than it appears on the
surface and a 27 per cent numerical
reduction during the first quarter
means much, following a 25 per cent
decrease last year. With 3,937 fail-
ures, the three months' exhibit is the
best for the period since 1910, while
it is necessary to go back to 1909 to
find a smaller indebtedness than the
\$52,000,000 just reported. The uni-
formity of improvement is especially
gratifying, fewer reverses occurring
in all of the eight geographical sec-
tions, and only in the New England
and Pacific states were the liabilities
larger than in 1916. Both in number
and amount, manufacturing and trad-
ing defaults disclose decided contrac-
tion, but while insolvencies were also
less numerous in other commercial
occupations, several suspensions of
unusual size swelled the sum involved
appreciably.

Splinters in the Fingers.
 When you get a splinter in your fin-
ger it is sometimes possible to get it
out by pressing the point of a needle under
it, but unless you have deft fingers or
a pair of tweezers you may not be able
to pull it out even then. A new pen nib
is a very good substitute for a pair of
tweezers. Lay the nib over the splinter
so as to hold it. Then press down hard
enough to separate the nib. If you
now let the pen down level with the
splinter and allow the nib to close
again they will take hold and you can
draw the splinter out. Remember that
any metal thing that is to be applied
to a wound, such as a needle, penknife
or pen, should be passed lightly through
a flame first, so as to disinfect it. A
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WANTED.

WANTED—Woman wants washing
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 tion call Home phone 1266. n131f

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 a16-21*

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping
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MISCELLANEOUS.

REBEKAH'S NOTICE
 Initiation and covered dish supper,
 Friday night April 20th.
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HEMSTITCHING—10c a yard. Sue
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WANTED—Middle aged woman or
 couple to keep house for an elderly
 woman in the country. Bell phone
 114-Y. a18-20

COOKED FOOD SALE—The
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 will hold a market Saturday after-
 noon, April 21st, at 1 p. m. in the
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