HARRISON. NEBRASKA

Post Office Clerks Hold a Convention. NEW YORK, Jan. 23 .- A conference was held at the International hotel be Emory and a few other large manu tween delegates of the post-office clerk's facturers were present. A syndicate lyn, Buffalo, Philadelphia, Baltimore 000,000 and 200 shares will be issued, number of Englishmen, employes of will be able to keep the road open. The and this city, concerning a bill that the The object for which the association is Portuguese merchants, manufacturers, blockade on the Southern Pacific report-office employes intend to introduce formed is to cure leaf tobacco and to etc., have been forced to become natural mains unbroken. into congress. The bill provides for the sell tobacco in all its forms. Factories ized subjects of the king of Portugal or full payment of salary to clerks and porters of first and second class offices on the performance of eight hours election of officers took place.

Sell tobacco in all its forms. Factories ized subjects of the king of Portugal or suffer dispussal from their situations. In these cases no middle course is possible. Every Englishman employed by a Portugal or suffer dispussal from the restriction of officers took place. labor, and extra pay for over time, and an annual vacation of fifteen days, as carriers are allowed. It was warmly approved after a long discussion. A sture of the discussion was the production of a letter from the Kansas City, Mo. organization which urged prompt Clay, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Fronaction and stated that if the clerks did tier, Furnas, Gosper, Hamilton, Harlin, not take some decisive action soon the Hays, Hitchcock, Jefferson, Kearney. western employes would go ahead on their own book. General John U. Keetham, congressman from the Twelfth York counties. New York district, and a member of the post-office committee, has promised to

the clerks will soon be called. Considered Doubtful.

LONDON, Jan. 23.-Nothing has been published here in regard to the report been a heavy purchaser of silver bullion redeemable in silver. The leading financial authorities regard the report as baseless and assert that the bank has made notes could not be emitted without the counties. special sanction of parliament, and it is considered doubtful if the bank would make preparations for so radical a change in the policy before definite authority had been secured. Silver bullion is 1 d lower per ounce today. The bank rate of discount is unchanged at 6 per cent.

Blocksding the Trains,

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 23 .- A special to the Tribune from Huron, S. D., says: The snow has been drifting all day, fillide railroad cuts and blockading trains. No. 6, due from the east at 6 this morning, got in with one car this afternoon. The north bound train is two hours late. One from Pierre is tied up at Reherts, and several children. with Peter Hellenbeck, assistant superintendent, J. E. Blunt, chief engineer, and other Chicago & Northwestern officials on board. The through mail from the east is held at Lake Benton, Minn, and the passenger train from the south is at Iroquois. No trains will be sent out till these trains arrive. It is expected that the road will be opened tomorrow. All trains on the Manitoba are abandoned A number of legislators are snow-bound here.

Bonded the Property.

PORTLAND, ME., Jan. 23 .- An English syndicate has bonded the Portland smelting works and the Curtis ship yard principal owners, has gone to England to complete the sale of the property, which is to be enlarged by the syndicate. They also have bonded a number of mines of zinc, lead and silver along the coast of Maine and will bring large quantities of ore here for smelting.

A Terrible Shooting Affray. Austin, Tax., Jan. 23.-News was received this morning of a terrible shooting affray at Johnston city, Blanco county. For about fifteen years there has been a heated controversy over the removal of the county seat from Blanco, located four miles from the county line. to Johnson City. Five years ago an election was held to make Johnson City the county seat, but it resulted in a failure. Another election to decide the question was held Monday night last, smid intense excitement. When it was known that it resulted in favor of Johnson City there was a clash and a fight in which pistols were used. Ben Cage. a prominent business man of Blanco got into a difficulty with Zack Lloyd, a Johnson City man, in which he shot Lloyd through the right lung. Lloyd will die. Shooting between the two factions then became general and Deputy Sheriff Croeby was wounded in the thigh. The disturbance was finally quelled and Cage, in charge of officers and friends, was conveyed to Blanco to prevent his being lynched. A gentleman just down from Johnson says that intense excitement prevails in the county and believes many men will be killed before the affair ends.

No Information Yet Received. New York, Jan. 24.—The agents of the railroad steamship line stated that they have no additional information rethe steemship Erin, which it is red has foundered with all on board. The agents, however, still maintain that yet hope that the Erin may some port in a disabled con-The crew of sixty-seven was ged in Liverpool and their names re, but it is known tain Tyeon was the commander in Grant the first officer. Behe negular erow there were twen-

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 23.-A meeting was held here today at the Continental manufacturers throughout the country. James B. Duke presided. Lewis Ginter. William Kimball, Jomes B. Duke, George W. Watts, W. H. Butler, George Arentz, John Sope, Francis Kinney, Charles land and Portugal are rapidly increas- rived at 6 o'clock with more passengers cistion of Boston, Albany, Brook has been formed with a capital of 25,

Bulletin No. 1 of the census bureau just issued by Superintendent Robert P. Porter gives the following census dis-tricts for the state of Nebraska:

First District-Adams. Butler, Chase, Nuckolls, Phelps, Polk, Red Willow, Saline, Seward, Thayer, Webster, and

Second District -Antelope, Arthur, Banner, Blaine, Boon, Box Bute, Brown do all he can to have the bill passed. Buffalo, Burt Cedar, Cherry, Cheyenne Postmaster Var. Cott of this city is also Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dakota, Daws, in favor of it. A national convention of Dawson, Devel Dixson, Dodge, Garfield, Grant, Greeiey, Hall, Holt, Hooker, Howard, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Knox, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, McPherson, Madison, Merrick, Nance, Perkins, that the Bank of England has recently Pierce, Platte, Rock, Scott's Bluff, Sheriden, Sherman, Sioux, Stanton, Tomas. and is contemplating the issue of £1 notes Thurston, Valley, Washington, Wayne and Wheeler counties.

Third District-Cass, Douglas, Gage, Johnson, Lancaster, Nemaha, Otoc, no such purchases of silver. One pound Pawnee, Richardson, Sharpy Saunders

Drank Carbolle Acut.

RED BANK, N. J., San 23.- Charles Magee, postmaster et Helm, Del., died from the effects of carbolic acid, which he drank Saturday afternoon. Mr. Magee was returning from Newport, when he stopped at the town house by his brother, Garret. He asked the servant girl for something to drink. He was given a bottle of acid, which the girl mistook for beer. Mr. Magee soon became unconscious and remained so until he died. He was a prominent republican politician and received the postoffice appointment last spring. He was sixty years of age and leaves a widow

An Uprising Imminent.

BRADFORD, PA., Jan. 22,-A special to the Era from Punxsutawnee says: cent gold loan is about concluded. There is much excitement here over an outrage perpetrated by the Pinkerton force last night. A Hungarian miner who was passing a locomotive received ing apparent that an uprising is immiby the strike committee and giventemporary shelter. Sheriff Sutler has 100 writs of ejectment to serve at Walston tomorrow, and as that place is the stamping ground of many belligerent miners a skirmish will probably take

Another Conflict.

St. Paul, MINN., Jan. 24.- A Pierre, S. D., special to the Pioneer Press says the trouble has broken out again on the mile square between the intending settlers and the Indians. The latter, anticipating the immediate opening of the reservation, are cutting all [the wood along the Cad and Missouri rivers and hauling t back to the lands which they intend of the Sioux bill. The settlers think this an injustice to them and hence the trouble. An attempt was made by the settlers on the mile square to stop the Indians, and for a while it looked like there would be a serious battle. Troops were hurried forward and sent the settiers back on the space allowed them. The Indians have already hauled off about a thousand cords of wood. The died with bullets and life was extinct Northwestern railroad officials now declare that they intend to hold the mile square according to the 1879 treaty with are thought to be fatal. The friends of

The millionaires of Fremont have taken an increased interest in speculation since the completion of a through private wire over which pointers are received from the New York and Chicago marines.

COMPLICATIONS INCREASING!

and Portugal very Strained,

London, Jan. 21.-The complications ing. In addition to the now formidable tions, since it is understood that it was through his excess of zeal and misconception of instructions that the hostile acts of the Portugese in southeast Africa were allowed to go as far as they did.

It is stated upon good authority that the firm of Armstrongs, gunmakers, intend to establish an immense ship yard in the United States and bid, through Americans interested in the enterprise, for the construction of the ironclad ves sels which it is proposed to build for the United States pavy. The claim is made by the Armstrongs that they can profitessary to secure contracts.

Mr. R. Cunningham Graham, liberal division of Lanarkshire, has announced is intention to introduce an eight hour employment of several instructors. bill immediately after the reassembling of parliament, which shall apply to all persons engaged in mining in the united

The preparations for the funeral of the late field marshal, Lord Napier of Magdala, are of the most elaborate descripgrave net to that of Lord Nelson. The Prince of Wales will be present.

The German tin trust has been formlaly dissolved, much to the gratification of the smaller dealers and to the rel of diamond rings. the parties thereto.

The conversion of the Russian 5 per

Heavy Snows in the West

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.-The snow blockade on the Cartral Pacific railroad a shower of cinders which nearly blinded in the vicinity of Truckee and Emigrant him. He made an effort to resent this Gap has become very serious. Since act, when he was attacked by the Pink- Tuesday last no eastern overland trains erton men and handled very roughly. have been able to reach a point further He fought in defense, but the men beat west that Colfax. All of the east the poor wretch until his head and face bound trains are at Sacramento, Colfax were covered with blood. Several others and Shady Run, while those coming west interfered, but were overpowered by the are at Emigrant Gad, Truckee and Reno. police and taken to the jail. The Pink- At Truckee the depth of the snow varies erton men resort to the lowest and from eight to twenty feet. Snow plows most contemptible tricks to force the pushed by ten or twelve locomotives are men to strike back at them, but the reported stuck fast in the drifts. Snow miners keep their tempers under good is still failing and places on the road control. Many of the miners are plead- which had been cleared by the plows are ing with the labor leaders for a chance rapidly filling up again. The passengers to revenge these insults, but the strike of the blockaded trains are comfortably committee maintain their former posi- quartered at hotels by the comtion and advise peaceable methods, pany. Some cases of influenza are lotwithstanding the attitude of the reported among the passengers and leaders of the strike the fact is becom the company has provided the sufferers with medical attention. The railroad nent. Tonight them en aredrinking heavi- officials declare that the blockade is the ly, and in so doing show, that they are heaviest and longest they have ever exbeginning to ignore the advice of their perienced for over ten years. No leaders. Five more evictions took place mails have reached this city from the at Adrian today. The sheriff, accom- east since last Tuesday. Telegraph panied by twenty-seven armed guards, wires are entirely buried by the snow in removed the household effects of the five some places. The California & Oregon families out of their holdings and turned road is also blockaded. The train which the wretched people out into the cold. left here on Tuesday for Portland, Ore. The homeless ones were taken in hand is still at Redding. The officers of the roads hope to have the trains moving

Negroes on a Strike.

APALACHICOLA, FLA., Jan. 22.-The negroes employed in the saw mills here are on a strike for ten hours as a day's work and for higher wages. The mills are mostly shut down. The men at the Kennedy mill remain at work despite the threats from the strikers. Last night one of the Kennedy men was assess nated in his house. More trouble is feared and the governor has been asked to send troops here. The militia is patrolling the streets tonight. Otherwise all is quite.

Murdered by Euffans, CHATTLETSBURG, Ky., Jan. 22.-R. M. Long, a Wyandotte county constable was murdered and his wife desperately wounded Sunday night by a band o ruffians who broke into the house. A neighbor passing found that the front door had been broken in. On the bed, weltering in their blood, lay Long and his wife. The former's body was rid The latter had a ghast'y wound in the the murdered man believe that a grang the deed. Others believe it is merely as the victim was related to the fo

PORTLAND, ORE., Jun. 22. The first through train for the past week arrived hotel of leading tobacco and cigarette The Condition of Affairs Between England here this evening at 5 o'clock over the Union Pacific railroad from the east. About 250 passengers arrived on the first section; also a large quantity of arising from the dispute between Eng- baggage and mail. Another train arand mail. Two more trains are due in boycott of England and Englishmen in the morning. The blockade is broken the cities and towns of Portugal, a large and unless a storm fellows, the company

SACRAMENTO, CAL., Jan. 23.—The train dispatches on the Central Pacific this guese foust forthwith sacrifice his means morning reports the situation as follows: of obtaining a livelihood or forswear his The favorable weather of yesterday enallegiance to his sovereign. In sheer abled satisfactory progress to be made desperation a great many loyal English- at all points and a great deal was ac men are accepting the alternative in complished. The road is now open order to keep their positions, but the from Sacramento to Towles and the value of these new recruits to the east-bound train will leave here at mid-Lisbon government is questionable, night. The road is also open from Pros-The resignation of the aggressive gov-ernor of Mozambique, Senor De Cas-Towles and Truckee, with the exception tilho Barretoe Noronha, will, it is be- of a piece of about a mile, and a mile at lieved, greatly assist in bringing about a Cascade, where the sheds were burned reconciliation between the disputing na- ast summer and have not been rebuilt.

Sr Louis Jon 24 - The Missouri Pacific has followed the Chicago & Alton act. and East St. Louis.

Battell Professorship of Music.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 24.-At a meeting of the Yale corporation it was than \$1 nor more than \$1,000. voted to establish a department of music and Gustave J. Steochel, for many years this act shall be receivable for customs, Oregon line has continued, the Southern musical director at Yale, was placed in taxes and all public debts and when reably compete with the American ship charge. The department will be styled coved into the treasury may be reissued, the following day would see the blockbuilders on their own ground and easily the Battell professorship of music. A and such notes, when held by any named and easily the Battell professorship of music. A command the American influence nec- fund amounting to nearly \$200,000 has tional banking association, shall be however, and the tracks have been filled been placed at the disposal of the uni- counted as part of its lawful reserve. in with snow almost as soon as cleared versity and the plan provides for the erection of a suitable building and the the provisions of this act shall be re- two west bound trains at Truckee nor

A Great Diamond Robbery.

MONTREAL, Jan. 22.-Monday night when the streets in the neighborhood were crowded, two men walked up to Walker's diamond store in Notre Dame street and tied the doors together with tion. The body will be deposited in a ropes. Then they rushed to the plate glass show window and smashed it with heavy bammers. One swept almost every piece of diamond jewelry into a bag while the other snatched a tray of

The only occupant of the store was Walker himself. He attempted to open the door, but finding it locked he rushed behind the counter and began shooting through the window, but the thieves had made off. The thief with the tray of rings in his possession was captured after a sharp run, but the other escaped with the bag of jewels. They are valued at between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

A Distressing Accident. CHICAGO, Jan. 21 .- A most distressing accident, which resulted in the death of four persons, occured at Rose Hill cemetery, a few miles from here on the C. & Fred Payne were on their way to bury their five-months old baby, with a few friends who were accompaning them to ited under this act, represented by treas the cemetery. There was only four ury notes which have been redeemed in carriages in the procession. Mr. and gold coin or in silver dollars may be com-Mrs. Payne were in the carriage imme- ed into standard silver dollars or any diately following the hearse and with other denomination of silver coin now them were Mrs. William Reprogel and authorized by law, for the purpose of re-Grace Payne, their little daughter. As placing the com used in the redemption the Payne carriage came squarely on the of the notes. track the Milwaukee express, which was four minutes behind time and was near- February 28, 1878, entitled "An act to ing the city at a high rate of speed, authorize the coinage of the standard struck the carriage in the center tearing silver dollar and to restore its legal tenit into splinters and instantly killing der character, as requires the monthly Mr. and Mrs. Payne and so seriously in- purchase and coinage into silver dollars juriing Mrs. Repogel and Simon Ander- of not less than \$2,000,000 nor more than son, the driver of the carriage, that they \$4,000,000 worth of silver bullion be died within two hours afterwards. All hereby repealed. who witnessed or know anything of the Sec. 9.—That any gain or seigniorage bago agency. occurrence agree that no warning what arising from the coinage which may be A late survey shows that Fremout is ever of its approach was given by the executed under the provisions of this act 196 feet above the ice in the Missouri

Train Held Up

TULARE, CAL., Jan. 22.-The southbound passenger train was stopped this orning by two masked men seven miles north of here. They climbed over the tender and compelled the engineer and fireman to stop the train and leave it. The robbers then compelled the expressman to open his door, when they robbed the car of the money in it, which is thought to be several thousand dollars A tramp, who was stealing a ride, was mistaken for a trainman and was shot in the head. He was brought here and may recover. No trace of the robbers,

Smothered to Death

ATLANTA, GA., Jan. 24 .- "Tug" Wil son, a printer known all over the coup try, was found dead at the top of the Constitution building yesterday. Wilson had been on a protracted spree and had crawled up a dark stairway to sleep off the effect. There his body was found The place was very close and hot and it is supposed he smothered to death.

Attacked by Mexicans SAN ANTONIO TEX., Jan. 20-A private letter from Fort Davis states that while three prospectors and their families were encamped near that place they were attacked by Mexicans and two of THE NEW SILVER BILL.

The Administrative Still on the Silver Bulduced. Text of the Bill

Washington, Jan. 20.-The following is the text of the administrative bill prepared by Secretary Windom embodying he silver measure proposed in his anceptions. At Cisco the snow is an ing this week, probably tomorrow. A Bill Authorizing the Issue of Treas- plow near Champion's spor. The as

mines of the United States or of ones a trench were surprised and comp

quired for the purpose of the above sec- being struck by a car. tion and in such form and denominations as he may prescribe; provided that no notes shall be of a decomination less

in gold coin at the option of the govern | ble ment; provided, that upon demand of the holder such notes shall be redeemed

Sec. 5-That when the market price of silver, as determined by the secretary of There are 100 inmates of the Nebraska the treasury, shall exceed \$1 for 371.25 grains of pure silver, it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to refuse for new bridges. to receive deposits of silver bullion for the purpose of this act.

Sec. 6.-That it shall be lawful for the secretary of the treasury, with the approval of the president of the United States, to suspend temporarily the receipt of silver bullion for treasury notes at any time when he is satisfied that nipulation of the market the price of silver is arbitrary, nominal or fictitions.

Sec. 8.-That so much of the act of

shall be accounted for and paid into the river at Blair. treasury as provided by existing law.

Sec. 10.-That silver bullion received under the provisions of this act shall be subject to the requirements of existing law and the regulations of the mint ser vice governing the methods of receipt, determining the amount of pure silver contained and the amount of charges oreductions, if any, to be made.

Sec. 11. -That nothing in this act shall be constructed to prevent the purchase me to time, as may be required, of silver bullion for the subsidiary silver

Sec. 12.—That a sum sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act is hereby appropriated out of any money in the reasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 13.—That all acts and parts of acts nconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed. Sec. 14.—That this act shall take effect

thirty days from and after its passage.

Stove Manufacturers Consolidated. CLEVELAND, Jan. 24.-Arrangements

have been completed at Chicago for the consolidation of all the leading vapor stoves manufacturers of the country. The capital stock of the concern will be \$2,000,000, and the originator of the plan. D. A. Dangler of this city, says that money enough will be saved in the run. of Imperial. ning expenses alone to pay a dividend An enthusiastic railroad m men and children, managed to of 10 per cent. The combination will be known as the United Vapor Stove com-

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22 -The pospects are that the great anow bi on the Central Pacific railroad will be cleared tonight or comorrow. C weather is reported at all stations fro Rockin to Truckee, with one or tw nual report, and which will be intro- feet on the level and in the drite the duced in both the house and senate dur- snow is three or four times as deep. Pifteen engines are at work with the rotare ury Notes on Deposits of Silver Bullion, is thrown fifteen feet on either side of Be It Enacted, etc.: That any owner the track. One hundred and fifty snow of silver bullion, the product of the shovellers who were engreed in digging smelted or refined in United States may buried by snow from the plow. They deposit the same at any coinage mint or were not badly injured. The way is now any assay office in the United States clear to tunnel No. 13. The railroad ofthat the secretary of the treasury may ficials say that the road will surely be designate and receive theirfor treasury opened by tonight. Heavy slides and notes hereinafter provided for equal at drifts, however, are reported between the date of deposit to the net value of Truckee and Boca. A rotary plow is such silver at the market price, such clearing a road to Blue Canyon, and durprice to be determined by the secretary ing the night it is expected to clear the the treasury under rules and regula track to the two imprisoned passenger tions prescribed, based upon the price trains between Blue Canyon and Alta. current in the leading silver markets of None of the snow slides have cared in, the world; but no deposit consisting in although the snow in some places is very whole or in part of silver bullion or for heavy. The average depth of the snow eign silver coins imported into this along the sheds is twenty feet. A pascountry, or bars resulting from melted senger named A. E. Lanford died of ore or refined foreign silves coins, shall pneumonia, superinduced by an attack be received under the provisions of this of la grippe, and was buried by men on snow shoes at Truckee yesterday, it beand Wabash, and has made a live stock | Sec. 3. That the secretrry of the treas- ing impossible to break the road to the rate of 714 cents from the Missouri river ury shall cause to be prepared treasury cemetery. Jacob Dantz, a snow showand intermediate points to St. Louis notes in such amounts as may be re-eller, was killed at Colfax vesterday by

The Snow Blockade.

SanFrancisco, Jan. 24.- Each day for eight days during which the blockade on Sec. 3.-That the notes issued under the Central Pacific and California & Pacific officials have felt hopeful that Sec. 4. That the notes issued under No attempt will be made to move the deemed upon demand at the treasury of the four at Reno, as the comfort of the the United States or at the office of an passengers can be looked out for better assistant treasurer of the United Staths at these places than at any other point by the issue of a certificate of deposit in the mountains. The blockade at for the sum of the notes so present Cascade would prevent the passage of payable at one of the mints of the trains at this point even if it was desired United States, in an amount of silver to move them. It will be impossible to bullion equal in value, on the date of do much work on the blockade between said certificate, to the number of dollars Cascada and Summit for some time, but stated therein at the market price of as soon as practicable a rotary plow will silver, to be determined as provided in be set in motion there. On the Oregon section 1; or such notes may be redeemed work is progressing as rapidly as possi-

NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

Maywood, Frontier county, is to have

soldiers' home.

Otoe county spent \$11,000 last year

Battle Creek supports both German and English schools. There are 100 inmates of the soldiers'

home at Grand Island. A movement is on foot to establish a

creamers at Clearwater. Senator Paddock is moving to prevent

low bridges over the Missouri Adams has a new paper, the Globe just

established by Mr. Hill of Firth. Pawnee City has found it necessary to rente the office of city plumber.

The new Omaha post-office bill calls

for an appropriation of \$2,000,000. Evening coasting parties are popular on the seven hills of Nebraska City.

The undertakers of Clay county have formed an association and elected officers. One citizen of Fremont offers a site worth \$20,000 as a bonus for a beet sugar

It cost Thurston county about \$1,500 to try the Iodians for the killing of the Benjamin boy.

Robert Ashley has been confirmed as Indian agent of the Omaha and Winne-

Fremont is to be advertised by a bird's eye view of the city printed upon the tacks of envelopes.

Hall county has adopted the superintendent system for the management of the county poor farm. The Nineteenth Century club is what

the intelligent ladies of Kcarne, call their latest organization. W. F. Parker, a teacher of Ames, was

arrested Tuesday, charged with cruelly whipping a twelve year old boy. Over half the pupils in the public

schools at Geneva are afflicted with la grippe and the schools have closed. Congressmen Laws and Conneil have

introduced a bill in congress for public buildings at Hastings and Beatrice Dakota City wants some enterprising

business man to come there and sta lumber yard. They also want a grain

At no time during the winter has there been less than a dozen build in course of erection at Imperial Chan

At not imeduring the winter has the been less than a dozen buildings course of construction in the little to

held Wednesday at Superior, and the question of a road from the so