to business.

A long Winter and backward Spring in Europe have added from one to two shillings, (twenty-nine to fifty-eight cents of our currency,) to the quarter of wheat, or say on the average five cents per bushet. This rise has already begun to be felt in Chicago, and all over the West, and given a firmer tone

In commenting on the eagerness of ex-members of Congress to obtain government offices, the Philadelphia Ledger says; "Who can fall to see in this dependence upon the profits of politics; by men elected to legislate for forty anillions of people, the explanation of much of the wretched work done, and omissions of good work that ought to have been done, by the Forty-third Congress and its immediate predecessors?"

A despatch from Topeka, Kansas, eays: "The tamous \$7,000 which ex-Senator Pomeroy gave to State Senator York, in the Senatorial caucus of 1873; and which has since been held by the custodian, was, on the 12th, restored to Pomeroy, he paying out of it the cost incurred in prosecuting him, which amounts to about \$2,000. It is supposed that this ends the whole controversy, and that the criminal action against Pomeroy will not be pressed further."

A new feature is added to the Indian policy, namely: In distributing the supplies and annulies, the agent is directed to require all able-bodied male Indians between the ages of eighteen and forty-five to perform service upon the reservation for the beneat of themselves or to the tribe at a reasonable rate, to be fixed by the agent in charge, and to an amount equal in value to the supplies to be delivered. The allowances to be provided for such Indians are to be distributed to them only upon condition of performance of labor. The object is to make the Indians self-supporting.

General Cabrera has abandoned the Carlist cause, in which he was a dis tinguished leader, and allied himself to the Alfonsist, and has secured very favorable terms for the people who supported Don Carlos, on condition of their surrendering to the Government at Madrid within a month. Cabrers has issued an address to the Carlists stating that he has acknowledged Alfonsa as King of Spain, and urging his former supporters and followers to do the same. This will undoubtedly have a very depressing influence on future Carlist operations, and will probably cut off the supplies formerly received from Great Britain, as Cabrera's wife belongs to that country and is a woman of considerable wealth. The loss of a supported like Cabrera, is the most serious turn in the affairs of the Carlists since the present aspirant to the Spanish throne took the field.

A Washington dispatch of the 14th inst., says, "The amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill repealing section 8 of the act of June, 1874, which relates to mail matter of the 3 class, was offered in the Senate by Mr. Ramsay of Minnesotta, late Chairm on the committee on Post Offices and Post Roads. An attempt to have this repeal was made in the House earlier in the session, but it falled. It was urged entirely by the Adam Express Co. whose managers were here for several weeks working for its success. They claimed that the law of June, 1874. which allowed packages of four pounds to be carried as miscellaneous matter in the malls, discriminate against the business of the companies, and it was alleged that the companies had experienced a falling off in their receipts of sevveral hundred thousand dollars during the year, all of which was attributed to the operation of this law. The amendment was smuggled in during the last hours of the session without attracting much atttention."

The Spanish Minister, Senor Don Antonio Mantilla de los Rios, in full court dress, visited the Executive Mansion at noon on Tuesday by prearrange ment, and delivered to the President, who was in company with the Secretary of State, the antograph letter of King Alfonso, of which the following is a translation:

Don Alfonso XII., by the Grace of God and the will of the nation, King of Spain, &c. To the President of the United States of America.

The Spanish monarchy having been reestablished by the acclamation and assent of the people, and we having been called to govern it by reason of our legitimate heirship, and the abdication of our well-beloved mother, Queen Isabella II., we hasten to inform you of our accession to the throne. We trust that we shall be enabled, by the aid of the Almighty, to re-establish order and peace in our sountry; always respect-ing its religious beliefs and its libertles and franchises. In order that we may

attain this end nothing will be so ueattain this end nothing will be so ne-cessary to us as the maintenance of friendly relations and freternal flac-mony with foreign states and sover-eigns, and in begging you to be pleas-ed to honor us with your friendship and to accept that which we offer you. We pray God to have you in his sale and holy keeping.

and holy keeping.

Done at the National Palace of Madrid, Jan. 16, 1875.

(Signed) ALFONSO DE BOURBON. (Also Signed) ALEJANDRO CASTRO. The presentation was merely formal, no addresses being made. There was, however, the usual exchange of personal courtesies. The Spanish Minister will present his new credentials on a future occasion.

STORMS AND FLOODS .- A severe hallstorm passed overtheregion of Cornith, Miss., on Sunday night. The town of Rienzi was nearly destroyed, including the Presbyterian and Baptist churches. The following persons were killed: Col. Porter Walker, the Hon. John Reese and child, Miss Mattle Palmer and several negroes, M. B, Armor, wife, and child, were dangerously injured, and a number of others seriously hurt. The estimated loss in the town is \$150,-

A special despatch to the Cincinnati Commercial, from Monteith, Mich., says a hall-storm of great severity raged there for fifteen minutes on Sunday, demolishing everything that came in its way. Twenty four hours after it fell, stones were found measuring 12 inches in circumference. The country in the neighborhood of Mendon, Mich., is reported overflowing with water, with the bridges over St. Joseph River in danger, and the railroad track submerged.

The Wabash River, at Decatur, Ind. is reported very high, and the destruc-tion of the bridges imminent.

At McConnellsville, Ohio, lightning this morning struck to cupola of the Universalist church, hurling heavy timbers a distance of 200 feet, and demolishing the cupola.

The flood in the Susquehanna river was attended on Tuesday night and Wednesday with disasterous results. The ice gorged above Wilkesbarre between 9 and 10 o'clock on Tuesday night, and the back water flooded Pittston. It rose two feet higher than in 1865, and reached West Pittston. At half-past one Wednesday morning the ice broke up with a terrible crash, and moved past Wilkesbarre. Another gorge was formed at the island, a mile below, and in ten minutes the river rose five feet, and continued raising until it reached twenty-five feet above low-water mark, and the ice touched the Kingston bridge. The ice cakes were four feet thick, and all communication with ton bridge. The ice cases were four feet thick, and all communication with the opposite side of the river was stopped. Later in the morning, the river fell about a foot, and remained stationary during the day, the weather growing colder towards night, and freezing the entire mass. The cellars of the houses on River street and the gas works were flooded, and there was no gas in the city last night. Communication between Wilkesbarre and Kingston remained suspended, owing to the submergence of the flats on either side of the river, and the perlious condition of the river, and the perlious condition of the bridge. The damage at Pittston was much greater than at Wilkesbarre, the iron bridge of the Lackawanna and Bloomsburg Railroad, and the wooden wagon bridges having been swept away. The railroad bridge costs \$120,000, and county bridges nearly \$50,000 each. These bridges are jammed in a gorge three miles above Wilkesbarre. The Lehigh Valley Railroad, both above and below Pittston is covered in piness.

three miles above Wilkesbarre. The Lehigh Valley Railroad, both above and below Pittston is govered in places with hugh blocks of ice, and no trains run above Wilkesbarre. At Nanticoke dam, eight miles below Wilkesbarre, the ice moved Wednesday, but it remained solid above the dam. A gorge also formed between Danville and Sunbury, causing a great flood, and gutting off railroad communications. The high-away bridge at Catawissa was carried away, and part of the bridge at Danville. A dispatch from Scranton Wednesday night, says many of the stores and the banks at Pittston were closed owing to the stoppage of communication with the opposite side of the river. On each side of the river, for miles, is a solid wall of ice, and the river bed On each side of the river, for miles, is a solld wall of ice, and the river bed from Campbell's Ledge to Wilkes barre, a distance of 18 miles, is "a field of ice, studded with immense boulders." West Pittston was caught between two floods, one of which broke through a ravine at the base of the mountains at one o'clock Wednesday morning. The losses by the flood and by the obstruction of railroad travel are estimated at \$1,000,000. The catastrophe of the antelpated

flood at Port Jervis occurred Wednesday morning, but the damage, though great, fortunately proved less than was apprehended. At six o'slock in the morning, the people were warned, by the sounding of a steam whistle, of the sweep of ice and water from above. At seven o'clock the water was rising rapidly, and King street was inundated. At this time a large amount of nitro-glycerine was exploded in the gorge and did good service. The flood increased in force, and the people living on the "flats" fled before it in confu sion. Soon after eight o'clock a farge portion of the town was inudated, about three hundred houses between the railway and the river being flooded, most of them to the second story. About twenty small houses and a number of shanties were demolished, but owing to the warning given there was no loss of life, except in the case of one man reported killed. At 8.40 the gorge

broke, the ice began to move down the broke, the ice began to move down the river, and the inundation subsided, leaving ice piles along the banks thirty feet high, and many blocks estimated to weigh as much as thirty tons. The chief loss in by the destruction of bridges. Four of the five spans of the Delaware Rairoad bridge, three miles west of the city were carried down by the rush of the ice and water, and swept away the Barret Bridge below. The debris of the two structures ladged The debris of the two structures ladged upon Vannoy's island, and the suspen-sion bridge was thus saved. The Dela-ware Railroad bridge was finished in 1872, at a cost of \$100,000. The Barret Bridge Company loses about \$15, 000, and the losses in the town aggregate \$20,000, TEM '91

Paragraphic,

The trunk lines from New York to Chicago have reduced their freight

Pinchback's case has gone over until the second Monday in December, at the request of Mr. West, of Louisana.

The Austin Powder Company's Mills, at Cleveland, Ohio, were blown up Tuesday. Twelve buildings were de-molished, and three men killed.

Concome, March 16.—the full vote of the State is now in, and foots up as follows: ForGovernor-Cheney, 39,285; Roberts 39,163; White 754;total vote,79,202. Cheney over Roberts,122. ForCongressman, First District—Whitehouse, Rep., 13,619; Jones, Dem., 14,004;scatego, 13,619; Jones, Dem., 14,004;scatego, 13,619; Jones, Dem., 14,004;scatego, 12,619; Jones, Dem., 14,004;scatego, 12,6 Rap., 13,019; Jones, Dem., 14,004;scat-tering, 326; Jones' plurality, 385. Sec-ond District—Pike, Rep., 12,937, Bell, Dem., 13,083; scattering, 202; Bell's plurality, 1475. Third District—Blair, Rep., 12,388; Kent, Dem., 12,181; scat-tering, 163; Blair's plurality, 207.

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The journeymen painters of New York struck Monday against the ten hour system. Most of the shops, it is said, have employed men not belonging to the union, and give them \$3,50 per day, against \$3 paid for eight hours' work.

The Morris Run Coal Company, a Syracuse, N. Y., made an assignment for their creditors Monday. The Com-pany's liabilities are stated at \$800,000; its assets at \$3,000,000.

General Ord has directed a company of cavalry to start from Fort Laramie as soon as the weather will permit, for Harney's Peak and bring back all the miners reported to be there. Until the Indian title to the Black Hills country is extinguished, the Government will prevent all persons from going there, and will require those who are now there to remove. The Government, however, will endeavor to extinguish the Indian title to the country as soon as pressible.

Brigham Young has been fined \$25 and imprisened one day in the Sait Lake City jail for neglecting to obey an order of the court that he should pay \$3000 costs and \$500 monthly allmony to his wife, Ann Eliza.

It has been determined by the Secre tary of the Treasury to resume the old method of redeeming mutilated currency, by which a reduction was made in pro-portion to the portion of the notes miss-ing. The change will take effect on April 1st.

Art Reading, Pa., Sjuday afternoon, the cornice and shedding of the Northeastern Market-house were crushed in by the weight of snow and ice upon it. Three boys were lajured, one, named Frank Appell, fatally.

A man named, Dixon was shot dead in a quarrel at Mine Hill Colliery, near Minersville, Pa., on Saturday night. It is not known who shot him.

New Advertisements,

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diate payment. W. B. ROMIG, Administrator. Lehighton, March 20, 1875, w6

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First and final account of Wm. Mil-ler, administrator of Henry D. Miller,

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