

FOREIGN NEWS.

There is considerable excitement in political circles in England over the American claims as presented to the board of Arbitration. Many leading journals insist that the claims should be withdrawn, and much dissatisfaction is expressed with Mr. Gladstone for his defense of the American position.

London, Feb. 8.—The steamship Colorado, which sailed from Liverpool yesterday for New York, when just outside the Mersey was run into with great violence by the steamer Arabian, inward bound. The Colorado received severe damages and run ashore to prevent her from sinking in deep water, with all aboard. The Arabia, which was comparatively uninjured, rescued all the passengers of the Colorado, except five in the steerage, who it is supposed jumped overboard in the panic which followed the shock of the collision, and were lost. The passengers were brought back to Liverpool, where they will be transferred to another steamer.

More Railroad Robberies.

For some months past the Adams Express cars on the Pan-Handle Railroad have suffered more or less from the depredations of thieves who would deplete the through cars, from New York to Cincinnati, of anything valuable they could lay their hands on. The robberies generally occurred between this city and Cincinnati, and of late the detectives of this and the Queen city have been endeavoring to lay official fingers upon the guilty ones.

For this purpose, on last Thursday night, a detective took a "secret passage" in a loaded express car between this city and Cincinnati. Nothing occurred to attract the officer's attention until the car had passed Xenia, Ohio, when the detective observed a young man emerge from among a lot of bales, boxes and packages, and deliberately set to work to open one of the safes. The detective at once sprang from his hiding-place and attempted to arrest the thief. A desperate struggle ensued, during which the would-be robber received a shot from the detective's pistol, which, it is supposed, will end the young man's career.

The wounded man was taken on to Cincinnati and there placed in Jail, where his injuries were attended to. From statements made by the prisoner, who gave his name as James Trimble, Mr. Hazen, one of Cincinnati's chief detectives, concluded that a brother, employed as an usher in one of the theatres in this city, was also interested in the robberies. Accordingly, Mr. Hazen visited Pittsburg, and yesterday caused the arrest of the elder Trimble.

A few days ago the young man last referred to accompanied his brother to Cincinnati, riding on the train which his brother is accused of robbing. At the request of Mr. Hazen he produced a watch, set of shirt studs, watch-chain, and a suit of clothes, all of which his brother made him presents of. Although no information has been made against the young man he has been held for further examination. The friends of the Pittsburg prisoner feel confident of his innocence.—Pittsburg Commercial of the 6th inst.

A Terrible Explosion.

The terrible explosion which took place on the 18th ult., at the Greenwich marshes, near London, occurred in a cartridge factory where there were several hundred cases of ball cartridges. While the foreman and about thirty young women, from sixteen to twenty years of age, were employed in breaking up the cartridges, without a moment's warning a terrible explosion occurred, with a tremendous crash that was heard for several miles round. The unfortunate girls many of whom were instantly in flames, rushed screaming from the building. The less injured ran home across the marshes and tidal ditches; while others more seriously scorched, threw themselves, or were thrown down and rolled in the mud, in order to extinguish the flames. The roof of the building was blown away by the first concussion, and a portion of the walls which measured 60 feet in one direction by 20 in another, was knocked down.

On a farm at Ogdensburg, N. Y., owned by one Axtell, a two-year old Ayrshire bull and a yearling ram recently fought a most desperate battle, which continued two days, at short intervals. In the last round the bull was knocked completely out of time, and fell dead, having succumbed to the fearful butting of his lighter but more active assailant.

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