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OTHER BRANCHES.

Rev. Robert Baird, D. D.-Our readers will doubtless be gratified by the intelligence, that our Board [the American and Foreign Christian Union] have elected the Rev. Dr. Baird to the Secretaryship made vacant by the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Fairchild. and that he has accepted the appointment, and will enter upon its duties immediately. The oversight of the Missions connected with the Board, and the editing of the Magazine, will come under his special su-pervision. From his long and intimate acquaintance with the "fields occupied by the missionaries of this Society, from his extensive correspondence with distinguished individuals in foreign lands, he will be able to make the Magazine a most interesting and valuable paper to our readers, and be the means at the same time of stimulating our friends to new and vigorous efforts to aid us in the great and good work

n which we are engaged."-Christian World." Rev. J. R. Burgett, -- The Mansfield, O., Herald says that Rev. J. R. Burgett, formerly settled in that city, left about a year since to take charge of a church in Mobile. He kept a strict watch over his tongue, but finally inadvertently said that he would have voted for Mr. Lincoln had he been at the North. Such language could not be tolerated, and he was compelled o start North without delay. He is now in Ohio. We find Mr. Burgett's name in the O. S. minutes as pastor elect of the Government Street Church of 394 members.

The New York Observer Incendiary!-The postmaster at Camden, Wilcox, Ala, under date of December 14, has notified the publishers of the New York Observer, that he will no longer deliver that paper from his office, as he regards it as "incendiary in its dealing." in its teachings."

The Convention of O. S. Synods at Pittsburg last month was quite successful and encouraging. Probably about 300 members in all enrolled themselves as such.

Rev. A. M. Bryan, D. D.-Many of our readers, says the Pittsburg Banner, will regret to learn the death of this excellent brother, pastor of the Cumber-land Presbyterian Church, on Sixth Street, in this

Last Sabbath week he preached in the church of Bethany, some eight miles from Washington, Pa., where he had been conducting religious services for Any diergyman of our additional services for a several days. At the close of the sermining was about to com-and for every additional THREE names we will send an extra copy to any friend he may direct. To interest all the friends of the AMERICAN when he expired. His death was caused by the

METHODIST.

Orville Gardner .- We have received a circular containing an appeal to the public in behalf of the efforts put forth by Orville Gardner, superintendent For four new subscribers, with eight dollars, we will send a copy of the *Presbyterian Quar*-*terly Review* for one year. of the Inebriates' Institute, 26 New Bowery, Fourth Ward, signed by several distinguished civilians and ministers. The appeal sets forth that more than fif-Any person sending twenty dollars for new teen hundred persons have signed the temperance pledge, and a large number have obtained employ-ment through the assistance of Mr. Gardner, and fifteen or sixteen of those who were brought into the institution in a state of intoxication are known to lation of the paper, Mr. Barnes has generously have been hopefully converted, and one of these is now filling the pulpit in one of the churches in this city.-Christian Advocate.

CONGREGATIONALIST.

At the Installation of Rev. L. Dickerman over the Union Church of Weymouth and Braintree, Mass., January 17th, the Council, after a protracted discussion, declared that the principle of the "six months' notice," (which allows either party to end the connection by such a notice, without any action of Council,) is not "wise or salutary."

STATE OF THE COUNTRY. steamer Crusader arrived at Havana from Key West said, in regard to the remaining unorganized terri-

January 25th, and reports the arrival out from Bos-ton of the steamer Joseph Whitney, with U. S. troops and stores. The Crusader conveyed the J. W., with a schooner in tow, loaded with guns, to the fort at Tortugas, and when she left there, Captain Meigs, of the Engineers, bid with the state of the steamer Joseph Whitney, with U. S. troops in tow, loaded with guns, to the fort at Tortugas, and when she left there, Captain Meigs, of the Engineers, bid with the state of had, with great perseverance and industry, suc-ceeded in getting the fort in good condition for de-

fence. The United States steamer Mohawk, Capt. Craven, was also at Tortugas, assisting the military officers. Captain Brannan, of the artillery, had garrisoned the Fort at Key West, and it is reported as secure against any attack. Both of these officers are said to have displayed great zeal and discretion, owing to which the government property at Tortugas and Key West

THE STEAMER JAMES ADGER. - Among the passengers are the female members of the families of some of the soldiers and officers in Fort Sumter. This looks as if an attack was apprehended. PUT NOT YOUR TRUST IN MAN.—As a specimen o PUT NOT YOUR IRUST IN MAN.—As a specimen of the President's wavering policy in this critical and perilous time, take the following, clipped from the telegraphic dispatches of Wednesday of last week: Mr. Buchanan, yesterday, acceded to the request of General Scott for the employment of two more He also said:

companies of flying artillery for the protection of the district, but, fifteen minutes later, withdrew his approval. It is stated as certain that the President has given orders to the Brooklyn not to enter Pensacola har

bor, and that these orders have been sent to Major Chase, commanding the Pensacola Disunionists, to be transmitted to the officer in command of the steamer.

The purpose of this remarkable act is to prevent the,

leans nas been satisfactorily arranged. North Carolina.—Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 30th.— The House this afternoon concurred in the Senate's amendments to the Convention bill, and it was finally

passed. The bill orders that the question of Convention or no Convention be put to the people, who are to elect delegates at the same time. It also restricts the ope-

ration of Federal laws. The election is to be held Feb. 28.

the correspondence is thus violated.

placed before him. To-morrow, an additional star will appear on the flags over the capital, -thus making thirty-four in all.

to sustain it. Browne, the editor, talks of starting a new journal at Memphis, to advocate Secession. He

has much to learn. WELL DONE, TENNESSEE!-Washington, Jan. 30th. -A private despatch from Tennessee states that the

ern States at Montgomery, Ala. This is regarded as a union triumph, as ten of the twelve are known certainly to be in favor of the

SECESSION PRINCIPLE CARRIED OUT .- A Georgia ciple, as can be the secession of the Gulf States. NORTH CAROLINA LEGISLATURE .- Raleigh, N. C. January 31st.— The Legislature to day re-elected Hon. Thomas L. Clingman Senator to the United States Congress. THE REVIVAL OF THE SLAVE TRADE.-In the Louisiana State Convention, Jan. 31, a resolution instruct-ing the Delegates to the Montgomery Convention, which is to "construct the new Southern Confede-

STATE OF THE COUNTRY. KEY WEST AND TORTUGAS.—The United States teamer Crusader arrived at Hayana from Key West
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existing Administration. Every foot of it is slave territory, as much so as South Carolina. Over a considerable portion of it a slave code has been made by

a Government created by the Congress of the United States, and is enforced; so that, according to the claims of those who insist upon their right in the territory of the United States, for slavery, the whole of this one million sixty-three thousand miles is slave territory. How many slaves are there in it? How many have been brought into it during these twelve years, in which it has not only been relinquished to slavery, but in which the court and Legislature, and

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the Administration, have maintained, protected, de-fended, and guarantied slavery there? Twenty-four African slaves: one slave for every forty-four thousand souare miles."

Here he argued the comparative practical insigni-ficance of the question of slavery in the territories. "A great many partisan interests are to be sup-

pressed, such as the partisan interests expressed by the Charleston platform, the Baltimore platform, and the Chicago platform. If the Union is in danger, and is to be saved, these interests, and these platforms, and everybody standing on them or connected

with them, are to pass away before the Union can be saved." Senator Hunter seemed to become incensed in pro-

portion as Senator Seward became more conciliatory. and insisted on perverting the speech into a declara-The purpose of this remarkable acts is provided by provided by the purpose of this remarkable acts is of provided by the purpose of the second by the purpose of the second by the purpose of the second by the seco

Adams. FRIDAY, FEB. 1., SENATE. -Senator Latham, of Ca

lifornia, made a speech upon the President's mes-sage, condemning secession but deprecating coercion, as he called it.

The Tariff bill was reported with amendments, and delegates at the same time. It also restricts the ope-ration of Federal laws. TAMPERING WITH LETTERS.—A letter was received

by the Postmaster-General from a Market St. merchant ' tion bill was then taken up and passed, after which stating that five of his recent letters from Mobile had | the Senate went into Exclutive session and subse-

been opened. This complaint will be immediately investigated. It is high time the department should de-cide whether the service shall continue in States where tute for the Committee of Thirty-three's proposition, which was ordered to be printed. It adopts the line THE PRESIDENT AND KANSAS.—The President did not hesitate a moment to sign the bill admitting Kan-sas, as has been intimated. On the contrary, it was promptly signed, so soon as it could be unrolled and the full definition of the government. Mr. Hamilton, of Texas, made a very patricic

speech, in the conclusion of which he said he had been called on here and at home to come to the assistance of the destroyers, and he had been threatened and entreated to come to this course, but no threats

CONSTITUTION NEWSPAFER.-The Constitution news- | and dangers should tear him away from the Union paper was suspended recently. The Secessionists until he had seized the horns of the altar and im-having left for the South, no funds were forthcoming plored heaven to allay the storm and again uprear plored heaven to allay the storm and again uprear the same pillars which sustain the weight and add their wonted beauty to the structure. [Great ap-

Mr. Stokes, of Tennessee, re-echoed the noble sentiments of Senator Johnson, Mr. Etheridge and other patriots from the same state. He said he did not think his State would secede: Speaking of disunion, Commissioners' appointed by the Legislature have been instructed to meet the Border State Commis-sioners at Washington, instead of those of the Southhe said:

"The object was to re-open the African slave trade, conquer Mexico, and annex Cula. Disunion was the scheme of a few excited madmen and politicians, ambitious men seeking for power. He admitted that

he was a submissionist, and would rather be called paper states that the town of Gordon, situated on the Central Railroad, at the junction of the road to Mil-ledgeville, has, by an ordinance duly drawn up, signed and adopted by a meeting of the citizens of the place, formally seconded from Wilkinson county, State of Georgia. The narrator proposes to call it the independent City of Gordon. The people of Gordon can probably give as good reasons for se-cession, and the act can as well be justified on prin-States." SENATE .- Saturday, February 2d.-No business of importance was brought to a conclusion. House.—A bill was passed, after some discussion, authorizing the President, at any time before the first of July, to borrow on the credit of the United States. not exceeding \$25,000,000, certificates to be issued for not less than \$1,000, with coupons payable semi annually, with interest. SENATE.—Monday, February 4th.—The Idaho bill

useful members. For purity of life, amiability of tem-per, and fulness of charity, he was a model man. Says

the Evening Bulletin;-Capt. T. was born in England; but early in life he Capt. T. was born in England; but early in life he fixed his home in Philadelphia. For more than a quar-ter of a century he lived upon the spot where he finally died. The deceased was bred to the sea; he was en-gaged in the Havana trade about the year 1806, and after the war of 1812, he became connected with the house of Chandler Price and Benjamin Morgan as commander in their line of packets between this city and New Orleans; being captain of the old ship Ohio and the new one of the same name built affer the other way wereked. About the same name, built after the other was wrecked. About 1823, he abandoned the sea, and was elected President of the Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania, which office he held until a few years ago. He was, at the time of his death, President of the Shipmasters' Society. Captain Toby was well known in commercial and shipping circles, and he was universally esteemed as a gen-tleman of unblemished integrity and probity.

NOTICES.

The United Prayer Meeting of the church of our denomination, will be held in the Logan Square Church, cor. 20th and Vine St., on Tuesday afternoon next, at 4 o'clock.

Individuals in Michigan City, Ind.,... Ist Presb. Church, Terre Haute,..... ""Lacon, Ill.,..... Fremont, Obio,... The Fox River Presbytery will hold its next Stated Meeting at Berlin, on the second Tuesday (12th) of February, 1861, at half-past 6 o'clock, P. M. Olivet Church, Chicago, First " J. B. PRESTON, STATED CLERK. First

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Religions Intelligence.

OUR OWN CHURCH.

First Church, Auburn.—The amount contributed to current benevolent objects by this church during the last year, was about \$3,000, which is an increase of \$800, as compared with the previous year. Of \$18,000 subscribed by individuals in the congrega-tion to the Professors' Fund of the Theological Seminary, \$13,000 has been paid, the balance, drawing interest, is to be paid in future instalments; making the aggregate actually drawn from the congregation the last year, for benevolent purposes, \$16,000.-Evanaclist.

Presbytery of Troy.-This body met January 8th. The report in the Evangelist says:

The church in Hebron, which has not been repre-sented in any of our ecclesiastical meetings since the excision by the General Assembly, was welcomed in the person of J. R. Wilson, one of the oldest members of that Session. An invitation was extended and accepted to hold the next meeting of Presbytery with

the church in Hebron. Rev. A. B. Lambert, Rev. A. J. Fennele, and Elders Lyman Wilder and W. Hannas, were chosen Commissioners to the next General Assembly. Rev. J. S. L. Towle, Rev. S. Haines, and Elders J. Ackart and E. F. Hurd, as Alternates.

Action was taken on the Cause of Publication. The "revised plan" of Education was adopted. Re-

the name of the Committee having charge of this subject should be changed from "Committee on Church Extension" to Committee on Home Missions.

Presbytery of Delaware.—Rev. C. S. Dunning was appointed Commissioner to General Assembly, and Rev. C. S. Marvin his Alternate. Lay Commis-sioner, J. G. Redfield, and Benjamin Hathaway his

St. Lawrence Presbytery.—At the recent meet-ing held at Brasher Falls, the Rev. J. Waugh, of Can-

Z. M. Humphrey to the people.

Mr. David H. Taylor, a graduate of the New York Theological Seminary, was ordained to the work of an evangelist by the Presbytery of Saginaw, on the 9th of January, at Saginaw city.

Fourteenth Street Church, N. Y .- On Sabbath rourteentn street Unurch, N. I.—On Sabbath evening, January 20th, there was held the anniver-sary of the missionary association of the Fourteenth Street Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Dr. Smith's, on Second Avenue. This was the fifth anniversary of their most flourishing society. Nearly eight hundred dollars in a logit and a second dollars and content of a steam engines. He believes that Girard College ought to extend its bounty to a larger number of orphans. The engenetic of the dollars had been raised, as I am told, during the year for the missionary work of the American Sunday School Union in the West. As usual at this church, the audience was very large, and addresses of much

REFORMED DUTCH

Church Case in Philadelphia.-From the concluding portion of Judge Allison's opinion, debarring Rev. G. W. Smiley from the pastorate of this church, we extract the following:

"For these reasons I reject the views entertained by the defendants upon the subject, and although in them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of in-tentional fraud. 6. Papers cannot be discontinued after the year has been allowed to commence, except at the opfails and in this respect he is wanting in an essential requisite for the pastorate of this church. "Mr. Smiley, in his affidavit, also says that he was

rejected by the Classis, solely upon the ground of holding the doctrine of an unlimited atonement; and this stands as an impassable barrier, from which there by subscribers, within five weeks, they are liable for the pay. his continuing to supply the pulpit of said Church upon any terms, or in any capacity. Neither Doctor Smiley, or any other person, who does not receive and preach the doctrine of the canon of the Reformed Dutch Church upon the subject of Divine predestination, which involves the doctrines of election and re-probation, and the doctrine of the decrees, and, in short, the entire system of Calvinistic theology as received and taught by that Church, can have no right. to its pulpit, and ought to be excluded therefrom."

News of the Week.

CITY.

Convicted of Murder in the First Degree. The trial of Armstrong for the murder of Crawford. The trial of Armstrong for the murder of Grawford, which has been exciting a great deal of interest in the city, terminated, on Wednesday last, by the jury rendering a verdict of guilty as above. We are in-formed that our State Governors are in the habit, of late, of neglecting their painful, but imperative duty, as magistrates bearing the sword not in vain, of as magnetates bearing the sword not in value, or signing the death-warrants of men convicted of capi-tal offences. This act being necessary before sen-tence can be carried into effect, it follows that the criminal remains on the hands of the county, and cannot be subjected to the usual prison discipline; in fact, he often fares better, enjoys more privileges, and is every way better off than an inmate of the same prison, convicted of petty larceny. This is a great outrage, and should be remedied.

Press.

Columbia.

there, \$121,238.

sixty yeas to twelve nays.

Philadelphia High School and the Coast Sur-The "revised plan" of Education was adopted. Re-solutions on Church Extension were passed as fol-lows: 1. That in view of the differences which exist be-tween the Presbyterian and Congregational elements in the Home Missionary Society, without expressing any opinion upon the cause of those differences, we are fully convinced that the time has come, when the interests of the kingdom of Christ and the peace of the churches require, that an amicable separation take up the resolutions appointing Commissioners to the Conference of States at Washington, by a vote of any opinion upon the cause interests of the kingdom of Christ and the peace of the churches require, that an amicable separation should immediately take place. The commissioners to the General Assem-2. That our Commissioners to the General Assembly be instructed to use their influence and have the Assembly carry the above resolution into effect. 3. That it is the opinion of this Presbytery that most thorough on the Southern coast, not only for the purpose of ascertaining the obstructions in the various harbors and bays, but also the character of the country for five miles inland, so as to enable the Government to carry on its operations, and to pro-teot all our citizens engaged in the commerce of the

seas. It is no worder that all the gentlemen con-nected with the coast survey are ardent and enthusiastic friends of the Union.

The Mayor's Message.—Mayor Henry sent in his message to the Councils, January 31. The total funded debt of the city is \$20,962,408, as near as can ing held at Brasher Falls, the Key. J. Waugh, of Car-ton, was chosen Commissioner to the General Assem-bly and Rev. B. B. Beckwith his alternate. **Rev. C. J. Hutchins** was installed over the First Presbyterian Church in Racine, Wis., on the 17th of January. Rev. E. Anderson conducted the opening exercises; Rev. Arthur Swazey preached the sermon; Dr. Patterson gave the charge to the pastor, and Rev. which exacts no tax for the maintenance of religious belief. The defects in the systems of valuation, and assessment and collection of taxes have not yet been remedicd by legislation. From the financial condition of the city the Mayor turns to the various departments of the municipal government, and shows their operations and cost. He renews his suggestion

racy," to resist any attempt to re-open the slave, trade, was tabled by a vote of eighty-three to twenty-eight. This is a significant indication of the strength of the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment in favor of a revival of the infamous the sentiment infamo

traffic, which is justly abhorred by the whole civilized debate of an explanatory resolution, threw but a

flimsy disguise over the real purposes and objects of the Louisiana Secessionists. CAPT. MONTCOMERY C. MEICS.—Man proposes and Orleans. Mr. Craige, of North Carolina, objected. the Louisiana Secessionists. CAPT. MONTCOMERY C. MEICS.—Man proposes and God disposes. When the Secretary of War, John B. GENERAL. Floyd, and Captain Meigs had their differences, the

The Census of Missouri shows that State to have President taking the side of Mr. Floyd, Capt. Meigs 1,407,536 whites, 113,188 alaves, and 3,902 free newas ordered to Florida to take command of Fort Jef-ferson, on the Tortugas, and it was considered by himself and his friends a sort of banishment. Within groes, or in the aggregate 1,524,626. This is much larger than Missouri has yet been announced as having, and it places the State next in rank to Illithe last month, however, the President and the Sec nois in point of population, the total being larger

retary have separated, the latter having taken ground against the Union, and the military officer proves to be one of the strong arms of the country. He is handsomely entrenched, with an abundance of pro-handsomely entrenched, with an abundance of the most against the Union, and men, in one of the most than any State in the Union, except Ohio. The lat-than any State in the Union, except Ohio. The lat-against the Union, and men, in one of the most than any State in the Union, except Ohio. The latimportant fortresses of the Government, and being a native Pennsylvanian, will no doubt do credit to him-account published in the U. S. Economist, a New account published in the U.S. Economist, a New self, his State, and his country.-The Philadelphia

York paper. The next States in rank to us in this respect, are Illinois, with 2924 miles in operation, New York, 2808, and Indiane, 2058. But as regards the total length of lines, of which these miles form MOVEMENTS OF SECESSION .--- Every effort is being made by the Secessionists to operate on Virginia, and a despatch was forwarded to Charleston from Washparts, our State is far ahead of all, except Ohio. We a despatch was forwarded to Unarreston from in cash ington and re-telegraphed to Richmond, that troops had been ordered to Fort Sumter. This is only one of many specimens of invention with a purpose in view that must be conjectured. THE DEFENCE OF THE CAPITAL. - Washington, Feb. | ultimately be distanced when all our roads shall have 1.—Two companies of artillery arrived to-day from Fort Hamilton.

.-Two companies of artillery arrived to-day from ort Hamilton. There are now five companies of that arm of the we have labored in building railreads over our moun-There are now five companies of that arm of the service, which, together with the infantry and ma-rines, make about six hundred Federal troops in Washington and its vicinity. Orders have just been issued for the enrolment of S151,529,629; New York, 5145,259,792; Ohio, \$117, all citizens subject to military duty in the District of 353,116; Illinois, \$106,975,581. No other State comes

within gunshot of these figures.-U. S. Guzette.

FOREIGN. Summary.

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of this city.

SEIZURE OF THE MINT AND CUSTOM HOUSE AT NEW ORLEANS.-New Orleans, February 1st.-The United The following is a summary of the European news to the 18th, received by the arrival of the Bohemian. States Mint and Custom House were quietly taken possession of yesterday by the State authorities. The It is expected that an imperial decree will soon appossession of yesterday by the State authornes. The officers continued in their positions, having taken the oath prescribed by the Ordinance of Secession to-day. The balance in the Mint at New Orleans, was \$389,238; and in the hands of the Sub-Treasurer of the fleet to keep strict neutrality at Gaeta. The bombardment of Gaeta was to have been resumed on Monday, the 21st Jan. It is not true that the ships GOOD NEWS FROM ALABAMA .--- Reliable advices from Alabama bring the assurance that the Secessionists have been forced to yield to the overwhelming Union

Have been forced to yield to the overwhelming Union sentiment in the porthern part of the State, and re-consider their hasty action so far as to provide for submitting the ordinance of secession to the people. THE TRIAL OF JACKALOW.—Trenton, N: J.; Febru-ary 2d.—The jury in the Jackalow account of the secession movement in America.

Boston, Feb. 1.-The Senate, to-day, refused to

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to start from the western frontier of Missouri, and go through to Placerville in twenty days for letters and papers, and thirty-five days for magazines and documents, but which last may be sent by steamer at the contractor's expense. Bids are to be received till April, the contract to commence on July 1st, or as soon thereafter as possible. Denver and Salt Lake are to be supplied semi-weekly by the contractor. UTHER-PLEIS- On the 21st ult., by Rev. A. Reinke, Ms. CHARLES S. LUTHER to Miss VICTORIA O. PLEIS, all of this city. The postage on letters is to be ten cents, and on papers one cent. The bill was passed by a vote of 101

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pers one cent. The bill was passed by a vote of 101 against 64. WEDNESDAY, 30.—SENATE.—The Pacific Railroad RICE—WILLIAMS.—At Reil Wing, Minn., Jan 23d,

TUESDAY, JAN. 29.-SENATE.-Several amendments

day, at noon, and rendered a verdict of robbery, as charged in the first count of the indictment.

York, from Liverpool, we have news from Europe to Mexico.-The steamship Tennessee, which arrived the 20th. At the latest dates from Gaeta, only one

ary 2d.-The jury in the Jackalow case came in to-

tiated between Prussia and Austria, guarantying the possession of Venice to Austria. The King of Prussia has made a war-like speech to his generals, which has created quite a sensation in Paris. General Klapka is reported to be in the principalities gathering his forces for the rising in Hungary.

to the Pacific R. R. bill were adopted. HOUSE.—The daily Overland Mail proposition passed. It limits the cost to \$800.000. The mail is

