Phillips & Gillmore, Editors & Proprietors. PITTSBURGH: TUESDAY MORNINGDECEMBER 20. n the hands of the binder. MORNING POST JOB OFFICE. We have now employed in our Job Office an undinal number of excellent job printers, and are prepared to execute all orders with neatness unsurpassed, and with a speed that shall not be THE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THIS CITY WILL The census of 1790 ... meet on Thesday evening near, at the St. Chanles Hotel, ut 7 o'clock, P. M. Punctual attendance is requested. 1810. JOHN C. DUNN, Chairman. 878,545 1 compose the Committe 1830. The following named gen Geo. Wilson, Aug. Faller, Alex. Holstein, John P. Glass, Joseph Birminghau John N. M'Clowry, Rarnard Flanicay Wm. Bennett. John Coyle, Joseph O Brien, the expense of final printing, &c. Andrew Scott, Wm. C. Rea, Wm. J. Rose, ohn S. Kennedt, copold Hegner, CONGRESSIONAL AFFAIRS. A Joint Resolution was introduced in th are in great confusion.

House of Representatives, by Mr. Sage, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to contract for the purchase of the Mount Vernon estate by the United States. A motion was made to lay the whole subject on the table, which motion was negatived by a vote of 96 yeas to 103 nays. The debate that followed upon the motion to refer, indicates preity strongly that no appropriation will be made by Congress for such a purpose To purchase the estate on which rests the re mains of the father of his country, and make it

public property, would seem to be a patriotic act; but it would establish a dangerous precedent. That done, what shall be said of Monticello and Marshfield, and many other estates of distinguished Presidents and statesmen? We take the following from the Washington

IMPORTANT MOVEMENT .- We understand that the Committee on Naval Affairs of the House. held a long consultation yesterday morning, it regard to the recommendations of the Secretary of the Navy respecting the increase of steam service, and that they decided by a unanimous rote to report a bill the first time reports ar called for in the House—which will probably be on Monday next—nuthorizing the immediate construction of six steam frigates, and making an appropriation of three millions of dollars for that rpose—the same to be expended under the di-stion of the Secretary of the Navy in such manner as he shall deem expedient. The promptness with which the Committee or Naval Affairs have responded to this important recommendation of the Secretary, shows a commendable energy on their part, while it also indicates a disposition to co-operate with the Secretary in securing the much-needed improvement in this branch of the service.

We are glad to see such prompt action in this matter; and we hope Congress will not stop at | French empress, and a grandee in Spain. this comparatively trifling increase of our navy. and largely increased as in a few years to place this nation beyond all apprehension of foreign assault or aggression. To build and support a necessary apology, young Soule undertook to States shall from and after the passage of this payy that will prevent war, is far cheaper than chastise the insolence of the Spanish Dake, on act, be entitled to enter, free of cost, one quarnavy that will prevent war, is far cheaper than

war itself. We publish to day the "Homestead bill" insentatives, together with the remarks of the he had fight enough, and refused to accept." Washington Union on the subject. It is likely to be received with favor at this session, and will probably pass the House. It may encounter more opposition in the Senate. We think, how-

ever, that it will become a law. We notice in our review of proceedings in Congress only the measures of public and general interest. Other matters that occupy some | ceptable to American citizens. C the attention of the two Hauses will generally be found under our telegraphic news.

The next State election will be one of importance to our Commonwealth. The people are then to elect a Governor, a Judge of the Supreme Court, and a Canal Commissioner, besides local officers and members of Congress. From present appearances, we believe the present executive officer of the State will be re-nominated for Govornor. A majority of the counties have already, we believe, expressed their preference for

WILLIAM BIGLER, as the democratic candidate for that office.

For Judge of the Supreme Court, the present Chief Justice, will doubtless be prosented by the democracy for re-election. The Press and the People all over the State have already expressed their preference for him so strongly as to leave no doubt of his unanimous

For Canal Commissioner, if the democratio press may be considered as expressing the sen- for a lunch, bought at Cleveland, to be eaten at timents of the people,

COL. HENRY S. MOTT will be the candidate of the democracy. Our paper is pledged to the party and its prin-

ciples, and not to men. But to the men whom the party selects as its standard bearers, and the executors of its will, we shall tender a cordial su port. The political position of the Post is the one

we like; and the position we intend it shall continue to occupy. Free from individual control, and independent of faction, it belongs to the entire democratic party, the party of the people. And shall pursue it without hesitation or reluctance. We shall, to the extent of our ability, vindicate and sustain the will of the people, and advocate the cause of democracy. In this course we are certainly sufficiently independent to be honest, and sufficiently free to be in carnest.

Our main aim in the management of our paper is to satisfy the great mass of the people, and the business community. And we are gratified with the evidences lately afforded that we have not failed of our aim as yet.

We have mentioned the names of the probable candidates at the present time, because the people of our county will before long select dele- are going to impeach and depose the Governor gates to the State Convention of March next, by which the now ination for the above officers will be made.

GEN. WILLIAM LARIMER, JR. State, that our fellow-citizen above named stands a pretty fair chance of being the next candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania. Several

The Prize Poem.—The glittering prize of five while papers have renoused us of late with his hundred dollars, offered by R. W. Latham, of name very favorably mentioned in connection. California for the best national norm or anic. General being complimented with such a nomihis election. Pittsburgh and Connellsville railroad should be driven shead as fast as possible; and we know of no position in which his energy and business and there is no prospect of their coming to a capacity can be so profitably employed as in

would be but the leader of a forlorn hope, if hope can be said to exist in the case.

THE PEOPLE'S JOURNAL. The December number of this well conducted monthly is received. It is published by Alfred R. Beach, New York, at 50 cents per year. The present number contains 72 engravings,

Report of the Superintendent of the The report of Mr. Dr Bow, the Superinten lent of the Census Bureau, has been published The report is brief, and merely indicates the heads and divisions under which the vast amount of statistical information embodied in the volume of the census of 1850, is arranged. The printing of that volume is completed, and it is now

The volume will compare favorably with former government works, in typographical appearance. It contains 1,158 quarto pages. Of the sum of \$50,936 subject to the order of the Census Bureau upon Mr. Dr. Bow's entrance into office \$20,000 still remain. The cost incurred in taking each census since 1790, is as follows:-\$44,377 28 66.109 04

838,370 9 o the 30th September, 1858, and exclusively of There are seven or eight hundred volumes of August 16, 1858, in red ink. he manuscript schedules of 1850, in the office, three hundred and fifty of 1840, one hundred

he statistics of manufactures, (which were not | hand. ordered by Congress); these statistics will fill a. volume of three or four hundred pages. The Superintendent is satisfied they are at least as at work and occasionally make an arrest. On complete as those of any previous census, and Saturday evening last, Chief Marshal Jennings perhaps more reliable. The government has secured Peter Fritz charged with being engaged in passing counterfeit money. Others said to collected by every census, except one, since have been implicated, have not yet been arrest.

The Superintendent states that it is evident extensive gang .- Pottsville Democrat. that the present edition (20,000 copies) of the LAWRENCE COUNTY. -The Grand Jury at its census is too small. The work ought to be dis- present session recommended a cou tributed, and has hitherto been distributed, in a slice in bonds to the Mahoning Valley Railroad on \$125,000, to be guaranteed by the railroad companier different from that adopted for the mispany, and individuals of capital, that the countries of the countries of the mispany and individuals of capital. cellaneous documents of government. Some-

thing like the following distribution is recom-Colleges and academics, &c., in the United States (one copy to each)...... States and city government (15 to each) 500 Counties, to be deposited at court-houses

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r about twenty-seven copies for each member of both houses of Congress. If the members of the last Congress are to be supplied, the number

YOUNG SOULE IN SPAIN. "At a ball given by the French Minister of Madrid, the Duke made some disparaging and this nation beyond all apprehension of foreign were overheard by her son. Refusing the the spot, but was prevented from effecting it by ter section of vacant and unappropriated public the interference of his father. The assault gave rise to a high state of excitement. Young in a body, in conformity with the legal subdivitrolluced by Mr. Dawson in the House of Repre- Soule challenged the Duke, but it was no go-

We presume the prompt resentment of an insult, by a young American citizen, has taught person applying for the benefit of this not shall, the Spanish Grandee a useful lesson. Rank and fice in which he or she is about to make such title give no impunity for insolence, in the entry, make affidavit before the said register pinion of Americans. Another occurrence abroad of late is less to filling the affidavit as above required, and filling the affidavit with the register, he or she

our taste, and, we presume, will be far less ac-Hon. Peter D. Vroom, our minister to Prussia, on arriving at Berlin, asked audience of the king to present his credentials. He intended to appear in citizen's dress. On being notified that entry, or, if he be dead, his widow, or, in case e would not be received in such dress, he ar- of her death, his heirs or devisee, or, in case of

rayed himself in the foppery and frippery of a court dress, and was thus presented. Now, we wish Mr. Vroom, on being finally re- | ued to reside upon and cultivate said land, and used addience in citizen's dress, had "demand- still reside upon the same, and have not alienaed his passport," and left. Certainly there is nothing in the laws or etiquette of nations that requires of American officials such subserviency to royal folly; and it is time republicanism should assert its independence of the royal tailors of Europe. If the governments of Europe child or children, and the executor, administrawill refuse diplomatic relations with the United tor, or guardian may, at any time within two years after the death of the surviving parent, States, till their tailors have converted our ministers into court dandies, then let such relations cease till the European governments seek to re-

lew them on equal terms. CAKES! CAKES! It is rumored that ginger cakes "is riz" at Cleveland, so great is the demand by travelers Erie, and stay their stomachs till they can get to Dunkirk for dinner.

That cake trade will soon become one of the most important interests of the Forest City.

Let us make a calculation. We will suppose that there are 1,000 persons passing daily by all in no event become liable to the satisfaction of for the two months is \$1,963,000. The amounts trains over the Lake Shore road; -a high esti- any debt or debts contracted prior to the issuing collected at the several ports are as follows: mate, of course. Each person will want two SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That, if at cakes to eat, to avoid a dinner at Erie. At a any time after filing the affidavit as required in the second section of this act, and before the say, 300 days in the year. The total makes the round sum of \$6,000 per unum, in small change; for the register of the land office, that is faction of the register of the land office, that for they will not take bank bills, or even gold, the person having filed such affidavit shall have democratic party, the party of the people. And for they will not take take at Cleveland. \$6,000 per actually changed his or her residence, or aban-when the will of that party is known, and is in payment for cakes at Cleveland. \$6,000 per doned the said entry for more than six months at fairly expressed, our course is plain, and we year, and four-fifths profits; making the snug little sum of five thousand dollars; affording a and be disposed of as other public lands are now handsome income for ten cake-baking families at Cleveland each year. But this estimate may be too high. We will reduce it to 8 families; and

> BLOOD AND THUNDER. The Buffalo Express says: "If it should appear that Governor Bigler is and after the fact, and be at once hurled from a place which he disgraces.'

of Cleveland that is not to be "sneezed at."

ored persons have been sent to Liberia from Virginia to impeach and depose the Governor of our Commonwealth. Clapp on your spurs,

No. 11. And 35 transfer endered, Linter no individual shall be permitted to make more than one ginia, at a cost to the treasury of \$5800, being entry under the provisions of this act; and that at the rate of 480 per annum—sufficient, as is the Commissioner of the General Land Office is supposed, to prevent any increase of the free hereby required to prepare and issue such rules and regulations consistent with this act as shall Mr. Clapp, and start for Harrisburg. The Govbe necessary and proper to carry its provisions into effect; and that the registers and receivers ernor was there at last advices. But really now, Mr. Clapp, are you not a little silly? Break down Brie if you can, for the benefit of Buffalo. newspapers in several different parts of the Real cake shops; but don't put yourself in tered under the provisions of this act that they induced holders to keep them back. At Louis

name very favorably mentioned in connection California, for the best national poem or epic, may be issued: Provided however, That all perwith that office. We have no objection to the has tempted one hundred and one poets to enter sons entering land under the provisions of this into the contest for the purse, and, as a consequence, for American immortality. For nearly Pittsburgh and Connellsville railroad should be in Washington city, testing, in their order, the this act shall be construed as to impair, or inter merits of the patriotic and rythmatical offerings, fere in any manner whatever with, existing pro-

lovers of good music to give these gentlemen a gall.

The Easton Sentine proposes some public action, on the part of the citizens of that religion, with a view of presenting to the U. S. Government the claims of the Valley of the Level of

GRAHAM FOR JANUARY. We have received an early specimen copy of this highly popular Magazine. Great improvements have been made in bringing out this number for the new year, and they are promised to Church, may be seen a rude fence, enclosing a solitant continue. The elitors say in a card : For 1854, we are making great outlays, and

are anxious to cover the expenses by an increased list-and, to confess the truth, the comtition, now going on in magazinedom, require all our efforts to meet the requirements and expoctations of Graham's large parish of readers who like his preaching so well that they continually cry for more.

We are indebted to S. Jones & Co., for

the following important information : WEBSTER BANK, BOSTON .- Look out for coun. terfeit rives on this Bank. A considerable number of them have been put in circulation since Saturday, both in this city and Allegheny. The counterfeit is an imitation of the genuine Hill monument. The portrait is rough and very dark, and the lower part of the monument is heavily shaded, whereas the continuous to the monument is throughout. In the centre is a large medallion portrait of Daniel Webster; on the left Bunker heavily shaded, whereas the genuine bill is light | The Winter's chill blast hymn his direc in loud tones and delicate in the engraving and printing. Date,

It is highly probable there is an agency some where in this neighborhood, for the sale of those counterfeits, and the present Webster Bank and fifty of 1830, &c. Those of an earlier date fraud has no doubt, come from the same source as the Unadilla counterfeits, by which many of our citizens were swindled a short time since Mr. DE Bow recommends the publication of We hope that Hague will take this matter in NEWS OF OUR OWN STATE. SCHUYLKILLE COUNTY .- Our officers are still

1800, and published, material of this kind. Sta- ed, but as the officers are on the look out it is tistics of manufactures would certainly prove probable that most of the party will be taken, one of the most interesting features, of the is to be hoped that the officers will spare no efforts, and if possible make a clean sweep of this tion in bonds to the Mahoning Valley Railroad of pany, and individuals of capital, that the county shall never be called upon to pay either principal or interest. To a suggestion of this kind

risk whatever as the guaranty will be made at the time the bonds are to be given. This movement on the part of the jury gives credit to the Company and shows that the people of Lawrence county have full confidence in this improvement Matters are now so arranged that there is no doubt at all about this road ending here, which will be of vast importance to New Castle and to every citizen of the county.-Journal. The Homestead Bill.

family and a citizen of the United States homestead of one hundred and sixty acres of land out of the public domain, upon condition of occupancy and cultivation of the same for

ister of the land office shall note all such appli-

cations on tract book and plats of his office, and

keep a register of all such entries, and make

gether with the proof upon which they have been

any one time, then, and in that event, the land so entered shall revert back to the government,

by law, subject to an appeal to the General Land

Be it enacted, &c., That any person who is the bead of a family and a citizen of the United lands, or a quantity equal thereto, to be located sons of the public lands, and after the same shall have been surveyed. Section 2. And be it further enacted. That the

that he or she is the head of a family; and upon shall thereupon be permitted to enter the quantity of land already specified: Provided, however, That no certificate shall be given, or patent is-sued therefor, until the expiration of five years from the date of such entry; and if, at the ex piration of such time, the person making such ty and apprehension of the Swedes. a widow making such entry, her heirs or devisee, in case of her death, shall prove, by two crodiblo witnesses, that he, she, or they have continted the same, or any part thereof; then, in such a case, he she, or they shall be entitled to a patent, as in other cases provided for by law: the Servian territory. And provided further, In case of the death of both father and mother, leaving an infant child The Turkish government has issued a strict

or children under fourteen years of age, the right and fee shall inure to the benefit of said infant marque.

Letters from Bucharest state that the Russian Letters from Bucharest state that the Russian army was expected soon to be in a condition to take the offensive. Contradictory accounts have been given of the and in accordance with the laws of the State in which such children for the time being have result of the engagement between the Russians and the Egyptian steam frigate, but the capture nicil, sell said land for the benefit of said infants, but for no other purpose; and the of the latter appears to be correct. A British steamer had arrived at Varna to take purchaser shall acquire the absolute title by the richase, and be entitled to a patent from the off the British Consul to Constantinople. The Sultan will arrive at Adrianople towards

> INCREASED REVENUE. -The increase in the amount of duties received at the six principal ports of the United States, (at which is collected nine-tenths of the revenue.) over October, 1852, is \$591,000; and for No \$106,000 \$440,000 667,000 \$1,000,000 \$221,000 The receipts of the last four days of Novel \$221,000 \$128,000 Rallimore. N Orleans, Charleston Tucrease in 1853.... November, 1852..... November, 1853.....

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That if any then we have a new element in the prosperity individual now a resident of any one of the \$8,227,000.—Balt. Sun.

States or Territories, and not a citizen of the United States, but at the time of making such application for the benefit of this act, shall have stated in the recent message of the Governor of filed a declaration of intention, as required by Virginia that, in the three years during which the law of 1850 was in operation to aid the naturalization laws of the United States, and really pandering to the mob spirit of Erie, he shall become a citizen of the same before the removal of colored persons to Liberia, only 419 should be impeached as an accessory both before issuance of the patent, as made and provided for free blacks were removed from that State, at a n this act, shall be placed upon an equal footing | cost to the treasury of \$5410. Under the present with the native born citizen of the United States. Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, That no indi-

WESTERN HOG TRADE .- There had been re are now entitled to receive when the same quantity of land is entered with money, one-half to been killed, and 23,020 were in pens. Un to abo ut 25.000.

SPECIAL NOTICES. SEEING IS BELIEVING, and feeling the maker by truth is exemplified to the letter at the BANNEI I STORE—for all who see the tasty finish and style o Tars, feel by the purchase of them that they are soring. ATS, feel by the purchase of them that they are so by expending it at the above popular store. Rei my Hat bought of ALF, is warranted, and any def , say. Hat bougant and the state of the stat

A grave in a narrow enclosure appears; so monument stone calls the travier aside To tell of the dead—of his name, or his year. Monongahela Navigation Compa-ny.—NOTHE TO ETOCKHOLDERS.—An AN-NUAL MERTING of the Stockholders of the Monongabela Navigation Company will be held, in pursuance of the pro-visions of the Charter of Incorporation, at their Office on Grant street, in the city of Pittsburgh, on MONDAY, the second day of January, 1854, (being the first Monday in the month.) at two belock, P. M. for the ELECTION OF OFFI-CERS for the ansuing year. Oft, oft to the skirt of the outspreading wood,

Beside that neglected and desolate tomb.

Beside that neglected and in thoughtfulness stood For, so lonely a grove, with the church yard so near,
Might waken some thought in the thoughtlessent bre: ERS for the ensuing year.
decl2:id WM. BAKEWELL, Secretary. An outcast from men—unlamented, unblest, And debarr'd from their graves, here he sleeps al While his spirit, perchance, is still wandering for Unsummoned from God to appear at his throne:

Seem to weep o'er his grave, -and weep ever alo St. CLAIR HOTEL, Pittsburgh, De., 1853. FURTHER FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

BY THE ASIA.] From the foreign papers by the Asia, to the dinst., we take the following further news: ENGLAND .- The Board of trade returns for the onth ending Nov. 5th, show an increase in the the same mouth last year, of £1,812,000, and an increase in exports during the first ten month of the year over the similar period in 1852 of IRELAND. -The cholera has broken out in the FRANCE .- It is reported that an alliance ffensive and defensive has been entered into be-

tween England, France, Spain and Sardinia. Ledru Rollin has been addressing public meet-The Duchess of Orleans declares that she doe not recognize the late fusion of the Bourbons. it maintains her own and her son's claims the present throne inviolate. The Emperor of Russia has sold out his The cholera was making progress in Paris. Within the last eight days, the price of grain in most of the departments has experienced a The Bourse was steady, and on Thursday the ands closed at an advance. EASTERN AFFAIRS.—The quotation of Exange at Vicana on Thursday evening is 11 20, which denotes the prevalence of renewed distrest, such as had been exhibited on occasions

THE LONELY GRAVE.

Mt. Pleasant, and almost in sight of the Rehoboth

At the side of the State road leading from Bel

In a lonely spot, on the lone road side,

when any news transpired unfavorable to the Weekly Press Buys it use the Court of St. Peters-rity for stating that the Court of St. Peters-Mn. J. M. Kirn—Dear, Sir: Myself and wife having bee burg had addressed a brief and conclusive note

ampaign is only just beginning. PORTUGAL.—The Spanish government has re-ceived a despatch from Lisbon announcing as a probability that the Portuguese government will. a a few days, proclaim the Prince Royal to be of age.

Belgium.—The Belgian Chamber of Repre-

sentatives, in its sittings of the 30th, adopted the public subsistence bill, by which articles of food are authorized to be imported free of duty.
The bill was carried by 78 votes. GERMANY.—The schism between State and Church in Baden, is likely to be most serious, several Bayarian prelates having sent in a con-gratulatory address to their reverend brothers of In short, the excitement among the Catholics is stated to be only equalled by the supineness of the Protestants. It was rumored at Vienna that Cardinal Prince Schwarzenburg would go to Baden to endeavor to effect a com-

ITALY.-The Pope has appointed the Duke de Castelyecchio to the post of Commander of the Pontifical Noble Guards. SWEDEN .- The speech of the King of Sweden is important, showing that the concentration of troops in Russian Finland and the naval squadron stationed at Helsingfors, have excited the anxie-TURKISH AFFAIRS .- LONDON, Saturday morning, Dec. 3 .- Despatches received from Vionas, dated the 28th ult., state that the Austrian Cabinet lends its most strenuous support to the Ser vian declaration of neutrality. The Porte, however, does not sanction neutrality on the part of Servia, and has informed that government that. if necessary, the Sultan would make use of his power as Suzerain, and march his troops through

prohibition against the granting of letters of

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That the reg the end of February.

Increase for 1853....... \$2,000 \$27,000 De Total for the two months, at the above \$27,000 Dec. \$4,000 THE COLONIZATION LAW OF VIRGINIA .- It is

stated in the recent message of the Governor o law, which was passed 6th of April last, 240 colored persons have been sent to Liberia from Virsupposed, to prevent any increase of the free colored population.

of the several land offices shall be entitled to receive the same compensation for any land on.

191 hogs, against 255,684 for the same time The warm weather has, no doubt, ville, at the close of last week, 152,308 noge and been killed, and 23,020 were in pens. Up to the same period, last year, 132,107 had been killed, with 31,725 in pens. At New Albany, Ind., 2,400 had been killed, and at Madison. THE PACIFIC RATEBOAD. - The House com-

mittee of the Texas Legislature have unanimously recommended a grant of twenty-five sections a mile for the Pacific railtoad—the road not to city.

Terms: one-third cash, and balance in two years; or one enter the State north of Fulton, and to cross the Trinity as nearly as possible on the 82d degree

lty, eall.

| Fine Clothing. —We call the attention of all who desire to buy clothing, to the immensa lot offered for sale at No. 58 Market street, by Z. ed The Connecticut Financies. —The Meriden (Conn.) Whig states that Mr. C. L. North is now the children of the Lehigh. yalley ought to take the amount of his debts is greatly exaggerated.

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of our variable climate, and the mode of treatr

paration for raising up a weak constitution The thousands of certificates in the familiar in the propriety of pittaburch and its immediate vicinity, go to slight clearly and beyor. Ill doubt, that Kirn's Permonent is a medicine of no cor. on value, not only as a local remedy in Paralysis, Rheumalism, Deafness, lors of Sight, but as a valuable internal remedy, in which the the restigating physicians, as well as the suffering patient, to become acquainted with its pint of a fresh assortment of the above Medicines, and a water

nerits.

Those having a dread of mixtures are assured that this nedicino is purely natural, and is bottled us it flows from he bosom of the earth. Syracuse: This may in truth certify, that I have been so badly af-licted with Scrofula for the last seven years that most of the dicted with Scrotla for the lastseven years that most of the time I have been unable to attend to any kind of business, and much of the time unable to walk and confined to my bed, and have been treated nearly all the time by the best Physicians our country affords; I coassfoundly got some relief, but no cure, and continued to grow worse until Dr. Foot recommended me to try the Petroleum, or Rock Oil, as everything class had failed. I did so without faith at first, but the effect was autouishing; it threw the poison to the surface at once, and I at once began to grow better, and by using soven bottles I have got a cure worth thousands of dollars.

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This may certify that I have been acquainted with Kier's account of the property of the Coll. for more than a year, and have re-This may certify that I have been acquainted with Kier's Petroloum, or Rock Oll, for more than a year, and have repeatedly witnessed its beneficial effects in the cure of indolout alcers and other diseases for which it is recommended, and can with confidence recommend it to be a medicine worthy of attention, and can safely say that success has attended its use where other medicine but falled.

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The interest with which the country is looking for the action of Congress on the homestead Bill.

burg had addressed a brief and conclusive note to the government of England and France, and the Congregational Minister in this place, and several bill induces us to publish it at full length, as reported by Hon. J. L. Dawson, of Pennsylvania, from the Committee on Agriculture, of which he is chairman. We reserve our remarks for another day, having room now only to give the bill?

A bill to encourage agriculture, commerce, manufactures, and all other branches of industry, by granting to every man who is the head of a by granting to every man who is the head of a family only just beginning. where.

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A N ELECTION for Thirteen Directors, to serve for canning year, will be held at the Office of this dany, on TUESDAY, January 3d, 1834, between the b of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M. ROBT. FINNEY. A N ADJOURNED MEETING of the Stockholders in the R "Pittsburgh Line Insurance Company" will be held at their Office, on THURSDAY, the 32d day of December, 1853, at 64, o'clock, P. M.
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Estate, are requested to present them, duly authenticate
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