



FRIDAY MORNING, Dec. 30, 1844.

MEXICO—ANNEXATION OF TEXAS, &c.—Morse's Magnetic Telegraph reported an abstract of a message sent to the house yesterday, by the president, in relation to Mexico, the annexation of Texas, &c.

The president complains of the language used by the Mexican Secretary of State, and intimates that it would justify harsh measures on the part of our government; but he nobly forbears to press Mexico to the wall, though he insists on the immediate annexation of Texas. Mr. Tyler is extremely solicitous to obtain the acquiescence of the people in the acquisition of Texas, and is resolved to deprive Mr. Polk of all participation in the glory; but we doubt whether his ambition will be gratified.

In relation to Mexico his conduct has been unjustifiable and extraordinary. He first sends a man to insult and browbeat the Mexican government, and then complains that the authorities of that nation will not imitate the Chinese, and return humble thanks for the chastisement administered. The secret of this conduct is, we feel power and forget right. We are the wolf and Mexico is the lamb, and we are resolved that the water shall be muddy, though it be pure as crystal.

The Message will be found on our first page.

A FLOURISH OF TRUMPETS. Some of our Southern people are extraordinary folk. The word with them is, "yield or die." The measures of Government must be shaped to suit their pleasure, or they will blow the union "sky high." This is the tenor of a speech made in the House of Representatives on Wednesday last, by Mr. Payne, and is but a repetition of what has heretofore been said by other Southern members of Congress and politicians. We beg gentlemen not to get into such violent paroxysms of passion; or if they must blow off their steam, to do it without so many useless and ridiculous flourishes. Mr. Payne breathes blood and thunder. Congress must change the tariff to suit him and his constituents, or he says—"we shall resist; and, for aught I know, or care, millions of swords may leap from their scabbards and drink deep, deep of blood! That is my feeling. I am ready to meet that question, or any other question, wherever plunder or impudent interference with the concerns of the object attacked. I for one shall do my duty."

Now this is pretty language to be used by an American statesman in the hall of the nation's representatives. He does not care—no, not a bit—"millions of swords should leap from their scabbards, and drink deep, deep of blood."—And whose blood is this American statesman so regardless of having shed thus profusely?—why the blood of his fellow citizens—perhaps of his own connexions. And yet he does not care. The sentiment and the feeling here exhibited are unworthy of any civilized man, and doubly so of the representative of a Christian people. We can hardly believe that they are seriously entertained, though expressed, by Mr. Payne—not for we are disposed to set him down as not only callous to the feelings and sympathies of human nature, but a traitor in purpose to his country. The time was, when the utterances of such language in the house of representatives, would have excited a thrill of horror; and the man using it would have been considered as little less culpable than Arnold. But the pure days of the Republic have passed—the spirit of disunion is erecting itself even in our halls of legislation—and resort to the sword is threatened. The conduct of some of our statesmen affords a sad presage of the future destiny of this country; and makes the duty more imperative on those who would preserve the confederacy, to exert themselves to restore those American principles and feelings, which formerly made us an united and happy people—when to breathe the word disunion was considered a crime. We heartily wish that all hot-headed and indiscreet politicians could be kept at home; and that the business of legislation could be confined exclusively, to men of sound principle, discreet judgment and American hearts.

ILLEGAL VOTING. Owen Dale, a foreigner was found guilty in the New York Court of Sessions, a day or two since, of voting illegally at the presidential election, and was sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary for two months. The American Ensign complains of the inadequacy of this punishment, and we are not disposed to dispute the justice of the complaint—but in Maryland we are still more lenient towards such offenders, for we fine them only twenty dollars, and then have the penalty remitted. In fact the barrier to unrestricted voting is very feeble in this State, and the consequence is, that some men who are fond of exercising the right of suffrage, deposit ballots in most of the wards of the city; and a certificate of naturalization is a passport to the ballot box for those who have not been six months in the country. For these and all other abuses connected with elections, we hope to see a remedy applied at the approaching session of the legislature; otherwise the elective franchise will not be worth exercising.

COLD WEATHER. In New York on Wednesday morning the thermometer was so low as 24 degrees.

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS. Governor Aikin of South Carolina, has appointed Thursday, the 9th January, as a day of prayer and thanksgiving in that State.—During the present year 250 dwellings have been erected at Rochester, N. Y.—The Buffalo Gazette ridicules the rumor going the rounds of the press that Dan Marble is about being married in England, by asking what will be done with his yankee bride, and his some half dozen little Marbles in that city.—A man named Wm. Barber died suddenly in N. Orleans on the 9th inst.—Horace Pagnod, charged with forging Mississippi state warrants to the amount of about \$80,000, has been arrested, and is now in Hinds county jail.—Mr. Charles J. Barnitz, of York, Pa., has assumed the editorial chair of the Columbia Spy.—The editor of the Lusane Asylum Journal, published in Vermont, is about to leave the Institution a sane man. Cured by editing!—The receipts this year of the Mariner's Industrial Society of N. York, amount to \$2,000.—The Bangor Whig says the amount of lumber entered by the Surveyor General of Maine during the last year is 127,287,336 feet.—Sherman & Smith are about publishing a new map of the U. States, to cost ten dollars a copy.—The people of Monmouth, N. J., are about to erect a monument on the famous battle field of that name.—A colored girl named Mary Sands was burnt to death at Providence, R. I. on Saturday.—At a meeting in Pike county, Ill., a few days since, thirty individuals announced themselves ready to take up their line of march for Oregon in the spring.—The population of Detroit is 10,948, being an increase of 1824 since 1840.—They have sleighing now at Bangor, Me., the snow being 14 inches deep.—So much milk is brought to the city of New York over the Erie Railroad, that it is now called the milky way.—The Savannah Georgian describes a mammoth sweet orange grown there last season. Its circumference was 14 inches—weight 1-1/2 lbs.—If Col. Benton serves out the term for which he has recently been elected, he will have been thirty years a member of the U. States Senate.

DISGRACEFUL RIOTS AT POTTSVILLE, PA.—We stated some days since that the laborers on the Schuylkill Valley railroad had turned out for higher wages. It appears by a letter in the Philadelphia Sun that Pottsville and its vicinity has, for several days, been the scene of riot and outrage, on account of the laborers who refused to quit work being violently attacked by those on the "strike." The hands employed by Messrs. Dafer, Lessig and Mills were all driven from their work by the rioters. The hotel of Mr. Blussinger, at Middlepoint, was attacked, and its doors and windows smashed. The men at work for Mr. Samuel Mills, a contractor, were assailed by 700 Irishmen, and compelled to quit work. Mr. Mills' life was threatened if he made his appearance, and Mr. Hoffman, an engineer, had to take flight to save his life.—Justice Callahan and a number of citizens were dreadfully maltreated by them. Four military companies were subsequently ordered out, when the rioters dispersed, not before 42 of them, however, were arrested. A postscript to the letter states that Mr. Blussinger's hotel was again surrounded by the mob, and that the military were about to be ordered out a second time. The rioters are all foreigners.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT PEERSKILL, N. Y.—On Monday evening a fire occurred which destroyed property to the amount of six or eight thousand dollars. The loss, as near as can be ascertained, falls principally upon the following persons—Clark & Lent, loss about \$700, and no insurance. Noah Underhill, loss \$800, insured for \$100. Aaron Travis, loss about \$800 and insurance. Jacob Donike, loss estimated at \$1700, \$1200 of which was covered by insurance. Northrop Hall, loss estimated at \$160, no insurance. J. Friggs & Son, loss about \$100, no insurance.

CAPTURE OF A PIRATE. A letter from Trieste mentions the capture of the "Avenger," a piratical barque, which has been cruising, for the last two years, and in that time there have been no less than 200 murders committed by the crew, and ten ships three barques, one brig, and eleven schooners taken and plundered by her. The amount of treasure on board the vessel was immense. She is an English built vessel with tall, raking masts, and of about 700 tons burthen, very sharp and deep.

THE FAIRS. We hope the public will not forget the fair for the benefit of Saint Stephen's Church, at the Odd Fellows' Hall, as those who visit them may expect excellent music, cheerful association, and kind attendance. The sale in aid of the Fell's Point Presbyterian Church, in the Lecture Room of Dr. Breckinridge's church, is still progressing. We bespeak for them the most liberal patronage.

BALTIMORE LYCEUM. We call attention to the entertainment to be given by this institution, at the Saloon of the Law Buildings, this evening, at 7 o'clock. The music and singing will be of the first order, and the discussions will no doubt be able and eloquent. It will be an agreeable entertainment, and we have no doubt will attract a crowded audience.

OUR BOOK TABLE. Messrs. Armstrong & Berry have laid on our table the following publications: "Ethology; or, the Philosophy of Mesmerism and Phrenology; including a new philosophy of sleep and of consciousness; with a review of the pretensions of Neurology and Phrenology-Magnetism," by J. Stanley Gimes, counsellor at law, &c. Published by Saxson & Miles, New York. We have not read the work, but mean to give it a careful examination.

"Introduction to the Pictorial Reader,"—and "The Pictorial Primer,"—by R. Bentley.—These books are designed for the use of children, and will be found serviceable.

COURT OF APPEALS. This Court has adjourned until Tuesday, 7th January.

[For the American Republican.]

MESSRS. EDITORS.—I am truly glad to see that the subject of the naturalization laws has at last been brought forward on the floors of Congress; and sincerely hope that something will be done to remedy the evils attendant upon the present laws. No American citizen, be he foreign born or native, can feel the elective franchise to be a privilege, so long as ignorant and untutored foreigners can, by their votes, (brought about to a state of things in direct opposition to his wishes. I say no true American, of whatever party he may be, can, or ought, calmly to submit to the infamous frauds attendant upon the present system of naturalizing foreigners, and manufacture from them American citizens.

Messrs. Editors, this is indeed a question high above all party considerations; it is in my humble opinion, a question of vital interest to the inhabitants of our country. It is almost a question of national existence. There is no doubt in my mind that it is fast becoming a practice among the petty princes of the German Empire, to get rid of their convicts by shipping them to the United States; and it is a fact, that in several of these so called emigrant ships, the irons have not been taken off from the persons of the convicts until within sight of port.

Messrs. Editors, we profess to be free, yet how much liberty do we really enjoy? Are we not trampled upon, our wishes over-ruled by party factions? Are not our suffrages neutralized and rendered of no avail by the illegal votes of foreigners? And are we, the people,—American citizens—to look upon these infamous practices, with apathetic indifference? Are we to make no effort for their abolition? Shame upon us if we do not. The proud name of an American citizen may become a by-word and reproach among nations. We wish the root of the evil struck at—no lopping off of excrescences, as some honorable members of Congress would have. This done, there is at once a cessation of the frauds which have disgraced our country; and for this we humbly pray.

A TRUE AMERICAN. REMEMBER THE SICK AND DISTRESSED.—Recollect, that the Fakir of Ava exhibits his surprising feats this evening, at the Saloon of the Assembly Rooms, for the benefit of the indigent sick of the city, to be applied under the direction of the lady managers of the Indigent Sick Society. Who will withhold a small contribution when it is to be applied to so humane a purpose? We feel assured that the citizens of Baltimore will exhibit their usual liberality on this occasion, so that the pangs of disease and poverty may be alleviated by the gentle hands which have undertaken this mission of charity. Remember to-night at the Assembly Rooms.

CITY INTELLIGENCE. Fugitives from Justice. Officers Wm. H. Stevens and James McGrath, of New York, arrived in this city on Wednesday night, via the Washington cars, having in custody Henry Sontag and Henry Schillinger, fugitives from justice, under a requisition of Governor Bouck, of New York. The prisoners were placed in the Middle District watch-house, for safe-keeping; from whence they were taken, by the foreclosed officers, yesterday morning, who left this city with them for New York.

Middle District Watch-house. We perceive that some additional security against the escape of prisoners, who from time to time, may be temporarily placed in this watch-house, has been effected, by inlaying the room occupied for such purposes with sheet iron. Some security has been much needed for a long time. We have heretofore taken occasion to refer to the subject, and now, further say, that the importance of this building, as a place of temporary lodgement of persons charged with the highest crimes known to the laws, demands that it should be so constructed as to afford the most undoubted security against any ordinary contingency. What has become of the project for a central city police building—that was to serve all the purposes complained of, to be an ornament to the city, &c. Let the fathers of the city see to it.

Arrest of Scoundrels. Henry Sheppard and James Gillespie were arrested yesterday, in Baltimore county, by officers McKewon and Bowman, charged with having fraudulently obtained possession of certain axes and other articles, the property of Mr. John Barker, of Anne Arundel county. It seems that early in November the two persons arrested went to the furnace of Mr. Barker, and obtained employment as wood-cutters, procured for him the means of executing their duty, and decamped. They were committed to jail by William A. Schaeffer, Esq., to appear before the April term of Anne Arundel County Court.

Injured by a Fall. Watchman Bradley, of the Middle District, in going his rounds, on Wednesday night, accidentally fell from treading upon a piece of ice, and received a severe cut upon the right side, from coming in contact with the spear of his spantoon. He was conveyed to the watch-house, suffering much pain and exhaustion from loss of blood. Dr. McGuire was immediately called to his relief; and we are pleased to learn that he is doing well.

Confirmation. We learn that the appointment of Gen. Wm. H. Marriott, as Collector of the Port of Baltimore, has been unanimously confirmed by the U. S. Senate.

Not enough to eat. John Bryan, (colored) steward of a brig lately arrived at one of our wharves, was on Tuesday night assaulted and beaten by Thomas Lloyd and James Thompson, sailors on board of the same brig on her homeward voyage. The reason assigned for the assault was, that the steward kept them, as well as the rest of the crew, in a starving condition. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the offenders by Wm. B. Jones, Esq. The writ was returned non est, as the sailors had gone to sea.

Fast Driving. Moses Rotenfelt was yesterday arrested by officers Hall and Feduzza, charged with driving his cart at a furious rate through the streets. He was fined \$2 and costs by S. S. Briggs, Esq.

Disturbing the Peace. William Smith, Franklin Gray, Joseph Bayley and Mary A. Mitchell, were yesterday committed to jail, in default of security to keep the peace, by S. S. Briggs, Esq.

We with pleasure call the attention of our readers to the establishment of Mr. Keevil, 95 Baltimore st., who has for years been well and favorably known for the superiority and cheapness of his HATS; we have no doubt Mr. K. will study to keep the good name he has made by strict attention to the wishes and taste of those who may favor him with a call.

CHEAP PRINTING, AND PRINTING OF every description, executed with great despatch, at No. 134 BALTIMORE STREET—such as MAMMOTH BILLS, &c. Much larger than any other office can execute. LOTTERY BILLS, CHECKS, CIRCULARS, BILLS OF LADING, STAGE & HATTERS' BILLS, RAIL, ROAD BILLS, &c. &c. Indeed it is needless to enumerate, as we are provided with facilities for doing work, in every style, and in a manner unsurpassed in this city.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. ELDER FISHER, of Kentucky, will preach THIS (Friday) EVENING, at 7 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, corner of Sharp and Broadway streets. Subject, "The Great Salvation." The public generally are invited to attend the deeply interesting meeting which is progressing, at this Church. Seats free.

HIGH STREET CHURCH. The Annual Sabbath School Sermons will be preached in the High Street Methodist E. Church, on next SABBATH DAY the 23d inst. It is expected that the Rev. L. F. MERRILL will preach at 11 o'clock, the Rev. W. M. MERRILL at 3 o'clock, and the Rev. Wm. HAMILTON, at 7 o'clock. The annual collection, for the benefit of the Sabbath Schools of the Station, will be taken up throughout the day.

PUBLIC MEETING POSTPONED. Some of the Trustees, Division No. 2, would notify their Brethren, that on account of unforeseen circumstances, our public meeting is postponed. Due notice will be given as soon as arrangements can be made for it.

THE following is the result of the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Baltimore Female Seminary, held on the 24th of the present month, our principal theme will be opened for a winter campaign. Mr. ANDERSON, the highly successful star from all the great Theatres, is to appear, either on the opening night or very soon after, at the superb acting of this gentleman, from New York and Boston public have given the highest tokens of admiration in the extreme rush every night during his engagement. We are not behind these citizens in their praise, and we are confident that we have hope to see a suitable manifestation once more within the walls of our Temple of Science. The Manager is a worthy enterprising man, and deserves every encouragement.

The following is from the Rev. C. Sperry, No. 32 First Avenue.—I had been for ten years every few weeks attacked with the Piles, and within the last year the attacks have been weekly, and of a much more severe nature. For a month previous to using HAYS' LINIMENT, from Comstock & Co., it was with the greatest difficulty I could stand long enough to get to bed, and then I was obliged to get up, since when I had commenced using the Hays' Liniment, and have finally been entirely cured by following the directions on the wrapper. From knowing you personally, and the good effects of this medicine, I feel that any one afflicted with that terrible complaint say find out and use this extraordinary remedy. New York, May 3, 1844.

MUFFS! MUFFS! MUFFS! Just received, another invoice of those beautiful Natural and Laced Laces, and other MUFFS, Lace and Children, which will be disposed of low at G. K. QUAIL'S, Pratt street, a few doors west of Hanover.

THE LADIES OF ST. STEPHENS CHURCH commenced their FAIR in the Egyptian Saloon of the Odd Fellows' Hall, on Saturday evening. It is their design to continue the sales throughout this week. There is great attraction there. An interesting time is spent the evening. Important from the Philadelphia Daily Sun. Published on April 10th, 1844. Mr. John A. Cantrell—Dear Sir—Having been afflicted for upwards of two years, with operation of the soft palate, the whole of the anterior part, then through the upper part of my mouth into my nose, from which several pieces of bone came out, which partially destroyed my speech, through a kind Providence, and your MEDICATED SCRIP OF SASSAPARILLA, I am now restored to perfect health, and my sight which was so much impaired, is as strong as when a boy. I thought it a duty I owed to you, and those similarly afflicted to make it public. Yours, respectfully, Teeth and Cakes teeth.

The above valuable medicine for the cure of Scrofula, Chronic Rheumatism, Chronic swellings of the joints, Eruptions of the Skin, and all diseases arising from the impurities of the blood, is sold wholesale and retail, of J. F. PERKINS & BROS., corner Franklin and Green-sts., and E. H. PERKINS, S. W. corner Franklin and Green-sts. 414-15

WHOOPIING COUGH, ASTHMA, &c. The "WHOOPIING COUGH CORDIAL," has been proved, in hundreds of cases in this city and elsewhere, to be the best remedy, not only for the cure, but for the prevention of WHOOPING COUGH. In Asthma, all structures of the Chest, (not depending upon inflammation,) difficulty of breathing, &c. it is used with great benefit and comfort, and when its use is persevered in, effects a permanent cure. Circumstances induce me to state, that the GENUINE ARTICLE can only be obtained of Dr. GIBBON B. SMITH, Basement of the Chesapeake Bank, North Street, Baltimore. Price 25 cts. per bottle. Advertisements \$1 to \$3. Single Copies 5 cts. per line. Persons at a distance will address (post paid) and enclose the amount in gold or silver, or in bank notes, to J. L. LINDLEY, Baltimore. Citizens will call at the Washington University, East Baltimore street. Those who cannot call, will drop a line in the post office, enclosing the *quid pro quo*. (Editors friendly to art.) 413

CHIEF, CHEAPER, CHEAPER. 423 MARKET STREET, opposite Holiday. Ladies, be the best dressed, and wear the best goods, which the sub-criber has for sale and is always receiving: Embroidered Party and Ball Dresses have caused rapid sales from their beauty and cheapness. New styles of party dresses, costly and cheap, embroidered Chemises and those exquisite Needlework Collars, are also selling very rapidly. Bear in mind those English SILK HOSIERY—those cheap and elegant Ribbons, Blouses, Gimp, Gloves, Scarves, and all kinds of Goods and notions in the most complete system, as nothing works so well as small profits and quick returns. S. BROADBENT. No. 33 Market street, opposite Holiday.

FOR CHRISTMAS. —New opening, a beautiful lot of French Cutia Colnages; Ink Stands; Tete-a-Tete Sets; Toy Tea Sets, &c., suitable for Christmas Presents. Also, new style, silver shape, white metal, GINSENG, &c., mostly manufactured in the assortment of CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE, will be sold at less than they can be bought for any where else in this city. Call and see. 41 North Howard-st. Between Fayette and Lexington, and No. 8 Harrison street. 420-421

WATCHES AND JEWELRY. W. ROBINSON, PRACTICAL WATCH MAKER and dealer in fine Watches and Jewellery, has removed to the corner of CALVERT and BALTIMORE STREETS, (opposite the City Hall,) where he has opened a general assortment of Watches, Jewellery, Silver Plated and Britannia Goods, all of which have been purchased from the actual manufacturers, and will be offered very low. Particular attention paid to repairing fine Watches, which will be warranted to perform well or no charge. Jewellery repaired. Hair Platted to any pattern. DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MUSEUM. Old Gold and Silver wanted, for which the highest price will be given. 420-11

MARCUS DENISON, 51 BALTIMORE-ST., between Gay and Frederick-sts., has now in store, a full assortment of the most choice Green and Black Teas; Long Leaf, whole HAVILS, white and black, and all kinds of Coffee, from Laguera, Rio, Padua, St. Domingo and roasted COFFEE, whole and ground Spices; family super FLOUR; Raisins; Currants; Citron; Almonds; Prunes; Figs; OILS; White and Yellow Wax; and all other articles for sale to families and others, at the lowest retail prices. 420-2aw2w [1]

CHRISTMAS GIFTS. ENGLISH ANNUALS, 1845. Heath's Book of Beauty, edited by the Countess of Blessington, handsomely bound, and illustrated with 12 fine Portraits. The Keepsake, for 1845, with 12 beautifully finished engravings, in silk, Charles the First and his Parliament, by the Rev. R. Cattermole, being Heath's Picturesque Annual for 1845—15 fine engravings, Charles 1st, Oliver Cromwell, &c. ENGLISH ANNUALS, 1844, at reduced prices. The Children of the Nobility. English Pearls, or Gems for the Boudoir, with Poetical Illustrations. Heath's Beauty, a series of twelve highly finished Engravings of Spanish subjects. Pearls of the East, or Beauties from Lalla Rookh. Heath's Drawing Room Part Photo. The Keepsake. Heath's Picturesque Annual, Paris and the Parisians. Heath's Picturesque Annual, Windsor Castle and Environs. Heath's Book of Beauty. AMERICAN ANNUALS—1845. The Diadem, a Present for all Seasons, with splendid Engravings, after pictures by Sully, Leizze, Huntington, &c. &c. Leaden of Memory, edited by Reynel Coates, M. D. Illustrated with 12 superior Engravings, and beautifully bound. The Gift, a Christmas, New Years, and Birth Day Present, with 8 beautiful Engravings. Friendship's Offering, with 9 Mezzotint Engravings. The Ladies' Scrap Book, 10 embellishments. The Rose of Sharon, A Religious Souvenir—7 Engravings. The Keepsake, with 10 Steel Engravings. The Charleston Book. The Amaranth, Gift for all seasons. The Betsybarn, 10 Engravings. The Literary Souvenir, 30 Engravings. The American Poet's Gifts, Illustrated by one of her own painters—20 Engravings. The Amaranth, Gift for all seasons. The Boys and Girls' Annual, numerous Embellishments. The American Book of Beauty, 9 Steel Engravings. The Token, or Affection's Gift—5 Plates. Also—a Variety of Books in Elegant Bindings, &c., among which are The Illustrated Book of Christian Ballads. Nature's Gems, or American Wild Flowers in their Native Haunts, by Emma C. Emery, with 29 Plates of Plants carefully colored after Nature. Native and Landscape views of their Localities. The Lady of the Lake, by Sir Walter Scott, illustrated edition—10 splendid Engravings. Gems, by Eliza Cook, illustrated beautifully. Poems of the Poets, by S. C. Hall. Poem of Power and Flowers of Poetry, beautifully illustrated. Oracles from the Poets, Fanciful diversion for the Drawing Room. Cowper's Works of Milton, splendidly illustrated. Cowper's Complete Poetical Works, 1 Vol., handsomely illustrated. The Complete Works of Mrs. Hemans, illustrated, first American from last London edition. Poem of the Pleasures, Sc. &c. C. CHILDREN'S BOOKS. Boys and Girls' Magazines—also Labour and Amusement. Annulettes. Parley's Magazine. Robinson Crusoe. Adventures of a Fire Screen. Tales of the Genies. Jacob's Scenes by the Pacific. Boy's Own Week Day Book. Gymnastics, or Sports, by Paul Preston. Child's Own Book. Child's Own Book. Two Half Dollars. Youth's Keepsake. Marco Polo's Travels. Lady and Arthur. The Boy's Medal. The Girl's Medal. Child's Own Story Book. Stories to Teach me Thank. Well Bred Girl. Well Bred Boy. Mamma's Birth Day. St. Nicholas' Annual. St. Nicholas' Gift. The Rose. The Lily. The Bud. Girl's Token. Boy's Token. Forget Me Not. One hundred different kinds Painted Toys. Prayer Story Book. Child's Own Book. Short and Simple Prayers. Holiday Gems for Boys and Girls. Good, Better and Best. Tenber Kent at school. Child's Prayer and Hymn Book. A pure translation of Pass in Book. Thank before you Act. Duty is Satisfy. Very Little Tales, 1st and 2d part, consisting of three and four Letters. Child's Delight. Holiday Tales. Basket of Flowers—WITH HUNDREDS OF OTHER BEAUTIFUL BOOKS AT ALL PRICES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS FOR YOUNG PERSONS. Also, Family and Pocket Bibles, elegantly Bound. Prayer Books, Hymn Books, &c. For sale at ARMSTRONG & BERRY'S, Book Store, 126 Market St. 420-11

MERRY TIMES ARE COMING, AND NO. 12 NORTH-ST. is the place where a cheap and elegant assortment of Holiday Presents is ready for inspection. We have Books in every variety. Toy Books, &c. to suit children; Splendid Story Books for Master's Studies; and Annuals, Scrap Books, and valuable Poetical and Prose Works, all richly bound. We have endeavored, in the following selection, to meet the tastes of all, both grave and gay, that whilst we add to the amusement, we may also add to the instruction of numerous patrons. The Diadem for 1845, richly embellished with splendid Engravings, price \$4. The American Book of Beauty, embellished with new beautiful Portraits of living characters, price \$1 25. Leaden of Memory, an annual for 1846, price \$4. The Ladies' Scrap Book, with 10 fine Engravings, price \$2 25. Friendship's Offering, 9 fine Engravings, \$2 25. The Opal, gift for the holidays, 8 illustrations, \$2. Poems of Ossian, \$1 75. Milton's Poems, \$1 75. Cowper's Poems, \$1 75. Floral and plain Albums, from 75 to \$2. The Literary Amaranth of Prose and Poetry, by N. C. Brooks, \$2 edition \$1. The Religious Souvenir, price \$2. The Boy and Girl's Annual for 1845 price \$1. The Life of Christ, in easy verse, illustrated, 50. Pious in Boots, illustrated, price 75. Robinson Crusoe, paper, No. 15 35 and No. 25. Little Leaves for Little Readers, 50. Fairy Land and other Sketches, for youth, price \$1. Comic Nursery Tales and colored Engravings 75. Roy's Own Book, price 62 1/2. American Girl's Book, 62 1/2. Walton Harvey and other Tales, by Miss Sergeant, 50. Boy's and Girl's Magazine, price 50. Natural History of Birds, 25. Pure Gold from the Rivers of Wisdom, 25. Channing's Self Culture, 25. Gems of Female Poets, 50. The Flower Vase, or Language of Flowers, 37. Little's Tales, from 40 to 15 1/4. The Great Big Book of Jonathan, 12 1/2. The Annual Pictorial Herald, hundreds of Engravings, only 61 cts. The Holiday Museum, lots of Engravings, and many other articles, to which we invite attention—with all new and cheap publications, for sale, wholesale and retail, by SHURTZ & TAYLOR. No. 12 (formerly No. 2) North-st. And W. TAYLOR & CO., Washington, D. C. 11

MILLER & CO. FOR PRIZES AND NO MISTAKE.—Three first prize prizes sold in the Maryland Lottery, drawn yesterday, one of \$300, white ticket, cost only \$4, Nos. 15 35 38, besides two others of \$100 each, Nos. 15 35 38 and Nos. 25 57 75, all sold at the most fortunate offer for prizes. Draws THIS DAY, the Md. Lottery, class No. 28, Ex. 75 Nos. 12 drawn balls, capital prize \$10,000, and tickets only \$2, making one of the most splendid lotteries ever drawn for the price of tickets. BRILLIANT SCHEME. 1 prize of \$10,000 1 prize of \$1577 1 " " " " " " 1000 1 " " " " " " 500 1 " " " " " " 250 Tickets \$3; halves \$1; quarters 50 cts; eighths 37 cts. \$75—Draws to class 29, Dec. 21st, Md. Female Seminary Lottery, class 39. Capital \$4000—Tickets \$1; halves 50 cts; quarters 25 cts. In which School-Book & Co. will sell on certificate. Packages of 100 tickets for \$10. 22 whole tickets for only \$3.60 22 half " " " " " " 6.75 22 quarter " " " " " " 3.37 22 eighth " " " " " " 1.69 For the capitals, send orders to the ever fortunate SCHOOLFIELD & CO., No. 1 Calvert street, First office from Baltimore street.

ALL AMONG THE PRIZES. Two shag 50 yesterday sold by BYRNE & CO., Nos. 25 57 75, \$1000, quarters, for \$100. 75, \$250, half ticket, sold at old 41 Calvert st. The following are the drawn Nos. of yesterday's Lottery, class 27—lowest prize \$40. Drawn Nos. 35 39 60 15 54 58 45 70 55. For the Capitals in TO-DAY'S try this office. \$10,000, \$3,000, \$5,000, 5 of \$1,000, 5 of \$500. Tickets \$3—shares in proportion. Remember the Small Fry for SATURDAY. Tickets \$100 for the Capitals. For more particulars apply to BYRNE & CO., No. 41 Calvert street, Opposite Barnum's City Hotel.

GREAT AND GLORIOUS TIMES AGAIN AT TUCKER & BROTHER'S on the returns of yesterday's Lottery. There was quite a stiff run on us again for the redemption of Prizes sold on 22nd inst. in a half ticket, and drawing in a whole, sent to citizens—besides 2 of \$200 and 2 of \$150, sent to friends abroad. Tickets 23, quarters 75 cts. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. Head of Centre Mart. ORDER EARLY. The Small Fry draws again next Saturday. Capital \$4000. Tickets \$1. Packages of quarters \$3.75.

HANDSOME WINDOW SHADES. JOHN C. HOLLAND has just received another new assortment of very handsome WINDOW SHADES, such as the best of the kind in the city; and at lower prices than they can be purchased in any other city. They include the finest patterns of Landscapes, Ruins, Gothic, Plain Bordered, &c. &c. 22 and 23 North Street, and 24 and 25 East 1st. Notices, very low. No. 35 Gay street, two doors from the Shot Tower.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845. SPLENDID ILLUSTRATED WORKS. Beautiful and splendid Editions of the POETS THE BOOK OF BEAUTY, for the Queen's Boudoir, a musical annual for 1845, the illustrations splendidly printed in gold and colors. The Keepsake, for 1845, with 12 beautifully finished engravings, from drawings by the first Artists. Edited by the Countess of Blessington. Gift, satin. Heath's Book of Beauty, for 1845; with 13 beautifully finished engravings, from drawings by the first Artists; Edited by the Countess of Blessington. THE GIFT, for 1845; a rich Christmas, New Year and Birth day present; with 8 admirable engravings on steel. The illustrations are from Neal, Wilcox, H. Hoffman, Kirkland, Emerson, Signorette, and others of the most popular American Artists. Leaflets of Memory, for 1845; with 2 highly finished engravings. Friendship's Offering, a Christmas, New Year and Birth day present, for 1845; containing 9 splendid steel engravings. American Wild Flowers in their Native Haunts; by Emma C. Emery, with 29 plates of plants, carefully colored after nature; and Landscape views of their localities, from drawings on the spot, by E. Whitefield. This is one of the finest specimens of American typography and art ever issued. THE CASKET, A Souvenir for 1845; beautifully illustrated. The Merry Present, an Annual Gift, with 21 steel embellishments. The American Book of Beauty; with illustrations on steel by eminent Artists. Edited by a Lady. The Old Fellow's Offering, for 1845, fine Steel Illustrations. The Forget Me-Not, a Gift for all Seasons—fine Steel Engravings. The Juvenile Gem, for 1845, Steel Engravings—edited by Mrs. Holland, with 20 beautiful illustrations. Splendidly Illustrated Works, English and American. The Book of British Ballads, First and Second Series—edited by S. C. Hall, Esq., F. S. A., with upwards of 400 beautiful illustrations. ROBERT BURNS' Complete Works, containing his Poems, Songs, and Correspondence—illustrated by the best Artists, with a New Life of the Poet, and Notices, Critical and Biographical. London, 8vo., morocco, gilt. THOMAS CAMPBELL'S Poetical Works, Complete, with a Memoir of the Author by Washington Irving, and Remarks upon his Writings by Lord Jeffrey—with illustrations. SHAKESPEARE'S Complete Works; with Dr. Johnson's Preface; A Glossary; and an account of each Play; and a Memoir of the Author—steel plate. Morocco, gilt. COWPER'S Complete Poetical Works, with a Memoir of the Author—steel plates. Morocco, gilt. SCOTT'S Poetical Works, with a Life of the Author—steel plate. Morocco, gilt. Pleasant Memories of Pleasant Lands, by Mrs. L. H. Signorette—steel plates. Sam. 6/6. MILTON'S Poetical Works, with explanatory Notes, and a Life of the Author—steel plates. Morocco, gilt. HEMANS' Poetical Works—illustrated. Morocco, gilt. Pilgrim's Progress—Lectures on the Pilgrim's Progress, and on the life and times of John Bunyan—splendid steel engraving. Gems of the Modern Poets—steel engravings. Mrs. ELLIS—The Select Works of Mrs. Ellis—steel engraving. The Lady of the Lake—splendidly illustrated. Cloth—8 vo. The Poets and Poetry of America, by Rufus W. Griswold—steel plate. Lay of the Last Minstrel—illustrated. Satin, gilt. Marmion—illustrated. Satin, gilt. Lady of the Lake—illustrated. Satin, gilt. Miniature Editions of the Poets; a rich and beautiful assortment. Bibles—Church, Family, and Pocket editions—Hymn Books—every style. Prayer Books—A large assortment. Juvenile Books, Poetical Annuals, &c. &c.—a new and very large assortment. Just received and for sale by PARSONS & PRESTON, Booksellers, 151 Pratt-st., adjoining the Rail Road Depot.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS—1845. SPLENDID ILLUSTRATED AND AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845—FOR SALE BY WATERS & STEVENSON. No. 244 BALTIMORE-ST. ENGLISH ANNUALS FOR 1845. Heath's Book of Beauty, Keepsake, Sacred Gift, Drawing Room Scrap Book, Forget-Me-Not, Juvenile Scrap Book, Historical Annual, British Ballads, Spanish Ballads, Poetical Gallery, Byron's Poems, Child's Own Book, Little Leaves for Little Readers, Lalla Rookh, Romance of Nature, Pilgrim's Progress, Shakespeare's Gallery, Cabinet of Poetry and Romance, British Palaces in Olden Time, Musical Annuals, &c. &c. AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845. The Opal, Keepsake, Christian Ballads, Rose, Nativity Gems, The Diadem, The Merry Present, Souvenir, Book of Beauty, Youth's Keepsake, &c. &c. ILLUSTRATED STANDARD POETS.—The works of Mrs. Hemans, Cowper, Milton, Burns, Scott, Southey, and others, in fine bindings. FAMILY GIBBONS' BIBLES, with maps of Granada, Lalla Rookh, Romance of Nature, Pilgrim's Progress, Shakespeare's Gallery, Cabinet of Poetry and Romance, British Palaces in Olden Time, Musical Annuals, &c. &c. AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845. The Opal, Keepsake, Christian Ballads, Rose, Nativity Gems, The Diadem, The Merry Present, Souvenir, Book of Beauty, Youth's Keepsake, &c. &c. ILLUSTRATED STANDARD POETS.—The works of Mrs. Hemans, Cowper, Milton, Burns, Scott, Southey, and others, in fine bindings. FAMILY GIBBONS' BIBLES, with maps of Granada, Lalla Rookh, Romance of Nature, Pilgrim's Progress, Shakespeare's Gallery, Cabinet of Poetry and Romance, British Palaces in Olden Time, Musical Annuals, &c. &c. AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845. The Opal, Keepsake, Christian Ballads, Rose, Nativity Gems, The Diadem, The Merry Present, Souvenir, Book of Beauty, Youth's Keepsake, &c. &c. ILLUSTRATED STANDARD POETS.—The works of Mrs. Hemans, Cowper, Milton, Burns, Scott, Southey, and others, in fine bindings. FAMILY GIBBONS' BIBLES, with maps of Granada, Lalla Rookh, Romance of Nature, Pilgrim's Progress, Shakespeare's Gallery, Cabinet of Poetry and Romance, British Palaces in Olden Time, Musical Annuals, &c. &c. AMERICAN ANNUALS FOR 1845. The Opal, Keepsake, Christian Ballads, Rose, Nativity Gems, The Diadem, The Merry Present, Souvenir, Book of Beauty, Youth's Keepsake, &c. &c. ILLUSTRATED STANDARD POETS.—The works of Mrs. Hemans, Cowper, Milton, Burns, Scott, Southey, and others, in fine bindings. FAMILY GIBBONS' BIBLES, with maps of Granada, Lalla Rookh, Romance of