HOME MATTERS.

CHARITY.—We would call the attention of our readers, to a lecture which is to be delivered this evening in Washington Hall, at half past 7 o'clock, for the benefit of a distressed family.—From the facts, which have been stated to us in reference to the object of this lecture, we can confidently recommend it as one entirely worthy of support, the family being highly respectable, and in the most destitute condition, sunk under the oppressive weight of poverty and sickness, far from friends and home, and we earnestly hope, that their case will be taken into consideration, by our charitable citizens; and that from the lecture room this evening, will flow a stream of charity to sooth and comfort them, in their cares and sorrows.

TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.—At a meeting of the Pittsburgh Typographical Association, on Saturday evening last, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing sixth months:

President—R. R. R. Dumars.
Vice-President—J. J. Patterson.
Secretary—Henry Forrest.
Corresponding Secretary—A. W. Rook.
Treasurer—James F. Campbell.
Trustees of Funds—A. W. Rook, James McEwen and Andrew Gamble.

A resolution was passed to celebrate the anniversary of Franklin's birth day on the 17th inst., by a public supper, at which all the members of the Press are to be invited.

Committee on Supper—J. F. Campbell, Andrew Gamble, Henry Forrest, J. J. Patterson and Benj. F Latshaw.

PITTSBURGH AND ERIE RAILROAD.—The following gentlemen were duly elected officers of the Pittsburgh and Erie railroad, for the present year, at a recent meeting of the stockholders:

PRESIDENT—Thomas J. Power.
TREASURER—Dr. Cha's T. Whipple.
SECRETARY—Jno. McElery.
DIRECTORS.—Thos. J. Power, Beaver. David Boies do. E. Sankey, Newcastle. T B Hubbard, Mercer. S Goodwin, Greenville. Jno A Waugh, do. James E Dey, Pittsburgh. Wm H Smith, do Wm. Robinson, Jr. do. S B Curtis, Sharon, Dr. Wm. Gibson, Jamestown. George Boyd, Erie, David Garber, Granville.

MEETING OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.—The Allegheny Councils met in their chamber, on Tuesday last.

SELECT COUNCIL.

The report of the Clerk of markets was read and accepted, and the following resolution adopted.

Resolved, That in future, the Clerk of the market be instructed to make a return of the amount and value of all articles given to the poor House, to the Treasurer of the City, whose duty it shall be to keep an account of the same. Concurred in.

The Mayor was authorized to draw warrants as follows, in favor of

S. Melville, for sharpening tools, &c.	$9 19
For Clerk hire, for the Month Dec.	52,68
Concurred in by C. C.	
A Bill of H. Nixon, for recording ordinances, amounting to	$31,50
was referred to com: on claims and accounts, and con. in by C. C.	
A Bill of Mr. Forrester, for paving &c., amounting to.	$36,69
Was referred to Com. on Streets and con. in by C. C.	
A Bill of Geo. L. McIntyre, for paving &c., amounting to	$156,25

was read, and Mayor authorized to draw his warrant for amount; non-concurred in by C. C. But referred to com. on streets, which was con. in by S. C.

COMMON COUNCIL.

RECEPTION OF KOSSUTH.

A communication from Hon. J. B. Guthrie, Mayor of Pittsburgh, requesting Councils to take some action in relation to the arrival of Kossuth, the Governor of Hungary, and the following resolutions by Mr. Wickersham were read, and adopted unanimously, and concurred in by S. C.

Resolved, That the Select and Common Councils, of the city of Allegheny, hereby invite Louis Kossuth to visit the City of Allegheny, and we extend to him the hand of friendship for his untiring devotion in the cause of civil and religious liberty in Europe.

Resolved, That a Committee of five members of the councils, of two from the Select and three from the Common be appointed to act in conjunction with a similar committee of Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, for the making all the necessary arrangement for the reception of the Patriot and Statesman, Louis Kossuth, Gov. of Hungary, to the Cities of Allegheny and Pittsburgh.

Committee of S. C., Painter and Dalzell; of C. C., Riddle, Wickersham, and Eggers.

The Mayor was authorized to draw his warrant in favor of the following persons:

A. Fulton, for bell,	$199,20
G. M'Intyre, for sweeping market,	12,50
G. L. M'Intyre, sundries,	1,00
John M'Kee, for curb and setting,	587,62

Concurred in by S. C.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be instructed to make a draft of a Law to be forwarded to Harrisburgh which will facilitate the collections for grading and paving. Adopted and concurred in by S. C.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils, be and are hereby instructed to furnish the City Solicitor with a copy of all the proceedings of Councils in reference to the locality and opening of Ridge St. Adopted and concurred in by S. C.

The resolution adopted at the last meeting authorizing the Street Committee to M'Adamize the head of Federal Street, &c. was this evening concurred in by S. C.

The resolution relative to opening Tremont street, adopted at last meeting, coming up by striking out all after expense to the city, by S. C. Dec. 18, 1851, C. C. adhere, Jan. 1, 1852, S. C. adhere Jan. 1, C. C. ask a com. of conference. In S. C. non concurred in.

RECEPTION OF KOSSUTH.—Our readers will find below, a list of the various committees appointed with reference to the reception of Kossuth.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Hon J B Guthrie, Hon H S Fleming, Col S W Black, John Morrison, Gen Wm Larimer, E D Gazzam, Col J B Sewell, T Umbstaetter, Col F W Kay, Lecky Harper, D N White, Col J H Forster, H D Mueller, Jr., Backofen, Allen Kramer, Alex Holstein, Col Jas. Bahl, L Wilmarth, Dr Wernsberg, C G Loomis, Dr S Dilworth, H Nixon, Hon W W Irwin, Dr John Dixon, W W Dallas, Alex M Watson, Charles Kent, Hon C Naylor, Wm J Rose, David Campbell, David M'Clelland, Samuel Frew.

☞ Meet this Evening, at 7 o'clock, at Col. Bahl's, on Water Street.

COMMITTEE OF RECEPTION.

Hon. W. W. Irwin, Hon. M. Hampton, Dr. T. F. Dale, Gen. W. Robinson, S. Voorhis, Esq., Hon. W. Forward, Dr. H. D. Sellers, Wm. A. Irvin, Wm. Coleman, James Nutt, John J Bogen, Col S W Black, Gen Wm Larimer, E D Gazzam, Col J H Sewell, T Umbstaetter, D N White, H F Mueller, Alex Holstein, W W Dallas, Wm J Rose, Samuel Frew.

☞ Meet this evening at Col Bahl's.

Orator of the day—Col SAMUEL W. BLACK.

FINANCE COMMITTEE..

Wm Larimer Jr, M Jones, E D Gazzam, W W Irwin, W A Irvin, L. Bahl, John Morrison.

COLLECTING COMMITTEE.

Pittsburgh—1st Ward, F G Kay, J B McFadden, B Singerly, Alex Hay.
2d Ward—J M Crossan, D R Miller, A P Anshutz, C H Paulson.
3d Ward—John Shipton, H Demler, T M Marshall.
4th Ward—R E McGowin, W W Wallace.
5th Ward—P McCormick, J G Kay, J P Glass.
6th Ward—Joshua Hanna, Robert Curling, Henry Reis.
7th Ward—Charles Kent, K T Friend, W M Arthurs, Wm J Rose.
8th Ward—Conrad Dyerman, John Coyle.
9th Ward—T A Bowley, Nicholas Grass.
1st Ward, Allegheny—A Woodhouse, John Alexander, Wm Charleton.
2d Ward—Geo R Riddle, R H Davis.
3d Ward—Aug. Hartje, Thos. Farley.
4th Ward—Harrison Foster, A Wilkins.
Manchester—T D W White, Valentine Short.
Duquesne—H M'Cormick, Wm. E Stevenson.
South Pittsburgh—Thos Blackmore, John D Miller.
Birmingham—M Lieb, Dr. Hageman.
Reserve Tp.—Robt. R. Kerr.
Treasurer—Gen Wm Larimer, Jr.

☞ ORPHAN'S COURT.—The Orphan's Court was in session on Saturday, but no business of general importance was transacted.

SEVENTH WARD NOMINATIONS.—At a meeting of the Whigs and Anti-Masons of the Seventh Ward, held on Saturday night, James S. Moorehead was nominated for the Select Council.

Messrs. Wm. C. Friend and Joseph Barnett were nominated for Common Council.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—We learn that some burglars attempted to break into the house of Allen Kramer, Esq., last week, but made so much noise as to alarm the inmates, when the ruffians at once fled.

RECEPTION OF KOSSUTH

MEETING OF THE PITTSBURGH COUNCILS.

SELECT COUNCIL.

Jan. 3: Council met, pursuant to a call by the President, (at the request of Messrs. Bruce, Kier, Rinehart, Kennedy, Day and Wilson,) to take action relative to the expected visit of Governor Kossuth, to the city. Present, Messrs. Bruce, Gallagher, Hill, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Kent, Kier, Wilson and Murray, President. The reading of the minutes being dispensed with, Mr. Kent offered the following resolution, which was read thrice and unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Presidents of Councils be authorized to appoint a joint committee of five from the Select and seven from Common Council, to tender the hospitalities of the city of Pittsburgh to the Governor of Hungary, Louis Kossuth—and that the Presidents of Councils act as part of that committee.

The clerk of Common Council presented a series of resolutions on the same subject, which had passed that branch. On motion, the action of the Common Council thereon was non-concurred in, and the resolutions laid on the table.

The clerk of Common Council informed the Select Council that Common Council had nonconcurred with their action upon Mr. Kent's resolution—and appointed Messrs. Biddle, Bissel and Gribben a committee of conference; and Messrs. Kent, Bruce and Jones, were appointed on behalf of this body; who, after retiring, reported that they had agreed upon the resolutions of Common Council, (with amendments as to the number of the committe,) which they reported as follows, and which were unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh, recognize in Louis Kossuth, late Governor of Hungary, a man of incomparable genius, a champion of freedom, who has made noble efforts and great sacrifices in behalf of popular liberty.

Resolved, That the subjugation of Hungary by the bayonets of Russia, an aiian despotism backed by the treachery of the baser Gorgey, finds no justification in the laws of nations, was an outrage upon freedom and the rights of humanity, and deserves the execration of mankind.

Resolved, That the conduct of the Sublime Porte in affording an asylum to the Master Spirit of the Hungarian revolution, and in resisting the demand of Austria and Russia for the surrender of the person of Kossuth,—a refusal made at the instance and by the advice of Great Britain and the United States concurrently—Commands the highest admiration of the Councils and presents to the world a rare example of firmness, courage, and generosity.

Resolved, That in view of the magnanimous conduct of the Porte these councils contemplate without regret the obligation our Government has assumed through this interposition, to sustain Turkey against any and all aggressions from Austria and Russia, arising directly or resulting indirectly from the refusal of the Divan to surrender Kossuth.

Resolved, That the Select and Common Councils of Pittsburgh, having heard with the highest feelings of gratification that the distinguished Hungarian proposes to visit Pittsburgh, a Committee of five members of the Select, and seven members of the Common Council be appointed by the chair, to bid the illustrious exile welcome, and in behalf of councils, and to assure Kossuth of their sincere and profound regard for his person and his cause, their admiration of his rare abilities, the purity of his life, the integrity of his purpose, their deep sympathy with his sacrifice and service—and, above, all, their earnest aspirations for the bright future of Hungary, as the crowning glory of Kossuth, and the opening of a new era to Freedom and constitutional liberty in Europe.

Resolved, That the Presidents of Councils be added to the committee.

After appointing Messrs. Kent, Bruce, Jones, Kennedy, Wilson and Murray, President, on behalf of this body—Select Council adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Jan. 3: Council met, pursuant to a call by the President, (at the request of Messrs. Friend, Lowry, Young, Holstein, McFarland, Pollock, Garrison, McCartney, T. Scott and Wrighter,) to take action relative to the expected visit of Governor Kossuth to the city. Present, Messrs. Bissell, Black, Cordell, Cunningham, Drum, Garrison, Gribben, Harper, Holstein, McFarland, Wilson, Wrighter and Young. In the absence of the President, Mr. Harper was called to the chair, the reading of the minutes dispensed with, and (on motion of Mr. Black,) the following resolution unanimously agreed to:

Resolved, That the members of this Council, in behalf of the citizens of Pittsburgh, return a vote of thanks to Robert McKnight, Esq., President of, that body, for the very efficient and honorable manner with which he has supported the office he has filled, and for the watchful care he has manifested for the interests of our city.

Mr. Riddle offered a series of resolutions, relative to the expected visit of Louis Kossuth, which were unanimously agreed to.

A resolution on the same subject, from Select Council, was non-concurred in.

On being informed that Select Council had non-concurred in the action of this body, on Mr. Riddle's resolutions, a committee of conference was appointed, which (after conferring with a committee from that branch,) reported the resolutions with slight amendments: they were unanimously adopted, and Messrs. Riddle, Bissell, Cunningham, Gribben, Holstein, Wilson, Wrighter and McKnight, President, appointed on the committee. (See select Council proceedings.)

Adjourned.

FOURTH WARD HOSE CO.—At a meeting of the Ben Franklin Hose company, held on the 1st inst., the following named persons were chosen to serve as officers for the ensuing year:

President—E. McClure.
Vice President—John Haffey.
Secretary—Thomas Smith.
Assistant Secretary—James M. Smith.
Treasurer—R. E. McGowin.
Captain—David Jefferies.
Lieutenants—1st, George Delivan; 2d, Henry Curts.
Engineers—1st John Haffey; 2d, Andrew Edson.

Hose Directors—1st, John Nettler; 2d, John Ford; 3d, John Bennett; 4th, Benj. Ford.

Axemen—J. Miller, David Rees, and John Cox.

Plug Guards—Thomas Rees, and D. J. Richards.

On motion it was resolved that the thanks of the company be tendered to the Neptune Fire Company, for the use of their Hall.

☞ If you have a tightness in the chest, from Asthma, Colds or Coughs, bathe and rub it well before the fire with H. G. Farrell's Arabian Liniment, and it will greatly relieve you in a few minutes. The same for rheumatism, pains of any description, nervous diseases, headache, chilblains, paralysis, stiff joints, sore toes, swellings, &c. [See advertisement.]

Petroleum!

☞ A MOST REMARKABLE CASE OF TOTAL BLINDNESS CURED BY PETROLEUM.—We invite the attention of the afflicted and the public generally, to the certificate of Wm. Hall, of this city. The case may be seen by any person who may be skeptical in relation to the facts here set forth.

"I had been afflicted several years with a soreness of both eyes, which continued to increase until September, 1850, the inflammation at that time having involved the whole lining membrane of both eyes, and ended in the deposite of a thick film, which wholly destroyed my sight. I had an operation performed, and the thickening removed, which soon returned and left me in as bad a condition as before. At this stage of the complaint I made application to several of the most eminent medical men, who informed me that 'my eyes would never get well.' At this time I could not distinguish any object. By the advice of some friends I commenced the use of the Petroleum, both internally and locally, under which my eyes have improved daily until the present time, and I have recovered my sight entirely. My general health was very much improved by the Petroleum, and I attribute the restoration of my sight to its use. I reside at No. 102 Second street, in this city, and will be happy to give any information in relation to my case.

WILLIAM HALL."

For sale by Kepner & McDowell, 140 Wood street; R. E. Sellers, 57 Wood street; B. A. Fahnestock, & Co., corner Wood and Front streets; D. M. Curry, D. A. Elliott, Joseph Douglass, and H. P Schwartz, Allegheny; also by the proprietor, S. M. KIER.
Canal Basin, Seventh st., Pittsburgh

New Factory for Sale.

THE Building is forty-six by sixty-five feet; front building two stories high, containing an engine of 12 horse power, one nail hammer, one grind stone wind fan, and a variety of polishing machinery, blacksmith shop, &c. The above property is all new, well adapted to a small manufacturing business, and of easy access to Pittsburgh. For particulars apply to

ROBERT M. PARKS, Druggist,
Borough of Manchester.

Illustrated Gift Books for 1852

CALL AND SEE THEM—Price low, and a few very rich and beautiful books some what damaged by steam or water in the Express Car that was burned a few days ago.

Harte's Female Prose Writers of America. Thy. & mus. st. 8vo.
Topper, quarto and 12mo.
Bourns' Poems, quarto.
Campbell's Poems, quarto and 12mo.
Edith May.
Cabinet of Modern Art, 1st and 2d series.
Proverbialists and Poet.
Leaflets of Memory.
Friendship's Offering, 1852.
Snow Flake.
Christmas Blossome
Tribute.
Woodbine.
Broken Bracelet;
Scenes in Life of the Savior;
Women of the O. & N. Test.
Treasured Thoughts;
Bethune's Poems.
Rosemary.
Select Quotations;
Watson's "
Weld's "
Scenes in Lives of Apostles;
Floral Keepsake;
Souvenir Gallery and Illustrated Gift Book.
The Place, 78 Fourth street, Apollo Building.
dec30 J. L. READ.

MAGAZINES AND ANNUALS, rec'd at HOLMES' Literary Depot, Third street, opposite the Post Office.

Godey's Lady's Book, for January.
Parlam's Magazine, for January.
The Tutor's Ward; a Novel.
GIFT BOOKS—The stock consists of all the Annuals issued for 1852, which will be sold at the lowest eastern prices.

Nile Boat, a beautiful book:
American Female Poets:
" British "
Star of Bethlehem:
Scenes in Lives of Patriarchs:
The Women of the Scriptures:
American Painters:
Birds and Blossoms:
Ladies' Gift, 1852.
Garland:
Ladies' Illustrated Keepsake:
Pathways and Abiding Places of our Lord:
Drawing Room Scrap Book:
Our Savior with the Prophets and Apostles, quarto:
The Place, 78 Fourth street, Apollo Building.
dec30 J. L. READ.

BY TELEGRAPH.

RECEIVED BY THE O'REILLY TELEGRAPH LINE, AND REPORTED FOR THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP

FRANKLIN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3

The steamer Franklin, from Havre and Southampton, with dates to the 22d ult., arrived at 3 o'clock this afternoon. She sailed from Cowes at 4 P. M., on the evening of the 22d, and brings fifty passengers.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Dec. 21st.

The voting continued un'il 9 o'clock last evening, up to which time upwards of 100,000 votes were polled. The weather was favorable, and all passed off in perfect tranquility.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 22

Cotton—The sales on Saturday, the 20th, were 5,000 bales. The market was steady, and prices unchanged. 500 bales American, and 500 bales Surat were taken on speculation.

Breadstuffs—There was rather more business doing, but without any quotable change in prices.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, Jan 3, 1851.

SENATE.—In the Senate yesterday, Mr. Clarke gave notice of a joint resolution which he intended to introduce, declaratory of the principles of the U. States Government upon the doctrine of international relations with other nations; and re-affirming the known settled policy of our country.

A message from the President asking for an immediate appropriation to meet the next installment of the Mexican indemnity, which was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Bradbury of the Judiciary Committee, reported back the bill giving further remedies to Patentees.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bill to amend the acts establishing the territorial government of New Mexico, by providing for an increase of the salary of Judges; and on motion to refer it, no quorum voting, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—In the House the Kossuth resolution was under debate in committee of the whole up to a late hour, and the committee arising, the House adjourned until Monday.

MOVEMENTS OF KOSSUTH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3

Yesterday,—Gov. Kossuth, after visiting the President proceeded to the residence of Mr. Seward, when he dismissed his carriage, and after spending a social hour returned to his hotel, in company with Mr. Seward, on foot.

This morning, Mr. Seward presented Kossuth with a letter from citizens of Syracuse, expressing sympathy with him and his cause, and inviting him to visit that city. Also a letter from Auburn, extending a like invitation.

Kossuth received no calls to-day, but spent the time in visiting several distinguished persons, among whom were the Post Master General, Secretar Corwin, the Speaker of the House and Gen. Scott, and several Senators.

The subscribers to the Kossuth Banquet had a meeting to-day, and reported a committee to confer with the committee of the House on the same subject, to complete the arrangements.

Mr Ewing was delegated to tender the banquet to Kossuth, and to ascertain when he could attend.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3

The Rt Rev Dr Creighton, Bishop elect of the Diocese of New York, published a letter today declining the acceptance of the office. The chief reason assigned is the differences existing between portions of the Church.

THE RIVER

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3

The river has risen five feet since last evening, and is now full of floating ice. The cakes are five inches thick.

RIVER ITEMS

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3

The Missouri river is open to Booneville—The Mississippi and Illinois are still closed.—The weather is mild to day. The ice is still floating, but not enough to impede navigation. We look for six or eight boats to-night from below. The river is falling slowly.

The steamer Julia Dean was sunk on Thursday last at the landing. She was insured at Cincinnati for $2,750.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3

Cotton—Sales 600 bales at yesterday's quotations.

Flour—Sales 5,000 bbls at $4,43@4,56½ for State, and $4,56@4,62 for Ohio.

Provisions—Sales 200 bbls Mess Pork at $14,87½ for Old, and $15,12½ for New. Sales of Beef have been limited. Sales 150 bbls Lard at 6½ per lb.

Groceries—Sales 250 bags Rio Coffee at 5½ per lb. Sales 250 pieces Rice at $3,50 per 100.

Turpentine—Sales 1200 bbls at $3,62½@3,68 per bbl.

Whiskey—The market is steady at 21½@22c per gallon.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3

Flour—Sales 1200 bbls at $3 per bbl.

Whiskey—Sales at 14½c per gallon.

Hogs—Sales of 800 head at $1,80@1,90 per 100.

Provisions—Sales 200 kegs No. 1 Lard at 7½c per lb. Sales 60,000 lbs Bulk Pork at, Shoulders 5½, Sides 6½c per lb.

Groceries—The market is active, but without change.

Freights—To New Orleans, Whiskey 90c; Pork 75: Flour 50c per bbl Pound Freights, 30c. To Pittsburgh, Whiskey, 40c per bbl: pound freights 15c per 100.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

St. LOUIS, Jan. 3.

Business is reviving a little.

Provisions—Sales 1700 Shoulders and 700 ribbed Sides at 5½@6c per lb.

Hogs—The only transactions yesterday were 920 head, at $3,45 per 100, round. The regular quotations are $4,70@4,75 per 100.

Grain—The levee is bare of Grain, and very little has been doing. Sales at the Exchange to-day were 1500 bu at 80c. The receipts today were 4,700 bu from St. Louis.

Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company.

CAPITAL, $100,000.

OFFICE, NO. 75 FOURTH STREET.

OFFICERS:

President—JAMES M. COOPER.
Vice President—SAMUEL MCCLURKAN.
Treasurer—ROBERT S. LEECH.
Secretary—C. A. CULTON.

See advertisement in another part of this paper. dec27

Citizen's Insurance Company of Pittsburgh

ENCOURAGE HOME INSTITUTIONS

Office No 81 Water street, in the warehouse of H. D. GILPIN.

C. G. HUSSEY, President.——A. W. MARKS, Sec'y.

This Company is now prepared to insure all merchandize in store, and in transitu, to any point.

An ample guaranty for the ability and integrity of the Institution, is afforded by the names of the Directors, who are all citizens of Pittsburgh, well and favorably known in the community for their prudence, intelligence, and integrity.

DIRECTORS—C. G. Hussey, H. D. Gilpin, Blackley, Wm. Lampier, jr., Walter Bryant, Hugh D. Ayres, Edward Heazlett, John Haworth, S. Herbaugh, S. M. Kier. apr30

Olive and Green Satinetts.

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD have received by express a few pieces of fine colored Satinetts, well adapted for boys' wear. Also, fancy mixed doe; and a full assortment of black, dark and mixed, &c.

Also, Tweeds and Jeans in great variety; printed and plain Cloths, for boys' wear. Also, Vests, Cashmere, French Merino, and all wool plaids, of various kinds.

Buyers are invited to call with us when making purchases, as we are confident we can please them in quality and price. MURPHY & BURCHFIELD,
No. 75 Fourth st., Apollo Building.

New Goods for the Holidays,

AT HOLMES' Literary Depot, No. 74 Third Street, opposite the Post Office. The Establishment of all the Annuals issued for 1852, at prices ranging from $1 to $5.

The Women of Early Christianity, a series of portraits, with appropriate Descriptions by American Clergymen, with 25 original engravings, bound in fine Turkish morocco, gilt.

The Souvenir Gallery, a gift book for all seasons, with 13 beautifully finished engravings by the first artists.

The Land of Bondage, being the Journal of a Tour in Egypt, by J. M. Walsworth, D. D., with 25 fine steel engravings.

The Keepsake, a gift book, with 35 illustrations;
The Iris, an illustrated souvenir, with 12 colored plates;
Leaflets of Memory, a beautiful annual, with 10 plates;
The Brilliant, a gift book, with 18 illustrations.
Cabinet of Modern Art, with 28 magnificent plates.
Gems of Beauty, a literary gift, 8 fine illustrations.
Book of the Seasons, a souvenir, 10 do.
The Talisman, a gift of friendship, 15 do.
Sacred Annuals, a gift book for all seasons, illustrated
Christmas Guest, by Martin J. Spalding, 12 illustrations.
Child's Friend and Family Annual.
The Flowers of Loveliness, with 10 illustrations.
The Family Circle and Parlor Annual.
Sacred Poesies, or the Harp of the Bible.
The Sacred Tableaux, a Remarkable History in the Bible.

Together with all the popular Juvenile Books, for the Holidays—from beautiful gift books for the holidays, to the cheapest publication.

Fine illustrated editions of Shakspeare and Byron, in one volume.

Fine illustrated editions of Tupper's Proverbial Philosophy, Tupper's Wonderworth's, Hemans', and Kirk White's Poetical Works, &c. Latin Books, &c.

Also, a large assortment of Holiday Gift Books for CHILDREN. dec25

Oil Cloths!

ALBRO & HOYT, Nos. 72 and 74 John st., NEW YORK, manufacturers and dealers in OIL CLOTHS, exclusively. At their Factories are turned out (under a patent process) *PATENT FLOOR CLOTHS*, which, for beauty of design and elegance of finish, surpass anything of the kind hitherto produced in this country or in Europe, and for which they have received a premium at the World's Fair.

At their warerooms in New York can be found a large and complete assortment of Heavy, Medium, and Thin FLOOR CLOTHS, from 4 to 24 feet wide.

Also, *Table, Furniture, and Carriage OIL CLOTHS.* dec18-6m

CASTOR OIL—36 bbls. for sale by
dec13 J. KIDD & CO.

GUYSOTT'S Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla—1 gross for sale by
J. KIDD & CO.

STEAM BOATS.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.—The splendid new steamer AMERICA, Capt. W. J. McAllister, will leave for New Orleans on Wednesday next, the 7th inst., at 10 o'clock. For freight or passage apply on board.

FOR CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE—The splendid new steamer CLARION No. 2, Capt. Moore, will leave for above and intermediate ports on Tuesday at 4 P. M. For freight or passage apply on board, or to
J. NEWTON JONES, Agent.

FOR NASHVILLE—The fine steamer TUSCARORA will leave, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on Wednesday, at 4 o'clock P. M.
For freight or passage apply on board.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.—The splendid new steamer SUSQUEHANNA, Capt. Wheeler, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on Saturday, Jan 3d
For freight or passage apply on board or to
KIMBER & CO., 62 Water st.

REGULAR PITTSBURGH and WELLSVILLE PACKET.—The splendid new packet steamer FOREST CITY, A. ARMSTRONG, master, leaves Pittsburgh for Wellsville every day, (excepting Sunday) at 10 o'clock, A. M., and returning, leaves Wellsville every day at 6 o'clock, P. M. The Forest City runs in connection with the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad line.
For freight or passage, having superior accommodations apply on board, or to
A. HARTON, Monongahela House.
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REGULAR PITTSBURGH AND WHEELING PACKET.—The splendid new packet steamer DIURNAL, Conwell, master, will now perform her regular tri-weekly trips between this city and Wheeling, leaving Pittsburgh at 10 o'clock every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and returning, leave Wheeling every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10 o'clock each.
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