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N. B.—It will pay to give us a call. ja14

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Elegant Broche Shawls.
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Pretty 25 and 37 cent Delaines.
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$1.35 for best Fancy Cassimeres.
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Balance of Cloaks and Broche and Blanket Shawls selling at less than cost!
Rich Fancy Silks very cheap.
Best makes of Black Silk, &c.
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We would respectfully invite the trade to an examination of our stock, which will embrace a full and complete assortment of
FOREIGN DRESS AND STUFF GOODS,
Together with the various products of the
PACIFIC MILLS,
ALSO
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We also have the exclusive Agency for this Market of JAMES BLACK & CO.'S CELEBRATED PRINTINGS, in addition to which, we would call your attention to a complete assortment of
GOODS SUITED TO MEN'S WEAR,
Including the various grades of
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222 CHESTNUT STREET,
IMPORTERS,
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
IN
CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
DOESKINS, AND
SATINETS.
SPRING AND
SUMMER COATINGS,
MANTELETS,
PANTALOON STUFFS,
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CLOTH STORE,
NOS. 4 AND 6 NORTH SECOND STREET.
OVERCOATINGS,
CHINCHILLA, NOSKOWA, FROSTED, AND PLAIN BEAVERS,
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
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Our facilities enable us to fill promptly the largest orders.
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HART, MONTGOMERY, & CO.,
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Will sell out, through this winter and next spring, their large stock of
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Consisting of every variety connected with the business,
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
FINE FRENCH PAPERS AT 30 PER CENT. BELOW COST.
Persons wanting their Houses Papered, can get great
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BERTHAS,
CAPES, SETS,
SLEEVES, and CUFFS,
In Real Lace, Crape, Illusion,
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in great varieties, of the
NEWEST STYLES.
ALSO,
4-4, 6-4, 8-4, 9-4, 10-4 ILLUSION,
TABLATANS, CRAPES, &c.,
Much below the usual prices.
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Machines, with Operators, on hire to Private Families.
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The most complete assortment of articles in our line of business, such as Harness, Ladies' and Gents' Saddles, Riding Saddles, Bridles, Driving and Riding Whips, Fly Nets, Horse Covers for Summer and Winter use. Buffalo and all other kinds of robes.
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Attention is asked to the following scale of prices:
Good plain serviceable single harness from ..$12 to $22
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Country harness makers can be supplied with harness cheaper than their own manufacture them.
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ESTABLISHED 1760.
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SMOKING. FINE CUT CHEWING. SMOKING.
No. 1, P. A. Lev, or plain, St. Jago,
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☞ DE LEON keeps none but the very best on hand. A single trial will convince you of that fact. ja26-1m

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1860. 1860.
AMERICAN WOOLLENS.
FANCY CASSIMERES,
NEW SPRING STYLES.
CASHMARETS,
ALL COLORS AND QUALITIES.
BLACK DOESKINS,
FINE TO SUPER.
KENTUCKY JEANS,
ALL-WOOL FILLING.
SATINETS,
PRINTED, PLAIN, AND MIXTURES.
COTTON WARP CLOTHS,
ALL GRADES AND COLORS.
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FOR SALE BY THE AGENTS,
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DE COURSEY,
LAFOURCADE, & CO.,
HAVE REMOVED TO
NO. 631 CHESTNUT STREET,
JAYNE'S HALL,
WHERE THEY ARE NOW RECEIVING
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OF
MEN AND BOYS' WEAR,
To which they invite the attention of dealers in such goods. ja31-1mo

MERRIMACK PRINTS,
A FULL LINE,
ALL NEW STYLES,
OPEN THIS DAY
BY
JOSHUA L. BAILY,
(IMPORTER AND JOBBER,)
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PHILADELPHIA.
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These excellent GOODS will be offered for sale for the
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In our country, where such great progress has been made in general education, it is but natural that a knowledge of the common legal principles should be extensively acquired. Among men of business, especially, it is not singular that an acquaintance with those principles of law which govern the every-day transactions of trade, should be almost universally possessed, and we see, without surprise, the daily manifestation of a wish on the part of the people *to know still more of those laws* which must regulate their conduct and determine their rights. As a general thing, this wish is not difficult to realize, as commercial law, especially, is substantially nothing more than the actual practice of the business community, expressed in rules and invested with authority. And as business is everywhere nearly the same, so a great similarity exists in commercial law throughout the world.

These facts, when fairly understood, readily account for the great interest felt by business men in every important trial which tends to change commercial law, or to impair their confidence in their knowledge of it, and the correctness of their business customs and usages. Hence it is that no event of recent occurrence has occasioned more surprise in the mercantile community than the result of the lawsuit of WHITE, STEVENS, & Co. *versus* S. & W. WELSH, lately tried in the Court of Nisi Prius, before Judge STRONG. At first much blame was attached to the jury who rendered the verdict, but, when rightly understood, it appeared that no responsibility for the verdict could be imputed to them. The judge directed them peremptorily to find for the defendants.

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