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SPRING. 1860.
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Have now in store, and are constantly receiving a full assortment of New and Desirable
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WHERE THEY ARE NOW RECEIVING
THEIR SPRING IMPORTATIONS
OF
MEN AND BOYS' WEAR,
To which they invite the attention of dealers in such goods. ja31-1mo

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Would invite the attention of buyers to their large Stock of FANCY CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, and different makes of FOREIGN CLOTHS and DOESKINS, in Blacks and Colors; and offer the exclusive sale in Philadelphia of HILGER'S celebrated make of Cloths and Doeskins; also, Le Favorite Sewings, (warranted 16 oz. to the pound,) and MACHINE TWIST in all colors. fe3-3m

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IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
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PHILADELPHIA.
fe3-3m

SPRING GOODS.
BARCROFT & CO.,
NOS. 405 AND 407 MARKET STREET,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS
OF
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS.
Stock now complete and ready for buyers. fe3-6w

SPRING, 1860.
BENJAMIN V. MARSH, HENRY HENDERSON,
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DRY GOODS
AND
CLOTHING.
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IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS
IN
DRY GOODS,
No. 311 MARKET STREET,
Above Third,
Charles Wurts,
Henry Austie,
Hamilton T. McVeigh, PHILADELPHIA.
John S. Warner,
Joseph Burnin. fe2 3m

FITHIAN, JONES, & CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS.
No. 240 MARKET STREET.
NEW GOODS receiving every day for CITY AND NEAR TRADE. fe2-3m

PAPER HANGINGS, &c.

1860. SPRING STYLES, 1860.
OF
WALL PAPERS.
HOWELL & BOURKE,
Manufacturers and Importers
OF
PAPER HANGINGS.
No. 17 South FOURTH Street, below Market,
Offer unusual facilities to Southern and Western buyers, a splendid stock of goods to select from, and all of the newest and best designs. WINDOW CURTAIN PAPERS in endless variety. fe21-3m

TO CLOSE BUSINESS.
HART, MONTGOMERY, & CO.,
NO. 522 CHESTNUT STREET,
Will sell out, through this winter and next spring, their large stock of
PAPER HANGINGS,
consisting of every variety connected with the business,
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
INE FRENCH PAPERS AT 50 PER CENT. BELOW COST.
Persons wanting their Houses Papered, can get great
BARGAINS. ja18-tf

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MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE
DEALERS IN
CITY AND EASTERN-MADE
BOOTS AND SHOES,
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BOOT AND SHOE WAREHOUSE
AND
MANUFACTORY,
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We have now on hand an extensive stock of BOOTS and SHOES, of every description, of
OUR OWN AND EASTERN MANUFACTURE,
to which we invite the attention of Southern and Western buyers. fe3-3m

DRIVY WELLS CLEANED AT A LOW Price, to obtain the contents. Address WILLIAM SIMSON, Contents Office, fe3-1m* No. 114 North SECOND Street.

DRY-GOODS JOBBERS.

SPRING TRADE. 1860.
DALE, ROSS, & WITHERS,
521 MARKET, AND 518 COMMERCE ST.,
PHILADELPHIA,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS
OF
SILK & FANCY GOODS,
Have now a complete stock, to which they invite the attention of buyers. fe10-1m

McCLINTOCK, GRANT, & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS,
AND
TAILORS' TRIMMINGS,
No. 323 MARKET STREET, (Up Stairs,)
Are now opening their Spring Stock, to which they invite the attention of the trade. fe3-3m

J. W. GIBBS & SONS,
No. 691 MARKET STREET,
Are now opening their
SPRING STOCK OF GOODS
Adapted to
MEN'S WEAR,
In which will be found a full assortment of
CLOTHS, DOESKINS, VESTINGS, TRIMMINGS, &c.
fe2-3m

C. SOMERS & SON,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS,
TAILORS' TRIMMINGS, &c.,
No. 32 SOUTH FOURTH STREET,
(Between Market and Chestnut Streets,)
PHILADELPHIA. fe3-1m
WILLIAM H. SOMERS CHARLES SOMERS.

A. W. LITTLE & CO.,
SILK GOODS,
No. 825 MARKET STREET.
fe3-3m

A SUPERB ASSORTMENT.
LINEN GOODS,
OF MY OWN IMPORTATION,
NOW OPENING,
AND FOR SALE BY
JOSHUA L. BAILY,
IMPORTER AND JOBBER,
213 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA.
fe13-tf

MERRIMACK PRINTS.
TWENTY NEW STYLES
THIS DAY, FEBRUARY 13TH,
FOR SALE BY
JOSHUA L. BAILY,
NO. 213 MARKET STREET,
fe13-tf PHILADELPHIA.

CANTON FLANNELS,
SNOW SHOE,
AMOSKEAG,
KENNEBEC,
DORCAS,
Bleached, Unbleached, and Colored
CANTON FLANNELS,
BY THE PIECE OR CASE.
JOSHUA L. BAILY,
213 MARKET STREET,
fe13-tf PHILADELPHIA.

SHAW & BROTHER
HAVE REMOVED TO
NO. 503 MARKET STREET,
Where they have on hand a complete assortment of
CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c.,
Suitable for the
SPRING SEASON,
To which they invite the attention of buyers. fe14-1m

M. L. HALLOWELL & CO
PHILADELPHIA,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF
SILKS
AND
FANCY DRY GOODS,
INCLUDING
FANCY DRESS FABRICS in every variety.
BLACK & Fancy DRESS SILKS of all descriptions.
RIBBONS, GLOVES, CRAVATS, MITTS, HDKFS, SHAWLS, MANTILLAS, LACES.
EMBROIDERIES, WHITE GOODS, &c., &c.,
Have now open for the
SPRING OF 1860
Their assortment of the above GOODS, purchased by their Buyers,
DIRECTLY FROM THE MANUFACTURERS, IN THE VARIOUS EUROPEAN MARKETS,
Which they believe is unsurpassed in variety and cheapness by
ANY JOBBING HOUSE IN THE UNION.
Their stock of
DRESS GOODS
includes an immense variety of fabrics, embracing the
LATEST PARIS NOVELTIES.
TERMS:
SIX MONTHS' CREDIT to merchants of undoubted standing, or
SIX PER CENT. Discount for Cash in ten days.
TWELVE PER CENT. per Annum, discount for advance payments.
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SITER, VAN OULIN, & GLASS,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
HOSIERY,
GLOVES, FANCY GOODS, &c.,
fe3-fmwim No. 498 MARKET STREET.

1860. SPRING. 1860.
SIBLEY, MOLTEN, & WOODRUFF,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS
OF
SILK
AND
FANCY GOODS,
NO. 551 MARKET STREET,
PHILADELPHIA,
Are now prepared to offer buyers, generally, a very large and desirable Stock of Goods, replenished by the arrival of every Steamer from Europe. fe15-fmwim

SMITH, WILLIAMS & CO.,
Nos. 513 MARKET and 510 COMMERCE STS.,
Have now in store, and are daily receiving additions to, one of the LARGEST and most
COMPLETE ASSORTMENTS
OF
AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN FABRICS
to be found in any house in the country.
We have many styles of Staple Goods specially adapted to the
SOUTHERN TRADE,
Manufactured for, and confined exclusively to, ourselves. fe11-fmwim

MILLINERY GOODS.

1860. SPRING STOCK ARRANGED. 1860.
One of the largest and most complete stocks of goods in our line in this country. The best terms and the cheapest prices.
C. H. GARDEN & CO.,
Manufacturers of, and Wholesale Dealers in,
HATS, CAPS, FURS,
SILK and STRAW BONNETS, and STRAW GOODS,
ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, FEATHERS, RUCHES, &c.,
Nos. 600 and 602 MARKET STREET, S. W. corner Sixth. fe7-3m

SPRING OF 1860.
MARTINS,
PEDDLE,
HAMRICK, & CO.,
No. 30 NORTH FOURTH STREET,
Have now in store, and are daily receiving, complete lines of the following desirable goods, viz.:
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
SHIRTS AND SHIRT FRONTS,
PARIS AND CANTON FANS,
SUPERB BELTS,
PARIS COMBS AND BRUSHES,
NOTIONS OF EVERY KIND,
Adapted to Southern and Western Trade, to which we invite the attention of first-class buyers. fe3-3m

1860. STRAW GOODS. 1860.
THOMPSON & JENKINS,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS
OF
STRAW GOODS,
HATS AND CAPS,
SILK BONNETS,
ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS,
RUCHES, &c.
NO. 518 MARKET STREET.
Buyers are requested to examine our stock.
THOMAS F. FRALEY is engaged with the above house, and solicits the patronage of his friends.
fe3-1m

MILLINERY
AND
STRAW GOODS
EXCLUSIVELY.
ROSENHEIM, BROOKS, & CO.,
431 MARKET STREET, NORTH SIDE,
Are now opening, for the Spring Trade, the most extensive and choicest stock in their line ever collected together under one roof.
RIBBONS of every conceivable description.
BONNET MATERIALS.
FRENCH ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS.
RUCHES, and all other millinery articles
STRAW BONNETS IN IMMENSE VARIETY.
CHILDREN'S AND MISSES GOODS, DO.
BLOOMERS, SHAKER HOODS, &c.
Conscious of our superior facilities in obtaining our supplies, we flatter ourselves that superior inducements, both as regards choice of selection and moderation in prices, cannot be met with. fe3-3m

FOR
EVENING PARTIES
BERTHAS,
CAPES, SETS,
SLEEVES, and CUFFS,
In Real Lace, Crape, Illusion,
Blond and Imitation,
in great varieties, of the
NEWEST STYLES.
ALSO,
4-4, 6-4, 8-4, 9-4, 10-4 ILLUSION,
TARLATANS, CRAPES, &c.,
Much below the usual prices.
WARBURTON'S,
1004 CHESTNUT Street, above Tenth Street,
305 South SECOND Street, below Spruce.
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STRAW AND MILLINERY GOODS.
LINCOLN, WOOD, & NICHOLS,
No. 725 CHESTNUT STREET,
(Between Seventh and Eighth,)
Have now in store a
COMPLETE STOCK OF
SPRING GOODS,
EMBRACING
STRAW HATS AND BONNETS,
MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S STRAW GOODS,
FANCY AND CRAPE BONNETS,
FRENCH FLOWERS, RIBBONS, and
MILLINERY GOODS IN GENERAL,
To which they respectfully invite the attention of merchants.
Cash and short-time buyers will find special advantage in examining this stock before purchasing. fe3-3m

J. HILLBORN JONES,
Importer and Manufacturer of
FANCY SILK AND STRAW
BONNETS AND HATS,
ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS,
FEATHERS, RUCHES, &c.
The attention of City and Country Dealers is invited to a large and varied stock of the above goods at
482 MARKET STREET.
fe3-3m Below Fifth.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.
DRUGGISTS,
IMPORTERS, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
DRUGS,
CHEMICALS,
CORKS,
SPONGES,
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN ESSENTIAL OILS, &c.,
And Manufacturers and Sole Proprietors of
B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE,
Nos. 7 and 9 NORTH FIFTH STREET,
East side, a few doors above Market,
fe3-3m PHILADELPHIA

DRUGS, GLASS, PAINTS, &c.
ROBT. SHOEMAKER & CO.
NORTHEAST CORNER
FOURTH AND RACE STREETS,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
Importers and Dealers in WINDOW GLASS, PAINTS, &c., invite the attention of
COUNTRY MERCHANTS
To their large stock of Goods, which they offer at the lowest market rates. oct-tf

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

1860. 1860.
SPRING SHAWLS.
ALEXANDER CLARK,
31 WARREN STREET,
NEW YORK,
AS NOW OPEN, AND OFFERS TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE, on liberal terms, a large and splendid stock of
PRINTED CASHMERE SHAWLS,
STELLA SHAWLS,
IN BROCHE AND PRINTED BORDERS.
Also, the LARGEST STOCK of
WOVE BROCHE BORDERS, IN SETS,
Ever offered in this market.
AS THE ABOVE WERE ALL BOUGHT PERSONALLY, on the most advantageous terms, by the advertiser, he is enabled to offer them at prices that must command the attention of all FIRST-CLASS BUYERS
fe3-1m

AUGUST BELMONT & CO.,
BANKERS,
NEW YORK,
Issue Letters of Credit to Travellers available in
ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD,
THROUGH THE
MESSRS. ROTHSCHILD,
OF
PARIS, LONDON, FRANKFORT, VIENNA, NAPLES, AND THEIR CORRESPONDENTS
ja3 5-6m*

A FACT WORTH KNOWING.—THE only place in the City to get a first-rate genuine Imported Havana Cigar is at DE LEON'S, 41 CHESTNUT, above Fourth, North side.
☞ DE LEON keeps none but the very best on hand. A single trial will convince you of that fact. ja30-1m

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WOLFE & CO.,
WHOLESALE
CARPETING, OIL-CLOTH, AND MATTING
WAREHOUSE,
NO. 162 CHESTNUT STREET,
☞ Agency for Philadelphia Carpet Manufacturers.
fe3-3m

FROTHINGHAM & WELLS,
35 LETITIA STREET, AND 34 SOUTH FRONT STREET.
COTTONADES.
Suitable for both Clothiers and Jobbers, in large variety.
SUMMER COATINGS AND CASSIMERETTS
Made by Washington Mills.
Orders taken for these desirable goods for Spring trade.
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SHIPLEY, HAZARD, & HUTCHINSON,
NO 110 CHESTNUT ST.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
FOR THE SALE OF
PHILADELPHIA-MADE GOODS.
e8-3m

FARRELL & MORRIS.
32 CHESTNUT STREET,
IMPORTERS.
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
DOESKINS, AND
SATINETS.
SPRING AND
SUMMER COATINGS,
MANTLELETS,
PANTALOON STUFFS,
&c., &c.
d17-4m

LITTLE, STOKES, & CO.
NO. 237 CHESTNUT STREET.
FOREIGN
AND
PACIFIC MILLS
DRESS GOODS
BY THE
PACKAGE.
ALSO,
BIOLLEY CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES, AND DOESKINS,
With a general assortment of goods for men's wear,
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SILKS & WOOLLENS!
McILWAINE & BACON.
No. 186 CHESTNUT STREET,
Have, per the latest arrivals, received a large stock of SILKS and WOOLLENS, adapted to the Clothing and Jobbing Trade, among which are the following superior makes of cloths:
C. NELLESSEN (Son of J. M.) Whole and Half Ends.
F. BIOLLEY & SON'S " "
NAMIEST, OR AUSTRIAN " "
SAXONY CLOTHS, of all grades.
Also, 8-4 and 6-4 DOESKINS, CASSIMERES, FANCY do., BIOLLEY'S SILK MIXTURES and TRICOTS, SATIN DE CHINES, BLACK SILK SATINS, COTTON BACK do., BLACK SILK VELVETS, BLACK and FANCY SILK VESTINGS, &c., &c.
All of which are offered for sale on favorable terms.
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CARPETINGS.

M'CALLUM & CO.,
CARPET MANUFACTURERS,
GLEN ECHO MILLS, GERMANTOWN,
Also, Importers and Dealers in
CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
MATTING, RUGS, &C.
WAREHOUSE 609 CHESTNUT ST.,
(Opposite the State House.)
Southern and Western buyers are respectfully invited to call. fe6 3m

CARPETS.
F. A. ELIOT & CO., Nos. 32 and 34 North FRONT Street, are the SOLE AGENTS in Philadelphia for the ROXBURY CARPET COMPANY, and have constantly for sale a full assortment of VELVET and TAPESTRY CARPETS, of choice patterns.
Also, a large supply of the various kinds of CARPETS manufactured in Philadelphia city and county, from nearly all the best manufacturers.
Dealers will find it to their interest to call and examine these goods, which are offered for sale on the most favorable terms.
N.B.—F. A. ELIOT & CO, being the Sole Agents in Philadelphia for the sale of the Worsted and Carpet Yarns spun by the Saxonville Mills (formerly the New England Worsted Company,) and being agents also for the Baldwin, Wilton, and Abbott Companies, have peculiar facilities for keeping constantly for sale the various kinds of Carpets manufactured in Philadelphia, on the most favorable terms. ja17-3m

SHOE FINDINGS.

SHOEMAKERS' GOODS.
I would respectfully invite the attention of
SHOE AND GAITER MANUFACTURERS
To my large and well-selected stock of
SHOE STUFFS.
These goods are, as a general thing, imported by me, direct from the Manufacturers, and I have reason to believe, from my experience in the business and my knowledge of the wants of the Shoe Trade, that I can offer inducements equal to any in the business. My stock consists in part of the following:
Black and Colored Union Lastings.
Black and Colored Satin Francaises.
Black and Colored Cassimere.
Black and Colored Eugenie Cloths.
Colored and Black Union Galloons.
Red, Green, and Blue Edge Galloons.
Black Silk Galloons and ribbons.
White, Black, and Brown Slipper Elastics.
Congress Gaiter Web, from 4 in to 36 in.
Best and Gaiter Straps—Paper Buttons.
Cotton, Silk, and Linen Laces.
White Satteen—Black Cotton Velvet.
Shoe Duck, Drills, and Linen Linings.
M. M and D. and American Patent Leather.
American Patent Grain or Split Leather.
Tremps and Grissons' Glazed Kid.
Super qualities of Calf Glove Kid.
Barbour's Shoe Thread—Shoe Lifts,
Button Hooks and Shoe Punches.
EDWIN W. PAYNE,
fe3-fmw 3m 403 ARCH STREET.

WM. JOHNS & SON,
IMPORTER AND DEALERS IN
BOOT, SHOE, and GAITER MATERIALS,
LASTINGS, GALLOONS,
SHEETINGS, PATENT LEATHER,
FRENCH KIDS, LACETS,
SLIPPER UPPERS, &c.
N. E. CORNER FOURTH AND ARCH STREETS.
fe3-3m

JUST RECEIVED, PER
VIGO,
A consignment of new and beautiful
STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS,
which we offer at very reasonable prices.
EDWARD PARRISH,
ja24-tf 609 ARCH Street.

CHEESE.—460 boxes Herkimer County Cheese, in store, and for sale by O. C. SADLER & CO., ARCH street, 1st door above Front fe18

JAVA COFFEE.—1,000 pockets prime Java Coffee, for sale by JAMES GRAHAM & CO., LETITIA Street. fe8

LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS.

1860. SPRING. 1860.
EVANS & HASSALL,
IMPORTERS OF
LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS,
No. 51 S. FOURTH STREET,
Are now opening a fine assortment of
NOVELTIES FOR THE SPRING SEASON,
To which they invite the attention of buyers. fe3-1m

SKELETON SKIRTS.

1860. SPRING FASHION. 1860.
WOVEN GORE TRAIL
SKELETON SKIRTS,
MODE DE PARIS.
OSBORNE & CHEESMAN,
ANSONIA, CONNECTICUT,
ARE THE SOLE MANUFACTURERS OF THESE CELEBRATED FASHIONABLE SKIRTS.
Their Goods are all made with special reference to the wants of a critical trade, and they are confident that on
SYMMETRY OF FORM,
QUALITY OF MATERIAL, and
PERFECTION OF WORKMANSHIP,
THEY ARE UNEQUALLED IN THIS OR IN ANY OTHER COUNTRY.
Being made under both the "Extension" and "Woven Skirt Patents," there is no liability for infringement.
Our facilities enable us to fill promptly the largest orders.
For sale everywhere by the Trade.
P. S.—Ladies should be articular to see that "Woven Gore Trail, made by Osborne & Cheesman," is printed intinctly on the band, as an evidence of genuineness.
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UMBRELLAS.

WM. A. DROWN & CO.,
UMBRELLA AND PARASOL
MANUFACTURERS,
No. 946 MARKET STREET,
fe3-1m PHILADELPHIA.

SLEEPER & FENNER,
WHOLESALE
UMBRELLA
AND PARASOL MANUFACTURERS,
No. 330 MARKET STREET,
fe3-3m PHILADELPHIA.

PREPARED GLUE.

SPALDING'S
PREPARED GLUE!
"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE."
ECONOMY! SAVE THE PIECES! DISPATCH!
As accidents will happen, even in well-regulated families, it is very desirable to have some cheap and convenient way for repairing Furniture, Toys, Crockery, &c.
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meets all such emergencies, and no household can afford to be without it. It is always ready and up to the sticking point. There is no longer a necessity for timing chairs, splintered veneers, headless dolls, and broken crockery, as just a little drizzle for china, shell, and other articles, or a little Glue, with ladies of refinement and taste.
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"USEFUL IN EVERY HOUSE."
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Put up for Dealers in Cases containing four, eight, and twelve dozen, a beautiful Lithographic Show-Card accompanying each package.
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SPALDING'S PREPARED GLUE
will save ten times its cost annually to every household.
Sold by all prominent Stationers, Druggists, Hardware and Furniture Dealers, Grocers, and Fancy Stores.
Country Merchants should make a note of
SPALDING'S PREPARED GLUE,
when making up their list.
IT WILL STAND ANY CLIMATE.
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HARDWARE.

TRUIT, BRO., & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN
HARDWARE,
CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS, &c.,
529 MARKET STREET, 529
BELOW SIXTH, NORTH SIDE,
fe3-fmw3m PHILADELPHIA.

MOORE, HENSZEY, & CO.
HARDWARE,
CUTLERY,
and GUN
WAREHOUSE,
No. 497 MARKET, and 416 COMMERCE Streets
PHILADELPHIA. fe3-3mo

HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS.

GOODS FOR THE SEASON.
BRONZED FENDERS AND IRONS,
STEEL FIRE SETS, FOOT WARMERS,
BLOWER STANDS, PLATE WARMERS, HOT WATER DISHES, &c., &c.,
AT THE
HOUSE-FURNISHING STORES,
NOS. 922 AND 1026 CHESTNUT STREET.
JNO. A. MURPHEY & CO.
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MEDICINAL.

MRS. WINSLOW,
AN EXPERIENCED NURSE AND FEMALE Physician, presents to the attention of mothers her
SOOTHING SYRUP
FOR CHILDREN TEETHING,
which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay ALL PAIN and spasmodic action, and is
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Madame Recamier.—First Chapter.

A celebrated woman in the time of the first French Republic, in the first Empire, and under the Restoration, was Madame Récamier, who is said to have been the most beautiful woman of her time, and virtuous as she was lovely. It was of this woman that Madame de Stael, her intimate friend, said "I would be content to part with all my genius, to possess half of Madame Récamier's beauty." It will be recollected that Madame de Stael, personally recollected in England as an ugly, stout, garrulous old woman, had no one passable feature—unless a pair of good eyes be excepted.

In the new number of the *Edinburgh Review* is an article upon the "Souvenirs et Correspondence de Madame Récamier," by Madame Lenormant, her husband's niece and her own adopted daughter, which shows a good deal of morals and manners in Paris in the early part of the present century. We shall partly make use of it in what we have to write.

Madame Récamier, born at Lyons in 1777, was daughter of a rich notary at Lyons, who gave her a good education at a convent in that city. At a time when it was considered fashionably bold to disbelieve in Revelation, Madame Récamier had a lively faith, and was a believer, amid all changes and chances of a life, which was chequered with sunshine and shadow. Early in the Revolution, when she was about twelve years old, Mademoiselle Bernard (that was her maiden name) quitted her convent to rejoin her parents, who had removed to Paris. There her mother, a beautiful and rather stupid woman, cultivated her juvenile taste for music and dress.

In 1793, in her sixteenth year, little Julie Bernard was acknowledged to be one of the best-looking girls in Paris: her good looks came to her from her father and mother, both of whom were extremely handsome. At the age of fifteen, a Parisian demoiselle is considered marriageable, and parents look about for a suitable husband for her—whom she accepts, in nine cases out of ten, as she would accept a new bonnet or a new frock, without too curiously examining the quality. In this manner, Julie Bernard was mated. In 1793, when she had just turned her fifteenth year, a friend of her family took a fancy to her. There was some disparity of years between them, to be sure—for the gentleman had 42 years against the young lady's 15. But, independent of the great wealth of M. Jacques Récamier, the banker, he, also, was from Lyons—was well-looking, and as Madame Lenormant says, was "without strong principles or strong affections; content with every body and every thing; recklessly and indiscriminately generous; ready to do anything for his friends while they lived, and perfectly indifferent when they died." A very negative sort of a man, it must be confessed.

At any rate, he offered his hand to Julie Bernard, whom he had seen grow from infancy to beautiful womanhood. Her biographer says: "It was quite voluntarily, without alarm or repugnance, that Juliette accepted his offer. Her mother in part fulfilled her duty by representing to her the objections arising from so great a disparity of age; but Juliette, accustomed to see M. Récamier at her father's house, to receive from him many marks of kindness, and all her finest dolls, did not doubt that he would be a most obliging husband (un maripelin de complaisance), and accepted, without the smallest anxiety, the future which was offered to her." A singular future it was, if what Madame Lenormant says be true, that their future relations were not those of man and wife, but of parent and child—a condition of things which was never once altered. Scandal has reported, what Récamier's biographer does not allude to, that the young wife was really the illegitimate daughter of the old husband. This is currently believed in Paris, to this day, but seems almost incredible even for Paris. If true, it would account for the particular relations between Monsieur Récamier and Mademoiselle Julie Bernard.

M. Récamier, notwithstanding, was proud of his young wife's beauty, and provided her with a splendid cage. In 1796, when she was in the 19th year of her life, and the third of her marriage, he lodged her, very luxuriantly, with her handsome and foolish mother, in the Chateau de Clichy, near Paris—a residence not to be confounded with the too-celebrated compulsory lodgings for debtors, No. 70 Rue de Clichy. Thither this remarkable husband went every day to dine, with this no less remarkable wife, invariably returning to sleep in Paris. In the winter they lived in the gay capital (latterly in the hotel formerly belonging to M. Necker, in the Rue du Mont Blanc, now the Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin.) In the spring they left Paris for Clichy, being still within accessible distance from the amusements of the gay capital.

Out of the purchase of M. Necker's hotel arose Madame Récamier's acquaintance with Madame de Stael, his celebrated daughter. M. Récamier brought her one day to Clichy, and her remarkable dowdiness in dress was the first of her points which attracted Madame Récamier's notice. The beauty and expressiveness of her large eyes next attracted her. The beauty and blue-stocking took kindly to each other, and a friendship, which lasted until death, soon sprung up. At the time it commenced De Stael was 33 years old and Récamier only 19.

The great feature of Madame Récamier's life was the passage-at-arms between Napoleon and herself. It is declared by her biographer that she offended Napoleon by attracting attention in an assembly convened to do him honor long before he became First Consul. It was at the grand reception given by the Directory, in 1797, to the Conqueror of Italy, in the great court of the *Luxembourg*. "At the end of the court was an altar, and upon it a statue of Liberty; at the foot of this symbol the five directors, clad in Roman costume, the ministers, ambassadors, and various functionaries, ranged on an amphitheatre; behind these, benches for invited guests. On one of these were seated Madame Récamier and her mother. She had never seen General Bonaparte, but shared in the general enthusiasm for the youthful conqueror. At that time he was very thin, and his head a striking character of grandeur and firmness. Madame Récamier, where she sat, could not distinguish his features, which she had a very natural curiosity to see, and while Barras was making a long speech she rose from her feet to look at him. At this movement, which disclosed her whole person, the eyes of the crowd were turned upon her, and she was greeted by a long murmur of admiration. This noise did not escape Bonaparte. He turned his head suddenly to the spot to which the public attention was directed, to see what object could have diverted it from himself; he beheld a young lady dressed in white, and threw at her a glance, the sternness of which she could not sustain, and instantly sat down.

Others of the Bonaparte family were differently affected towards the young beauty. Even Lucien, supposed to be the good boy of the family, got over head and ears in love with her, and, as her name was Juliette, assumed the *robe-coquet* of Romeo, when he wrote love-verses to her. Poetry made no impression upon her heart, so he substituted a battery of letters in very plain prose. These she showed to her husband, and begged his advice. The prudent banker commended his young wife's virtue, but represented to her that "to shut the door in the face of so great a man as the brother of the First Consul, would be to compromise, and perhaps to ruin his bank;" and concluded by saying, she must grant her illustrious suitor nothing, but must not drive him to despair. M. Bernard, this beauty's father, holding a situation in the Post-office, was arrested on a charge of favoring a treasonable correspondence with the Royalists. Napoleon's sisters, Elise and Pauline, who were intimate with Madame Récamier, took no interest in obtaining the liberation of the suspected father, (perhaps they were afraid of a scolding for meddling with state-affairs!) Fouché, head of the Police, refused to interfere—finally, Bernadotte interceded with Napoleon, who was then First Consul, and the prisoner was liberated. This does not show any hard-heartedness on the part of Napoleon. But, the interference of Bernadotte, on Madame Récamier's behalf, was sufficient to awaken Napoleon's suspicion as to her own feelings towards him, for Bernadotte was unfriendly to Napoleon, and had shown himself so on the occasion of the 18 Brumaire.

Bernadotte, who almost openly avowed his hostility to Napoleon, cultivated the acquaintance of Madame Récamier, after her father's liberation, and we are told that "she fully sympathized" with him. In fact, her family were Royalist in feeling, and her house was the rendezvous of the disaffected. When Moreau, (who finally became a traitor to the French flag, and was slain in battle, while fighting against it,) was arrested with Pichegru and Georges Cadoudal, after the attempt to assassinate Napoleon, by the Infernal Machine, in December, 1800, Madame Récamier visited him in prison, and attended his trial at the Palais de Justice. Naturally enough, this continued sympathy with his known enemies excited Napoleon's surprise, if not his anger.

This beautiful woman, with more talent than handsome persons generally get credit for, gradually became the centre of the circle least favorable to the domination of Napoleon. With his passionate Italian nature, he was attracted by her beauty, when he saw her, for the second and last time in her life. It was at a ball given by Lucien, and she was dressed, as usual, entirely in white, a practice which she never altered, and with her beautiful pearls and fairer skin was an object of universal admiration. Fouché crossed the room to tell her that the First Consul considered her charming. When dinner was announced, Bonaparte walked out first and alone, without offering his arm to any lady. On leaving the table he said to her, "Why did you not come and sit next me?" "I should not have presumed to do so," said she. "It was your place," he replied. The dinner was succeeded by a concert, during which the eyes of Napoleon were riveted upon her with an intensity which made her uncomfortable. This is her own account.

In 1805, after the establishment of the Empire