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PRACTICAL EDUCATION.

Education under various titles has, from the time man began to till upon the earth, been a subject demanding the most watchful attention...

Only \$1.25 per Year in Advance! The annual meeting of the Cumberland Co. Bible Society will be held on Thursday, May 28th, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. Another year laden with golden opportunities for usefulness, whether improved or unimproved, has almost sped its flight...

GEN. STONEMAN'S EXPEDITION. Splendid Achievements of the National Cavalry—Operations of the Harris Light Cavalry—Daring Raid within the Entrenchments of Richmond.

Our young friend, Mr. Toy, of the firm of Lee & Walker, No. 722 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, has favored us with a choice lot of sheet music.

Why the housekeepers use their old stoves when worn out, or purchase inferior ones at high prices, when in the end it is cheaper to purchase the best, which can be done by calling at the Store and Tin Store of E. R. Elmer, Carlin's row, near the bridge.

News of the Week.

The Pirate Retribution, reported captured Port Gibson and Grand Gulf have been captured by Gen. Grant after a severe battle, in which 1000 prisoners were taken, together with a large number of cannon and military stores.

Official from the 24th. TWENTY-FOURTH REGIMENT. KILLED—2d Lieut. John Springer, Sergt. Gilbert Heritage, Private Henry Reeve, all of Co. B.

Capture of Grand Gulf. WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Secretary of the Navy has received the following dispatch: FLAG SHIP BENTON, BELOW GRAND GULF, Mississippi, April 29, '63.

Gen. Hooker's Advance. At daybreak, on Friday morning, Gen. Hooker pushed forward two corps of his army under the Rappahannock. They were under the command of Gen. Sedgwick, who advanced them over to the reach and west with caution.

THE INCOME TAX. The person assessed to be charged with the following: 1. Value of stock on hand January 1, 1862.

CUMBERLAND CO. COURTS. The May term commenced on Tuesday, last, Judge Brown presiding. We give below a list of the cases tried:

How to get Early Tomatoes. Mrs. E. D. Kendall, of Maryland, thus writes to the Southern Field and Fireside. We quote: "A good large turnip is far better than any hot bed for propagating early tomatoes."

Stonewall Jackson lost an arm in the late engagements. According to rebel authority, he has had it carefully amputated, and has been sent to a hospital fifteen miles distant from the battle field.

GENERAL ORDER FROM GENERAL HOOKER.

The following order has been issued. GENERAL ORDER, No. 49. The Major-General commanding tenders to this army his congratulations on its achievements of the last seven days.

THE CONSCRIPTION. The following gentlemen have been appointed officers for New Jersey under the conscription act:

ARMY OF THE POTOMAC. The Rebels still occupy the Heights of Fredricksburg—Gen. Hooker has not as yet advanced. WASHINGTON, May 12.—Several gentlemen recently in the city have stated that the Rappahannock to recouer the bodies of their friends who fell in the recent battles.

Where to Buy Cheap Carpets. EVERY one who wishes to save at least one-third in the purchase of their CARPETS, should not fail to go to EVAN'S well known

DIED. In Bridgeport, on the 8th inst., Hannah S., wife of Daniel Bowen, in the 38th year of her age.

THE FAMOUS REBEL DEAD. Thomas Jefferson Jackson, commonly called "Stonewall Jackson," a Lieutenant-General in the rebel service, died on Sunday last, the 10th inst., from the effects of the amputation of his left arm, wounded in the battle of Chancellorsville.

Notice to Contractors. Sealed Proposals will be received until Saturday the 30th, for furnishing the material and building School House No. 22, in Bridgeport, N. J.

Henderson's Capital Clothing Store, 510 MARKET STREET. MUSIC'S POWER. Of music's power, let the warrior tell. When the cannon's flash surrounds him.

Notice to the People of Cumberland and All Other Counties. We say do not be humbugged by long and windy advertisements, but remember that the Grosvenor's are the best, and are the only ones that are made in this country.

CADETS OF TEMPERANCE.

Bro. Jos. S. Miner, of Bridgeport, sends us the following encouraging report of the Section, in that place: I am happy to be able to say that Excelsior Section, No. 1, Cadets of Temperance, is prospering in a degree truly gratifying to its friends.

Craig's Microscope. is the simplest, most beautiful, interesting and useful instrument ever made. It magnifies objects from 10 to 1000 Times.

NEW JERSEY LANDS FOR SALE. ALSO GARDEN OR FRUIT FARMS. Suitable for Grapes, Peaches, Pears, Raspberries, Strawberries, Currants, etc.

EVERY DAY BRINGS SOMETHING NEW! TUCK, of the Union Clothing Store, has just opened FIVE BOXES OF STRAW GOODS, containing many two dozen

Ready-Made Clothing. If you have not found the largest in New Jersey, this is a positive fact and needs no proof. As regards his prices, they will find low, and no mistake.

BRIDGE TOWN AND PHILADELPHIA. On and after Tuesday, April 21st, the Sloop I.D.A. will run as a regular Packet between Bridgeport and Philadelphia.

PACKET BETWEEN BRIDGE TOWN & PHILAD'A. On and after Friday, April 24, the Sloop LYDIA ASH will run as a regular Packet between Bridgeport and Philadelphia.

YOUNG LADIES. WATSON'S No. 3 Grosvenor's Building, is ready, willing and able to offer hair to the world.

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Letters Remaining in the Post Office.

BRIDGE TOWN, N. J., May 6, 1863. LADIES LIST. Mary Ann Anderson, Elizabeth Maitland, Mrs. Elizabeth Maitland, Elizabeth Maitland, Elizabeth Maitland.

J. R. CASSELLBERRY. Will open on Monday morning the following business in the city of Philadelphia: L. Maitland & Co., and Messrs. Samuel Maitland & Co.

OUT THIS OUT FOR REFERENCE. Bargains! Bargains!! GREAT VARIETY OF ELEGANT STYLES, LOW PRICES.

BURT & WARE. Dealers in Hats, Caps, and Clothing, would respectfully inform the public that they are prepared to promptly supply all orders in their line, and at the most favorable terms.

Teacher's Institute. The Institute for Cumberland County will commence on Monday the 25th inst., at Mountain View. All the Teachers of the County, and of Education, are earnestly solicited to attend.

Central Eating House, No. 435 Chestnut Street. THE EUROPEAN PLAN. ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN. Open from 5 A. M. to 9 P. M. NOTICE! FURNITURE.

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NEW GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES. Having decided buying any amount of goods at the Speculative Prices we have had to be as good as the goods were forced into the New York and Philadelphia Markets, which have been during the past and present week, whereby we were enabled to purchase a large and varied stock of desirable goods.

