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Business Directory.

JOHN S. MITCHELL,
Attorney and Counselor at Law,
BRIDGETON, N. J.

JAMES J. REEVES,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
AND MASTER IN CHANCERY.
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Notions made in all parts of the State.
Office on the corner of Commercial and State streets, East of the bridge.

NOTICE
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No Plus Ultra SKIRTS and CORSETS,
Sold only at No. 17 North 8th Street,
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And at 519 ARCH STREET, Philadelphia.
Large Waists and Any Length Made to
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OLD SKIRTS MADE OVER EQUAL TO NEW
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MARBLE YARD,
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THE subscriber would respectfully inform
his friends and the public that having on
hand a large stock of

Italian and American Marble
finished and unfinishd, is prepared to execute
with promptness and despatch, all orders for
MONUMENTS, TOMBS,
POSTS,
and grave work generally. Particular attention
given to inscriptions in
HEBREW,
GERMAN,
OLD ENGLISH TEXT,
Ornamental and Plain Letters.
Elegant Tablets and Tombs for Children
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocery & Provision Store,
Breck Building, S. W. Corner of Com-
merce and State streets, BRIDGETON, N. J.

THE subscriber has a large stock of
Wheat Flour, Family Flour, Sugar, Coffee,
Tea, Spices, and all the staple articles of
grocery, and is prepared to sell at the lowest
rates.

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HALL'S
Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer

Has stand the test of seven years
before the public; and no preparation
for the hair has yet been discovered
that will produce the same
beneficial results. It is an entirely
new scientific discovery, combining
many of the most powerful and
valuable agents in the vegetable
kingdom. It restores GRAY HAIR
TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR. It makes
the scalp white and clean; cures dandruff
and humors, and falling out of the
hair; and will make it grow upon
bald heads, except in very aged
persons, as it preserves the nutri-
tive principle by which the hair is
nourished and supported. It makes
the hair much softer and glossier,
and is unsurpassed as a
DRESSING. It is the cheapest
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more and last longer than three
bottles of any other preparation.
It is recommended and used by
the First Medical Authority.

The wonderful results produced
by our Sicilian Hair Renewer have
induced many to manufacture pre-
parations for the hair, under vari-
ous names; and, while attempting to
duplicate the trade and the public to
purchase their compounds, they
have resorted to falsehood, by
claiming they were former part-
ners, or had some connection with
our Mr. Hall, and their prepara-
tion was similar to ours. Do not
be deceived by them. Purchase the
original; it has never been equalled.
Our Treatise on the Hair,
with certificates, sent free by mail.
See that each bottle has our private
Revenue Stamp over the top of the
bottle. All others are imitations.

R. P. Hall & Co., Prop's, Nashua, N. H.

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine.

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21 N. Laurel Street, Bridgeton, N. J.

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Castings and Forgings.

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GAS PIPES, STEAM ENGINES,
CARRIAGES, WATER PIPES, HOOP PUMPS,
CIRCULAR SAWS,
IRON, STEEL, BRASS PATTERNS WORK,
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at 66 R. 7.

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Surgeon Dentist,
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Associate of the Dental College,
Twenty Years Experience as Resident Dentist.
Teeth Extracted with Insensibility Pain
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Gas. Artificial Teeth inserted on
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entia of Teeth from 50¢ to \$2.00.

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Respectfully offers his professional
services to the public. He has had
experience in the extraction of teeth,
and also in the use of the Nitrous Oxide
and Chloroform for insensibility.
He is also a member of the Dental
College, and has had the honor of
lecturing on the subject of Dentistry
at the University of Pennsylvania.
His office is at the corner of
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Bridgeton, N. J.

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WILL DELIVER MARL ON THE WEST JERSEY
AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:—Terms, Cash on
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Marl	1000 lbs	1.00
Do	500 lbs	.50
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at a station, nor less than five car loads, to be de-
posited at the station, and to be taken out by the
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Fall & Winter Clothing!

NEWEST STYLES!
WELL MADE!
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PRICES VERY REASONABLE.

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FOR ALL AGES AND SIZES.

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CHEAP DRY GOODS AND
REPAIRING
STORE.
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Corner of Laurel and State, BRIDGETON, N. J.

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SURGEON DENTIST.

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of dentistry in New Jersey and Philadelphia, would
offer his services to the public. He is a member
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Worthy of All Farmers' At-
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BROWNING'S
PHOSPHATE
Made Upon Strictly Sci-
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This article is entirely different from any other
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knives, purses, toys, pictures, fishing tackle,
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candies, figs, toffee, plain candies, cream bon-
bons, nut candies, nut drops and fine confection-
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nand.

Patent Medicines
All the best popular preparations of the day.

PAINTS.
White Lead, Zinc White, China Glass, Fancy
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Oils, Spirits Turpentine, Benzine.

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Extra fine navy, Souther, twist, cavendish,
natural leaf and fine cut chewing tobacco.

CIGARS.
Three qualities, good, bad and indifferent at
corresponding prices, to which he has lately
added a fourth—rattails.

GARDEN SEEDS.
Jardettes, Johnson, Robbins & Co., Com-
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Seeds. Also, a beautiful collection of

FLOWERS IN BLOOM,
from Dist's celebrated green-houses, Phila. In.

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CHOLERA SPECIFIC
Is an indispensable medicine for the coming
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Of universal service for pains or hurts in man
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Unrivalled as a warming stimulant in colds, &c.

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Composed of tar, wild cherry, &c., has given
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The public is invited to call at Dare's
Drug Store,
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Physicians
And others are informed that he has secured
the services of a competent pharmacist, and
is prepared to fill medical orders satisfactorily
and promptly. Prescriptions carefully and
correctly compounded.

LADIES,
Your attention is invited to the stock of stan-
dard, perfumery, extracts, cosmetics, fancy
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BONE DUST.
Warranted strictly Pure.

Such as I use in manufacturing my Phosphate
Fertilizer is obtained from Guano direct
from the slaughter houses, containing all
the virtues that bones possess. It is seldom you
can get bone dust of this quality. Sample
will be sent by mail on receipt of P. O. Stamp.
It is as fine as flour and will set quickly.
Bone Dust put up in bags of 200 pounds
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PRICE, \$60 PER TON.

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Full directions for using, will be furnished.
Send for pamphlet.
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FUR EMPORIUM.
Ladies, Misses' and Children's Fancy Fur, of
every description, and at all prices, wholesale and re-
tail. Genuine Sable Seal Skin at \$25 and upwards.
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Furs bought, altered and repaired.
Persons wishing to purchase will do well to give us
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JOHN GOSMAN, PRINCIPAL.
WM. M'KENZIE, CLERK.

This Institution commenced its Second Session
on Wednesday, September 10th.
The Academy aims to impart a thorough Classical
Education, comprising a full preparation for College,
and also a complete business education.
In addition to the personal instructions and super-
vision of the former language, the school enjoys the
services of Mr. Wm. M'Kenzie, an experienced, suc-
cessful and efficient teacher, who occupies the
position of associate principal.
The English and Academic Department, a
primary class for younger scholars will be formed,
and will receive the special attention of the Principals.
EXPENSES PER QUARTER.

Board, Tuition, Fuel and Light	\$75 00
Day Scholar, in Classical Branches and Book	12 00
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Boarding	4 00

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Chas. F. Elmer, Rev. S. S. Wood, Rev. Wm. Wood,
Ang. S. Barber, Cold Spring, Cape May Co.—Rev.
N. W. Wood,
Dec. 6, 1867 om

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AND ALL INSTRUMENTS OF WRITING, executed at
the Clerk's Office, on application to
THEOPHILUS G. COMPTON,
Clerk.

Also I will keep on hand for the accommoda-
tion of all who may wish to have their writings
properly attested and returned to them.
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office.

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MONEY!
GOOD RELIABLE WEAVING APPAREL.
Cassimeres, Satinettes, Frenches, Blankets,
Suits, Stockings and Carpet Yarns, in this
factory, made to order and ready to use.

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For sale by all the principal Stores in this State.
We are also prepared to make to order, in any
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be made to the satisfaction of all who use them.
J. J. FLETCHER, President.
D. J. DUBOIS, Secretary.

Gentlemen living in the
country, preferring Clothing
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and boys, by sending measure,
as per diagram, will have their
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strives to solve problems that defy an ex-
position of their hidden truths, and
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The desire to see and understand any un-
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ence, and is one of the first evidences of
the dawn of reason on the mind of the
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lows man through all the different pe-
riods of his existence; in the child it is
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and perception; the only difference being
that it has undergone development, and
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lapse of time. The same principle that
leads the child to wonder why the watch
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through the mighty deep. And as the
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spite of all his mighty reasoning, grand
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the child, constantly inquiring, feebly un-
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teries of eternity. We stand in the dark
midnight of mystery, whose silence is
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ing the presence of God, while ever and
anon bright flashes of light leap forth
through the gloom, and so mortal after
mortal shall stand and endeavor to catch
the glimpses of the unrevealed, till the
trumpet sound shall put assunder forever
the black drapery by which this grand
scene was veiled during time's interlude,
from the fall till time shall reach its final
supplacher. At the fall, amid Angel
songs, the black curtain fell that now mantles
the blazing splendors of the world of the
unseen; but on eternity's morn, that shall
know no eventide, the veil shall be with-
drawn forever, and the grand unfoldings
of countless ages burst forth upon an as-
sembled and astonished world. We ap-
peal to the future to reveal its incoming
scenes, but no response is given; we im-
plore the past to render up its forgotten
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