POETRY.

THE OLD MAN'S SONG

OF THE OLD YEAR'S DYING.

BY ELEANORA HERVEY.

To sleep—to sleep—'tis the Old Year's dying,
Let me sleep till he be dead,
Comfort and Home and Time are flying—
Gladness and youth are fled.
Year after year has been ushered in—
So many are lost there are few to win,
But enough for sorrow, toil, and sin—
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

I like not the passing away from earth
Of the thing we have watched so long:
I cannot welcome the New Year's birth
With the Old Year's dying song.
Wake me at morn when the dust is flung
On the ancient head that so late was young—
If rest may be where the soul is wrung,
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

Rivers of tears have flowed to him—
Strong tides of the soul's despair,
Many a passionate prayer and hymn
Been poured on his midnight air.
Why have we wished his day's were o'er,
When the life that goes with him returns no more!
I shall miss his weary step on the floor,
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

Wild pulses are playing in many a heart,
With the hope of the dawn to come;
For they know not yet of the night's that part
With the morrow shall never bring home.
Their New Year's friend as the old they greet;
But mine are the memories sad—if sweet—
That pass the new guest in life's crowded street;
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

My head is bowed—and my eyes are dim
And take not the light they gave;
Then call me not up to make merry with him
Who treads on the old man's grave!
In the morning light of the life-long year
The outer mists themselves look clear,
But I to the SHADOW am all too near—
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

In the cave of the earth down fathoms below
The greenness whereon we stand,
'Tis said that a central fire doth glow—
A realess and burning land—
If deep in the heart such fires abide,
And the vallies stretch and currents glide,
That see no greenness and feel no tide,
Then—sleep while the Old Year dies.

Perhaps while gleams of the future's light
On the forehead the New Year wears,
We may not care how the long dread night
Falls down on the old grey hairs;
But the veil of the grave-clouds gather near,
And the long death-silence lies close to mine ear,
So I have no joy in the coming year—
Let me sleep while the Old Year dies.

A SKETCH.—It was midnight—the violent tempest was roused and came sweeping over the land—the howling winds piteously whistled through the mountains—the roaring clouds loudly pealed through the sable clouds above, and was reverberated from hill to crag until it was finally lost in the far distance, only to be followed by another still more dreadful. All nature was convulsed and heaven and earth seemed ready to embrace. A bright vivid flash of lightning, followed by a peal of thunder that seemed the explosion of heaven's vast artillery, lit up the universe with a horrid glare—discovering at the same time the bloody midnight assassin—his lips compressed—nostrils distended, while with uplifted weapon he stealthily approaches the victim of his hate. He stops—and with glaring eyeballs endeavors to penetrate the thick darkness—he discovers at length a form extended before him—he creeps with slow and cautious step towards the silent sleeper—another step—and the murderer sprang upon the unconscious victim and madly plunged his dagger to the hilt in the bosom of his own—*cat*.

☞ That's what we call a *cat* as-trophe.

☞ "Ah, my good fellow," said one man to another, slapping him familiarly on the shoulder, "you're one of the men we read of!" "How so!" inquired the other. "Where did you read of me?" "In the police reports." "The man we read of" drew his fist, hut the other was at a safe distance.

☞ Dobbs says that the man that keeps a fast horse and a fighting-cock is just as sure to go to the devil as a brick house that is'acked up in a law suit.

☞ When you would know how a bull looks with his tail twisted, just ask a man for "that little bill he owes you" when he is talking to a woman.

☞ A young lady, a few nights since, intending to clasp her cloak, threw her arms around an editor, and did not discover her mistake until he fainted.

☞ Men contrary to iron, are worse to be wrought upon when they are hot: and are far more tractable in cold blood.

☞ Ah, my friends, one smile of virtue is more touching than all the caresses of fortune.—*Marmontel*.

TERMS.

The "MOUNTAIN SENTINEL" is published every Thursday morning at Two DOLLARS per annum, payable half yearly.

No subscription will be taken for a shorter period than six months; and no paper will be discontinued *until all arrearages are paid*. A ailure to notify a discontinuance at the expiration of the term subscribed for, will be considered as a new engagement.

☞ *ADVERTISEMENTS* will be inserted at the following rates:—50 cents per square for the first insertion; 75 cents for the second; $1 for three insertions, and 25 cents per square for every subsequent insertion. A liberal deduction made to those who advertise by the year. All advertisements handed in must have the proper number of insertions marked thereon, or they will be published till forbid and charged in accordance with the above terms.

☞ All letters and communications, to insure attention must be *post paid*.

MORE

NEW GOODS!

CHEAPER THAN EVER!!

THE subscriber has just received from the East, at his New Store Room in Ebensburg, a *SPLENDID* assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

Adapted to the tastes and wants of the people of this section of country. His stock of goods having been selected with care, and purchased at the lowest cash prices, he feels confident hat he cannot be beaten either as regards tuality or cheapness; and consists of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,
Silks, Linens, Checks,
Muslins, Cottonades, a large variety of Prints and Fancy Dress Goods,
HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hats, and Caps,
Groceries, &c.

Together with every thing usually kept in a country store. His friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give him a call.

EDWARD ROBERTS.

Sept. 26, 1850.—51.

CLOTHING!

WHO WANTS BARGAINS?

EVANS & HUGHES,

HAVE just received at their Clothing Store in Ebensburg, a large and splendid assortment of

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING,

among which may be enumerated All kinds of Cloth, Dress, Sack and Business Coats; Beaver, Felt and Blanket Overcoats of all sizes; a large lot of Satinet and Cassimere Pantaloons of all colors and qualities; and a good assortment of Silk and Cassimere Fancy Vests, Hats and Caps, together with every kind of Boys' Clothing.

ALSO,

Fine and Coarse Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Silk Shirts, Stocks, Umbrellas, all of which they will dispose of on the most reasonable terms. They have also on hand a large stock of Cloths Cassimeres and Vestings, which they are prepared to make up in the most workmanlike manner, and on the most accomodating terms for cash or approved country produce. Their entire Stock of Clothing is made up according to the latest Fashions.

Having selected their goods with great care and purchased on the lowest cash terms, they are prepared to accomodate their friends and customers with clothing of a superior quality and at lower prices than goods of a similar quality were ever sold in this county.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine their goods.

Nov. 7, 1850.—5-tf.

EBENSBURG HOUSE.

The undersigned respectfully announces to his friends and the travelling community that he has taken this large and commodious house in the borough of Ebensburg, formerly kept by S. J. Renshaw, where he will be happy to accommodate his friends and those who may be pleased to favor him with their patronage.—Having fitted up the House in an excellent manner, he can assure the travelling public that nothing will be wanting on his part that will contribute to the comfort of his customers. His TABL will always be supplied with the best the markets can afford, and his BAR is filled with choice liquors. His *STABLE* being very large and attended by a careful Hostler, he is prepared to accommodate Drovers on the most reasonable terms.

B. M'DERMIT.

March 28, 1850.—25-tf.

Notice.

Letters of administration *cum testamento annexo* on the estate of Andrew Donnally, late of Cambria county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in Ebensburg.—Those indebted to said estate will please settle their respective accounts, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ROBERT L. JOHNSTON,
Adm'r cum test annexo.

December 16, 1850—10-6t

SALT! SALT!

200 BARRELS prime Conemaugh Salt just received and for sale at the store of

J. IVORY & Co.
Summit, Pa

50 bbls Conemaugh Salt.
10 sacks Ground Alum Salt, for sale by

MURRAY & ZAHM.

CASTINGS received and for sale at J. C. O'Neill's Store

FRESH ARRIVAL of

CHEAP GOODS

RIFFLE & HUMPHREYS,

Have received from Philadelphia, at thier Store Room at the Summit, a large and splendid assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods,

selected with great care, and with a desire to accommodate the wants of all. Their stock consists of

Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Tweeds, Ginghams
Flannels, Prints of every variety,
Linseys, De Lains, the latest styles of Shawls,
Hats and Caps,
BOOTS and SHOES,
Hardware, Queensware,
BOOKS and STATIONARY.
Together with a heavy stock of
GROCERIES,

In fact almost everything required to satisfy the wants of the community. Having purchased at the lowest cash prices they are prepared to accommodate their customers with goods on terms a little lower than they can be purchased at any other establishment in the county. All are respectfully invited to give them a call and judge for themselves.

October 17th 1850.

On Monday Next

WILL BE OPENED—
POPELIN LUSTRES,
ERMINE CLOTHS
PLAID CLOAKINGS,
ROB ROY do,
MODE ALPACAS,
SUP MOUS DE LAINES,
CAMALION and BLK SILKS
CRAPE LEISSI,
And dress goods of every variety.
EMBOSSED TABLE COVERS,
JENNY LIND, SACRAMENTO AND ZEPHYR TRIMMINGS,
DRESS BUTTONS, &c.
—ALSO—
JENNY LIND WELTS,
LASTING AND MOROCCO GAITERS,
GOAT AND MOROCCO BOOTS,
JENNY LIND BOOTS,
GUM SHOES AND GAITERS,
Together with a thousand and one other articles, all of which will be sold low for CASH, by

G. W. TODD & Co.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned for Professional Services are hereby notified that I have left my books in the hands of E. HUTCHINSON, Esq., for settlement and collection.

It is hoped that all persons having unsettled accounts on my books will call and settle the same before the 10th of December, as after that date my books will be put into the hands of an officer for collection.

WM. LEMON.

Nov. 14, 1850.—6-tf.

NOTICE.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of Jacob Zern Sen. late of Carroll township Cambria county, deceased, having been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned—all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

EMANUEL DISHART.

Nov. 21, 1850—7-6t.

NOTICE.

Letters of Administration having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, on the estate of John Burtlett late of Summerhill township, in said county, dec'd All persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment without delay, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

SARAH ANN BURTNETT.

Nov. 21, 1850—7-6t.

JUST RECEIVED.

Pure White Lead, Linseed Oil, Nails, Glass, Mackeral, Herring, Sugar, and

STONE CROCKS,

And for sale at the store of

E. ROBERTS.

☞ Habana,
Napo, Colerado,
Light Brown, &
Half Spanish CIGARS.

Just received, G. W. TODD & Co.

ON ☞ ☞ ☞
PRIME RIO COFFEE
Y. H. TEA,
SUGAR,
MOLASSES
RICE &c. &c

Fresh from the Eastern Markets at

G. W. TODD & CO'S.

WANTED:

WOOL, BUTTER, EGGS and Produce of every description

G. W. TODD & CO.

WHITE LEAD, and Linseed Oil, for sale by J. MOORE.

TO FARMERS AND MEN OF BUSINESS

OILS, CANDLES & GUANO.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers, at the lowest rates in any quantity to suit purchasers,

GENUINE PERUVIAN GUANO,

and every variety of

SPERM, WHALE, LARD, AND

TANNERS OIL

Manufacturers, Tanners, Farmers, Dealers and Consumers, are invited to call.

GEORGE W. RIDGWAY,
No. 37 North Wharves, the first
OIL STORE
below Race street, Philadelphia.

August 15, 1850.—45-3m.

80 Barrels of Superior Flour, *part extra* for sale by J. IVORY & Co.

Wanted.

2,000 lbs Wool for which the highest prices will be paid.

E ROBERTS.

Wholesale and Retail
Tin Copper & Sheet-Iron

Manufactory.

The subscriber adopts this method of returning thanks to his friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, and begs leave to inform them that he has enlarged his business, and now keeps constantly on hand a large supply o every variety of

TINWARE,
STOVE-PIPE,
DRIPPING PANS,
ZINK BOILERS,
COAL BUCKETS, TEA
KETTLES, &c., &c.

which he will sell wholesale or retail as low as any other establishment in the country. He is also prepared to manufacture SPOUTING for houses at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Merchants and others desirous of purchasing bills of ware, are respectfully invited to call as he is prepared to furnish all articles in his line equally as low as can be had either east or west, and all orders addressed to him will be promptly attended to.

JOB WORK of every description, done on the shortest notice.

The undersigned hopes, by a strict attention to business to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

Old copper and puter taken in exchange for ware.

GEORGE HARNCAME.

Oct. S. 1849—5-tf.

EXCHANGE HOTEL

EBENSBURG, PA.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has rented for a term of years that large brick house in the borough of Ebensburg formerly kept by James Rhey, and known heretofore as the "Washington Hotel," where he will be happy to accommodate all those who may favor him with their patronage, and will use every exertion to make their stay pleasant and agreeable. His

TABLE

will be furnished with everything the marke affords, his

BAR

will be supplied with the best wines and liquors that can be purchased in the eastern markets and his

STABLES

are large and will be attended by careful hostlers. Persons wishing to visit any section of the county will be furnished with a conveyance.

ANDREW J. RHEY.

Ebensburg, May 23, 1850.—33

KUBA INVADED!

New and Cheap

GOODS.

The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has purchased the entire stock of J. P. Urban & Co in Carrollton. His stock is extensive, embracing almost every article usually kept in a Country Store, and consists in part of a large assortment of

Spring and Summer Goods,

among which, are

Cloths, Cassimeres Vestings,
Sattinets, Linens, Checks,
Tweeds, Cottonades, Calicoes,
Nankeens, Drillings, Tickings,
Muslins, Ginghams, Lawns,
Silks, Delaines, Bombazines,
Lustres, Alpacas, Cambrics,
Shawls, Hosiery, Ribbons,
Laces, Gloves, &c., &c

ALSO, a large assortment of

Boots and Shoes,
Hats and Caps,
BONNETS, UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS,
Hardware, Queensware, Groceries,
BOOKS & STATIONARY,
BACON, FISH, SALT, &c., &c.

In fact everything wanted in a Country Store, all of which they will sell as CHEAP if not a LITTLE CHEAPER than any other Store in the county.

Lumber and produce taken in exchange for goods. Give us a call all those who wish o buy cheap.

JOHN C. O'NEILL.

Carrollton, August 15, 1850.

A Large lot of Bleached and Brown Muslins, just received and for sale very low he store of MURRAY & ZAHM.

RICE, Star & Mould Candles and 8 by 10 & 10 by 12 Glass just received, and for sale by J. MOORE.

A large lot of *PRINTS and GINGHAMS* of superior quality and latest styles, just received and for sale by

MURRAY & ZAHM.

August 1, 1850.

BASKETS, Axes, Umbrellas, Brooms, *Energy Encirclers*," and Sundries gnerally or sale by G. W. TODD& CO.

ALWAYS ON HANDS:—
FAMILY FLOUR,
BACON,
TERMS—CASH.

MILTON ROBERTS.

JUST RECEIVED.

Mould Dipp'd, and Star Candles.
Soap, Brooms,
8 by 10, 10 by 12, and 10 by 14 Glass.
Cotton Yarns,
Cotton Batting,
Smoking Tobacco,
Pure White Lead &c. &c., at

G. W. TODD & CO'S.

CLOVER SEED, BACON & WHISKEY of sale by J. MOORE.

A LARGE quantity of Dun canon Nails, and Spikes from 3 to 5 inches for sale at *Moore's Stoore.*

SHELL and Spanish Polka Combs, Port Monnies, Brushes, Fancy Soaps and Olinphat for sale by G. W. TODD & CO.

ST. FRANCIS' ACADEMY FOR BOYS.

Loretto, Cambria county, Pa.

THIS Institution, in charge of the Franciscan Brothers, and distant four miles from the direct mail road between Philadelphia and Pittsburg, will, on the first Monday in September, be opened for the reception of pupils, who will be instructed in any of the following branches of an elementary and liberal education:—Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Ancient and Modern Geography, Use of Globes, Elements of Natural Philosophy, Ancient and Modern History, Book Keeping, a full course of Mathematics, and of the Greek and Latin Classics, &c.

TERMS.

The Annual pension for Board Tuition, Washing, Mending of linen, and use of Bedding, (payable half yearly in advance,) is, $100.00

Postage of letters, books and stationary, if not furnished by parents or guardians, will form an extra charge, as will also Medical attendance.

The Scholastic Year commencing as above, will close the 15th of July following.

Those remaining at the institution during the Summer vacation, will be charged $12 extra.

Each pupil must be provided with a sufficient supply of Summer and Winter clothing; six shirts, six pocket handkerchiefs, six pairs of stockings, four pairs of drawers, six towels, and three pairs of boots or shoes.

The healthy location of the Establishment, together with picturesque scenery—the varied and extensive prospect all around, so beneficial to youthful minds—must render it desirable as a place of education.

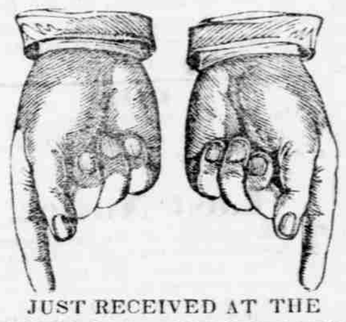
The attention of the Brothers to the intellectual, moral and religious culture of boys entrusted to their care, will be unremitting; and to render that attention effective, the discipline will be exact, yet mild and parental.

A half yearly account of the health, conduct and literary progress of each pupil, will be transmitted to his parent or guardian.

All letters addressed (post paid) to the "*Superior of the Franciscan Monastery, Loretto,*" will receive due attention.

Reference may be made to Rt. Rev. M. O' Connor, Bishop of Pittsburg, Rev. H. P. Gallaher Loretto, Cambria county.

October 3, 1850—3m.



JUST RECEIVED AT THE

CHEAP-STORE!!

Lawns, Lustres, Corn Col'd & Fancy Prints.
IRISH LINENS, TICKINGS.
FANCY AND DOMESTIC GINGHAMS,
Flannels, Shirtings and
DRY-GOODS,
Generally,
HATS & CAPS,
BOOTS & SHOES,
TOBACCO and CIGARS,
UMBRELLAS, QUEENSWARE &c.

All of which have been bought at the present low prices, and will be sold accordingly, call and see. Always ready to show goods.

MILTON ROBERTS.

May 30, 1848.

Wanted Immediately.
100,000 lbs of Wool wanted by

JOHNSTON MOORE

40 DOZEN Boots and Shoes just received and for sale by

MURRAY & ZAHM.

MILL and CUT SAWS for sale at the store of MURRAY& ZAHM.

Red Lead, Spanish Brown, White Lead, Whiting, Putty, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine, and Sweet Oil, for sale by

G. W. TODD & CO.

FLOUR.—A lot of prime flour for sale a J. C. O'NEILL's.

Fresh SHAD,
" MACKERAL.

Just received and for sale by

G. W. TODD & Co.

400 LBS. Mould, Dipped and Star Candles for sale by

MURRAY & ZAHM.

FRESH arrival of Groceries at the store of J. C. O'NEILL.

LUMBER, Lap and Joint shingles, and Locust Posts for sale by

G. W. TODD & CO.

A LARGE lot of Stone and Earthen Ware just received and for sale at the Store of J. MOORE.

A LOT OF FINE SALT, just received and for sale by MILTON ROBERTS.

40 Barrels Conemaugh Salt for sale by J. MOORE.

3 DOZEN Mann's Axes for sale at the store of MURRAY & ZAHM

WOOL Wanted and the highest prices paid at the store of

J. C. O'NEILL.

Blanket, Long Cloth, Teken and Fancy Shawls, latest styles, and cheap for Cash at G. W. TODD & Co's store.

McALISTER'S

ALL-HEALING OITMENT

Containing no Mercury or other Mineral,

FOR TUMORS, ULCERS, and all kinds of SORES, it has NO EQUAL.

It is impossible to give the public an adequate idea of the great success which has attended the administration of the All-Healing Ointment for the past three years. It is perfectly astonishing to witness the effects and hear the praises bestowed on this medicine. No one could conceive that a single medicine possessed so much virtue, and had power to heal so many diseases. But since it has been known that tens of thousands have been cured, our friends will begin to realise the truth of our remarks in a former advertisement, viz that there would not be a single family in America, who would live a day without possessing a box of

M'ALISTER'S ALL-HEALING OINTMENT,

if they but knew its virtues.

BURNS.—It is one of the best things in the world for burns.

If MOTHERS and NURSES knew its value in cases of swollen or *Sore Breasts and Sore Nipples*, they would always apply it. In such cases, it used, according to the directions, it gives relief in a *very few* hours.

PILES.—Thousands are yearly cured by this Ointment. It *never* fails in giving relief for the Piles.

RHEUMATISM.

It removes, almost immediately, the inflammation and swelling, and the pain ceases.—Read the directions around the box.

HEADACHE.

The salve has cured persons of the headache who had it regularly every week for 12 years, so severe as to cause vomiting.

The following testimonial was given by the celebrated Dr. Wooster Beach, the author of the great Medical work entitled "The American Practice of Medicine and Family Physician:"

"Having been made acquainted with the ingredients which compose *M'ALISTER'S ALL-HEALING OINTMENT*, and having prescribed and tested it in several cases in my private practice, I have no hesitation in saying or certifying that it is a vegetable remedy, containing *no mineral substance whatever*, that its ingredients, combined as are, and used as directed by the Proprietor, are not only *harmless* but of great value, being truely a scientific remedy of great power; and cheerfully recommend it as a compound which has done much good, and which is adapted to the cure of a great variety of cases. Though I have never either recommended or engaged in the sale of secret medicines, regard for the truly honest, conscientious, and humane character of the Proprietor of the Ointment, and the value of its discovery obliges me to say thus much regarding it.

W. BEACH, M·D

New York April 22d 1846.

AROUND THE BOX ARE DIRECTIONS FOR USING M'ALISTER'S OINTMENT FOR SCROFULA, LIVER COMPLAINT ERISIPELAS, TETTER, CHILBLAIN, SCALD HEAD, SORE EYES, SORE THROAT, NERVOUS AFFECTIONS, PAINS, HEADACHE, DEAFNESS, EARACHE, BURNS, SORE LIPS, PIMPLES, &c., RHEUMATISM, PILES, SWELLED OR BROKEN BREAST, TOOTH-ACHE, AGUE IN THE FACE, &c., &c.

☞ This Ointment is good for any part of the body or limbs when inflamed. In some cases it should be applied often.

JAMES McALISTER.
Sole Proprietor of the above Medicine
PRICE 25 CENTS PER BOX.

FOR SALE by
Lewis & Roberts, Ebensburg.
Kern & Gorgas, Johnstown.
Wm. Houston, Indiana.
S. Coster, Hollidaysburg.
Principle Office No. 28, North Third street, Philadelphia.

WM. TERRY, General Agent.

July, 4, 1850.—33-1y.

NEW and CHEAP

GOODS!!

THE subscriber has just received a very extensive assortment of all goods usually kept in a country store—which will be sold at the VERY LOWEST prices. Among many other articles are

DRY-GOODS,

—Which include—

Cloths, Cassimerrs, Sattinett, Tweeds,
And Summer Goods for Men.
Prints, Ginghams, & Linen Goods,
Muslin Delanes, Cashmeres, and
SILK GOODS.

A large supply of

BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS, BONNETS, and CAPS.
Queensware, Crockery & Stoneware,
HARDWARE & CUTLERY,

Which includes Mill and Cross cut Saws, Axes Scythes & Sickles and good assortment of Carpenters edge tools. ALSO

Tin, Copper, & Sheet Iron Ware,

Which is made in the house, of the best materials by a first rate mechanic, a large supply of such manufactured articles always on hand,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

ALSO

STOVES

Of every Veriety and Description,

Among which are

The Celebrated Hathway Cook stoves 3 sizes for wood.
" " Etna air tight Cook stoves 4 sizes for wood and coal.
" " Victory Cook stove 2 sizes for wood.
" " Complete Cook stove 2 sizes for coal.

Any Cook stove sold and recommended, are always warranted good.

Also—Nine plate stoves 5 sizes, and Parlor stoves for coal and wood, &c. &c.

E. HUGHES.

Ebensburg June 27th 1850-38.