Whole No. 2867.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1866.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

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		Westward.	Eastward.
Philadelphia Express,		5 53 a. m.	12 17 a. m.
Baltimore	61	4 40 a. m.	
Fast Line,		6 44 p. m.	6 00 a. m.
Day Express,			10 54 a. m.
Cincinnati Express,			6 06 p.m.
Way Passenger,			9 34 a. m.
Mail,		4 29 p. m.	
Emigrant,		10 18 a. m.	
Through Freight,		10 45 p. m.	1 11 a. m.
Fast	14		6 47 a. m.
Express	66	12 30 p.m.	12 33 p. m.
Stock	66	6 00 p. m.	7 22 p. m.
Local	66	7 30 a. m.	3 00 p. m.
Coal Train,		1 05 p. m.	11 04 a. m.
Union Line,		8 55 p. m.	

and from all the trains, taking up or setting them down at all points within the borough limits.

Poor House Business.

The Directors of the Poor meet at the Poor House on the 2d Tuesday of each month.

Kishacoqullias Seminary

NORMAL SCHOOL.

THE Summer Session at this institution will begin April 9, 1866, and continue 20 weeks. Cost for Boarders per session, \$75. Day scholars, \$12. Special attention paid to Normal Class this session. The assistance of the County Superintendent is expected. For particulars address mar21-3m S.Z. SHARP, Principal.

GEO. W. ELDER, Attorney at Law,

Office Market Square, Lewistown, will attend to business in MIfflin. Centre and Hunting don counties

DR. S. E. MPLATCHELLING DENTIST.

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Lewistown and vicinity. All in want of good, neat work will do well to give him a call.

He may be found at all times at his office, three doors east of H. M. & R. Pratt's store, Valley street, ap19-1y*

M. R. THOMPSON, D. D. S.



A GREAT EXELTEDANT At D. Grove's Store.

New Arrival of Groceries and Confectioneries.

D. GROVE would again inform the public that he least just received a fresh supply, to which he would call their attention. Now is the time to buy cheap prime Molasses; the very best of Sugars; prime Cotlee, 7 different kinds, put up in 19 packages; Corn Starch, Farina, Hommy, Beans, and all kinds of Spices, resh and line; prime Cheese, pure Cider Vinegar, Coconnuts, Almonds, &c., beside the largest assort-ment of Soaps to be found in town, Hair Oils, and an endless variety of extracts, all of which will be sold neap for eash.

hange for Goods.

Thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attenion to business to merit and receive a continuance of he patronage of a generous public may10

1866. NEW GOODS! AT

NATHANIEL KENNEDY'S STORE,

In the Odd Fellows' Hall. JUST received from Philadelphia, a

very choice assortment of OAILICOIDS, MUSILINS, Ginghams, Flannels, Checks, Hickory, Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods of all kinds.

Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Chocolate, ssences of Coffee, Queensware. Ston ware, Hardware and Cedarware, Shoul-ders, Hams, Mackerel, Herring, Shad, Boots and sinces, Grain Bags. Also, fine lot of Whisky, BRANDY,

Wine and Gin,
SALT, &c.,
&c., &c.,
which will be sold very low. Country Produce taken
in exchange for goods by

N. KENNEDY

Lewsitown, October 11, 1865. N. KENNEDY.

Lewistown Mills. THE

HIGHEST CASH PRICES FOR WHEAT, AND ALL KINDS OF GRAIN, or received it on storage, at the option of those

having it for the market. They hope, by giving due and personal at tention to business, to merit a liberal share of public patronage.

PLASTER, SALT and Limeburners COAL always on hand WM. B McATEE & SON. Lewistown, Jan. 1, 1865.-tf

The American Wine Plant.

THE undersigned having been extensively engaged in growing Plants and manufacturing Wine for the last four years, are prepared to furnish Plants the coming Spring at the following rates: \$15 per hundred, or \$12.50 per hundred when a thousand or more are ordered, Each plant will make from one to two gallons of wine the first season, equal to the best Sherry Wines of Europe. Sample wine forwarded by express at the wholesale price, \$3 per gallon. Letters of inquiry, orders for wine and plants promptly attended

to by addressing, KELLY & KLECKNER, fe7-2m* Buffalo X Roads, Union co , Pa.

628. HOOP SKIRTS, HOPKINS' "Own Make," Manufactured and Sold

Wholesale & Retail, No. 628 Arch Street, Philadelphia. Mo. 528 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

THE most complete assortment of Ladies' Misses' and Children's HOOP SKIRTS, in this City; gotten up expressly to meet the wants of first class trade; embracing the newest and most desirable Styles and Sizes of "Gore Trails," of every length—from 2\frac{3}{2} to 4 yds. round,—20 to 56 Springs, at 2 to 55 00. Plain Shirts all langths from 2\frac{1}{2} to 55 00.

Fare to Harrisburg \$210; to Philadelphia 5 85; to Altoona 2 50; to Pittaburgh 6 60; to Baltimore 5 20; to york 3 20.

The ticket office will be open 20 minutes before the arrival of each passenger train.

D. E. ROBESON, Agent.

Galbraith's Omnibuses convey passengers to yards reund the bottom, at \$1 40 to \$3 15.

Our line of Misses' and Children's SKIRTS are proverbially beyond all competition, for variety of styles and sizes—as well as for are proverbially beyond all competition, for variety of styles and sizes—as well as for finish and durability; varying from 8 to 33 inches in length, 6 to 35 Spring at 35 cts. to \$2 25. All Shirts of "OUR OWN MAKE" are warranted to give satisfaction; but Buy NONE AS SUCH, unless they have "Hopkin's Hoop Skirt Manufactory, No. 628 Arch St."

Stamped on each Tab!

Also, constantly on hand, good Skirts Manufactured in New York, and the Eastern States, which we sell at very low Prices. A lot of cheap Skirts-15 springs, 85 cts.; 20 springs, \$1 00; 25 springs, \$1 15; 30 springs, \$1 25 and 40 springs \$1 50.

Skirts, made to Order and Repaired. TERMS CASH. ONE PRICE ONLY. March 7, 1866-4m.

End of the War! New Grocery and Provision STORE.

THE subscribers have just opened out on the corner of Market and Brown Streets, in the room lately occupied by Edward Frysinger, as a Tobacco and Segar Store, a large, splendid and cheap assortment of Groeeries, Provisions, &c., consisting in part of The best qualities of Sugars in the market, ranging from 12/4 to 16, 18, 20 and 23 cents per pound.

Syrup, Sugar House and Baking Molasses.
Laguyra and Rio Coffee, Tomson's celebrated Patent Coffees, Rio, Turkey and Essence of Coffee; Baker's Chocolate: Imperial, Young Hyson, Oolong and Japan Teas, the finest and the purest in the market.

A complete assortment of Spices, ground and whols; Cream of Tarter, Soda, Baking and Washing Salaratus, Starch.

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Dairy Salt in large and small sacks, to suit pur-Dairy Salt in large and small sacks, to suit purchasers.

Briggs Swift's celebrated Cincinnati sugar cured Hams, Dried Beef; Burlington Herring, &c.

Sheppard's celebrated Pittsburg Cruckers, water, Butter, Sugar; Soda and Ginger Snaps.

And everything that is generally found in a regular Grocery and Provision Store. All our goods have been selected with great care, and with the view to furnish the citizens of Lewistown and viennty with a first class of Groceries at a low figure. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited.

Country produce taken in exchange, june 7.

WEBER & SON.

NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE IN THE WEST WARD.

The undersigned has just opened a new and ock of BOOTS and SHOES in Major i

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &C.,

or Ladies, Gentleman, Girls, Boys, and Children, se-ceted with much care, and which will be sold at reasonable prices for each.
Custon work will also be punctually attended to,
this branch being under the superintendence of Wm.
T. Wentz, an old and experience workman.
REPAIRING also attended to.
The public as well as his fellow soldiers, are invited
to give him a call and examine his stock.

FRANK H. WENTZ.
Lewistown, Sept. 6, 1865.

GROVER & BAKER'S

NEW AND IMPROVED

SUDTILE MACHINE.

No. 1, Price \$80. THE GROVER & BAKER SEW ING. MACHINE CO. invite the attention of

Tailors, Manufacturers of Clothing, Boots and

Shoes, and Carriage Trimmers, and others requiring a rapid, light-running, and durable Lock Stich Machine, to their new

No. 1 Sewing Machine,

It is of extra size, very strong and powerful, easily operated with little noise; is adapted to every variety of sewing from the thinnest muslin to the heaviest leather, and will work equally well with cotton, linen or silk thread. Letters similar to the following are being constantly received;

"Our machinist and foreman have both thoroughly examined and tested your No. I Machines on different material, from the heaviest harness leather and finest broad-cloth and muslin to the thinnest tissue paper, without altering the tensions, and we find it makes a perfect stitch on all materials. I have tried Singer's and other machines for years, and have no hesitation in pronouncing your No. I Shuttle Machine the best by far of any machine we have used.

Merchant Tailor, 121 Lake William Lock, "I am the fortunate possessor of one of years."

"I am the fortunate possessor of one of your new No. 1 Shuttle Machines; I have used the Singer sewing machine for the past few years, and it gives me great pleasure to say that this one is far superior in all points to any that I have ever used or seen. I want no better. This machine can be seen at my shop at any time.

Merchant Tailor, Lewistown, Pa

ALL WHO WANT THE

LATEST AND BEST

should not fail to call and see this new aspirant for public favor, as it is destined to supersede all the heretofore popular Machines for manufacturing purposes.

Having the largest variety of machines of any other Company, we can suit all tastes with a a machineat prices from \$55 to \$110. All machines warranted.

Grover & Baker's Cotton, Linen Thread and Machine Twist for sale.

Information and samples of sewing given by

P. F. LOOP, Agent, Lawistown, Pa.

Brown's Mills.

THE undersigned are prepared to buy all kinds of Produce for eash, or receive on store at Brown's Mills, Reedsville, Pa. We will have

Plaster. Salt and Coal. We intend keeping the mill constantly running, and

FLOUR, FEED, 20, 26, for sale at the lowest Market rates, at all times.

And The public are requested to give us a call appared.

H. STRUNK & HOFFMANS.

628. RARE OPPORTUNITY FOR PROFITABLE IN-

REVENUE EXTENSION SILVER MINING COMP'Y

OF NEVADA. Capital Stock, \$500,000,

Divided into 50,000 Shares, at \$10 each.

OFFICERS: PRESIDENT. Hox. GEORGE P. FISHER, Judge of the Supreme Court, Washington, D. C. VICE PRESIDENT,

Philadelphia. TREASURER, E. B. HARPER, Of Harper, Durney & Co., Bankers, Philadelphia.

T. S. EMERY,

SECRETARY, LOUIS R. McDONOUGH, Philadelphia. SUPERINTENDENT AT THE MINES, D. S. CHILDS,

Mining Engineer, Austin, Nevada. OFFICE,

No. 55, South Third St., Philadelphia

Silver Mining Profitable. That the business of Mining and reducing silver quartz is immensely profitable, is amply attested by the results which have accrued from the mines of Mexico, Peru, Germany, and other silver-bearing countries, and that silver lodes are remarkably rich, as well as numerous, in Nevada, we have the testimony of such eniment and disinterested men as Bishop Simpson, Prof. Silliman, Prof. James, Hon. Horace Greely, Speaker Coffax and Senator Nye, who personally visited and inspected the mines, besides hundreds of other individuals who are now engaged in the business of mining in that State. Prof. Silliman, whist in Nevada delivered a lecture in the city of Austin, during which he said: "We cannot count upon the time when mining will cease to be profitable in these hills." is:"

• Simpson of the Methodist church, in a lectivered in the city of New York, after his rem Nevada, said: "Were the debt of our na 1000,000,000, there is wealth enough there, where

* * * I do not now speak from n. but I speak of that wealth from obs What Dividends may be Expected,

What other Companies are Doing.

y promise of an ultimate success even greater that achieved by the Gould & Curry. For example stock of the Hale & Norcross Company of Nevada

The Natural Conclusion.

It may therefore be safely asserted that no nterprise, requiring the association of capital.

THE REVENUE EXTENSION SILVER MINING

COMPANY

Are the owners of NINETEEN (19) valuable Ledges Are the owners of NINETEEN (19) valuable Ledges amounting to 41,000 linear feet (the chief of which is the Revenue Extension Lead, one of the richest ever discovered in that district) all of which are situated upon the celebrated Lander Hill, near Austin, Nevada. The Hopkins' Tunnel, which commences at the foot of Lander Hill, and will pierce the hill from side to side, running at right angles with the Silver Verus, and will cut in its course upward of one hundred and fifty mines (this number being already located), is also the property of this Company. Work upon this tunnel is being pushed forward with energy, and has already reached upward of three hundred feet.

The Superintendent telegraphs from Austin, Nevada, under date of February 22d, 1866, as follows:

"At work on Revenue Extension Mine: ore taken out to-day assays \$457,45 to the ton. Work on Hopkins' Tunnel advanced 70 feet since lass dispatch (February 2d)."

And again, under date of March 5th, as follows:

"Receipts in buillion \$1,000. Tunnel advanced 109 feet. Revenue shaft 20 feet."

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The Philadelphia Commercial List of March 3d. contains a letter from one of its correspondents, dated Austin, Newada, February 5, 1886, which says:

"At the lower extremity of the city of Austin—quondam Clifton—where Pony Canon debouches into Reese River Valley, a project has been commenced, which, if carried out in accordance with the plan of those who conceived the scheme, will prove one of the most magnificent works of the day, and which exanot fall to handsonedly reward those who push it to completion. I allude to the Hopkins' Tunnel. The Revenue Extension Mining Company, owning this tunnel have a series of ledges lying parallel with each other, located upon the hill, at the foot of which this work commences, and will cut at nearly a right angle each lode with which it comes in contract throughout its entire length, and they can be numbered by the score—the hill being literally seamed with them. *A st his great work progresses, vein after vein of the rock bearing the precious metal will be crossed, at a depth sufficient to render their working profitable, each in succession being cut ets greater depth from the surface than the preceding one, owing to the rising of the hill in which they are located. Upon these veins, after they are crossed, worken can be engaged in extracting the ores upon either side of the tunnel, without in any manner hindering its progress."

The Success of the Company Certain.

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It is thus apparent that the Revenue Extension Silver Miaing Company have progressed so far in their operations that success is not only certain, but actually at the door. Before the close of the coming summer—perhaps by the middle—it will be ranked amongst the DIVIDEND-PAYING companies, and its stock will, in all probability, advance to \$25, \$26, or perhaps even \$100 per share. Therefore, now is the time to invest. Only a small portion of the working capital yet remains unsold, and the Directors are anylous that it should be disposed of immediately, in order that there may be no delay in the prosecution of the work in hand. Hence this advertisement.

Price of shares \$10, free of assessment.

Certificates issued as soon as funds are received.

Persons wishing to invest, whether in large or small amounts, may remit to or address

E. B. HARPER, Treasurer,
No. 55 South Third St. Philadelphia, March 14, 1300.—41.

Philadelphia, March 14, 1300.—41.

POETRY.

BETTER THAN GOLD.

Better than grandeur, better than gold, Than rank and titles a thousand fold, Is a healthy body, a mind at ease, And simple pleasures that always please; A heart that can feel for another's woe And share his joys with a genial glow. With sympathies large enough to enfold All men as brothers, is better than gold.

Better than gold is a conscience clear, Though tolling for bread in an humble sphere. Doubly blest with content and health. Untried by the lust of cares or wealth; Lowly living and lofty thought. Adorn and ennoble a poor man's cot. For mind and morads in nature's plan Are the genuine test of a gentleman.

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Better than gold is the sweet repose
Of the sons of toil when their labors close;
Better than gold is the poor man's sleep
And the bahm that drops on his slumbers deep,
Bring sleeping draughts to the downy bed
Where luxury pillows his aching head
His simple optate labor deems,
A shorter road to the land of dreams.

Better than gold is a thinking mind,
That is the realin of books can find
A treasure surpassing Australian ore,
And live with the great and good of yore,
The sage's lord and the peet's lay,
The glories of empire passed away.
The world's great drama will thus enfold
And yield a pleasure better than gold. And yield a pieastire better than gold.

Better than gold is a peaceful home, Where all the fireside charities come, The shrine of love, the heaven of life, Hallowed by mother, sister or wife, However humble the home may be. Or tried with sorrow by heaven's decree, The blessings that never were bought or sold And centre there, are better than gold.

MISCELLANY.

A Thrilling Narrative-Miraculous Escape

of Parties from a Cave. The Indianapolis Herald of the 12th contains a letter written at Leavenworth on the 8th inst., in which an account of an exploration of the celebrated "Dead Man's Cave," situated near Leavenworth, is given. It contains several thrilling incidents. The exploring party consisted of Major Throckmorton of Louisville, Captain Holcraft, Sheriff Swayne, Dr. E. R. Hawn and Lyman E. Knapp of this place, Mr. Jesse Brandon of Nashville. and the Herald's correspondent. The party proceeded to the subterranean river, which flows through the cave when, says the letter, a consultation was had upon the bank, to determine whether an attempt should be made to

cross in its present swollen condition. Mr. Knapp, Sheriff Swayne and myself suggested an abandonment of the expedition, but were overruled by Dr. Hawn, Major Throckmorton, Captain Holcraft and Mr. Brandon, who while admitting the dangerous charac ter of the attempt, declared they would rather perish than abandon the expedition now, and stand the ridicule which such a movement would entail upon their heads. The boat was accordingly launched, and Captain Holeraft, Dr. Hawn, and myself entered, the doctor playfully remarking that some men The lioness carries her young five in the sound. who were destined to die another death could never be drowned. We According to Jules Gerard, the cubs found the passage much easier than begin to attack animals, as sheep and

we expected. while I grasped the tiller, and the doc- months old. About two years old they tor held aloft the flambeau. A few are able to strangle a horse or camel, vigorous strokes, and, with a sensation and from this time until maturity of relief, we felt the keel grate upon (about eight years,) he adds, they are the pebbles of a sloping bank on the truly ruinous neighbors. They kill not other shore, in still and quiet water. A lustly cheer from the doctor made the cavern ring, and informed the rest attain appears doubtful: Pompey, the of the party that the passage had been safely accomplished. Captain Hol- reached his seventieth year; and fifty eraft then returned, and soon brought | years has sometimes been given as the

over the remainder of the party. Continuing the exploration, the parcovered a deep circular hole, apparently almost bottomless. Stones dropped into its gaping mouth would be heard sullenly plunging from side to side, until the noise of their descent was lost in the abyss far below. Mr. Knapp being the lightest of the party, was let down by a strong cord a distance of some thirty yards, when he vigo-rously signified that he had seen enough by jerking the rope. He was referred to in a figurative manner by drawn up, looking a trifle paler than usual, and declaring that his curiosity find various names used to distinguish had been amply satisfied.

Mr. Knapp said that, after descending a distance of 15 or 20 feet, numerous winged things, apparently bats, emiah li. 38 and Ezekiel xix.; chephir, flitted constantly about his ears, viciously snapping their mandibles to- the most destructive period of his exgether with a devilish sort of twitter. One of these, cold, clammy, and inex-pressibly nasty things alighted on his face and inflicted a severe bite. Mr. K. 3 and 6, ari, a young lion having just paired, as in 2 Samuel xvii. 10 and Numbers xxiii. 24; sachel, a mature linearly fainted with disgust, and declared that if the rope had not been Proverbs xxvi. 13; and laish, a fierce tied under his arms he would have or black lion, as in Job iv. 10 and Prov-

when, upon the earnest solicitation of -are to this day accounted the most Dr. Hawn, the party was persuaded formidable both in north and South Afto continue the explorations a little be- rica. yond, when, says the writer, the most The party entered a new cavern, which suddenly narrowed. Mr. K., going first, passed through the opening on his hands and knees, and entered another large chamber. Dr. H., who is a very heavy man, attempted to fol. much in the style chetahs are used to low, and became inextricably fixed in this day in the Deccan.* If not one the passage. He could neither get of the animals universally regarded as

forward nor back. For three hours sacred in ancient Egypt, the lion still to no purpose.

had been fastened, to use as a crowbar. and sword-handles. With this the doctor might have been extricated, but here a new calamity Africa (besides a considerable destrucmanifested itself. One by one the lamps had burned out, until barely by carrying off and destroying cattle enough oil was left to light us on our way back to the river. The thought than three hundred pounds per annum of being imprisoned in that living tomb was too terrible to be endured, for we knew that, without light, we

could never find our way back. A panic seized upon the party, and hastily leaving the doctor and Mr. K. dogs of all kinds to assail, when in to their fate-for the doctor's body effeetually blocked up the way against Mr. K.'s return—we rapidly retraced enormous strength of the lion, truly our steps, crossed the river, and returned to the town. A supply of oil, tools, &c., were procured, and although fatigued almost to the point of disability, we returned to the cave, determining the strength, such as carrying off eattle, that have come under his obsertity, we returned to the cave, determining the strength and the strength are come under his obsertity. ed to rescue our comrades or perish in the attempt. The river was crossed, and we proceeded to the grand chamber where we had taken our lunch, ac- themselves, are unfounded. We have companied by numerous citizens of ourselves seen a family of lions (they Leavenworth,

we could not find the gallery in which the doctor and Mr. Knapp were entombed. In vain we explored and shouted, until worn out and fainting.
All to no purpose. Nearly three days have passed since we first entered herds of migrating game (antelopes herds of migrating game (antelopes). the cave, and during all that time it has been full of people uselessly huntities so difficult to convey an idea to ing for the two unfortunate men One | the fireside traveller. after another of the various galleries leading from the grand chamber have been explored and blazed with chalk as there is the faintest hope.

here a day or two longer, to do what the men or their bodies are found.

Mr. Knapp has since been found. He wandered about the cavern, and was at last fortunate enough to find in opening in an old sink-hole, where hours after he was left by the party in the cavern. Dr. Hawr had not been discovered at last accounts.

From Every Saturday, April 21, 1866. CONCERNING LIONS.

Lions appear to be monogamous. goats, that stray into their neighbor-Captain Holcraft took the oars, hood, as early as from eight to twelve only to obtain food, but apparently to learn to kill. The age to which lions ordinary limit reached by them; but this, most likely, is over the mark. Dr. party came to a place where was dis- Livingstone has observed that they appear to suffer from loss of teeth as they advance in years. A great number of these animals would appear to have existed in the earlier ages of man's history, and must have presented an important obstacle to the spread

of the human race.

Taking Holy Writ as the earliest record to which we now have access, it is remarkable how often the lion is the lion at different periods of his existence. Thus (according to Dr. Kitto) a young lion just leaving his parents, istence, see Psalm xci. and Ezekiel xix. on, as in Job iv. 10, Hosea v. 14, and erbs xxx. 30. Regarding the last ex-The party having become quite sat- pression we remark, that black lionsisfied with sight-seeing underground, that is, those with a blackish muzzle were about ready to leave for daylight and black tips to the hairs of the mane

Lions appear to have been the object

the party worked incessantly, but all seems to have been a universal favorite, for in every possible form of orna-We sent back to the river and got ment we find the head and claws rethe iron stake, with which the boat produced in water spouts, chair-legs,

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M. Gerard has remarked that, in N. tion of human life) the damage done cannot be estimated at a lower figure for each lion.

Lions appear to attack game by seizing the flank near the hind leg, or the throat below the jaw-points which instinct seems quickly to teach pursuit of larger animals. Dr. Livingstone, while bearing witness to the size, remarks, however, that all the ging or trailing the carcass along the ground. The tales of lions never devouring game save when killed by often hunt in families) in the Trans-But, search as closely as we would, vaal territory quarrelling, like a pack ardsikte (pleuroneumonia) a few days

A point where imagination has wrought wonders is in the matter of the lion's voice. This fancy has been marks, but still the missing men can also demolished by Dr. Livingstone. not be found. We are beginning to To talk of the majestic voice of the ose heart, but will persevere as long lion,' he writes, 'is merely so much mass there is the faintest hope. The guide of the Mammoth Cave, one who could fairly distinguish bein Kentucky, has been sent for to as- tween the roar of the lion and that of ist us in the search. I shall remain the ostrich, although the former appears to proceed from the chest. To ittle I can, and I will inform you if this day, he adds, 'I am unable to distinguish one from the other, except by knowing that the former roars by night

and the latter by day only.'
Jules Gerard is, however, more enthusiastie in his appreciation of the vowas found by a hunter, fifty-six cal powers of his favorites. He remarks that the sound of a lion's voice a league off appears to an inexperienced observer as if close at hand; and that he has frequently tracked lions at a distance of three leagues (nine miles) by the sound of their voices; he also testifies to a certain musical grandeur

months, and has two or three at a birth. Naturalists have generally considered the Asiatic lion as a distinct species from the African, but this appears by no means well decided. There are several varieties of the African lion. The Arabs in North Africa distinguish three—the yellow, the grey, and the black; and M. Gerard states, that while individuals of the two former varieties have been known to roam over immense tracts of country, specimens of the black maned lion have been found to inhabit one spot for over thirty years. Mr. Gordon Cumming, on the other hand, whose opportunities for observing these animals were only second to those of Jules Gerard, states that he is satisfied that the two varieties of South African lion (the Vaal, or yellow, and the Blaauw or Zwaart, pr black) are one and the same species at different ages; that their manes invaribly become darker as they increase in years; and that the thickness of the coat, and the luxuriance of the mane, appear to depend on the nature of the cover frequented by the animals, being always greater where there is least shelter.

* The ancient Egyptians seem to have been very successful in utilizing the Feline generally. In saveral bas-reliefs, fowlers are represented accompanied by cats in place of dogs, and in one, an animal, apparently of that kind, is depicted in the act of retrieving. A tame lion may often be still met with in Cairo, though lions in a state of nature are not found nearer, we believe, than Abyssinia in the present day.

Ain't Yours .- The Auburn Advertiser relates a funny incident that occurred at a ball in that city. A bashful greeny took a lady to a ball, and during the evening he attempted to open a conversation. After fidgeting about he plunged into the merits of the case by remarking, 'It's powerful warm in this room; my shirt's wet, ain't yours.' Her answer is not given.

NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned having taken into partnership A. P. Blymyer, the Dry Goods and Grocery Business is now conducted in the name of George Blymyer & Son. All persons having unsettled accounts on my books are earnestly requested to call and make settlement as a decimal partnership. painful portion of the story commences. of special worship at Leontopolis in make settlement, as I am desirous of closing said books as soon as possible.

GEORGE BLYMYER, Thankful for the liberal patronage hereto fore extended to this establishment, the new firm respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, and will use their utmost endeavors to please all who may favor them with a call.

GEORGE BLYMYER & SON

Lewistown, mar14-2m