which, covered with spines, is represented in Fig. 873; also species of Bellerophon, Euomphalus, Pleurotomaria, Murchisonia, Lower Silurian genera that continue through the Devonian, into, and part of them beyond, the Carboniferous. Among Cephalopods there are species of Orthoceras, Gomphoceras, Cyrtoceras, and the last known of Trochoceras, a Silurian type; also the first known of American Goniatites — G. mithrax H. (Fig. 874), and a variety

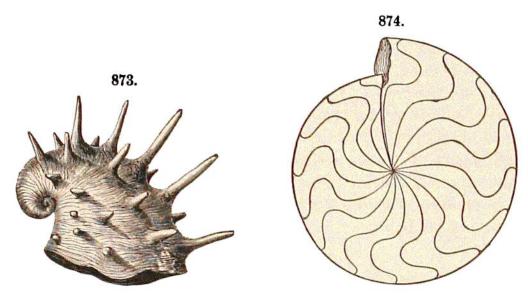


Fig. 878, Platyceras dumosum; Meek. Fig. 874, Goniatites mithrax; Hall.

of *G. discoideus* H. being reported from Ohio. The Goniatites differ from species of the Nautilus family in having the siphuncle ventral, and the margin of the septa deeply flexed. *Tentaculites* of large size also occur, and the related genus *Styliolina* (Fig. 916).

6. Crustaceans. — Trilobites of the Lower Silurian genera, Calymene and Dalmanites, and of the Upper Silurian, Homalonotus, Lichas, Phacops, Proetus, Cyphaspis, are most common. Under some genera there is a large diversification of form in ornamented heads and pygidia. The following figures from Hall and Clarke illustrate some of the forms from the beds of the Early and Middle Devonian. Figs. 875, 876 are heads of species of Dalmanites; 877, 878, pygidia of species of the same genus; 879, the head of an Acidaspis; 880, part of a pygidium of another Acidaspis; 881, 882, heads of species of Lichas; 883, part of a pygidium of a Lichas; 884, pygidium of a Proetus.

The most extravagant of all is  $Lichas\ grandis\ H.$ , which had a pygidium four inches broad armed with seven thorny spines  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, and a grossly protuberant warty head, with a stout spine by the side of each eye. The extremity of the pygidium, restored from an imperfect specimen, is represented in Fig. 883. In contrast with these, other species of Dalmanites and Lichas are very plain. Those of Proetus (Fig. 884) are all primlooking species, with evenly curving outline before and behind.

Crustaceans of the Phyllopod and Ostracoid types are rare. But Barnacles of a peculiar kind occur, imbedded to their upper surfaces in the Corals of