along Lake Pepin, what is known by the name of the Sioux half breed tract or reservavtion.

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But take it all through, Iowa is decidedly the best State for uniform richness of soil, beauty of scenery, Water and Health. tis in my opinion destined to be the greatest Agricultural State in the Union.

## NOTES IN CONNECTION WITH SKETCHES.

Painted Rock or Capeli above Prairie Du Chein on the Iowa Side formerly belonged to the Winebagoes, now Allemakie County.

The Painted boulder represented on the bank is painted and was the Indian God to which their great Medicine men repaired to Conjure. the Rock above is Smothe faced & has a great many animals with Picture writeing on it

Sious Squaws pushing their Canoes across the Mississippi returning with their Children (papoose from the Fort after receiving their rashions &c)

### BATTLE GROUND AT BAD AXE.

Black Hawk & his Indians were encamped on the River bottom. the Regulars came on them by passing through the defiles in the bluffs & forced them through the River to the Island. a Steam Boat was run up and a fire opened on them & the Sioux Indians attacked them as the(y) reached the opposite shore or Island.

# A VIEW ON LAKE PEPIN FROM MAIDEN ROCK.

all the Indian Tribes have the tradition of this Rock and have a great dread in approaching it. tis said to be 300 feet high. the Indian Maid Winona threw herself off this rock.

## BOAT TOWING RAFTS THROUGH LAKE PEPIN.

Red Rock opposite Side of River to Little Crow Village. This place is named from a red rock, a Rock painted red which stands on the Prairie on the Bank of the River. tis Red and Striped with Black & white paint in Picture writing which is Worshiped by the Sioux tis said.

Little Crow Village of Sioux on the West Bank of Mississippi below St Pauls, Minnesote.

Indians encamped on the Shore below Fort Snelling.

Fort Snelling from the beach below the Fort Stands on a Sand rock white as chalk.

Jane M. Cazneau, New York, wife of Genl Cazneau, Mexican Army, taken at Mel Ren Del Ray.

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## PRAIRIE SQUIRREL.

Coloured very much like a gray squirrel with a redish or brown stripe along the side.

Rosin Weed or Compass plant, leaves point due N. & S. cure for bite of Rattle Snake. grows on the Prairies of Iowa.

Iowa or Ioa, English this is the place or no such place.

Minesota, troubled Water or disturbed Water or Water agitated. Mine Water

Sota troubled, disturbed

#### SIOUX LANGUAGE.

Indian Names-Baptieste Winnebego Chief D—53 Crow D---D----D----Capt Jim Broad face D---D---Muscatine in English is Fire Island Indian Names-Ouns cot a ca-Big Bear a Winnebago Chief Hole in the day-Chippaw Chief Wabasha Sioux Chief Six D- D-Whirling Thunder D-Black Dog D— Hard Fish Winnebego Little Hill D---Little Owl Chippawa Chief Wineshiek Sioux D----Yellow Thunder Winnebego White Cloud D---Black Cloud D----D----Little Dick Winnesheck Winnebego Chief Snake Chippawa Melting Snow Chippawa Squaw D---Wapello **D**—

<sup>53</sup>D indicates ditto.

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