SECOND YEAR-NO. 113.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1891.

## SPHINX-LIKE SILENCE

PREVAILS AT WASHINGTON REGARDING

as Received by the State Departm Minister Egan—All Quiet at Secr Tracy's Office Cruisers Concen-trating at San Diego.

ASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The closest stigation fails to disclose any matchange in Chillian affairs today, a the state department and navailals remain in apparent lagorance ows, and maintain that attitude of that has characterized these december of the control of the

of Albert Otterbein charged g an old man of 30 cents on n street, was co cluded in r court yesterday afternoon bught in guilty of assault ence was deferred.

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## MICHIGAN TEACHERS

SECOND DAY OF THEIR ANNUAL STATE

TROUBLESOME REDSKINS

ans number 300. They HURLEY IS MAD.

Not Talking Much, but is Up on Dignity and is Bluffling About Libel Suits.

the Papers on Various Subjects—The Elec-tion of Officers—Rev. Dr. Gunsalu's Lec-ture—Programme for the Final Session this Morning.

Trojan heroes, the adven-e wise Ulysses, Euripides and Lucian are sure to in-

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spilt:
President—Geo. L. Thomas.
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rench; for 18 years of the Kalamazoo

s fair.

F. W. Gunsalus, who was billed are at 7:30, did not get a chance until near 8:30, and the audience etting very uneasy. He is a man manding presence, above the mecight, and a decided brunstle.

appeared to be in excellent conquiuon.

The men commenced lighting at 9:30.

In the first round McAnilff landed twice
on Cardiff's ribs and, Cardiff making a defensive light.

In the second round Joe landed his
Left heavily on Cardiff's jaw, and in the

hugely enjoyed.

Wind and Weather.

Washington, Dec. 30.—For Low
Michigan, generally fair; colder nort
westerly winds.

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## BRITISH STEAMER STRANDED

was but it can be safely said no ever born of the human race, with human thought and spy with human thought and spy outlined to the same of the same o

# THE RUSSIANS ARE RICH SOME General Miles in Washington to Attend a FORMING A NEW PARTY Western FORMING A NEW PARTY Washington, Dec. 29.—Major General Miles, accompanied by Mrs. Miles, arrived hore this afternoon and went immediately to his quarters at the Shoreham. The general declined to comment on the Chilian situation, or the Mexican border, but denied entrophes with the Garza revolutionists on the Mexican border, but denied entrophes with the Garza revolutionists on the Mexican border, but denied entrophes with the Garza revolutionists here by the war department. He came, he said, to attend the wedding fomorrow evening of Miss Rachal Sherman, the relative of himself.

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In give their first almost measurement of the control of the impression of the impre

the Spring Lake Iron company.
The White Sewing machine people
with it stated that Schaaf, the man who
deserted his wife at the Bockel house
was not employed by the company.
The central W. C. T. U. will hold a
special meeting at 2:30 tomorrow after
noon to complete arrangements for the
coming anniversary which occurs early
in January.

puty Sheriffs Leonard, Mosher and rty made a raid last night on a of tramps at the south yards and ght in Casper Bonande, Mike Tim-ian and Will Tunis as trophies of isit.

## MARKETS BY WIRE.

STOCKS-Active, closed strong. GOVERNMENT BONDS-Fours, 117; sixe

4: TTER-Quiet, unchanged. Western. 1523 08-Firm, quiet: Western, 25423c. CHICAGO.

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-The money market was fluctuating, ings were \$14.515.220. New York exmatde premium, and the premium, large all markets started strong and Later all became heavy and rule haveat and pork at the lowest prices the present the strong and th

Sample Cash, 859c; January, 80/c.

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S Pounds Rolled Oats for 25c.

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First-class Tomatoes, Sugar Corn, Lim Beans, String Beans and Green Peas 3 cans for 25c

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