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The Chicago and Pacific railroad was sold at public auction in Chicago, the other day, for \$916,100 cash.

A posse of citizens attempted to arrest a gang of horse-thieves at the home of one Mr. Pierson, in Taney County, Mo. The thieves resisted, and in the melee James Cogburn and Wm. Bates, of the posse, were killed and another severely wounded, and Pierson, of the other side, mortally wounded, and a man named Lockhart killed. The rest of the outlaws escaped.

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Michael Butler's residence, at Grand Rapids, Mich., and all its contents, were destroyed by fire. Two children, little girls aged 3 and 8 months, respectively, were burned in the St. John Baptist, a suburb of Montreal, Canada, destroyed twenty-five stores and dwellings, involving a loss of \$12,000.

## WASHINGTON NOTES.

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