A Curious Sull for Damages.

A judgment against a railway superintendent, in an action for assault and battery, has been reversed by the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, because the plaintiff's counsel, in his argument to the jury, assumed facts to have been proved concerning which no evidence had been taken, and also appealed to prejudices foreign to anything in proof. There was no testimony whatever concerning the ability of the defendant to pay what are called punitive or exemplary damages, yet the counsel for the plaintiff endeavored to supply this want by arguing that as the defendant was in the employ of a great corporation, and that corporation was wealthy and powerful, he was therefore able to pay any judgment that might be obtained against him. Proper exceptions were taken, and the Supreme Court says that enough appears on the record to show not only that the learned counsel commented on facts not in evidence, but that in effect, though not a witness, he testified to facts himself. In reaching the conclusion that the judgment ought on this ground to be reversed, Chief Justice Ryan truly remarks: "Doubtless the Circuit Court can as it did in this case, charge the jury to disregard all statements of fact not in evidence. But it is not so certain that a jury will do so. Without notes of the evidence, it may be often difficult for juries to discriminate between the statements of fact by counsel following the evidence and outside of it. It is sufficient that the extra-professional statements of counsel may gravely prejudice the jury and affect the verdict." This reversal is particularly noteworthy, and derives additional interest from the fact that the plaintiff's counsel is one of the most distin-guished member of the Wisconsin bar.

Dealer in Dead Men.

Chicago, November 3 .- The Tribune's dispatch from Keokuk says it has been discovered that A. Mackey, of this city, has been receiving bodies of recently buried people, graves have been robbed at Beacon, Ia., and the bodies barrelled and shipped. Two barrels were consigned to Mackey on Thursday, but the railroad agent being suspicious opened one and found the body of John Hynes, who had been recently buried near Beacon. Mackey was arrested, but declares that he is innocent. His assertion is discredited, as under his directions the first barrel was taken to the Medical College at Keokuk, where it still remains. The college authorities disclaim any knowledge of the source from which the barrel came.

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A Man Falls in a Vat of Boiling Sugar.

New York, November 4.-This morning Frederick Stelling, a workman in the sugar refinery at the foot of South Second street, Williamsburg, was engaged in stirring up boiling sugar in an immense vat, when, losing his balance, he fell into the seething liquid, which bubbled up about his neck. The agonizing screams of the wretched man for help brought men to his assistance and he was taken out. He was removed to the hospital, but he can scarcely survive his fearful injuries.

Asbury Park, N. Y., November 4 .-At noon to-day two men in a wagon stopped at the half way house, Monmouth county, and inquired for the road to Shark River station. Soon after they had left their horse came back dragging the overturned wagon. A search was made for the men and one of them named Cook, of Long Branch, was found half a mile from the house, in the edge of the woods. He had been stabbed in the throat and was insensible. His companion had fled and a gun which had been seen in the wagon was missing. As there was no physician at the Half Way house it was necessary to send Cook, who was still unconscious, to Long Branch for treatment, and search is being made for his assailant.

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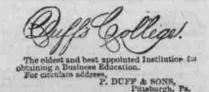
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