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practiced his profession, until chosen circuit judge of the Second Judicial District in 1848, and re-elected in 1851, serving in the double capacity of circuit judge, and associate justice of the old supreme court till 1853, at one time chief justice, and served as circuit judge till his resignation in 1856. He was appointed U. S. district attorney for the Eastern District of Wisconsin in 1871, serving till 1875. His impeachment trial in 1853 was a notable event of the time; he was acquitted of the charges against him.

David Munson, a native of Colebrook, Conn., died at Baraboo, December 11th, in his seventy-fifth year. After residing several years in Alabama he settled at Baraboo in 1848. He served as sheriff of Sauk County in 1852–53, and eight years as town clerk of Baraboo.

Robert H. Millman, a Green County pioneer, died in that county December 18th, in his eightieth year. Born in Delaware, April 6th, 1797, he migrated when a boy to Ohio, afterwards to Indiana, and in 1844, to Green County, Wisconsin.

Judge Thomas P. Russell died at Oshkosh December 22d, aged eighty-four years. He was born at Windsor, Conn., August 31, 1792, removed when young to Vermont, where he served as probate judge sixteen years, and frequently served in one branch or the other of the State legislature. He settled at Oshkosh in 1854.

Father Franciskos Kralczinski, a native of Poland, pastor of St. Hedwig's and of St. Stanislaus churches, Milwaukee, died of heart disease, near the altar of the latter church, immediately on concluding services, December 24th, at the age of seventy-five years. He was found dead, kneeling before a crucifix, with his head resting upon a chair beside him.

Rev. John Gridley died at Kenosha, December 27th, at the age of eighty years. He was one of the first settlers there, and at one time pastor of the Congregational church.

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Prof. James H. Eaton died in Beloit, January 5th, of over-work in his thirty-fourth year. Born in Colchester, Conn., June 21st, 1842, he graduated at Amherst College in 1865, when he spent