

mittee on prehistoric antiquities. These rich additions well repay all the efforts made in their procurement. Our present ancient copper collection now numbers one hundred and ninety articles, besides the forty-eight beads—two hundred and thirty-eight altogether.

*Other Antiquities.*—Red stone pipe, found in Grant County, Wis., by J. D. Wilcox, from Gen. Jas. Sutherland; pipe stone gorget, found in the Potsdam sandstone drift, near Partridge Lake, Waupaca County, five feet below the surface, from Wm. A. Springer, through J. C. Plumb; flint arrow head, found in Norway, Racine County, 1859, from P. A. Aunlee; portion of a tooth of a mastodon, from Dr. M. C. Thompson, Rock Elm, Pierce County, Wis.; a metal hatchet, perhaps of brass and copper, of modern appearance, found in 1866, in an Indian grave in Waupaca County, Wis., with a fragment of its wooden handle attached, with a broken earthen pipe, and some flint arrow-heads, from Mrs. Maria Thompson.

*Autographs.*—The register kept at Wisconsin headquarters, Centennial Exhibition, Philadelphia, 1876, with a separate index to names of Wisconsin visitors—a large volume, with many thousands of names, from Elisha Starr; autograph signatures of Chas. S. Todd and other Kentucky soldiers of the War of 1812, from E. L. Smith; facsimile of autograph letter of Robert Burns, from Miss W. Fillans; lease of land signed by Nathaniel Green and Joseph Green, of Boston, Mass., to Joseph Potwine, of Coventry, Ct., dated Dec. 5, 1770, from W. J. Ellsworth.

*Coin, Medals and Currency.*—A small silver coin of Hamburg, no date; two copper sous, Louis XVI, 1789; skilling, Danske, 1771; and one skilling, Charles Joseph XVI, 1810, all from David Holt; twenty-five-cent silver coinage, U. S. 1877, from T. H. Girard; a large bronze medal, presented by U. S. centennial commissioners to the Wisconsin State Historical Society for collection of prehistoric antiquities; a ten-dollar confederate bill, dated Richmond, Feb. 17, 1864, and twenty-five-cent bill, State Bank of Alabama, Jan. 1, 1863, from J. D. Holman; a collection of bank bills of broken banks, etc., amounting to \$221, from Silas Chapman; seventy-three dollars in confederate bills, from