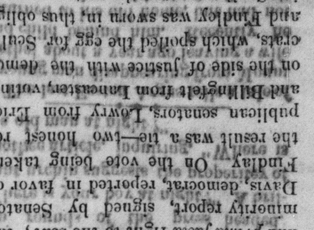

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EDITORIAL ITEMS.

—The Thanksgiving Monitor comes down seventy on a certain D.C. White liners will become better." was the motto of Pinkerton, the prize-fighting detective for his advertising. We have not had time to read his song, and have not yet seen the first "good time" promised by the radical party that they will dissolve the Union and form a confederacy of their own. Now how has this promise been redeemed, as Grant has assured us it would be? Why, by the imposition of new taxes, and the levying of more than ever before. Grant's election, "reflect credit and lustre," as you found them before times," as you found them before the people by this deceptive siren song, the radical office holders, who were high places and laugh at the following, who go hard and hated and hanging, and keep body and soul together. They that they may make ends meet, ry that they may make ends meet, over this bill and that thing, threaten ment among the Mormons is mines to the Salt Lake City says that the excite- destroyed. The fire broke out shortly after midnight in a building occupied by a wholesale dealer, extending from one end of the block to the other.

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The Pope and the Ecumenical Council.

Brussels, January 14.—A private letter from Rome, excellent authority, just received from Rome, says the Pope is changed in the direction of the Ecumenical Council, and will dissolve that body before midsummer.

A Million Fire in Cheyenne.

St. Louis, Jan. 17.—A special dispatch received here this morning from Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory, gives the particulars of an immense fire that occurred there on the morning of the 12th inst., by which property valued at over half a million of dollars was destroyed. The fire broke out shortly after midnight in a building occupied by a wholesale dealer, extending from one end of the block to the other.

Ask any professor or Graduate of any regular College of Pharmacy, ask any regular Doctor, ask the Physicians over this hill and that, they threaten upon peril of life to execute. Brigham Young, in a late sermon, denounced Mr. Culmer and his associates in Congress, and supported this bill, and solicited they were in the hands of the "Evil One," who put them forward to crush out of existence the true religion.

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—The Centre County Teachers' Institute, which meetar Bellefonte last week, was largely attended, and was one of the most interesting meetings of the kind ever held in this county, so far as concerns the attendance of the teachers. We were not able to be present, neither have we yet seen a report of the proceedings, but are told that the Institute was a success in all its deliberations. Some creditable lectures were delivered, and the essays read were mostly of an unusually high order of excellence. Centre county is fortunate in having so many competent teachers, who will compare very favorably with those of any other county of the State. The Institute voted for this purpose, was held in the two Houses, the railroads, with the exception of about a dozen, voted for Mackey, of Tuscarora, who held the office last year. The honest republicans were defeated for Speaker, by the following vote:

—Hon. Harrisburg came the greatly ing intelligence, last week, as we went to press, that the corrupt ring, which had been fattening upon corruption for the last few years, had received two decided thumps at last, from the hands of the democrats and a few honest republicans, who were in the hands of the "Evil One," who put them forward to crush out of existence the true religion.

The counties on the Scull-Finlaying tatives.

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—The passage of the Virginia bill, in the Senate, seems to be doubtful. Buckner is working with all his might to defeat it in the Senate.

—We hear it stated that some five or six business places were closed up here last week, on account of the hard times. Reason—the "good times" promised by the radicals.

—Mr. Bingham introduced a bill to the House to pay to the widow of Mr. Stanton the salary of the Associate Judgeship for one year. Referred to the Judiciary Committee. Mr. Stanton never received a single day on the bench—in fact, his commission was made out by the President after his death, and the wife is not entitled to a single cent. If this bill passes it amounts to robbery of the treasury. Such is radicalism.

VIRGINIA.

On last Friday, the bill to admit Virginia to the Union passed the lower House of Congress by a vote of 142 to 49. The bill goes to the Union for the reconstruction of Virginia on the basis of universal suffrage, and the disfranchisement of the rebels. The Senate will probably pass the bill by a large majority, and Virginia will be admitted to the Union. Then comes Mississippi, Texas and Georgia. Mississippi is the only one of the three that has complied with the reconstruction acts. Texas and Georgia have refused to ratify the fifteenth amendment, and will be kept out of the Union for years to come. Georgia has been guilty of no crime, as the history of the case will show, except that of refusing to ratify the fifteenth amendment. Georgia has a higher standard of honor than to sell her birthright for the mess of pottage offered her by the radicals