WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 27, 1884

PRINCE BISMARCK'S LETTER.

THE following communication from Chancellor Bismarck, dated February 9, is published in the Berlin official Gazette. Whatever may be thought of the correctness of the chancellor's that his letter, as translated, is extremely elegant, as well as courteous, in structure:

"Any recognition in a foreign country of the personal qualities of Germans, especially when made by so important a body as the house of repregratefully accepted the communication made by Minister Sargent and should have asked the emperor to reichstag if the resolution had not object and effect of Lasker's activity which was opposed to my convictions. According to my experience of the political and economic development of the German people, I cannot recogevents I have witnessed would justify. I should not venture to oppose my He has altogether 18,000, against 5, judgment to the opinion of such an 000 British troops. illustrious body as the house of representatives if I had not for more than thirty years active participation in the internal policy of Germany gained experience which justified me in attaching a certain value to my judgment in questions of home affairs. I cannot determine to ask the emperor for the necessary power to communicate the resolution to the reichstag, because I should have officially to advocate before the emperor opin: ions which I cannot recognize as correct."

WEITING of the tomato canning trade, a correspondent of the Packers' Journal says:

Let all packers, city and country, remember that scarcity is their best broker, and over-production the strongest rival in the market. They should never forget that 10 cents per dozen profit on 500 cases is better than five cents per dozen loss on 1000. It might pay some of them to have a couple of illuminated mottoes hung up in the packing house, one of which might read, "God bless our Packing House," and the other, "Don't pack but half the quantity you are tempted to pack," and they would find next winter blessed beyond what this has been, especially if they pick and pack the best." This applies to other branches of the trade besides to-

THE overcrowded condition of the medical profession is attested by a writer in the Chicago Tribune. He places the number of practising physicians and surgeons now in the Glazer, to sell to the highest bidder, at United States at 90,000 or one to every 500 inhabitants. He impresses upon young men the advisability of entering upon industrial rather than professional careers; as industrial avenues offer superior inducements from the fact of their having, com-United States at 90,000 or one to evparatively speaking, but little compe tition. Investigation in other directions would find the same state of things existing in all the professions, which are crowded to repletion.

Among the sensations may be mentioned that a Now York man claims to have in his possession information establishing the fact beyond peradventure that Queen Victoria was secretly married to John Brown shortly after the death of the royal consort. He claims that Beaconsfield discovered this, and through threatening to disclose it secured his advancement. If this should happen to be true,-which it probably is not,the world will never know it "for certain." It would be too shocking to the English nobility.

And now is made the unctuous discovery that the "butterine" shipped to Oregon so extensively from the East and sold at fancy prices, is manufactured in Chicago "to sell." The stuff is half lard and the other half alleged butter by the "worked over" process. It is worth fifteen cents a pound in Chicago and sells for fifty when this side of the Blue Mount-

THE Baker City Tribune is the first Oregon paper to fly a presidentisl flag. On its folds are inscribed, For president, Robt. T. Lincoln, for vice president, Jas. G. Blaine. Take Lincoln's name out push Blaine's name to the front, supplement it with Miller of California, and you have a ticket that would carry this coast by a handsome majority.

ARGUING from a bread and butter stand point the Tacoma Ledger pleads that the railroad grants be not forteited, and as a clincher avers that the present effort to declare that the land shall revert to its owners, the people, is simply a desire to cinch the railroad company.

A RECENT blunder in enacting a territorial legislative bill allows Washington Territory residents no exemptions whatever except they be teamsters or draymen the result of crude and hasty attempts at leg-islation.

Ir President Arthur were but married his chances for succeeding himself would be improved 1000 per cent.

Two latest charge against Presi dent Arthur is that he believes in LESS THAN COST. spirits. Who doesn't?

The Roseburg Plaindealer is authoritatively informed that Hon. E. B. Watson, the present chief justice of the supreme court is not a candidate for re-election. From other sources THE ASTORIAN learns that the Judge would not be averse to congressional honors. But Western Oregon has a man for the place this time, a man who will fill the position with credit to himself and satisfaction to the entire state -- Hon. C. W. Fulton

An Egyptian dispatch of the 25th position, it must be acknowledged says: Great uneasiness is felt here at the report that powerful Arab tribes who occupy the territory between Khartoum and Wady Halfi and eastward as far as Norber, have revolted. If this is true General Gordon, with Khartoum and other garrisons, are cut off. Eli Mahdi's emissentatives, is gratifying to our saries are going throughout the whole national feelings. I should have of Egypt, bearing the simple message "I am coming. Be ready."

THE verdict of "murder in the first degree" brought in by the Portland empower me to present it to the jury in the Murray-Yenke trial will go far toward checking the growing contained an opinion regarding the feeling in our state regarding the manifest weakness of jurors in dodging a verdict in accordance with the law and the facts.

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Notice to the Public.

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Astoria, January 94th, 1884.

Notice.

THE MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF
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J. R. HIGGINS, Acting School Clerk, Astoria, February 6, 1884.

School Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LE. gal voters of School District No. 1, Clast-sop county, Oregon, will be held at the new school building in said district, on Monday March 3, 1884, at 7 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing one director to serve for three years, and one clerk to serve for one year.

ear.
By order of the Directors,
J. O. BOZORTH,
Clark,

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
undersigned has been appointed the assignee of L. J. Arvold, and all persons having claims against said I. J. Arvold are not tiled to present the same duly verified to me at my office in Astoria, Oregoa, within three months from this date, January 5th. 1884.

d-6w Assignee of L. J. Arvold,

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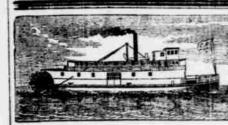
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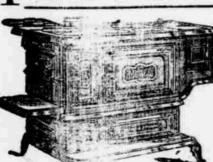
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