

Bismarck After Denmark.

After Prussia, with Austria, had overrun Schleswig and Holstein, and forced the gallant little kingdom of Denmark to terms which she could no longer resist, a clause in the treaty was equivalent to a pledge that the northern or Danish portion of Schleswig should be restored to Denmark after certain preliminary arrangements should have been made.

A telegram from Washington informs us that the Pacific coast has eight "life-saving stations." How many of these are provided with boats, and how many hours would it take to get the crew together and launch a boat at the few stations that are equipped?

A Stormy Passage.

The British bark Highmoor, Capt. Bailie, arrived at San Francisco on Friday last, 100 days from Banjiewangoe, Java. The log shows that the vessel encountered considerable stormy weather in crossing the Pacific, and sustained considerable damage on the 14th of December.

Mr. A. R. Shipley who has been on a mission to the states beyond the Rocky mountains in connection with the National Grange of Patrons of Husbandry, returned to Oregon by the steamship Oregon, and is now at Astoria weather-bound, waiting for transportation to Portland.

In consequence of so much "lightning" striking in one place, and all about the same time, we have been compelled to neglect correspondence and much other matter for our columns of more importance, in our humble opinion, than anything the wires have yet brought to us.

sent to us and is called telegraphic news. We would consider it worse than money wasted to pay the printers for setting it up in type,—but then that is only our view! The public want telegraphic news, so here goes; but we shall be glad when the freeze is over with, so that we may take just so much of that sort of stuff as we like, and no more.

WINTER.

Who does not love the winter. The hope, the song, and the play, The jolly, joyous winter. The jingling bells and the sleigh? Who does not love the winter. The white and beautiful snow, The gay and festive winter.

Week of Prayer.

The members and friends of the Congregational, Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches will observe the week of prayer by a series of union meetings to be held as follows: Wednesday evening Jan. 8th, at the Congregational church. Subject, "Christian education; the family; the young; colleges; seminary of learning; Sabbath and other schools; Christian associations of young men and young women."

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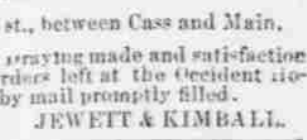
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