JJULY 12, 1864 THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE.

GROVER CLEVELAND, the present governor of New York, was nominated as the democratic candidate for the presidency on the second ballot at Chicago yesterday, so the campaign may now be said to be fairly begun. The smut machine will be at once put in motion and the dirt will be thrown at him and Blaine till next November. The "Mulligan letters" will be given great prominence in attacking Blaine; all the little charges that can be made will be brought out to show that he shouldn't be elected. Against Cleveland there will be an even grosser attack: his private character will be assailed; he will be accused of licentiousness. Documents and affidavits will be published in New York this morning charging him with all sorts of licentious doings. And so it goes. A man who is one day a good citizen and a clever business man, is the next day a target for all the mean things that can be said about him. "'Tis true, 'tis pity; pity 'tis, 'tis true." A presidential campaign means a tremeridous amount of scandal, exaggeration and downright lying.

It will be interesting to note the different phases of the coming fight. Harper's Weekly will endorse Cleveland and aid him to the utmost; John Kelly will do all he can to beat him. He is worth 50,000 votes to Blaine in New York. Whether the defection of for a few hundred dollars and afterseveral prominent republican journals wards sold by the army surgeon for in that state will send 50,000 voters out of the republican party into the democratic ranks for the time is something of transcendent importance, for as things go, New York's all, have some money laid up against thirty-six electoral votes will decide the result. The republicans need them; the democrats must-have them. In the meantime the July run of buffaloes remains in Texas. This of salmon in the Columbia is very has been feeding on the Pecos river, good, the fruit crop looks well, en- in the Staked Plains region, but a couraging reports come regarding the band of hunters is hovering about it grain yield, the general health of the continually, killing the snimals as community is good, and on the 4th of fast as the meat can be cared for, and November 1,700 voters of Clatsop its days are numbered. This is the county, with 10,000,000 others, will remnant of what was known a few definitely settle the question as to whether the republicans shall retain or the democrats regain control of the union

WHAT IS DISCOUNT.

In answering an inquiry, the New York Journal of Commerce says The word "discount" has almost wholly lost its technical meaning. It best time on record. was originally used to describe an allowance made for the payment of money before it came due, and in this sense is as much as that money, if put to interest, would gain in the same time and at the same rate. Thus \$100 present money will pay a Scotland. debt of \$106 due one year hence, the discount being made at 6 per cent. The discount, in this sense, on any sum is less than its interest. Thus the discount on \$100 due a year hence is \$6, while the interest is \$6.36. But the interest laws of the several states have allowed the banks to deduct the interest instead of the discount; and to pay the borrowed instead of the "present worth" only the net remainder after such deduction. Thus a man makes a note for \$1,000 twelve months, and gives it to a bank for discount, instead of paying him \$943.30, which is a sum that at 6 per cent. would amount to \$1,000 in a year, they give him only \$940, thus charging him more than 6 per cent, for the sum he receives. In plain terms, they deduct the interest instead of the discount. Out of this has grown the modern use of the word discount, which has simply come to mean a deduction of a given rate per cent. from a given princidal. To "discount a note at 6 per cent." is now only to take off 6 per cent. interest. To allow a discount is to take off the rate from the face of the sum. According to the provisions of the

shipping bill recently passed by congress, in lieu of a tax of 30 cents a ton, only 3 cents a ton and not to ex- Cor. Squemoque and Olney streets, Astoria ceed in the aggregate 15 cents a year on vessels entering ports of the United States from North or Central American ports, the West Indies, Bahama, Bermuda, Sandwich or Newfoundland, will be charged, and a duty of 6 cents and not to exceed in the aggregate 30 cents on vessels en- Foreclosure of Chattel Mortgage, tering from any other port every time they enter.

RUSSIAN progress in the far East is again attracting much attention in diplomatic circles It is believed in England that Russia, being emboldened by the success of France in Tonquin, is deliberately attempting to pick a quarrel with China, in the expectation of adding to Russian territory in Asia. Frequent collisions have occurred on the Russo-Chinese frontier, and there are other indications of sezious hostilities.

New York receives 300 barrels a week of a white mineral from Mount Mitchell in western North Carolina. which is called "deception rock," be-cause it can be crushed into a powder and safely used to adulterate sugar.

For the first six months of the year 29,782 European immigrants have been landed at New York, being an increase of 1,491 over the corresponding period last year.

EXCHANGING REGIMENTAL STA. O. R. & N. CO.

GENERAL SHERIDAN has shown Exercision Tickets from Astoria to Portland signs since he took hold of the army of an intention to pursue a vigorous policy. For one thing, he has been astonishing the army by ordering a THE FAST ELEGANT STEAMER series of exchanges of stations between regiments in the east and regiments in the west. He believes that, for their mutual good and for the good of the service, exchanges of stations should be more frequent. An exchange means a great deal to the regiments concerned. One has been perhaps ten years at some eastern post-Fort McHenry, Baltimore, for example. It has taken root. Sud-denly, often with very little warning, it must go out in the Indian country to resume routine of life under totally different conditions. At the same time a regiment which has been a fix-ture for a decade in New Mexico or Montana comes into civilization again. It is often quite as disagreeable for the western regiment to come east as for the eastern regiment to go west. "Why, sir," said an old army officer recently, "if the regiment at Fort Blank, Dakota, were ordered east today it would bankrupt every office: in its roster. Every one of them has some local scheme for making money -farm, or a mine, or a herd of cattle, or something that they could not give up without great loss. From time immemorial army officers always have done a little money making as they went along out on the plains. Take Dodge City, Kansas That is built on a townsite purchased by an army surgeon from a squatter more than \$50,000. That's one of numerous cases. Most of those officers who have been long in the west,

retirement day." It is said that only one small herd years ago as "the great southern herd."

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Notice of Assignment.

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In the matter of the Estate of McCurties and Holt, insolvent debtors:—Assignee's notice of appointment.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereto gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of McCurtie and Holt, insolvent debtors of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon. where they have any shrewdness at Oregon.

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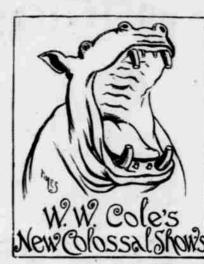
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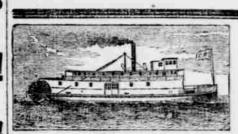
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