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which state led the unification of Germany?

Ans.

Prussia

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Who was proclaimed the German Emperor in a ceremony held at Versailles on January 1871?

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King William I of Prussia.

③ Massacre in process of
unification of Germany

Ans. (i) Nationalistic feeling were
widespread among middle-
class Germans, & came on
1848 tried to unite the
different regions of the
German Confederation into a
national state governed by an
elected parliament.

(ii) They were supported by the
large landowners (called
 Junkers) of power.

(iii) Prussia took on the leadership
of the movement for
national unification.

(iv) Its chief minister, Otto
von Bismarck, was the

~~directed~~ as chief of the process by the help of Prussian Army and Russian army.

- (ii) Three wars over seven years with Austria, Denmark and France — ended in Prussian victory and completed the process of unification.
- (iii) In January 1871, the process being complete was proclaimed as German Emperor.