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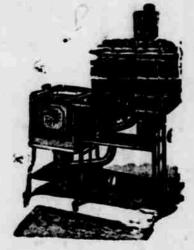
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He has resisted Russian aggression; he

story of Silvnitza. an hour ear ing service.

stirring.

The roar of the cannon was plainly

In their anxiety they applied to the Russian diplomatic agent for advice. That gentleman shrugged his shoulders and said it was no affair of his.

"But," urged the Bulgarian ministers,
"the Servians are almost at our gates.
You could stop them with a single word
if you would."

"Yes, but that word will not be spoken, not though they were actually entering the city with your prince a prisoner, as indeed they soon will do. On one con-dition only will I stop them, and that is that your beggar of a prince shall abdi-

"And that," thundered Stambuloff, "he will not do—no, not for 20 Russias!"
With that Stambuloff sprang into
the saddle and dashed away to the battlefield, while the Russian agent sent for
his friends to come to his house and help
him celebrate the defeat of the Bulgarian

A few hours passed, and then the Bul-garian foreign minister got a telegram from Stambuloff, dated on the field of battle, telling of Prince Alexander's magnificent victory and of the utter rout

He hurried with it to the house of the Russian agent, arriving there in the midst of the festivities. And when he told the news the representative of the czar ground his teeth with rage. As the world knows, Prince Alexander

lost his throne because he neglected to prime minister.

of Bulgaria and the chief guardian of the and strength. Three bottles of elec- excursion tickets at one fare and one-

How daring and vigorous the minister is in his great work has again been shown

There was, for example, the arrest of

The major's wife, with a loaded pistol in her hand, admitted him.

Recognizing him and divining his errand, she raised the weapon to fire. He looked at her, and her arm fell, and she turned away. Then Stambulof went up to Panitza's room. He found him in

bed, a loaded revolver at his side.
"Major Panitza," said the minister calmly, "get up, dress yourself and come with me."

The desperado grasped his revolver. The minister folded his arms and looked at him as Marius looked at the slave who came to slay him. Panitza laid down the wespon, rose, dressed himself and followed his captor to prison.—Melbourne Argus.

Proposals will be received by the nayor and chairman of the fire and light committee of the city of Rock Island, Ill., until Jan. 25, 1894, at 5 o'clock p. m., for supplies needed in the extension of the tire department of said city, viz:

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At Trinity church, Rev. R. F. Sweet, S. T. D., rector, Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Matins, sermon and celebration at 10:45 a. m. Even song at 7:30 p. m. He Makes a Statement of Vital In-

At the First Methodist, Rev. I W. Merrell, pastor, will preach at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Lost Oppor-tunities"—a New Year's Sermon.

against him.

He has resisted Russian aggression; he has beaten Servia in the field and Greece in the courts; he has made his sovereign's throne secure; he has made Bulgaria a nation and created a national public spirit, and he has, at less than 40 years of age, placed himself worthily in rank among the leading statesmen of Europe.

One of his most dramatic passages at arms with Russia occurred during the war with Servia, when the czar "showed his hand" in a decidedly offensive manner. Stambuloff has told many times and seems never weary of telling the story of Siivnitza.

In that hattle the destinice of Bulgaria a nour earlier than usual. No evening service.

In that battle the destinies of Bulgaria and Servia were to be decided. Prince Alexander had gone out to lead the Bulgarian army in person, leaving Stambuloff in charge at home.

It was a brilliant day, with a cloudless sky and scarcely a breath of wind stirring.

At the Broadway Presbyterian, Rev. W. S. Marquis, pastor. The pulpit will be accupied at 10:45 a. m. by Rev. Graham Lee, of Seoul, Corea, who will speak on "Corea, Its People and Customs, and the Mission Work" Young People's proving at 5:45 p. m.

At the First Baptist, preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Taylor, Ph. D. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., C. W. Williams, superintendent B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. leader, O. L. Benway. Topic, "The Year's Retrospect." Sunday school at 11-12 day school at 11-12 da chapel at 3 p.m., F. M. Sinnet, superintendent. Gospel service in the chapel at 7:30 p. m. No evening service in the church on account of the temperance meetings.

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E. D. W. Holmes, Agent. Major Panitza, who was at the head of boxes of Buckley's Arnica salve, and the most dangerous and powerful plot his leg is sound and well. John ever organized against the prince.

Stambuloff finally settled the matter by making the arrest himself alone. At midnight he knocked at Panitza's door. The major's wife, with a loaded pistol in her hand, admitted him.

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