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50 kind. FORD Lindsay

Austria and Russia Present to Porte Identical Memoranda.

Reforms Do Not Affect the Sultan's Prerogatives, or Wound the Religious Susceptibilities of the Mussulmans-Several Bulgarian Bands of 250 Each Well Equipped-4,000 Armed Macedonlans 40 Miles From Sofia.

ed the coffers of Solomon.

Ar cient Smelters.

The ancient smelting furnaces are

still easy to recognize. They are sunk

into the floor. The furnace blowpipes

are made of the finest granite-powder

cement, and the nozzles of the blow-

gold. The linings of the holes are

covered with specks of gold. When

heat, a fresh lining of cement of an

excellent quality, which has outlast-

ed time, was smeared around on top

of the old lining. One can take an

old lining, split off the layers with

How Ancients Wasted Gold.

Apparently the ancients wasted

gold lavishly. Gold has been found

in large quantities in the form of

peliets as large as buckshot in the

vicinity of the furnaces, and also

thrown away on the debris heaps

The tools of the ancient workers

which have so far been discovered in-

clude a small soapstone hammer and

burnishing stones of water-worn

rock, to which gold still adheres.

carried on an extensive industry in

the manufacture of gold ornaments

and utensils. Thirty-five thousand

dollars' worth of gold ornaments

have been taken in the last five years

from the ruins of Matabeleland

Old-Fashioned Girl Made New.

coming into fashion. It may be so-

it all depends. But we doubt if the

latest form of feminity will take the

shape of a revival. An adaptation,

perhaps, of a modification, or a re-

vised edition. But a mere replica-

No! Women have their phases, like

gender, but, unlike the lunar planet,

they never repeat themselves. The

early Victorian girl was a sim-

pering, giggling, blushing, fainting,

Victorian Miss was a thing of

bustles, chignons, sprightliness, arch-

ery meetings, and dawning emanci-

pation. The later Victorian New Wo-

man was composed of platform

phrases, cropped hair, thick boots,

er, in fact, has there been such an

lists, or, say, a few side-lights by a

to Arcadian simplicity, which will

Corydon will apprepriately re-ap-

their blue-ribboned era, as the paint-

Hanged and Buried, Yet Lived.

was executed at York in 1634 for

gentleman passing by the grave,

which had not been filled up, thought

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nearly an hour, it was buried.

done horizon.

pear attuned to the surroundings of

People say the old-fashioned girl is

outside of the old buildings.

a knife and find gold splashes

abundance.

pipes are covered with splashes

Constantinople, Feb. 23.—The Austrian and Russian Ambassadors presented Saturday to the Grand Vizer identical memoranda embodying the demands for reforms in Macedonia. The proceeding was of a semi-official

The chief proposal made in the memoranda is the appointment of an inspector-general for three years, with ample powers to act indepenpriate to present as tokens of dently, and to requisition troops in case of emergency. The plan of re-Handsome Watches, Diamonds and forms also provides for the re-organprecious stones of all kinds and ization of the gendarmerie and police under instructors, for administrative and financial reforms and for a more equitable collection of taxes. These reforms do not affect the Sultan's prerogatives, or wound the religious susceptibilities of the Mussulmans.

Concentration of Macedonians.

Vienna, Feb, 23.-It is reported that the Macedonian Leader Sarafoff has organized within the past fortnight several well equipped Bulgarian bands in Macedonia, each consisting of about 250 men. The Neue Freie Presse learns that 4,000 armed Macedonians are concentrated 40 miles from Sofia, and are preparing to attack the town of Melnik, in the Turkish Province of Seres. There is an unconfirmed rumor that the Albanians have attacked the Roumanian Consulate at Mitrovitza, Tur-

Date of the Revolution. London, Feb. 23.-The New York Sun correspondent has wired his paper that the date of the Macedonian revolution is fixed for the last week Wholesale and Retail dealers in Sait in March.

over 100 carloads handled during 1902 25,000 Redifs Moving. Constantinople, Feb. 23. - The Smyrna-Kassaba Railroad Company has been instructed to prepare for the transportation of 25,000 Redifs, to reinforce the third army corps at

point on the Grand Trunk. (Northern Salonica. London, Feb. 21.-According to a despatch from Sofia, published in this morning's Morning Leader, des-HARDWOOD LUMBER WANTED perate fighting has occurred between a small band of revolutionaries and Basswood, Elm and Birch (cut to 800 Turks in a defile close to the Village of Berik, near Kastoria, Al-The Turks had 90 killed. The insurgents lost heavily, but suc-All kinds of Logs wanted at ceeded in gaining the mountains.

PRETENDER CRUSHED.

Sultan's Commander Says Situation Is Very Satisfactory.

Tangier, Morocco, Feb. 23.-A despatch from Fez, dated Feb. 16 and received here Saturday, says General Sir Harry Maclean (commander of the Sultan of Morocco's Bodyguard), in an interview describes the situation as very satisfactory. He considers that the power of the pretender, Bu Hamara, who, according to these advices is reported lying wounded near Tazza, has been completely crushed, and the Moroccan War Minister, El Menebhi, was advancing at the head of a large force, punishing in turn the rebellious tribesmen.

Tangier, Feb. 20 .- A despatch from Fez, dated Feb. 13, announces that a column of troops, under the command of El Menehbi, the Moroccan War Minister, has defeated a section of the Hiaina tribe. Many heads of the killed have arrived at Fez to decorate the city's gates. The reports of the defeat of the Sultan's troops by the Hiaina tribe are now con-

tradicted. Madrid, Feb. 21 .- A despatch received here from Tangier, Morocco, says it is persistently reported there that El Menebhi, the Minister of War, was killed in battle Feb. 12.

TWO TRAINS FROZEN IN.

100 Passengers Fast Without Food in Uninhabited Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfid., Feb. 21. - Two passenger trains are frozen in snow banks in the almost uninhabited interior of Newfoundland. They have one hundred persons on board, who are short of pro-One train, the farthest from relief, has only two days' food. The relief trains were also blocked. One relief engine was ditched yester-Call and leave your orders before day, and most of the working party

of 30 men were frost-bitten. St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 23.-Relief parties with fool yesterday reached the trains which are snowbound in the interior, and supplied them with provisions. The nearest train was freed yesterday afternoon and start-ed for St. John's. The relief train is forging its way forward, trying to clear the track to enable the other price of all our readymade two blocked trains to move east. It goods, such as Overcoats. is impossible to say when they will be released, as the drifts are very Reefers, Ulsters and Men's

OLD AFRICAN GOLD MINES. Evidence of Extensive Operations Carried on Many Years Ago.

Rhodesia, or British Zambecia, ranks among the chief gold-bearing countries of the world. The ancients mined and carried away enormous Our waggon will be tak- quantities of the precious metal, but under the scientific mining systems of the present day their operations ing its regular route in the will be greatly surpassed. In the re-Spring, and solicit your pat- cently published work on the "Anthors, Messrs. Hall and Neal, endeavor to discover who the ancients were and whither the gold went.

King Solomon's Mines. Perhaps Rhodesia was the ancient land of Ophir, the land of the mysterious "King Solomon's, mines."

by some investigators. The ancient without any coffin. The man was gold workings are the besis of mod- carefully treated, and entirely recovern workings. For every ten square ered. He became hostler at the miles of Rhodesia there was one an- | coaching-house in York and lived a cient mine, that is, there are 75,000 most exemplary life. When asked what he could tell in relation to pendous wealth was dug out of the hanging, as having experienced it, earth before the days of Cecil replied: "That when I was turned Rhodes. Much of this wealth must off flashes of fire seemed to dart from have gone to the north and east; it my eyes, from which I fell into a was probably wrought into the state of darkness and insensibility." crown of the Queen of Sheba and fill-

> Uncomfortable Position. Finnicus-I wonder why it is that those who attain the pinnacle of success never seem to be happy. Cynnicus-Because the pinnacle of

success is like the top of a particularly tall lightning rod with a particularly sharp point, and those who succeed in perching temporarily upon it usually find that they are targets for all the the first lining became worn by the world's lightning .- Town and Country.

> The Boast of an Expert. "This, ladies and gentlemen, is the celebrated trick mule, Dot," said the clown as the animal was led into the ring. "After many years of effort I am able to say I can make him do any-

thing he wants to."

The Auctioneer. Said a conscientious auctioneer: "Ladies and gentlemen, there is no sham about these carpets. They are genuine tapestry carpets. I bought them from old Tapestry himself."

Disinterested Friendship. The majority of men recognize nothing in human affairs as good unless it There are evidences that the ancients yields some return, and they love those friends most-as they do their cattlefrom whom they hope to obtain the most profit. Thus they lack that loveliest and most natural form of friendship which is sought for its own sake only, nor do they know from experience how beautiful and how lofty such friend-

> Happy Day. "What are you writing?" asked the

"Just dropping a line to my governor, wishing him many happy returns of the day," replied the sophomore. the moon and other creations of the "Why, is this his birthday?"

"No; pay day He sent a check this morning." A SWORD OF HONOR.

ringleted, champagne-bottle shoul-It Was the Means of Bringing Mardered, white-stockinged, cloth-booted, impeccable nonenity. The midshal Ney to Death.

A saber of honor brought Marshal Ney to dishonor and death. When Napoleon entered Cairo on the 22d of July, 1793, he was presented with three swords of honor richly inlaid with preformless arguments, affected animad- clous stones. He brought them back version of the tyrant man, and de- to Europe, and in 1802 he gave one to spair of the matrimonial estate. We Ney and another to Murat, keeping the to-day are full of "smart" ambi- third for himself. Ney received his at tions, overflowing with smart slang, an imperial reception. The sword weighted down with smart bills ler passed from one to another of those present, among whom was a young smart clothes, compelled to live in subaltern of the Auvergne regiment. tion of our less smart incomes. Nev-When Napoleon escaped from Elbe, Old Man of the Sea as this fetish of Ney left the Ring and took sides with smartness that we have been hugging his former chief. After the allies ento our souls-or what represents tered Paris, New made preparations to them-for the last dozen years. Not | get out of the country, but his wife and to be smart is to be socially dead, a friend persuaded him that there was and to be socially defunct it were really no danger, and he decided to rebetter never to have been born. So main in France. Then came the order says the modern Saga. With what for his arrest. He fled to a castle in result, one need not add. A glance at the possession of some friends and sucnames gracing the Bankruptcy Court ceeded in reaching it without his prestax-collector, and the plaints of un- ence being known. One day, feeling paid tradespeople would afford some tired, he threw himself on a couch, first contemporary history full of thrilling taking off his oriental sword, which he situations and go far to explain to always wore out of affection for the future generations the curious fever- emperor. Hearing voices, he sprang heat with which the desire to be up and hurriedly left the room, forgetsmart has afflicted this Edwardian ting his sword. A minute later a par-Meanwhile, as one swing of ty of women and men entered the room, one of them being the young subaltern the pendulum inevitably induces another, we are promised a retrogression of the Auvergne regiment, now a colonel. He at once recognized the sword "Bridge" after a.m., introduce the and, calling in some gendarmes, prodislodge made-dishes, banish cult of mere muslin frocks' and leav- ceeded to search the premises. Finding en our erotic literature with the that he was discovered, Ney gave himheavenly manna of Jane Austen and self up quietly. On Dec. 7, 1815, the Alfred Austin. What is to be done marshal, whose sobriquet was the with Ladies' Club and private tele- Brayest of the Brave, the hero of a phones has not yet come up for dis- hundred battles, was shot. Scarcely two months after the owner of the seccussion; but, doubtles, Phyllis and ond sword, Murat, had met his fate in

ed fans and mouches nires of Pier-An Alliterative Poem on Pigs. rot and Pierrette recede on this over-One of the book collectors of Philadelphia has in his library a volume of Latin jokes that was printed in Ger-It is not given to many men to be many in 1703, says the Philadelphia hanged and buried, and yet be able Record. The name of this volume is to tell the tale, but such was thex-"Nugæ Venales," and it contains a perience of one John Bartendale, W.o. poem 300 lines long wherein every word-every single word-begins with felony. After his body had hung for the letter "p."

Even the title page of the poem contains only "p'e." It reads: "Pugna Porcorum, per Publium Por-

he saw the earth move, and with the ium, Poetam" ("The Battle of the help of his servant, he disinterred Pigs," by Publius Poreius, poet). the convict, who was still alive. It Here are two lines of the poem that how how strange alliteration, so heavv laid on, appears:

briege porcorum pulcherrima proclia, Ptando poteris placidam proferre poesim. lmost incredible is the patience that mst have been required to compose th work of 1,500 words, every one of wich begins with a "p."

Spoiling a Tragedy. Along theatrical anecdotes a time honsed chestnut is that which belongs to th tent scene in "Richard III." The story is told of Barry Sullivan, to whon it probably occurred. Anyhow the nrator has thrown in a repartee that icharacteristic enough of the famous ish tragedian.

"Wh's there?" exclaims Richard at the collusion of his dreaming. Catesby in h excitement stammered out his answerand abruptly stopped in the middle this phrase, "'Tis I, my lord, the ear village cock."

They build up the run down sys-Morrosoness, Electicosess, Brain

Norvesoness, Electicosess, Brain

Frig. Polipitation of the Heart, After

pect of he officer for a few seconds

with a adonic grin, as if enjoying the

actor's any, and then growled in an

and an technic pun down.

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