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Imported Dress Goods of the Latest Designs, and  
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**Very Special---Saturday, April 4.**

The duty on Refined Sugars is abolished; to celebrate this important event we will give away TO-MORROW, ONLY,  
34 lbs Granulated Sugar, with one pound of our famous Mixed Tea, 50c., or  
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Our assortment of Wash Fabrics, such as Ginghams, Seersuckers, Cambric and  
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A mistake you will make, if you buy Matting before examining our stock. Our as-  
sortment is the largest, and our prices we guarantee the lowest.  
We are selling for 25c a full regular fast black Stocking for Ladies. Extra fine they  
are, and color warranted.  
We shall offer this week another lot of Granite Ironware, slightly imperfect, at half  
the regular price.  
Housekeepers should have in mind that we keep most everything in Crockery, Tin-  
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We call special attention to our extra fine White Porcelain Dinner Sets that we are  
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## STATESMEN CONFER

Great Britain's Representa-  
tives Call on Mr. Blaine.

QUICK AND SECRET BUSINESS.

Those Who Took Part in the Conference  
Decline to Give Any Information.

Outline of the President's Trip to the  
Pacific Slope and Back--Supervising  
Architect Windrim to Go to Philadelphia  
--Treasury Officials Fleeted With the  
New Immigration Law--Kinsaid's Trial.

WASHINGTON, April 3.--There was a sig-  
nificant conference at the State Depart-  
ment between Secretary Blaine, Sir Julian  
Pauchofote, the British Minister, and Sir  
Charles Tupper, who was associated  
with Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Seckville  
in negotiating the North Atlantic fish-  
eries treaty which was concluded some  
three years ago but which was rejected by  
the United States Senate. Sir Charles is  
now the Canadian High Commissioner in  
London, England.

What the result of the conference was  
cannot be ascertained. All those who  
took part in it decline to give any in-  
formation about it at present.

It may have been in relation to the  
Behring Sea seal fisheries question, but  
that is not probable, because at the  
present stage of the negotiations, when  
Blaine and Salisbury have met about  
have way on the question of impartial  
arbitration, it is hardly possible to be  
for an assistant of Sir Julian to appear on  
the scene.

It cannot have been in relation to the  
Sayward case in the Supreme Court, be-  
cause nothing could be done in that mat-  
ter in the absence of Mr. Choate and Mr.  
Caldwell Carlsile, the counsel in the case.

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lantic fisheries, but which was rejected by  
the conference is more likely to have been  
to make preliminary arrangements for the  
negotiation of a commercial reciprocity  
treaty with Canada.

One thing is certain--the conference  
was confidential as far as it went. For  
Sir Charles Tupper has left the city for Can-  
ada. It was quick business. His move-  
ments in Canada will be watched with  
interest.

## THE CALIFORNIA TRIP.

Cities Where the President Will Stop on  
His Visit to the Coast.

WASHINGTON, April 3.--The itinerary of  
the President's trip to California, as  
announced at the Executive mansion, is  
as follows:

He will leave Washington on Tuesday  
morning, April 14, and will travel South-  
ward. The following cities will be brief-  
ly visited: Reno, Nev.; Chattanooga,  
Tenn.; Atlanta, Ga.; Birmingham, Ala.;  
Memphis, Tenn.; Little Rock, Ark.; Dal-  
las, Texas, reaching Galveston, Texas, on  
Saturday night. They will leave Galveston  
on Monday morning and go to El  
Paso, Texas, and Los Angeles, Cal.  
California will be entered about Tues-  
day or Wednesday of the second week.  
California will take about a week's time,  
short tours being made through the State.  
From San Francisco the party  
will go to Fortuna, Ore.; Olympia and  
Fugate Sound, and at the latter place a  
turn homeward will be made, taking in  
Boise City, Ogden, Salt Lake, Pueblo,  
Denver, Hastings, Omaha, Moberly,  
Springfield, and Indianapolis, spending  
the last Sunday, May 10, there. From  
Indianapolis the next move will be made  
to Washington, which will be reached in  
about a month from the start.

Secretary Tracy will accompany him,  
also Private Secretary Halford or Marshall  
Randall. The other members of the party  
are not yet selected. Mr. George W.  
Boyd, general passenger agent of the  
Pennsylvania Railroad system, will have  
charge of the party and will accompany  
it throughout.

Death of Gen. Albert Pike.  
WASHINGTON, April 3.--Gen. Albert  
Pike, prominent as a Mason and poet,  
died at his home here at 8 o'clock last  
evening. Gen. Pike was 81 years old last  
December. He was a man of remarkable  
vitality and splendid physique, being 6  
feet 4 inches in height, and until last  
winter, when he was prostrated, was never  
known to have been sick in bed for even  
a day.

Architect Windrim Resigns.  
WASHINGTON, April 3.--Supervising  
Architect James H. Windrim has in-  
dicated to Secretary of the Treasury Foster  
that he will tender his resignation as  
Supervising Architect of the Treasury  
Department when it may be the pleasure  
of Secretary Foster to accept it. Mr.  
Windrim has been tendered the appoint-  
ment of Director of Public Works of  
Philadelphia, and has decided to accept it.

New Presidential Postmasters.  
WASHINGTON, April 3.--The President  
has appointed the following postmasters:  
Pennsylvania, Geo. C. Olmstead and James  
T. Dunfee. New Hampshire, Charles H.  
Martin. New York, Wm. Spraker and  
W. Taggart.

Buffalo Employees Discharged.  
BUFFALO, April 3.--The New York Cen-  
tral Railroad Company has discharged 19  
men employed in the mechanical depart-  
ment of the R. W. & O. Railroad at Sus-  
pension Bridge. It is said that men will  
be discharged all along the line where  
they can be spared.

Favorite Judge Hamilton's Removal.  
ALBANY, N. Y., April 3.--By a vote of 36  
to 1, the House agreed to bring the  
address to the Governor asking  
for the removal of Judge Hamilton of the  
Biddford Municipal Court for habits of  
immorality and intemperance. The Leg-  
islature will adjourn Friday afternoon.

Jefferson Banquet at Saratoga.  
SARATOGA, N. Y., April 3.--A banquet  
was given at the Wenden Hotel last night  
by the Jeffersonian Club in celebration of  
the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. Covers  
were laid for 600. Among the prominent  
guests were Comptroller Wemple and  
Treasurer Danforth, both of whom de-  
livered addresses.

Earthquake Shocks in Canada.  
QUEBEC, Canada, April 3.--Earthquake  
shocks of more or less violence were felt  
along the north shore of the St. Lawrence  
River last night. Reports from far back  
parishes say that vibrations were dis-  
tinctly felt in those localities. In St.  
Gabriel county the shocks were especially  
severe. In the interior the shocks were  
rather severely shaken, causing much  
consternation among the inhabitants of  
that place. The shocks lasted several  
minutes.

Threatening Stamboul's Life.  
SOVIA, April 3.--Premier Stamboul is  
receiving a number of letters uttering  
threats against his life. He believes  
that he is surrounded by a vast conspiracy,  
and that he is in danger.

## MORRIS AGAINST BULKELEY.

Connecticut's Political Trouble to be  
Taken to the Courts.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 3.--The case  
of Morris against Bulkeley will be pressed  
immediately on quo warranto proceed-  
ings. Judge Morris has always favored  
such a course, and it was with that idea  
he took the oath of office.

The quo warranto proceedings will first  
be brought before a Superior Court  
judge, who will probably, in view of the  
importance of the case, refer it to the  
Supreme Court for advice.

The Democratic contention will prob-  
ably be that the court has nothing to do  
with the legality of the "for" of the  
notes and that Bulkeley's discarded or  
counted by the town moderators, but  
must pass on the question whether the  
failure of the House to do its constitu-  
tional duty can impair Morris' title and  
defeat the will of the people.

## MAY PROVE A MURDER.

Suspicious Circumstances Connected With  
Fred Titcomb's Death.

RATON, N. H., April 3.--Owing to  
suspicious circumstances connected with  
the death of Fred W. Titcomb the police  
have arrested Weyland Smart, whom  
Titcomb accused of being too intimate  
with his wife.

Last evening a pistol shot was heard in  
the room occupied by the Titcombs and  
soon after Mrs. Titcomb came down stairs  
with her little daughter and told the  
other occupants of the house that her  
husband had shot himself. Smart and  
Mrs. Titcomb then drove to Hampstead,  
where they left.

As soon as the child, who is supposed  
to have witnessed the shooting, can be  
brought back a hearing will be had by  
the coroner's jury.

Mr. Titcomb, who is 32 years old, has  
been separated from two husbands and  
gained considerable notoriety by her ac-  
tions.

## INDICTMENTS FOR BRIBERY.

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.--The grand jury  
has found three indictments in blank,  
two against Sellman and Boren for  
bribery, and three against O'Reilly for  
conspiracy to bribe.

Indictments were returned in Cin-  
cinnati, Boren is here and O'Malley's  
whereabouts is a mystery, though it is un-  
derstood he is in Christina Lake Shore,  
within 100 miles of New Orleans, sur-  
rounded by a heavy guard, which has  
been since the killing of the Italian pris-  
oners.

## THE ITALIAN PRESS.

Rome's Newspapers Treat the Recall of  
Fava With Great Moderation.

ROME, April 3.--The papers to-day give  
more importance to the recall of Fava  
than to the whole treat the subject with  
the greatest moderation, commending  
the action of the government, as do the  
Italian public, on the ground that  
Blaine's course was directed toward the  
avoidance of dangerous complications in  
the Federal administration, and that the  
withdrawal was inevitable.

Don Chisiotto advocates that Fava's  
post be suppressed, on the ground that  
it is useless to continue relations with a  
man capable of insuring immunity to  
assassins.

## FAVA'S DEPARTURE.

He Will Leave Washington To-day for  
New York on His Way Home.

WASHINGTON, April 3.--Baron Fava  
has completed his packing up. He will leave  
Washington to-day for New York, whence  
he will sail on Saturday for Europe.

The attitude of the government who re-  
main behind have arranged to present  
him with a valuable token of their af-  
fection before he goes.

## ONLY A FLASH IN THE PAN.

LONDON, April 3.--Signor Bonacina,  
president of the Italian Chamber of Com-  
merce in this city, said that he con-  
sidered the action taken by Baron Fava  
as "somewhat precipitate, and it was  
a mere flash in the pan which would  
end in nothing." Continuing, he said:  
"There is not much sympathy among  
Italians in London with the men who  
were lynched. Still we think that if  
the lynchings go unpunished, respectable  
Italians in the United States are not  
safe."

Doyle City Citizens Aroused.  
DOYLE CITY, Pa., April 3.--The fol-  
lowing message was sent to New Or-  
leans:

To the Mayor and Citizens of New Orleans:  
The people of Doyle City, Kansas, in mass  
convention assembled, resolved, that this  
meeting express the sentiment of this city  
and county, and say to the people of the  
Crescent City that one thousand able-bodied men  
spoken for by this meeting are ready to go to  
Louisiana and shoot, as they will shoot if  
called upon by our government and Italy's  
hostile attitude demands it. W. W. Evans, Mayor.

Mountain Men to Fight Italy.  
WASHINGTON, April 3.--James T.  
Sweet, of Boulder, Mont., telegraphed the  
Acting Secretary of War as follows:  
"We hereby tender you 500 mountaineers  
from the County of Jefferson, State of  
Montana, in case of war with Italy."

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HE STATES HIS CASE CLEARLY.

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Regular Proceedings.

Secretary Blaine Will Send to Italy the  
Report of the New Orleans Grand Jury.

Baron Fava Ready to Start for Home.  
The Italian Papers More Moderate in  
Their Tone--Volunteers Are Plentiful.

Rome, April 3.--The Marquis di Rudini,  
the Italian Premier, sent another mes-  
sage to the United States on the subject  
of the New Orleans trouble.

This message is addressed to the Mar-  
quis Imperiali di Franciville, the Secretary  
of the Italian Legation at Washington,  
into whose hands the current business of  
the Italian Legation at Washington was  
placed when Baron Fava presented his  
letters of recall. Marquis di Rudini instructs the  
Marquis Imperiali to hand the message  
referred to Mr. Blaine.

The message is in reply to Mr. Blaine's  
last note, and in it the Marquis di Rudini  
states that Italy has asked for nothing but  
the regular prompt institution of pro-  
ceedings against the parties at New Or-  
leans. He adds that it would have been  
absurd to claim punishment for the of-  
fenders without the guarantee afforded  
by a regular trial. The diplomatic in-  
cident, the Marquis di Rudini says, can  
only be considered when the Federal gov-  
ernment has declared in precise terms  
what the proceedings will be commenced.

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Central Street, near here, tried to com-  
mit suicide. He used a piece of clothes-  
line about eight feet long.

He took the rope and made a slipping  
noose and put it around his neck. He  
then climbed up into an apple tree and  
tied the other end to one of the limbs,  
but when the rope tightened around his  
neck he yelled the best he could.

His father heard him, went out and  
was horrified to find his little one hang-  
ing from the limb, with his feet about  
three feet from the ground. He at once  
cut him down. The child will recover.

He has not been in good health, and he  
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## TEN RIOTERS SLAIN.

Excitement Over the Deadly  
Affray in the Coke Region.

THE MILITIA NOW ON THE SCENE.

Deputy Sheriffs Arrested for Murder and  
Promptly Released on Bail.

Conflicting Stories of the Deadly Encoun-  
ter--Great Crowds Going to Mt.  
Pleasant on Every Train--The Strikers  
Declare They Will Have Revenge--The  
Coroner Begins an Investigation.

PRINCETON, April 3.--Ten strikers were  
killed and 30 wounded in the attack upon  
the Standard Works, near Morewood.

The works were defended by a corps of  
special deputy sheriffs who were armed  
with Winchester repeating rifles.

All of the killed and wounded were







## PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

## NUGGETS OF LOCAL NEWS, WITH GRAINS OF FREE-LANCE COMMENT.

The masticating propensities of the ivy-leaved Harlem goat have long been the subject of proverb, and from time immemorial the great American humorist has pointed out at that be-horned and be-whiskered plebeian quadruped and his extraordinary liking for the gray pictures of billboards and tomato cans. But who ever would have suspected the aristocratic Plainfield horse of developing an appetite of the same queer sort? It is not the Paraphraser's distinguished friend, Mr. Bill Foster himself, the William Goat's own patron saint, to discover that the Crescent City possessed a creature of such abnormal taste.

Mr. Foster had for some time been annoyed by the repeated wanton destruction of the works of art which he had hung on the boards in front of the Stillman Music Hall. He attributed the tearing down of the pictured paper to the malicious pranks of small boys. It was only yesterday that he was undeceived.

While he was pasting up lithographs of the stirring scenes from "Shinandoah," a horse whose daily employment is to haul wagon loads of furniture for Powellson & Jones, stood near, placidly looking on. When Mr. Foster had completed his work, the horse moved to the board, deliberately ripped off the paper with his teeth, and devoured it with a relish. It was moist with paste, and highly flavored with colored inks and varnish, and it seemed a most toothsome morsel to the horse. Whereupon a refined animal acquired so depraved a taste Mr. Foster could not imagine, but he very humanely called the attention of the owner of the animal to its eccentric hungering, and warned him that show bills, though never so palatable, were scarcely a wholesome diet, and it persisted in mighting itself on an equine demise. So the paste and poster eating horse is to have his unnatural diet abridged.

Hitherto the Paraphraser never heard of any other animal but the goat to which lithographs were a favorite dish or which would even deign to consider them a worthy and edible morsel in time of necessity when starvation was near. And he never knew of but one goat that made the eating of posters, a fine art. That rare exception was a goat of great discernment. Often has the Paraphraser seen that goat, gaunt with famine, pause in front of a rich stand of lithographs, and he printed surface with a critical eye, nod her head in approval of the artistic excellence of the work, heave a blustering sigh of disappointment for the empty cavity within that yearned for tomato can coverings, shake her horns sorrowfully, and pass on. The noble creature would never destroy anything whose beauty appealed to the fineness and delighted the eye and the soul. She considered physical hunger a gross and sensual thing, something to be gratified only so far as mere existence demanded; and so she would not despoil a fair, sweet picture even if she knew not where else in the wide, wide world to seek a meal. She would ruthlessly consume the lurid lithographs wherein the naughty ballet was depicted; all show bills that were immodest in their subjects and their treatment she would conscientiously put out of sight. Hideous pictures also, she would devour. Nothing that was calculated to arouse base human passions, or give sensitive people a shiver or a down-right fright, would she permit to go unscathed and un eaten. But high art, genuine masterpieces she would fiercely caress gently with her dry and withered tongue, before besting a reverent retreat. She was a noble art critic and morality censor. Had she been less faithful to duty, and more obedient to the rapacious demands of her capacious internal mechanism, she might be alive today. Alas! in her case at least the old saying was true that "the good die young."

It will be noticed that in speaking of this most worthy and excellent goat the Paraphraser has uniformly used the pronouns indicative of feminine gender. It was of course impossible for a creature so virtuous, so self-denying, so philanthropic, so true, to be of any but the gentler sex. Though frail in body, she had not a mental or moral fault. Who shall say so much as that of a man?—and of what man?

But if the Paraphraser continue his digression on the personal merits of this beloved and departed goatess, he will have no space left for other important matters, and he must regretfully tear his thoughts away from her cherished memory.

While on the subject of appetites, however, it is meet to consider casually the appetite of that genial gentleman and scholarly traveler, Mr. William Grattan, one of the Paraphraser's most conspicuous Plainfield acquaintances.

Mr. Grattan says "Pooh!"—he can do better than that. He is ready at any time—he says—to eat from five to ten more eggs than the Annihilator can swallow, no matter what the number be; and between eggs will masticate chopped-up hay till he has eaten a bushel of the fodder. This simple luncheon over, and the Annihilator paralyzed, he will begin—according to his present proposition—a genuine meal by getting away with seventy-two raw oysters, to be followed by roast beef and other hearty things.

Mr. Grattan says he is also great on mince pies. He is ready to open an eating contest as soon as the Annihilator desires and as soon as the Paraphraser and his friends will put up the money to back him. He does not ask any guarantee as to funeral expenses.

The Paraphraser notices that his friend the laboring man continues to be discontented with his lot. The general strike of working-men all over the city Wednesday morning was no April Fool joke. The men are determined in their demand. It is of course all right for an employe to ask for higher wages if he thinks he ought really to have an increase, but he wants to be sure he is not moving a little bit too fast. No good workmen living gets paid as much as he earns—he is a wielder of the pick, the plane, the trowel, or the pen. Faithful servants are always doing more than they will ever be repaid. They work hard and zealously for the very love of being trustworthy and loyal. Mese good-will and words of encouragement, praise, and gratitude, of course do not go far towards paying for bread and butter, but the Paraphraser has found that an upright, honest, faithful tool invariably meets with reward, and has an abundance of both good cheer and earthly necessities. Employers don't as a rule shirk worthy men. So the Paraphraser is inclined to deprecate strikes of every kind. Whenever difficulties between those inseparable mighty forces, Labor and Capital, arise, among honest-minded men arbitration can be safely relied upon.

The Paraphraser has this subject very much at heart, for he is a working-man himself; his days of toil sometimes seem so fully long, and remuneration sometimes seems very scanty; but he has found that a serene mind, a clear conscience, and a belief in the honesty and fair-mindedness of his superiors, are a wondrous help in life's struggle; and he has almost invariably found, especially in favored places like Plainfield, Capital ready to help Labor whenever Labor shows himself to be truly deserving of help and ready to help Capital in his turn. Mutual interest cannot but result in mutual aid.

A word of caution to strikers, present and contemplative: Be not too impetuous with your demands; be not too constantly harassing for "more more more!" those who depend on your work for profit, and on whose profit you depend for work. It is only a few brief years ago that the laboring friends of the Paraphraser were imploring that a day's work should be cut down to nine hours; now the masters of the trades are clamoring for only eight, and threaten that in a month they will strike for the extra hour and for no decrease in pay. But some of the hot-headed ones enter the professions, whose followers have the white hands which the brawny fellows scoff, and the "soft-snap jobs" which they envy. With the long, easy, ceaseless hours of labor, and the vastly inadequate pay, they would never be content. In every walk in life one can find abundant dissatisfaction; if he seek for it; in every walk of life patience, perseverance and faithfulness will conquer, and secure justice and right, where haste and impudent antagonism and braggadocio will ever fail.

One thing that Plainfield sadly needs, from the Paraphraser's point of view, is a veto power for its Mayor. As the matter now stands, the office of mayor is a mere figure-head. In other cities the mayorality is a position of honor and power; here it is a weak and empty name. There is no danger of Plainfield's electing a mayor in whom confidence may not be fully reposed, and an office to which such good men—men of firmness and integrity of character, men of public spirit, men of nobility—are chosen, ought not to be so void of controlling influence. The municipality would be vastly safer and stronger had its mayorality a share in its government. Plainfield's charter is greatly defective in not bestowing the powers customary in other cities on the highest local official, and it all that the Paraphraser hears is true it is greatly defective on some other points as well. Indeed, there be those who fear that in the legal fight between the city's charter and that of the Plainfield Water Supply Company the courts may tear some big and irremediable holes in the municipal parchment.

The New Jersey Legislature passed a pernicious, unrighteous, un-American law, in the opinion of the Paraphraser, when it adopted the bill providing for the establishment of county excise boards. The supreme right of the people to govern themselves is one of the great principles underlying the Constitution of the United States of America. That right extends down through the States, through the Congressional Districts, through the counties, into the cities. A city has a right to control its own license system, as applied generally to all businesses, but as applied particularly to the liquor traffic. If the people choose to have either free rum or high license in their

own community, that is their lookout. Plainfield, for instance, has established for itself a liquor license fee of \$700, and refuses license to certain applicants who are notorious for the character of the places they have kept before, and whom no decent people in the city wish to have licensed. Yet along comes the county excise board, exercising its own sweet will, cutting down the license fee to \$250, granting licenses to parties who locally are decidedly objectionable, and revoking, for its own private reasons, licenses already granted to respectable, law-abiding dealers.

Editor McBride, of *The Elizabeth Journal*, has given much attention to the matter, and says that he has no doubt the Union county board will cut down fees and otherwise manipulate license matters in Plainfield, in direct opposition to the wishes of the Plainfield citizens.

Down at Egg Harbor—the adds—an election was held last week at which the issue was high license against the minimum fee of the Werts law. Every high license man was elected by a big majority. But the county excise board can step in and put the fee exactly where the people voted it should not be. And the same thing may occur at Asbury Park. The city authorities may refuse to license at all, and the county excise commissioner may license every petitioner.

All this demonstrates just what the Paraphraser said at the outset: The bill for the establishment of county excise boards is unrighteous and pernicious, and ought to be speedily throttled by an indignant and outraged State. In the passage of that act the legislators misrepresented the people who elected them, and cast a black shadow over such really good work as they accomplished.

Upholders of the bill claim that such a law was necessary to protect the liquor dealers from the prohibitory license fee of \$1,500 that certain parties had already promised should prevail in Plainfield next year. The Paraphraser has only to remark that those who threatened such a tremendous increase in the fee have not as yet the power to fulfill their pledge, and never will have that power unless the people desire. In these matters the people's will ought to be the law.

The Paraphraser is always glad to note any event of progress, and is therefore happy to record the fact that Alert Horse Company is to have a new horse wagon. The old-fashioned cart is to be put aside, and a vehicle of the improved modern pattern which the big cities have adopted is to be purchased. The company have been deliberating over the matter some time, and decided Wednesday night to make the purchase. The cost will be about \$500. The wagon will be a beauty. It will be ordered immediately, and will be completed in about six weeks. The Paraphraser compliments the company on its public spirit and enterprise. Alert is a fitting name for the boys.

The Rev. B. Fay Mills, evangelist, succeeded, during his recent revival meetings in Bloomfield, in closing liquor saloons as well as manufactories and other places of business, on his "mid-week Sabbath." The only regrettable incident of the great Mills revival in Plainfield, was the failure of the attempt to secure similar recognition from the saloon-keepers here.

The Paraphraser remembers with pleasure how faithfully Mrs. Taylor and the Rev. Mr. Goodrich worked, and how courteously and kindly all but one of the saloon men received the modest request of the woman and the clergyman. He recalls with pain the curt and insolent treatment accorded by that one exception. All the others were willing to close their places; that one was selfish and obstinate, and by his keeping open kept all the others open too. Such is the force of example, and such is the power of one ungenerous, mean and mercenary decision in effecting a dozen manly impulses and in destroying every vestige of the good work wrought among the selfish one's associates.

NATHANIEL FAIRFIELD.

**Bones Refuse to Yield.**  
No change is reported in the strike of the local masons and hod-carriers, carpenters and joiners in this city. The bosses to-day gave their reply to the demands of the men. They declined positively to consider them and said that granting such terms at this time would be ruinous.

One builder is quoted as saying that "There never was so much competition between builders in Plainfield as there is now. There is a great deal of building, but it is all owing to the close competition and consequent reductions in the bids. If we were to yield to the demands of the men it would mean ruin to several firms. Our margin is so small that this item in wages is of great importance to us."

The men, on the other hand, have made up their minds to stand firm. The stormy weather during the past winter has reduced materially the number of working days, and as a result they say they have earned much less. This seems to have much to do with their present determination to stick fast to the strike as anything.

THE CHILDREN'S health must not be neglected. Cold in the head causes ear-ache. Ely's Cream Balm cures at once. It is perfectly safe and is easily applied to the nostrils. The worst cases yielding to it. Price 5c.  
One of my children had a very bad discharge from her nose. Two physicians prescribed, but without success. We tried Ely's Cream Balm, and in a short time the discharge was cured. O. A. Cary, Corning, N. Y.

## LA GRIPE MAY BE CONQUERED.

The Discovery of a Remedy for the Debilitation that Follows the Epidemic.

The medical and scientific authorities on both sides the Atlantic have been unavailingly searching for a remedial agent for the epidemic influenza so widely prevalent just now. It was hinted recently that Lorenz Reich's Hungarian Tokeray Ausbruch was the long-sought and desired remedy. An investigation of the report was immediately started. The results of which are reported below:

A physician of long and widely extended practice in Dr. Edward Bradley of 15 West Thirtieth street, Dr. Bradley talked freely and heartily about the Tokeray Ausbruch. "In all my experience and practice," said he, "extending over thirty-two years, I have been very careful about publicly recommending any agent whatever, no matter how excellent I might think it was myself. I tell you this in order to let you know how high an opinion I have of Reich's brand of Tokeray in all cases, but especially in such as you have indicated. Grip and pneumonia are always preceded by nervous debility, the system being generally run down. The trouble is that the patient never visits a physician until the last moment. If a tonic were taken at an early period, in nine cases out of ten the disease would be warded off, and there is no tonic in the world which I would sooner recommend than Reich's Tokeray."

Dr. E. E. Marcy of the Fifth avenue, the late A. T. Stewart's physician, and an old-time practitioner, said he had used many brands of Tokeray, but had no hesitation in saying that in all cases of debility or convalescence there was none equal to Mr. Reich's. "It is," said he, "one of the best things in the world to prevent an attack of the Grip. One of its greatest recommendations in the profession is its purity and high quality. Whenever a physician prescribes it to a patient he is confident that he is prescribing an unerring and safe remedy."

Dr. Nathan Rosenzweig of a West Third-street, cordially seconded the statements of Dr. Marcy.

Dr. Alfred K. Hills of 465 Fifth avenue, the author of "The Therapeutic Use of Alcohol," said: "I have used Lorenz Reich's Tokeray for fifteen years with confidence because I have analyzed it and proved it pure, and therefore superior. The recent grip epidemic particularly took hold of persons whose systems had become debilitated, and who needed just such a tonic. It certainly does promote recovery in cases of convalescence and nervous or physical prostration."

Dr. H. Marion Sims, the noted female specialist, was visited at 37 Madison avenue. This physician observed at the outset that he had used Lorenz Reich's Tokeray Ausbruch almost ever since he commenced practice, and had found it an invaluable tonic. "My patients in cases of debility and convalescence can take and assimilate it as they can do nothing else. Moreover, I know its benefits."

Dr. Hammond, the nerve specialist, pronounced Lorenz Reich's Tokeray Ausbruch "a wonderful tonic, and an undoubted preventive of such diseases as are brought on by low physical pressure."

Equally fervent in their endorsement of this wine were Dr. George E. Bolcher, 32 Madison avenue, Dr. Louis F. Ross, 35 West Thirtieth street, Dr. Fordyce Barker of 24 East Thirtieth street, Dr. Wm. T. Helmutz of 130 West Fifty-ninth street, Dr. T. H. Burdard of 24 West Fortieth street, Dr. J. W. Wright, 52 West Nineteenth street, Dr. Alexander J. C. Skene of Brooklyn, and Professor Alfred L. Loomis.

In making further investigations it was learned incidentally that Mr. Cyrus W. Field had recently recovered by the use of this wine from severe debility brought about by the grip, and that another prompt recovery due to its use was in the case of Mrs. E. B. Cable of Chicago, wife of the well-known railroad man. Before closing the inquiries Mr. Reich was called upon at his office, the Cambridge Hotel, corner Thirty-third street and Fifth avenue, but that gentleman modestly refused to say anything except that physicians generally knew what they talked about.—New York Press.

Resolutions of Condolence.

The following resolutions were passed by the unanimous vote, at a special meeting of the Plainfield Gessang and Turn Verein:

WHEREAS, In His kind providence, our Heavenly Father has transferred from just to the Evergreen in glory, a dear husband, father, friend, and active and esteemed member of our Society;

WHEREAS, We, the Plainfield Gessang and Turn Verein, have lost by death, in the person of Hugo Weigman, one of our own and most faithful members, who with loving heart and kind words, often whispered words of counsel, and with the echo still lingering in our ears; be it

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and brotherly love; and

Resolved, That these resolutions be copied in full on our minutes, be sent for publication in our daily papers, and a copy be handed to the bereaved family.

HENRY LEIPER,  
WILLIAM KAUSCH,  
GEORGE BRUNNER,  
Committee.

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