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THE MINISTERS STRIKE. Salem has enjoyed the past few weeks a quiet excitement in the way of a minister's strike. It is true, there were no noisy demonstrations or resorts of violence by the laborers in the vicin-

The Salem ministers union resolved that it was not getting enough pay for services rendered in the state institution, or in fact not paid at all. So the gentlemen of the cloth served notice on their employers, or those in charge, that not a prayer would be uttered, or a sermon preached, or a soul absolved, unless there was an adjustment of differences.

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The only explanation I can give for this state of affairs [he says] is that while the workmen were elevating the building with jacks, so as to securely brace the foundation, it was left out of plumb, and sagging in the center, the collapse followed.

There was an unexplained derby hat in the ruins last night which this hotel man sincerely trusts does not belong to a man crushed by the collapse. If the collapse had occurred twenty minutes earlier there would have been fifty workmen wearing the derby hat...

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A Sailor's Luck Piece. Warfinger lives at Folsom street found a silver quarter, and thereby proved that sailors' superstition is not dead yet.

"Done! dear!" exclaimed George H. Pogran to a covey of railroad birds in the St. James, "how many liars there are in the world anyhow. Every small and large town has its star liar, and my old town had one. My old town was Chatham, Mass.

How the Baby Looked. A child who had been attending a kindergarten for some months, on being introduced to the new baby, regarded it critically for some moments and remarked, "Its nose is an oblate spheroid"—Washington Star.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

Why, land o' love! I want to say to you that I'll wear one of my suspenders around my neck for a tie before I'll pay 50 cents for such shoddy as these. How could you express all that in three or four words?" "I can do it in one," she replied.

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