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## TROUBLE WILL BEGIN

### Striking Miners Will Be Served With an Injunction

### Mine Owners Will at Once Undertake to Start With Non Union Crew

Hodson, Calif., Dec. 16.—An injunction will be served on 150 miners at 5 o'clock this evening, restraining them from interfering with the mine and the non-union miners. The strikers are now encamped about the mine, and have a line of pickets entirely around the property. Watchmen, with Winchester are guarding the pumps, which are still running. Trouble will start tomorrow, for as soon as the injunction is served the mine owners will be opened with a non-union crew. They claim that in 12 hours they will secure all the men they need, if protected.

**An Excellent Job.**  
Tokamah, Neb., Dec. 16.—Solomon Paddock, who killed his own son, William, on Thanksgiving, while drunk, hanged himself in jail last night, making a noose of his coat sleeve.

**Will Adjourn to Saturday.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The senate was crowded today in anticipation of a spirited debate on Cuban reciprocity. Spooner was first on the floor; Carmack introduced a resolution about the postoffice investigation, which, under the rule, went over. The senate committee on appropriations agreed to adopt the house resolution providing for the adjournment of both houses Saturday until January fourth; the house had only 40 representatives when it opened. Spooner's speech was highly impressive at one point. Amidst profound silence, he said in a low, deliberate voice "It seems but yesterday that denunciation was heard here of the white-faced, silent, patient man who was then President of the United States, because he was not willing to go to war with Spain, with that haste deemed necessary. Having been a soldier himself, and knowing the horrors of such a conflict, he merely desired to exhaust all diplomacy in his desire to avoid it. There was even a suggestion heard here that evil motives governed his action." Before continuing he made a dramatic pause, when he resumed by saying he hoped so foreign government would detect a sinister design in that resolution asking for the annexation of Cuba, offered by the senator from Nevada. He declared the taking of Cuba to our selves would have been criminal aggression.

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Mrs. William Thompson has her second crop of lettuce, which speaks volumes for our wonderful soil and climate.—Haltontville (Ind.) News.

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## From now on Special prices on Candies for Xmas Trees, Etc.

**Zinn's**  
54 State St. Phone 1971 Main.

## A CREDIT MERCHANT Carries Two Stocks of Goods

One in the store—the other scattered among his credit customers. Carrying customers on the books increases the cost of doing business. It's one of the things that compel merchants to get high prices from those who pay. Why don't you pay cash and be independent. Trade where prices are figured on a spot cash basis.

## THE NEW YORK RACKET

Is Salem's Cheapest One-Price Cash Store. Quality is always the first consideration with us. Reliable merchandise sold 15 to 25 per cent cheaper than at "regular stores" keeps us growing. Have you seen our line of

### Holiday Novelties?

We sell them on the same margin of profit as regular lines. Don't put off your holiday shopping till the last day. The assortment is better now and the prices will never be lower. Two rooms full of goods suitable for practical presents if you prefer them to the fancy novelties.

**E. T. BARNES, Proprietor**

gression. He contended the war was waged from a humanitarian standpoint, and our future conduct should be on the same high plane.

**They Must Eat Humble Pie.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The state department this afternoon announced that the insult to Consul Davis would be atoned in the most public manner. Leishmann cables the officials responsible will make apology, and express their regret. Davis will be taken on either the San Francisco or Brooklyn from Beirut to Alexandretta, where the apologies will be made aboard the ship.

**Cuban Reciprocity.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The senate this morning voted on the Cuban reciprocity bill which was passed by a 57 to 18 vote, which came after Senators Hoar and Bailey followed Spooner in his speech. Nine Democrats voted in its favor.

**Panic in a Hotel.**  
Cincinnati, Dec. 16.—A fire of unknown origin broke out this afternoon in the Grand Hotel. Several hundred guests fled to the streets in a panic, and several are still unaccounted for. The flames, at 3 o'clock, were practically under control.

**Discovery Wreck Found.**  
Seattle, Dec. 16.—A dispatch from Juneau states the wreck of the steamer Discovery has been found by Indians near Cross Landing. The United States ship Rush has gone to the scene.

**Miners Go on Strike.**  
Cumberland, Md., Dec. 16.—Eighteen hundred miners in the Meyersdale, Pa., district went out on strike this morning, against a 10 per cent reduction.

**The Treaty All Right.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The senate committee on foreign relations today reported favorably, and without amendment, the Chinese commercial treaty.

**Will Fight Jeffries.**  
New York, Dec. 16.—Jeffries this afternoon agreed, in view of Munroe's showing last night, to give the miner a battle.

**Greek Politics.**  
Athens, Dec. 16.—The Greek ministry resigned their portfolios today.

**Kansas City Gets It.**  
Chicago, Dec. 16.—Kansas City gets the prohibition convention.

**Snake-Killing Cats of Cairo.**  
(Egyptian Gazette.)  
A native woman living in old Cairo was entering her house when, to her great terror, she perceived a snake of formidable dimensions which had taken possession of the hearth during the owner's absence. The woman fled, leaving the door open. Her cat then appeared on the scene, entered, saw the cobra, put up its back and tail and otherwise manifested its hostility, and in turn went out. A few minutes afterward it returned in company with a second cat. After a similar exhibition both went out and returned with a third, and similarly went away, returning with a fourth. Considering that sufficient force had been recruited to kill the snake, the four at once fell on the reptile, and after a short fierce struggle the latter was literally torn to pieces.

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## SEA GOES DRY

### Little Sea of Azof Has Evidently Sprung a Leak

### Water Disappears Leaving Ships High and Dry--Shores Sending up Clouds of Dust

London, Dec. 16.—Advices have been received here of the strange freak of the Sea of Azof, north of the Black Sea, which is drying with such rapidity that ships at anchorage at Taganrog are left high and dry. Taganrog, a city of 50,000 population, is under clouds of sand, which are being blown over the shore.

**Robbed the Bank.**  
Vladivostok, Siberia, Dec. 16.—A dispatch today says Chinese brigands, who have been conducting a reign of terror in Manchuria, attacked the bank at Kuna Chenda, a pitched battle ensued, in which four citizens were wounded. The robbers escaped, taking 7000 roubles.

**The Copy Comes Back.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The copy of the treaty with Panama, which arrived in New York yesterday, was received by the state department this morning.

## CANNOT GUARD SUCKERS

### Dr. Bierber Sent to the Penitentiary for a Year

### Court Says it Can Uphold Postal Laws but Cannot Appoint Guardian for the Gullible

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Dr. Bierber, president of the Nicaragua Company, an alleged land swindling concern, was today sentenced to a year in the pen and a \$1000 fine, for using the mails to defraud. He claimed to own 45000 acres of valuable land in Nicaragua, while his actual assets were said to be 1800, and of little or no value. He obtained \$117,000 from the scheme. The judge, in passing sentence, said: "This court cannot appoint guardians for suckers, but it can see the postal laws upheld."

**Usual Railroad Wreck.**  
Fort Scott, Tex., Dec. 16.—In a wreck on the St. Louis & San Francisco, near here this morning, two are reported killed and a number injured; two probably fatally.

**After Forty Years.**  
New Orleans, Dec. 16.—The French cruiser Graviero arrived before the city this morning to take part in the ceremonies of the celebration of the

centennial of the Louisiana transfer. The government cruisers Minneapolis, Topaka and Yankee entered the delta this morning, and will be before the city tonight. The training ship Hartford arrived Tuesday. She was Farragut's flagship when she last visited the city 40 years ago.

**That Tiresome Turk.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—The state department has instructed Consul Davis, at Beirut, that the occasion upon which he was assaulted at Alexandretta, and the facts of the assault, are such as to demand an apology and reparation on the part of Turkey. Davis is fully sustained. It is learned the Turkish government is considerably worried over the affair, and has offered Attarian, the naturalized American Armenian a free passage from Alexandretta to Beirut, but Attarian demands a cash indemnity. The state doesn't specify the exact nature of the reparation desired, but will await further news from Leishman.

**It Was Different With Miles.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—Secretary Root, before the senate military committee today, made a strong presentation of acts in behalf of Wood. He denounced the attacks as spiteful, based on no foundation. He said all specific charges had been investigated by officers of the war department, as well as McKinley, and the latter had caused a promotion for distinguished services. He sketched Wood's services in the army.

**Hanged in the Philippines.**  
Washington, Dec. 16.—Mail advices were received this morning by the department, giving the details of the hanging of Rios, commonly called the "rope of Tyabas," at Antimonan, November 27th. The outlaw gained infamy by his repeated atrocious murders.

**Opened the Safe.**  
Quimby, Iowa, Dec. 16.—Robbers last night blew the Citizens' Savings Bank, captured \$3000 and escaped.

## MARIE CORELLI SUES

### Objects to Newspaper Criticism of Her Novels

### Little Lady Shows She Has a Temper and That She Is Able to Take Care of Herself

London, Dec. 16.—The libel action brought by Marie Corelli against a local counsellor, Winter, and editor of the local paper, Hayden, opened at Birmingham this morning. The space in the chamber was inadequate for the crowd. Corelli took the stand, assumed a dramatic attitude, and told her lawyer she didn't need his assistance, as she was able to take care of herself. The case arises out of criticisms of Corelli in local matters.

**Assassination Clubs.**  
London, Dec. 16.—Boris Saraff, the Macedonian leader, arrived here today to consult with local Macedonians and to try to raise funds with which to reopen the struggle in the spring. He will then go to America for similar purposes.

**Storm on Spanish Coast.**  
Madrid, Dec. 16.—Severe storms prevailed near Malaga yesterday, 14 fishing smacks being wrecked. Twenty bodies have been recovered.

## WHAT OTHERS ADVERTISE WE SELL FOR LESS

Store Open Evenings Until Christmas

**Jos. Meyers & Sons**  
SALEM'S GREATEST STORE  
THE "WHITE CORNER"

You can get a glove order here and hand it to your lady friend as you would a pair of gloves. It relieves you of the trouble of making the selection and leaves her free to make it herself.

We recognize your right to speedy and satisfactory service, and to physical enjoyment and comfort while under our roof. So far as care, thought, experience and expenditure can secure these you shall have them.

## THE GREAT CHRISTMAS TRADING CENTER

We have this season the largest and finest assortment of Christmas toys, goods and novelties ever brought together in Salem. The whole wide range of gifts for old and young, is admirably covered. None so poor, none so rich, that their tastes cannot be fully indulged at Meyers'. The windows give a hint of the many attractions we offer, but we want you to bring the children and stroll through Wonderland on our second floor, and see what the toymakers of the world have accomplished since the days when you yourself watched and waited for Santa's coming.

Gifts on Wheels	Gifts for Men	Gifts for Women	The Doll Domain
Express wagons, with iron wheels, axles and sides, all sizes 90c to \$3.50.	Smoking Jackets made of fancy mixed goods, elegantly lined, handsomely trimmed and easy fitting \$10.00 down to \$4.50	Sweaters, for women and girls; a new full line covering every size and color trimmed with the new brass buttons \$3.50 to \$5.00	The largest doll population ever enumerated in a doll census in Salem. Make your selections early.
<b>VELOCIPEDS.</b> 16 inch wheels ..... \$1.75 24 inch wheels ..... \$2.75 With rubber tires, various prices up from \$3.50 to \$5.85	Men's Bath Robes long comfortable house or lounging robes in plain or fancy colors \$10.00 to \$3.50	Venice Collar, Elegant stole collars in the latest designs, black, white or ecru \$4.50 to \$10.00	All china dolls ..... 1c up Black or white china dolls with stuffed cloth bodies 5c to 25c
<b>Auto Wagons,</b> with propelling and steering apparatus 25c to \$2.50	Suspenders, a choice collection for the holiday trade. Elegantly silver trimmed suspenders with embroidered silk bands. \$2.00 to 50c.	Gloves, All the new shades and of the finest material and makes, a swell assortment from which to select. \$1.00 to \$2.00	Dressed bisque dolls 15c to \$10.00
<b>Doll Buggies,</b> pretty willow ones, with movable backs and fronts and nice parasols, at various prices from \$7.50 down to \$4.00	Men's Neckwear, special selection suitable for Christmas giving 2.00 to 25c	Fascinators, Dainty headresses of fancy silk and wool. Very pretty for evening wear and a most acceptable present. Wide range of choice and prices 25c to \$3.50	Undressed bisque dolls with joint limbs, real hair, and closing eyes 25c to \$10.00
others in great variety of designs, iron axles and wheels to wooden \$4.50 to 25c	Jilk Mufflers, special purchase of a large holiday line, all colors as well as plain and broaded silk \$3.00 to 75c	Dressing Sacques of soft warm eiderdown; handsomely made and trimmed with braid ribbon, applique and frog fasteners; all colors; every choice from \$1.00 to \$4.50	Doll Trunks ..... \$1.25 Doll Go-Cars ..... 25c to \$7.50 Doll Heads ..... 5c to 75c Doll Shoes ..... 10c to 25c Doll Dresses ..... 25c to \$4.50 Doll Watches ..... 5c to 25c Doll Necklaces ..... 5c to 25c Doll Furniture ..... 60c to \$1.25
<b>Wheelbarrows</b> with iron wheel and iron rest, stout frame and iron box from 95c down to 75c	Men's Sweaters, we have the finest assortment at the very lowest prices; all colors, grades and prices 4.50 to 50c		
<b>Tricycles,</b> made very strong with steel frames and running gears, iron wheels, some with rubber tires \$10.00 down to \$5.00			

## The Big Store With the Small Price

Salem's best dressed men appreciate the fact that "Meyers" is the only store in Salem where every suit, overcoat and shoe, every piece of haberdashery can be relied upon, not only as to the perfection of quality, but as the very latest in style, and sold at the very lowest prices made by any other Salem store.

## Clothing and Overcoats Are Rapidly Changing Ownership

Caused by the remarkable low prices we ask for strictly up-to-date reliable merchandise. Worth your time to call and investigate the merits of this great sale.

\$10.00 Suit or Overcoat	- - \$6.50	\$20.00 Suit or Overcoat	- - \$14.50
12.50 " " "	- - 7.50	22.50 " " "	- - 15.00
15.00 " " "	- - 9.50	25.00 " " "	- - 16.00