

News Summary.

Word has been received in Ottawa that Senator Adams is critically ill at his home in Northumberland.

Inspector Waters, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, says there is no truth in the report that the bank intends opening an agency at Havana.

Senor Dom Emilio Castellar, the distinguished Spanish statesman, orator and scholar, is prostrated with a serious pulmonary catarrh.

Mrs. Isabelle, her daughter, Mrs. Ossie Malone, and Mrs. Malone's infant child, were burned to death in their home near Hillsboro, Tex. The fire started by the use of kerosene to light a fire.

T. M. Kirkwood, of Sudbury, Ont., has sold his nickel mine to R. G. Leckie, acting for the Canadian Copper Company. The purchase price is said to have been \$53,000.

Lord Strathcona has authorized the trustees of St. Paul's church, Montreal, to build as grand a new organ as desired and send him the bill. The estimated cost is at \$15,000.

The Parslow trial at St. Scholastique, Que., ended Wednesday by a verdict of guilty. Samuel Parslow was at once sentenced to be hanged on the same day as his accomplice, Cordelia Viau, March 10.

A delegation of about twenty civil servants waited on the premier at Ottawa on Tuesday to present the claims of the service for restoration of statutory increases. Hon. Mr. Fielding was with the premier during the interview. The premier gave no assurance that increases would be restored.

A witness of and participant in the famous Lincoln-Douglas campaign, the Hon. Carl Schurz, has gathered together in an article which he has prepared for The Youth's Companion, his reminiscences, which have not only historical value, but also an eye to amusing situations illustrative of political life in the early 'sixties."

The fact that there is still a rather wide gulf between the New York Episcopalians is brought into strong light by the fact that at the funeral of the Rev. Thomas Tucker Brown the other day Bishop Potter, who was among the mourners, left the sanctuary when the service proper was over and preparations were making to sprinkle the bier with holy water and incense it.

The Charles Hillman Shipbuilding Co., Philadelphia, one of the oldest shipbuilding firms in the country, has assigned. It is stated that the assets would be about \$350,000 and the liabilities \$315,000. Charles Hillman, the president of the company, who established the business more than fifty years ago, died last week.

Advices from England show that the sale of Ontario fattened poultry sent from St. John to Liverpool about a month ago was most successful. The birds met a ready sale in Liverpool at 16 cents per pound, wholesale. The chickens were sent plucked, but not drawn, and weighed an average of 5 1-2 pounds each. The wholesale price was equal to \$1.76 per pair, a profit of 70 cents per pair.

The Chicago Record says: Count de Jotemps, of Paris, France, has closed a contract for the purchase of about \$5,000,000 worth of motor vehicles of Chicago manufacture. The Count is president of the American Motor Agency, with headquarters at Paris and offices in every capital in Europe. The aim of this company, it is said, is to control the European agency for the sale of American manufactured vehicles.

Consul Macrum from Pretoria sends to the State Department a report of the gold output of the South African Republic, in which he says the October report shows that the number of mills and the total of stamps is rapidly increasing. It is expected he says, that the output of the transvaal next year will exceed that of the combined mines of Colorado, Dakota and Alaska, although it fell short of that last year.

The Cuban Junta in America has dissolved, as the reason for its existence, the freedom of the Island of Cuba from the bondage of Spain, has ceased to exist with the final signing of the peace treaty. The formal dissolution of the organization was marked by the issuing of a statement by the Junta to its members and friends. The full document is a very long one, going into the detail of the organization of the body, its history, etc.

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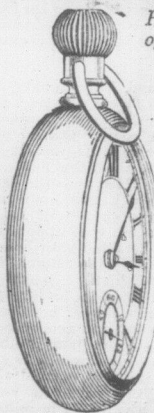
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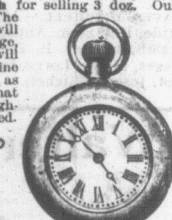
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