

# THE INDEX OF CURRENT EVENTS.

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## NOVEMBER.

- ACCIDENTS.**—Boating, Austria, fifty-five peasants drowned on the river Waag by upsetting of a ferry boat.—Nov. 12.
- Burning, Long Island City, N. Y., three men fatally burnt during fire at Standard Oil Works.—Nov. 6.
- Catlettsburg, Ky., Lupson's saw mill explodes, killing three men.—Nov. 22.
- Drowning, Assiniboine River, Mr. and Mrs. Andrews drowned while skating.—Nov. 22.
- Earthquake, heavy shock of, felt at Guaymas, Mex.—Nov. 10.
- Explosion, Belfort, France, four persons killed by a powder explosion.—Nov. 21.
- Explosion, Bolton, Eng., eight miners killed in a colliery explosion.—Nov. 28.
- Explosion, 300 people killed and several buildings destroyed by gunpowder explosion at Tai-Ping-Fu, China.—Nov. 7.
- Explosion, Lima, O., dynamite cartridge explodes, killing three men and injuring two others.—Nov. 14.
- Explosion, Mertztown, Penn., boiler explodes, killing three men and seriously injuring eight others.—Nov. 17.
- Explosion, St. John, N.B., six men killed and several injured by the explosion of the boilers in P. D. Sutton's mill.—Nov. 25.
- Explosion, St. John, N.B., three more deaths occur, the result of the mill boiler explosion.—Nov. 27.
- Fall of scaffolding, Chicago, Ill., scaffolding erected for photographing 150 men and girls breaks down; several injured, two fatally.—Nov. 5.
- Flood, Manchester, Eng., ship canal works flooded through an accident; 4000 men out of employment.—Nov. 25.
- Landslide, Quebec, three houses wrecked by a landslide near.—Nov. 26.
- Poison, Chicago, D. W. H. Hibbard poisoned by eating oysters that had been kept too long.—Nov. 1.
- Railway.—See Railway Accidents.
- Scalding, Peoria, a watchman in the distillery falls into a tank and is boiled to death.—Nov. 23.
- Shooting, Lancaster, Pa., B. H. Hubert shot dead by a spring gun he had set for burglars.—Nov. 4.
- AFRICA.**—Soudan, 1000 of the Mahdis' best troops reported to have deserted him.—Nov. 18.
- Zanzibar, Sultan of Vitu raids the German outposts, and is repulsed with heavy loss.—Nov. 19.
- Zitu, Sultan of, murders several of his followers on suspicion of betraying him.—Nov. 19.
- Anarchists, Chicago, 700 men and women meet to celebrate the third anniversary of the execution of the Haymarket murderers; meeting passes off quietly.—Nov. 11.
- Anarchists, New York, create a riot at one of their meetings; several people injured.—Nov. 8.
- Arabia, cholera said to be spreading.—Nov. 17.
- ARMENIA.**—Encounter between Turkish and Armenian troops at Ersenga, 75 miles from Erzeroum. Seven soldiers killed and fifteen wounded.—Nov. 4.
- Five hundred armed Armenians raid Kurdish village near Erzeroum, killing five persons.—Nov. 10.
- Governor of Erzeroum sends large quantities of ammunition to troops at frontier in view of Russian menace.—Nov. 18.
- Twenty officials arrested at Ismia for conspiracy.—Nov. 27.
- ARGENTINA.**—Buenos Ayres, financial panic prevails, several credit houses closed; rioting on the Bourse, which is quelled by the police.—Nov. 25.
- Rosario, serious election riots occur, several persons killed and a number wounded.—Nov. 11.
- AUSTRIA.**—Prague, portion of the roof of a house collapses, five men killed and six seriously injured.—Nov. 10.
- Government reduce import duties on rye and wheat by three marks.—Nov. 4.
- Vienna, the Czarewitch arrives at, and is met by the Emperor and several archdukes.—Nov. 7.
- AUSTRALIA.**—Captain Moore has been sent to, by British War Dept., to fortify several points against invasion.—Nov. 8.
- Government cables to Berlin to secure a supply of Dr. Koch's lymph.—Nov. 22.
- Melbourne, Mr. Munro undertakes to form a new cabinet for Victoria.—Nov. 4.
- Melbourne, dock laborers and wharf men after a strike ose verval week return to work.—Nov. 19.
- Sydney, motion expressing want of confidence in New South Wales assembly defeated by a vote of 46 to 22.—Nov. 4.
- Sydney, N. S. W., striking seamen and wharfmnen resolve to take a ballot of strikers to decide whether or not to resume work.—Nov. 5.
- Sydney, N. S. W., labor defence committee of strikers announces that it will dissolve.—Nov. 6.
- Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, seriously ill in Dublin.—Nov. 10.
- Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, returns to England from his Irish tour.—Nov. 14.
- Barnum P. T., seriously ill at his residence in Bridgeport, Conn.—Nov. 17.
- BELGIUM.**—Brussels, delegation numbering 10,000 men petition for universal suffrage.—Nov. 10.
- BIRCHALL.**—Dominion Government unanimously decide that he shall be hanged on Nov. 14. Governor General signs order for his execution.—Nov. 8.
- Reginald, executed at Woodstock for the murder of Benwell.—Nov. 14.
- Mrs. and her sister sail from New York for England.—Nov. 27.
- Boulanger General, leaves Jersey; destination unknown.—Nov. 11.
- Boulanger General, returns to Jersey.—Nov. 25.
- Buffalo Bill arrives in New York from Havre by SS. "La Normandie," which is quarantined on account of small-pox on board.—Nov. 18.
- Buffalo Bill leaves Chicago for Omaha, to operate against the Insurgent Indians.—Nov. 24.
- Brazil, Rio Janeiro, 200 Portuguese patriots sail to re-inforce Portuguese troops in East Africa.—Nov. 11.
- Canadian, Hon. Ed. Dewdney, Minister of the Interior, arrives in Ottawa from England.—Nov. 22.
- Canadian Reciprocity, Sir Richard Cartwright states that he finds the desire for, very general throughout Ontario.—Nov. 26.
- Canadian, North-West Assembly reject a resolution respecting separate schools by a vote of 15 to 6.—Nov. 19.
- Census, Baltimore, O., Marshall Frey decides to have a recount of.—Nov. 14.
- Central America, peace between Guatemala and San Salvador signed.—Nov. 19.
- C** San Salvador, part of the garrison under General Sanchez take possession of the arsenal.—Nov. 11.
- Chamberlain Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, sail from New York for Europe.—Nov. 12.
- Chicago, Armour & Co., Swift & Co., and Morris & Co., the great packing firms, purchase 3,600,000 acres of land in Lake County, Ind., to establish manufacturing centre; business estimated at \$150,000,000 per annum.—Nov. 3.
- CHINA,** gunpowder explosion occurs at Tai-Ping-Fu; 300 people killed and several buildings destroyed.—Nov. 7.
- Tonquin, piracy reported rampant, French outposts constantly attacked.—Nov. 10.
- Religious riots, at a Buddhist festival in Shee Chuen province, several christian villages attacked, burned, and 20 native Christians killed.—Nov. 7.
- Churchill Lord Randolph, announces he will not be a candidate for Parliament at next election; he retires from political life, and will probably visit America.—Nov. 3.
- Clarence Duke of, arrives in Berlin for the wedding of Princess Victoria.—Nov. 17.
- Coleridge Lord, London, Eng., taken seriously ill in court, doctors pronounce his case critical.—Nov. 6.
- Coleridge Lord Chief Justice, fully recovered, and has resumed official duties.—Nov. 19.