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News Summary.

Sir William Macdonald has given \$20,000 to McGill for its library.

The United States Senate has passed the bill for the protection of the President.

The C. P. R. freight sheds at Winnipeg were burned Friday night. The loss is said to be enormous.

The grand Trunk Railway has placed an order with its shops in Montreal for \$600,000 worth of rolling stock.

The car shops of the Canada Atlantic at Ottawa were burned Friday. Loss between \$15,000 and \$20,000; covered by insurance.

Miss Annie West Shaw, a St. Louis artist, has been commissioned to paint a portrait of Queen Alexandra, and will soon depart for London.

Stewart Campbell, a prominent insurance broker of Montreal, was found dead Thursday, shot through the head. Suspended case of suicide.

A practical test of wireless telephony over a distance of a third of a mile was conducted on the Potomac River Thursday, with partial success.

It is said that the British government has asked that a military contingent of about five hundred be sent from Canada to attend the coronation ceremonies.

The Toronto Mail says the Canadian Copper Company, which owns about two-fifths of the nickel deposits in Sudbury, is to become part of the world's nickel trust.

Great Britain, Austria and Russia have addressed a note to Turkey admonishing the Porte to keep order in Macedonia and Albania. Germany declined to join in this note.

Report says that the Duchess of Pife, daughter of King Edward, is not only an expert with the spinning wheel, but with the yarn spun by it she knits all her husband's golf stockings.

R. G. Moore, of the 2nd Battalion Mounted Rifles, died at Newcastle, S. A., of dysentery, March 19. Leonard Evans of Toronto, who went to South Africa last September, was shot through the heart and instantly killed.

The Allan Lher Tunisian sailed from Liverpool Thursday with 612 British emigrants and 412 foreigners for Canada. The Sardinian, of the same line, will sail from Glasgow to-day with 265 Scotch emigrants Canada bound.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association will hold its next annual meeting in Halifax during August. They wish the government to appoint a Canadian trade commissioner in London and to open a Canadian office there.

At Woodstock, Friday afternoon, while an old man named Gray, of Pembroke, was driving over the river bridge, his horse started and he was thrown between the wheels, sustaining severe injuries, including a fracture of the skull.

Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education, Toronto, says he has received hundreds of applications from male teachers and could within a fortnight secure two hundred teachers of the very best standing to go to South Africa.

A royal commission has been appointed to investigate the evils of alien immigration, and to advise remedial precautionary measures. The London Standard says: "Its object is to find some method of excluding criminals without shutting out the honest immigrant."

The brown stone fronts of several four-story private houses on Park Avenue, New York, on Friday sank into the earth on account of undermining of the foundations by excavations for the rapid transit tunnel. The financial loss is estimated at \$75,000 to \$100,000. No one was hurt.

Over 2,600 newspapers and periodicals are published in Paris, which city easily leads the world in this respect. Of political dailies there are 79; of tri-weeklies, 1; of weeklies, 73. The rest are bi-monthly, monthly and annual political journals, technical publication and trade reviews.

Radclyffe, the hangman, excited animosity at Hull by making considerable display and doing loud talking. Thursday he got into an altercation at a tavern door. A mob gathered about him and knocked him down, bruising and battering him severely. The police rescued him, got him to a doctor, dressed his wounds, and escorted him to Ottawa, followed by a shouting crowd.

A number of fatalities are reported around Winnipeg as a result of Saturday's blizzard. Mrs. Mary McPherson was found dead in a snow bank. The body of Ernest England, a fourteen-year-old lad, was also found. Seventy-five valuable horses consigned to Winnipeg and western points were frozen to death at North Dakota during Saturday's storm.



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REMARKABLE GUIDANCE.

Elias Bondinot, the founder of the American Bible Society, returning home late one dark night after a terrible freshet was asked by his friends what road he came. "By the usual road," was his answer. "That is impossible," said they, "for all the planks have been washed away from the long bridge." "I don't know about that," said he, "but I know that my horse went across that bridge, planks or no planks." The friends accused him of either being out of his mind or of telling them a falsehood, and next morn'g went out to the bridge to see. They found the tracks of the carriage at either end of the bridge and along the beams which lay across it. There was one beam on either side and another beam in the middle. In the deep darkness of the night, when neither the horse nor his rider could see where they were going, the feet of the horse were guided on the middle beam and the wheels on the side beams and kept from turning to the right or the left till the river was crossed in safety.

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