
CHRONOLOGY OF MONTREAL.

- 1535—October 2nd—Jacques Cartier landed at the Indian town of Hochelaga on the site of Montreal.
- 1603—Samuel de Champlain ascended the St. Lawrence as far as the Lachine Rapids.
- 1611—Champlain established a trading post at Pointe Callieres.
- 1642—May 18th—Founding of Montreal by Paul de Chomedey de Maisonneuve.
- 1643—January—Maisonneuve erects cross on Mount Royal.
- 1647—Hotel Dieu Hospital built for Mademoiselle Mance, its founder.
- 1644—Island of Montreal given to the Order of St. Sulpice.
- 1653—Marguerite Bourgeois founds the Sisters of the Congregation in Montreal.
- 1657—The Abbe Quelus founds the Seminary of St. Sulpice.
- 1661—Seminary of St. Sulpice enlarged.
- 1662—February 5th—Severe earthquake shock felt throughout the whole of New France.
- 1684—Palisade constructed around the town.
- 1684—July 21st—De la Barre arrives in Montreal with expedition against the Iroquois.
- 1687—Twelve hundred of the Five Nations assemble at Montreal and ratify a treaty of peace.
- 1689—August—Fourteen hundred Iroquois massacre several hundred French colonists on the Island of Lachine.
- 1689—October 18th—Frontenac lands at Quebec as Governor of Canada.
Expedition leaves Montreal to attack Schenectady and Albany.