



### A Summary of News for the Past Month.

- 1st.—Destructive fire at Boisservain, Man.; loss about \$40,000.
- 2nd.—C.P.R. short line to St. John, N.B., opened.
- 3rd.—Heavy storms of rain and lightning in the Midlands of England causing numerous accidents. . . . In the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Ireland at Belfast the Moderator denounces Home Rule. . . . Death of Mr. F. Broughton, late general manager of the Great Western Railway, at his residence, near Woodstock, Ont.
- 4th.—The mutilated body of another victim of "Jack the Ripper" found in the River Thames, London, Eng. News received of a hurricane at Hong Kong, China, causing the loss of 10,000 lives and great damage to property.
- 5th.—Sir Charles Tupper presented to the Prince of Wales by the Marquis of Salisbury on his creation as a baronet. . . . Fire at Morden, Man., loss about \$10,000.
- 6th.—Sir George Stephen, ex-President of the C.P.R., purchases an estate in Buckinghamshire, England.
- 7th.—Business portion of Seattle, Washington Territory, destroyed by fire, loss about \$15,000,000. . . . Bishop Usher, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Montreal, accepts a call to Kansas city. . . . Toronto University confers the degree of L.L.D. upon Sir John Macdonald; Hon. Oliver Mowat; Chancellor Boyd; W. R. Meredith, M.P.P.; Dr. W. T. Aikens; John Hoskin, Q.C.; and Rev. John Campbell, M.A.
- 9th.—The statue of Bruno unveiled at Rome with imposing ceremonies; the Pope reported to be much depressed in consequence.
- 10th.—Death of Lieut.-Col. Lamontagne, D.A.G., at Montreal. . . . Petition filed at Ottawa asking for a reference of the Jesuit Estate Act to the Supreme Court.
- 11th.—Opening of the great Anti-Jesuit Convention at Toronto, Ont. . . . Marriage of the Duke of Portland to Miss Dallas Yorke, only daughter of T. Y. D. Yorke, of Walsgate Hall, South Lincolnshire. . . . Lord Dufferin reported dangerously ill.
- 12th.—An Equal Rights Association formed at the Toronto Anti-Jesuit Convention and a Provincial Council chosen. . . . A train containing a Methodist Sunday School excursion party wrecked near Armagh, Ireland, and seventy-two passengers killed. . . . Opening of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, at St. Andrew's Church, Toronto.
- 13th.—Lord Cecil, the well-known evangelist, drowned at Adolphustown, Ont.
- 14th.—Rough draft of the Samoan treaty signed by all the powers at Berlin. . . . The Grand Trunk Railway commence a service between Montreal and Halifax, lessening the time by nine hours.
- 16th.—The new St. James Methodist Church, Montreal, one of the finest ecclesiastical structures on the continent, opened for divine service. . . . Marriage of Grand Duke Paul, of Russia, to Princess Alexandra, of Greece. . . . Great damage in Kansas by wind and rain storms, the village of Uniontown being swept away and several people drowned and other places inundated.
- 17th.—Martin Burke, supposed to be one of the murderers of Dr. Cronin, of Chicago, arrested in Winnipeg, Man.
- 18th.—A man afflicted with leprosy discovered in the Great Central Meat Market, London, Eng. . . . Heavy rains throughout Germany causing much loss of life and damage to crops.
- 19th.—August Muth, the Austrian composer, suicides by drowning. . . . American and Canadian delegates to the World's Sunday School Convention to be held in London, Eng., sail from New York.
- 20th.—Prohibition amendment in Pennsylvania defeated by a majority of over 180,000 votes. . . . An English Syndicate subscribes \$10,000,000 to establish extensive iron and steel works at Vallejo, Cal.
- 21st.—News received that one-half of the city of Lachan, China, destroyed by fire and twelve hundred persons killed.
- 23rd.—A plot among the convicts in Kingston Penitentiary to revolt and gain their liberty frustrated.
- 24th.—Imposing demonstration at Quebec on the occasion of the dedication and blessing of the Cartier-Brebeuf monument.
- 25th.—Death of Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes, wife of the nineteenth President of the United States, at Fremont, Ohio.
- 26th.—Great excitement created in England by the Portuguese Government cancelling the concession it had granted for the building of a railroad at Delagoa Bay. . . . President Harrison appoints William Walter Phelps, as Minister to Germany.
- 27th.—Princess Louise of Wales, eldest daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, betrothed to Earl Fife.
- 28th.—The Scott Act sustained in Drummond County, Que. . . . Cruelty to Children bill, which prohibits the employment of juvenile labor after ten o'clock at night, passed by the Imperial House of Commons.
- 29th.—Reform Demonstration at the Exhibition Grounds, Toronto, Ont.

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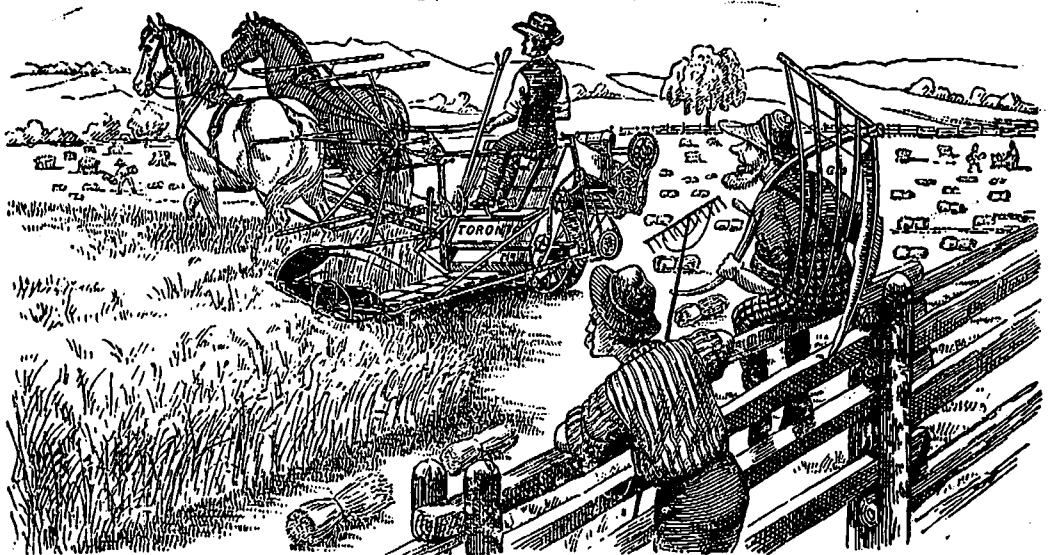
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