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MAY

Abyssinia, advices from Massowah give details concerning recent death of King John.—May 3.

Abyssinia, Premier Crispi in Italian chamber of deputies says as soon as treaty of peace signed, government proposed to give Massowah a civil administration.—May 8.

Abyssinia, Count Antenelli, leader of Italian mission to King of Shoa telegraphs to Rome accounts of recent fight between Abyssinians and Dervishes.—May 10.

Alberta Exploration Company registered in England with capital of £20,000.—May 15.

ACCIDENTS, drowning, Buckingham, Que., Rev. Mr. Evans, drowned by upsetting of a canoe.—May 9.

Aeronaut, St. Clair Prof., at Fair, Ground Park, Houston, Tex., fall 300 feet to earth.—May 12.

Cyclone, Clements, west of Emporia, Ks., Captain Brown and daughter killed and wife and son injured.—May 27.

Cyclone, McPherson, Kansas, several lives lost and houses demolished.—May 29.

Drowning, Amherstburg, Ont., Cunningham Major J. R., drowned while crossing Roblin Lake.—May 18.

Drowning, Batesville, Ark., two Baptist ministers, John and James R. Moxley, drowned.—May 25.

Drowning, Chambord, Que., Pierre Morin of St. Jérôme and boy drowned in Metabetchouan harbor.—May 10.

Drowning, Lake Front, Fla., W. T. Denham, son of, and Miss Sberetz.—May 16.

Drowning, St. Anne's, P.Q., two young men from Hull named Gervais and Pelletier drowned while wading a barge.—May 15.

Drowning, St. Andrews, N. B., sinking of sloop off Hardwood Island, six men drowned.—May 4.

Drowning, Vicksburg, Miss., nine negroes drowned by upsetting of skiff.—May 19.

Explosions, Havana, Cuba, a woman, two daughters and colored boy burned to death.—May 26.

Explosion, Pittsburg at Torus, new mines of the Chartier's Coal Company, four Hungarians killed.—May 12.

Explosions, Wales, Ont., boiler of engine on Grand Trunk Railway explodes seriously injuring man named MacIntosh and others.—May 25.

Fall of wall, New York, two men killed by fall of wall at 151 Spring Street.—May 13.

Fire-arms, Saltcoats, Man., John Patton kills his nephew accidentally with a gun.—May 14.

Fires, Abingdon, Balmoral, Mr. William's house burned, four children burned to death.—May 2.

Fires, Aylmer, Ont., pork packing establishment of Walker & Marlett.—May 12.

Fires, Danville, Vt., twenty-three buildings destroyed, loss \$50,000.—May 10.

Fires, Edinburg, Vt., barn set fire to by a boy Charles Parouta, who is burned to death.—May 27.

Fires, forest, Belleville, Ont., much damage done by.—May 14.

Fires, forest, Minnesota and Northern Wisconsin, immense amount of damage done.—May 4.

Fires, forest, Northern Wisconsin, fires raging, many towns surrounded.—May 10.

Fires, Galicia, Podhajee, 600 houses, a church and synagogue destroyed, 12 corpses recovered.—May 28.

Fires, Hamburg, American steamer "Rugia" from New York, cargo of cotton takes fire.—May 8.

Fires, Havelock Corners, Kings County, settlement destroyed.—May 26.

Fires, Hillham, Ind., Wiesemann Mrs. C., house destroyed, two children burned to death.—May 6.

Fires, Japan, Yokoto, 1000 houses destroyed.—May 3, reported May 29.

Fires, Jersey City, Academy of Music takes fire.—May 14.

ACCIDENTS.—Continued.

Fires, Liverpool, Steamer "England" from New Orleans arrives with cargo of cotton on fire.—May 22.

Fire, Liverpool, steamer "Servia" arrives at, with cargo on fire.—May 28.

Fires, Montreal, Warden King & Son's Foundry partially destroyed.—May 7.

Fires, "Parkhurst" London steamer, arrives at Rio de Janeiro with cargo on fire. News brought to Queenstown by Inman liner "City of New York."—May 29.

Fires, Quebec, store on Allan's steamship wharf destroyed.—May 27.

Fire, Queenstown, Spanish steamer "Emilianos" arrives, with cotton in fore and main holds burning.—May 18.

Fires, Russia, sleeping car on railway between St. Petersburg and Warsaw destroyed; nurse and child burned to death.—May 31.

Fires, St. Boniface, Man., Royal Soap works completely destroyed.—May 25.

Fires, San Francisco, Russian Church destroyed.—May 22.

Fires, St. Sauveur, Quebec, 700 houses destroyed, Major Short and Sergt. Walleck killed.—May 16.

Fires, Trenton, Pictou, N.S., Hopkins Mrs., house of, burned, youngest child aged 2 years roasted alive.—May 12.

Fires, Virginia Beach, Princess Anne County, Va., residence of Rev. F. C. Clarke, pastor London Bridge Baptist Church, Mr. Clarke, two daughters, son and niece destroyed.—May 24.

Fires, West Chester, N. Y., dwelling of Watson Bownes destroyed, five persons burned to death.—May 7.

Fires, Winnipeg, Nickel Plate factory, Jewish Synagogue and other buildings destroyed.—May 5.

Fires, Worcester, Mass., Theatre destroyed.—May 16.

Flood, Johnstown, Pa., bursting reservoir submerges the town.—May 31.

Floods, Bohemia, 45 persons lost their lives through floods.—May 21.

Gas, Baltimore, Grant Joseph D., and wife, of Jefferson Democratized Association, found dead in bed.—May 30.

Lightning, Ridgeway, Pa., Mrs. W. McNail and four children killed by.—May 11.

Mining, Middleport, Pa., Raskatoon colliery, ten miners killed in ascending cage.—May 9.

Mining, Merthyr, Tydvil Wales, roof of colliery falls in, killing one miner and entombing 58 others.—May 23.

Mining, Wilkesbarre, Pa., bucket containing ton of rock falls from top to bottom of Pettibone shaft, six men crushed.—May 24.

Railway, Austria, train from Wiesbaden to Vienna conveying Empress of Austria and suite, while being shunted at Frankfort, leaves the rails.—May 22.

Railway, Belleville, Ont., Madoc train on Grand Trunk line dashed into by timber train, twenty persons injured.—May 18.

Railway, Bull Station on Housatonic railway. Two freight train collide, engineer Blood and brakeman Olds killed.—May 28.

Railway, Central Vermont between Roxbury and East Granville, Conn. freight train breaks apart, 150 hogs killed.—May 3.

Railway, Cleveland, Ohio, collision on Valley Railway. two persons killed and four injured.—May 8.

Railway, Corbyville, Ont., Madoc train run into by freight train, ten persons injured.—May 18.

Railway, Bailey Station, Col., Charles Lapman, fireman, killed by freight engine running off line.—May 13.

Railway, Buxton, Ont., Joseph Beachard, while driving across track, cut to pieces by express train.—May 16.

Railway, Dorval, P.Q., three freight trains collide on Grand Trunk Railway, terrible wreckage and loss of property.—May 17.

Railway, Madawaska, Ont., Meek W., bookkeeper of Kingston and Pembroke Mining Company, killed.—May 10.

Railway, Maynard, Ohio, freight train on Cleveland, Loraine and Wheeling railroad goes through a bridge into a creek.—May 3.

Railway, Nashville, Tenn., 17 men,—2 whites and 15 negroes—killed while putting out fire of bridge on Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad.—May 19.

ACCIDENTS.—Continued.

- Railway, Ormsby, Pa., wreck on Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad, results in injury to eight workmen, two fatally.—May 16.
- Railway, Osgood Station, Ottawa, Andrew Matthews, brakeman on Prescott and Ottawa branch of C.P.R., killed while coupling cars.—May 11.
- Railway, Russia, sleeping car between St. Peterburg and Warsaw destroyed by fire, nurse and child burned to death.—May 31.
- Railway, Sullivan, Mo., Westbound train on St. Louis and San Francisco railway wrecked, forty-five persons injured.—May 23.
- Railway, Toronto, freight train crashes into Guelph train.—May 22.
- Reservoir bursting, Littleton, N.H., considerable damage caused by.—May 22.
- Shipping, Gloucester, N.J., ferry boat "Pearless" collides with ferry boat "J. S. Schultz," injuring seriously Flora Jackson and Annie Quinby.—May 16.
- Shooting, Peoria, Ill., Miss Jessie Bening accidentally shoots herself dead.—May 1.
- Shooting, Lazaire, Bellechasse, P. Q., David Labrie killed by accidental discharge of a gun.—May 5.
- Storm, Austria, Boskowitz, eight persons killed by lightning.—May 17.
- Storms, Austria, Vienna, 3 persons killed; Rackourtz, 9 children killed; Zino, 30 persons killed.—May 18.
- Storm, Chamberlain, Dak., lightning strikes residence of Mr. Dorsey, killing his ten year old son.—May 15.
- Storm, Danville, Pa., J. G. Penn's tobacco factory blown down, 6 men killed.—May 30.
- Storm, Fairhaven, Conn., sixteen men injured by being thrown from building blown down by storm.—May 10.
- Storm, Potomac Valley, twenty-five men at work on railroad trestle swept into the water, and wreck of bridge falls on them.—May 10.
- Storm, Sunbridge, Ont., son of Mr. Thomas Smart killed by lightning.—May 20.
- Storm, Tacoma, W.T., new hotel blown down, 5 persons killed and others injured.—May 13.
- Tornado, Martinsburg, West Va., destruction on Potomac river; two men killed by falling of a barn.—May 30.
- AFRICA EAST**, Captain Wissman has severe engagement with Chief Bushire's forces whose camp he captures.—May 8.
- Bajajmoys, Captain Wissman in a report reports troubles of missionaries.—May 1, reported May 27.
- Congo State, reports from state Arnohimi district, now under direct influence of Congo State Government, reported May 28.
- Zanzibar, Fever committing ravages among crews of English and German vessels.—May 75.
- Anarchists, Lombardy, land agitation fomented, houses ransacked, troops called out.—May 17.
- Anarchist, conspiracy discovered at Sueca, Spain.—May 18.
- Anarchists, Milan, 17 arrested for inciting tumults at Gallarate.—May 23.
- Ancient order of United Workmen, seventh Annual convale of the grand legion of, in Shaftesbury Hall, Toronto.—May 21.
- Ancient order of Hibernians, session of, at New York.—May 14.
- Annexation, Dr. Jamieson of Mountain, Ont., replies to Mr. Shibley of Providence, R. I.—May 8.
- Arbitration treaty, England and United States, Emile Laveteye publishes appeal to Mr. Gladstone to take lead in promoting.—May 28.
- Artists, Ontario Society of, exhibition at Toronto.—May 22.
- Artists, Ontario society of, annual meeting at Toronto.—May 28.
- Australia, Ballarat, immense meetings held at, in favor of Irish Home Rule.—May 16.
- AUSTRIA**.—Boskowitz, eight persons killed by lightning.—May 17.
- Reicherath, Catholic Congress of Vienna, Premier Von Taafe states Congress was purely private, and would not affect friendly relations between Austria and Italy.—May 16.
- Disastrous storms, 3 persons killed near Vienna, house collapsed at Rackourtz, killing 9 children, at Zino 30 persons killed.—May 18.
- Socialists, government officially warned by Germany that German Socialist agitating among Austrian miners.—May 27.
- Bank of Montreal, annual statement.—May 10.
- Banks, Quebec, La Banque Nationale, Annual Meeting and re-election of officers.—May 22.
- Banks, Savannah, Mo., Saving Bank, failure of.—May 29.
- Banks, Scranton, Pa., City Bank, vice-president George A. Jessup, arrested.—May 25.
- Bannatlyne Hon. A. G. B., death of, at St. Paul.—May 18.
- Baptist Home Missionary Society, Boston, closing session of 57th Annual Meeting, election of officers.—May 18.
- Barry Mrs. Lenora, general investigator of Women's work in the Knights of Labor, interviewed at Cincinnati as to her visit to the South.—May 2.
- Bavaria, Queen Mary of, mother of King Otto, death of, at Munich.—May 16.
- Bavaria, Munich, newspaper confiscated, and editor arrested for publishing scandalous obituary article on Queen Maria.—May 21.
- BEHRING SEA**, British flagships "Swiftsure" and "Amphion" sent to Sitka with orders to cruise in Behring Sea.—May 27.
- British warships to sail from Victoria, B. C., on June 15. Macdonald, Sir John, interviewed at Montreal thereon.—May 29.
- Revenue cutter "Rush" leaves San Francisco for.—May 30.
- Denial in British House of Commons that men of war ordered from Pacific station to Behring sea.—May 30.
- Secretary Windom signs the sailing orders of the revenue steamer "Bear" designated to assist in protecting the Alaska seal fisheries.—May 31.
- Revenue cutter "Rush" sails from San Francisco to protect American fishery interests.—May 24.
- Belfast, foundation stone of Albert bridge laid by Prince Albert Victor of Wales.—May 22.
- Belfast, new dock opened by Prince Albert Victor of Wales.—May 21.
- Belgium, Chamber of representatives, Prince Munster Beernaert strenuously denies that government was plotting the ruin of citizens through agency of police, spies-vote of confidence passed.—May 29.
- Belgrade, rioting at, ex-president Garashawine's house attacked, 3 rioters killed and a member wounded.—May 27.
- Belgrade, 100 arrests including ex-Premier Garashawine for riot.—May 30.
- Belleisle, straits of, Quebec Board of Trade decides that no sailing vessel should pass by the straits before first of July.—May 27.
- Bennington, Vt., Hotels, after a barricade of four weeks, open.—May 9.
- Bi-Metallic currency, Britain, Lord Salisbury receives deputation thereon.—May 31.
- Births, Princess Beatrice, wife of Prince Henry of Battenburg, of a son.—May 20.
- Bishop Washington Irving, mind reader, death of, at New York.—May 13.
- Bishop, Irving, inquest on, at New York.—May 28.
- Bishop Irving, New York, verdict on inquest.—May 30.
- Boehm Joseph Edgar, sculptor, created a baronet.—May 24.
- Bohemia, floods, 45 persons lose their lives.—May 22.
- Bonner Hugh, appointed chief of New York fire brigade.—May 21.
- Boulanger, Max O'Rell interviewed thereon, at London, Eng.—May 19.
- Bourne Mills Corporation, Fall River, Mass., decide to adopt plan of profit sharing with the operatives.—May 22.
- Brazilian parliament opened by Emperor.—May 4.
- Breweries, Newark, N.J., two more breweries added to the syndicate.—May 15.
- Breweries, New York, English syndicate purchases brewery of George Ringle & Co.—May 14.
- Breweries, North-West territory, twenty-four closed by order of Inland Revenue department.—May 24.
- Breweries, St. Paul, Minn., English syndicate buy up all breweries in.—May 22.
- Bridgeman Laura, made famous by Charles Dickens in his American notes dies at South Boston Asylum.—May 24.
- Bright Right Hon. John, will of, sworn to in England.—May 24.
- Brooklyn Bridge, trustees decide to double traffic facilities.—May 14.
- Brigands, Sofia, five brigands hanged.—May 16.
- Burns George, created a baronet.—May 24.
- Cabinet meeting, Washington, three cabinet officers, Blaine, Wiroom and Proctor, tender their resignations to President, if certain changes not made.—May 21.
- California, severe earthquake shocks felt in several parts.—May 19.
- Campbell Lord Walter, third son of Duke of Argyle, death of, in South Africa.—May 3.
- Canada, Parliament of, prorogation.—May 2.
- Canada, United States Senate Commission on trade relations with, arrives at Los Angeles, Cal.—May 14.
- Canadian Asbestos and Antimony Company, W. J. Spooner appointed official liquidator.—May 15.
- Canals, St. Lawrence, instructions issued from Ottawa as to Saturday and Sunday opening and closing hours.—May 30.
- Carnegie Andrew interviewed in London on the effects of the protective tariff.—May 26.
- Catholic Congress, Vienna, close of.—May 2.
- Catholic Congress of Vienna, Premier Von Taafe states in Reichsrath that Congress was purely private, and would not affect friendly relations between Austria and Italy.—May 16.
- Catholic Knights of America, Supreme Council of, meets at Chattanooga, Tenn.—May 14.
- Catholic Knights of America, Coleman James D., of New Orleans, elected Supreme President.—May 18.
- Cattle, consumption among, at William Dalmage's farm at Camden, Ont.—May 14.

Channel Island, earthquake prolonged shock of, felt.—May 30.
 Chicago, monument erected in honor of policemen killed by anarchist bomb in 1886 unveiled.—May 30.
 Chicago Board of Trade votes to discontinue furnishing quotations to all persons, except members of the board.—May 14.
 Chicago, Insane Asylum, investigation into.—May 13.
 Chicago, drainage bill passes Illinois Senate.—May 22.
 CHINA, Che Foo riots, damages arising out of, settled, English and American flag rehoisted.—May 17.
 Hong Kong, heavy storm at, immense damage caused.—May 29.
 Chinese Exclusion Act, Supreme Court of U.S. affirms validity of the law.—May 13.
 Cholera, India, 1000 persons die within a week in the Ganjaw district.—May 24.
 Cleveland, ex-president, banquet to, at New York by Young Men's Democratic Club.—May 27.
 Collieries, Pittston, Pa., railroad and coal companies order their men to resume work on full time.—May 21.
 Commercial Union, Wiman Mr. Erastus, address of, at Harmony Hall, Ottawa.—May 4.
 Congo, Conference at Berlin, Prince Leopold of Belgium proposes international conference to complete the work.—May 7.
 Conservative convention, Montreal.—May 29.
 Cook County, Ill., Insane Asylum, investigation into affairs of.—May 13.
 Consumption among cattle at William Dulmage's farm at Camden, Ont.—May 14.
 Conductors, railway, twenty-first annual convention opened at Denver, Col.—May 14.
 Cotton Manufacturers, Augusta, Ga., convention held at, and permanent organization formed.—May 1.
 Corea, Yeko, riot in consequence of execution of Boker quelled by the Military, April 13.—Reported May 11.
 Corwith Nathan, well known citizen of Chicago, death of.—May 29.
 Cotton, John B., of Lewiston, Me., appointed by president assistant attorney general.—May 29.
 County Councils, England, decision in Lady Sandhurst case.—May 16.
 Robbery, Newcastle, Del., five negroes and seven whites whipped.—May 12.
 Crete, Greece annexation, to assembly of the Island adopts resolution in favor of.—May 27.
 Customs, Canadian cars, deputation waits upon Secretary Windom at Washington regarding dutiable character of Canadian car.—May 8.
 Customs, San Francisco, seize 1,000 pounds of smuggled opium on board steamer "City of New York."—May 10.
 CRIME.—Absconders, Chicago, Fairbanks John, treasurer of National Union Building Association, action to recover bond of guarantee for faithful performance of duties brought against Bishop Falls.—May 3.
 Abortion, Toronto, Dunbar Katie found dead, woman named Wright arrested.—May 31.
 Absconders, Tacoma, W. T., McCormick J. E., disappears, with over \$50,000.—May 8.
 Absconders, Toronto, Shaw Charles A., manager of Toronto Opera House, goes to New York.—May 9.
 Absconders, Baltimore, Thomas McGatchin who stole \$80,000 from Unlimited Oil Company arrested in Jacksonville, Fla.—May 29.
 Absconders, Ottawa, Brown W. E., ex-alderman arrested at Massena Spring, N. Y.—May 29.
 Defaulters, New Haven, Conn., Bradley John C., cashier of Merchants National Bank.—May 25.
 Forgery, Windsor, Ont., Henry Gottlieb, Chicago lawyer, arrested, and consents to go back to Chicago without extradition.—May 20.
 Robbery, Chicago, Post Office vault entered and 86 registered letters stolen.—May 26.
 Robbery, Shemond, Miss., Langlade stage mail robbed.—May 24.
 Robbery, train on Milwaukee and North Western railroad at Beaver Wis., man walks through the train with revolver and compels passengers to yield up valuables.—May 29.
 Cronin Dr. P. H., body of, found in Chicago.—May 22.
 Customs, Canadian, Spanish river mill of Modes Bros. removed from, Detour seized for duty.—May 27.
 Cyclone, Lackawanna Valley, Pa., great damage wrought.—May 20.
 Danville, Va., Venn's tobacco factory blown down, 6 men killed.—May 30.
 Corwith, Nathan, of Chicago.—May 29.
 DEATHS.—Campbell Lord Walter, third son of the Duke of Argyll, in South Africa.—May 3.
 Bannatyne Hon. A. G. B., at St. Paul.—May 18.
 Bavaria, Queen Mary of, mother of King Otto, at Munich.—May 16.
 Bishop Washington Irving, mind reader, at New York.—May 13.

DEATHS,—Continued.

Bridgeman Laura, made famous by Charles Dickens in his American notes, dies at South Boston Asylum.—May 24.
 Damien Rev. Father, "Leper Priest of Molokai," dies at Kalawa, Hawaii.—April 10, rep. May 9.
 Dickinson Mrs. Mary M., mother of Susan E. Dickinson the writer, at Pittston, Pa.—May 12.
 Dundas H. A. L., of Calgary, member of Winnipeg's Crack Cricket Team.—May 22.
 Foster Hon. Henry A., ex United States senator, at Rome, N.Y.—May 12.
 Foss Mr. S. J., postmaster of Sherbrooke, P.Q.—May 7.
 Hanington Hon. Daniel, at Shediac, N.B.—May 5.
 Harvey General William, oldest officer of United States Army, at Orlando, Fla.—May 9.
 Hoskin, commander of flagship "Swiftsure" dies at Esquimaux.—May 20.
 Meyer Herr, ivory importer, at Kiel.—May 3.
 Noble Hon. Guy C., prominent lawyer, at St. Albans, Vermont.—May 21.
 Pelham George B., architect of Government buildings, Ottawa, death of, at New York.—May 2.
 Power Most Rev. Pierce, Bishop of the Catholic diocese of Waterford and Lismore.—May 22.
 Rice Mr. Allen Thorndyke, newly appointed Minister to Russia, at New York.—May 16.
 Rogers Major A. B., discoverer of Kicking Horse Pass, of death, at Waterville, Minn.—May 5.
 Ryan Hon. Thomas, at Montreal.—May 25.
 Tolstoi Count, Russian Minister of the interior.—May 7.
 Watson Mrs. Charles T., reader and actress, in New York.—May 4.
 Wright William, LL. D., professor of Arabic in University of Cambridge.—May 23.
 Dickinson Mrs. Mary E., mother of Susan E. Dickinson, the writer, dies at Pittston, Pa.—May 12.
 DIPLOMATIC.—Pauncefoot Sir Julian, New British Minister to United States, presented to President.—May 3.
 Grant Col. Frederick, new American Minister to Austria, arrives in Vienna.—May 10.
 United States appointments, Kirsch to Turkey, Severance to Sandwich Islands, Carr to Denmark, Sherman consul at Liverpool, Jarrett consul at Birmingham.—May 17.
 United States and France, Pres. Carnot receives Whitelaw Reid, New American Minister at Paris.—May 21.
 United States and Great Britain, Mr. Lincoln presented to Lord Salisbury at foreign office, London.—May 23.
 Divorce, Chicago, Carter case, verdict returned in favor of Mr. Carter.—May 22.
 Duels, Vienna, Prince Alexis Schwarzenberg fatally wounded in duel with Lieutenant of Hussars.—May 30.
 Dufferin Lord, presented with freedom of City of London for annexing Burmah.—May 29.
 Earthquake, Annapolis, Ind., shock felt at.—May 11.
 Earthquake shocks, California, severe shocks felt in several parts.—May 19.
 Earthquake, Channel Islands prolonged shock felt.—May 30.
 Earthquake, many towns on Mainland of England and France.—May 30.
 Earthquakes, Paris, earthquake shock felt on left bank of the Seine.—May 30.
 Earthquakes, Tokio, Japan, earthquake of most unusual character recorded in Seismological Observatory of Imperial University.—April 18, rep. May 22.
 ECCLESIASTICAL.—Buckingham, Que., Evans Rev. Mr., drowned by upsetting of a canoe.—May 9.
 Baltimore, suicide of Rev. H. G. Schorr, assistant rector of St. Paul's episcopal church, shoots himself.—May 27.
 Brooklyn, Dent Rev. Father Francis sues Bishop Ryan of Buffalo and others for libel.—May 15.
 Duncan Rev. Father, "Leper Priest of Molokai," dies at Kalawa, Hawaii.—April 10, rep. May 9.
 Elsmorian Church, London, meeting to found, held at Anderton's hotel.—May 11.
 Hamilton, Bishop Dowling enthroned in St. Mary's Cathedral.—May 2.
 Mexico, Bishop Moreno arrested at Silos, for wearing Cassock in the streets, and fined.—May 8.
 Presbyterian Assembly, New York animated discussion on prohibition.—May 27.
 Presbyteries of Portage la Prairie, Brandon and Winnipeg, Man., nominate Principal Grant for moderatorship.—May 8.

ECCLESIASTICAL, —Continued.

- Richmond, Va., Rev. John Jasper's revival, 200 converts baptized in James River.—May 12.
- Boston, American Baptist Home Missionary Society, closing session and election of officers.—May 18.
- Newark, N. J., annual convention of Episcopal diocese of, opened, Bishop Starkey's address.—May 21.
- Nova Scotia, Archdeacon Gilpin promoted to be Dean, and Rev. J. A. Kaulback of Truro, archdeacon.—May 24.
- Ottawa, session of Ottawa district of Montreal conference of Methodist church.—May 22.
- Power Most Rev. Pierce, Bishop of Catholic diocese of Waterford and Lismore, death of.—May 22.
- Prince Edward Island, Rev. Weston Jones of Charlottetown made Archdeacon.—May 24.
- Rome, Pope declines to nominate Polish and Russian bishops at Consistory.—May 18.
- Rome, Pope in allocution protests against Italian legislation, denounces proposed monument to Gregory Bruna, and refers to recent Catholic Congress.—May 24.
- Toronto Presbytery nominates Principal Grant for the moderatorship.—May 7.
- Edinburgh Municipal Council confirms resolution granting freedom of city to Mr. Parnell.—May 8.
- EGYPT.—Wady, Halfa, six dervishes executed for outraging women and children, despatches received.—May 3.
- Suakim, expedition to Halaib returns, having completed fortifications there.—May 13.
- Soudan, Capt. Wissman's contingent, small-pox broken out among.—May 31.
- Wissman Captain, announces he will declare war against all co as Arabs from Tonga to Lindi unless they submit before June 1.—May 28.
- ELECTIONS.—Compton, Munroe Mr. T. B., chosen as candidate by Liberals.—May 2.
- Compton, P. Q., nomination of Messrs. Pope and Munroe.—May 9.
- Compton County, P. Q., Mr. Rufus H. Pope returned to Dominion parliament.—May 16.
- Centre Winnipeg, Henderson W. F., accepts nomination against Col. McMillan.—May 10.
- Centre Winnipeg, Mr. W. F. Henderson withdraws from candidature.—May 10.
- France, Charenton, another ballot ordered at where Boulanger defeated for Municipal Council by two votes.—May 22.
- France, Boulanger's supporters decide to contest all elections.—May 15.
- France, Aisne and Doubs departments, M. M. Leroux and Bernard, republicans elected senators.—May 26.
- France, St. Ouen's Municipal Government, Boulanger, Laguerre Naquet and de Roulede elected on second ballots.—May 5.
- Holland for members of Provincial Assembly.—May 30.
- Lafayette, La., band of armed men prevents negroes from voting, polls closed.—May 6.
- Quebec, west local election annulled for corrupt practices.—May 4.
- Three Rivers, P. Q., Court of review, petition of method against Hon. Mr. Turcotte, dismissed.—May 31.
- West York, Ont., Turner Mr. J., of Brackendale, nominated by Conservatives for Ontario Legislature.—May 18.
- Winnipeg Centre, Provincial Treasurer McMillan elected by acclamation.—May 18.
- Elopements, Hartford, Conn., Deacon Asher P. Smith runs away to Canada with his cashier Miss Josephine King.—May 27.
- Elopements, New York, Hooper Rev. John, of North New York Congregational Church, elopes with May Curtis, pair married in New Jersey.—May 17.
- Elsmerian Church, London, Eng., meeting to found, held at Anderton's hotel.—May 11.
- Emerald Beneficial Association, Ontario Branch, close of Convention at Toronto.—May 23.
- Emigration of poor children, discussion in British House of Commons.—May 10.
- Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive, Scranton, Pa., secret meeting of 500 members held.—May 26.
- Esquimalt to be garrisoned by Royal Marine Artillery, question discussed in British House of Lords.—May 16.
- Eton College, Eng., Queen lays foundation stone of new building.—May 18.
- Exeter, Ont., several buildings struck by lightning.—May 10.
- FAILURES.—Canadian Asbestos and Antimony Company, W. J. Spooner appointed official liquidator.—May 15.

FAILURES.—Continued.

- Chicago, Western Arms and Cartridge Company.—May 22.
- London, Eng., Mandeville arranges scheme to satisfy his creditors.—May 13.
- New York, Electric Sugar Refinery Company, receiver appointed.—May 10.
- Ottawa, Harkin T. B., & Co., shoe merchants.—May 20.
- Philadelphia, Alum Manufacturing Company.—May 18.
- Quebec, St. Lawrence Warehouse, Dock and Wharfage Company.—May 10.
- Quebec, Fraserville Shoe Manufacturing Company.—May 27.
- Savannah, Mo., Savings Bank.—May 29.
- Scranton, Pa., City Bank, Vice-President, George A. Jessup, arrested.—May 25.
- Worcester, Mass., Ayer A. E., & Co., stock brokers, liabilities \$50,000.—May 24.
- Fargo, Dak., cyclone does much damage.—May 6.
- Fever, Zanzibar, ravages committed among crews of English and German vessels.—May 25.
- Fisheries, Halifax, N.S., Canadian cruiser "Vigilant" seizes Gloucester Schooner "Mattie Winship" about two miles off Cape North, C.B.—May 31.
- Flannels, New York, sale of 12,000 packages finished.—May 29.
- Fisheries, Halifax, Minister of Marine and Fisheries decides to establish intelligence department, for the purpose of supplying information to fishermen as to various food and bait fishes.—May 20.
- Flour, English Syndicate attempting to purchase great flour mills of America.—May 22.
- Flour, Messrs. McKay & Co.'s flour mill at Ottawa suspends operations owing to the high prices of wheat.—May 7.
- Forestburgh, Sullivan County, 1,700 acres is purchased by Manhattan Single Tax Club of New York.—May 28.
- Fort McLeod, fight between Bloods and Cowboys and Gros Ventres, a number killed and scalped.—Reported May 21.
- Fort Wayne, Ind., Saloons all closed.—May 19.
- Foss Mr. S. L., postmaster of Sherbrooke, P. Q., death of.—May 7.
- Foster Hon. Henry A., ex-United States Senator, death of, at Rome, N.Y.—May 12.
- FRANCE, centenary celebration at Versailles, President Carnot fired at by man named Perrin, with a blank cartridge.—May 5.
- Boulanger, trial of, at Paris, postponed till August.—May 24.
- Boulanger's supporters decide to contest all elections.—May 25.
- Chambers of Deputies. The Boulanger Trial by Senate, Government upheld in their refusal to be interpellated.—May 28.
- Exhibition, opening of, by President Carnot.—May 7.
- Gilly M. Numa, member of Chamber of Deputies, tried at Montpellier, on charge of libelling M. Salis, and sentenced to imprisonment.—May 17.
- Narbonne, municipal election results in victory for socialists.—May 12.
- Nice, three American ladies arrested and thrown into prison at the instance of a dressmaker.—May 3.
- Paris, shock of earthquake felt on left bank of Seine.—May 31.
- Paris Exhibition, upwards of 100 members of British House of Commons append their signatures to Memorial to President Carnot, expressing regret at absence of British Ambassador from opening function.—May 13.
- Paris Exhibition, visit of Lord Mayor.—May 15.
- Paris Exhibition, Eiffel Tower opens.—May 15.
- Paris Exhibition, absence of Lord Lytton from opening ceremonies discussed in British House of Commons, and action of Government endorsed.—May 28.
- Paris, Rochefort's son, funeral of, riot with the police.—May 7.
- Paris, banquet given by delegates of American Republics taking part in Exhibition, in honor of the Cabinet.—May 18.
- Paris, President Carnot receives Whitelaw Reid, new American Minister at Paris.—May 21.
- Poirier, an opportunist, elected Senator in the department of the Seine.—May 12.
- St Ouen's municipal Government, Boulanger, Laguerre, Naquet and de Roulede elected on second ballots.—May 5.
- Senate examines MM. Granet and Lockroy as to meeting held on the eve of the election of Mr. Carnot.—May 8.
- Senate, students for priesthood exempted from military service after a year's drill.—May 17.
- Senate, Military Bill, amendments again adopted which Chamber of Deputies before refused to accept.—May 17.

- Freight handlers, Boston, employed in Fitchburg railroad yards, decide to demand increase in wages.—May 22.
- Freights, Iron Ore, Western agents decide to reduce rates on iron ore from Lake Ports to Pittsburg.—May 22.
- Frogs, Jamestown, Dak., shower of.—May 7.
- Gambling, London, Eng., police raid the Field and Adelphi clubs.—May 12.
- Gambling, London, Eng., Field Club, Mr. Seaton, proprietor, fined £500.—May 20.
- GERMANY, Hamburg, thirty persons arrested for selling Socialist pamphlet.—May 6.
- Berlin, King Humbert, the Crown Prince of Italy, and Signor Crispi arrive.—May 21.
- Elisenheim, affray between villagers and military, seven persons killed.—May 13.
- Freight rates reduced by Prussian Government on all lines to alleviate distress arising from dearth of coal.—May 18.
- Frenchmen arrested at Soultzmat, Alsace, on charge of treason.—May 24.
- Reichstag, Army bill, scene between Prince Bismarck and Herr Richter.—May 18.
- Reichstag, reception accorded King Humbert in Berlin, President reads letter from Bismarck enclosing telegram from Italian Chamber of Deputies to Premier Crispi, congratulating him upon reception.—May 22.
- Striking miners, serious conflicts between troops and strikers.—May 11 and 12.
- Gladstone Mr., receives addresses of sympathy signed by Governors, Senators, and other State officials of Minnesota and Wisconsin.—May 18.
- Gladstone Mrs., presented with bracelet by Women's Liberal Association, in celebration of her golden wedding.—May 22.
- Glass, Window Glass Workers Association issues order that all foreign glass workers coming to United States be blacklisted.—May 10.
- Gold, Glen Dive, Mont., discovery of.—May 14.
- Gold, New York, one million five hundred thousand dollars ordered for shipment to Europe.—May 4.
- Gold, New York, half a million dollars exported from.—May 10.
- Gold, New York shipments to London and Paris, \$3,600,000.—May 25.
- Good Templars, Independent Order of, Chicago, Supreme Grand Lodge of the World begins its biennial session.—May 28.
- Grain Examiners and Arbitrators, Toronto Board of, order in council passed limiting powers of.—May 29.
- Grasshopper plague prevailing at Manitoulin Island.—May 21.
- Halifax, Bermuda Cable Company issuing £120,000 sterling 4½ per cent. debentures at 2 premium.—
- Hanington Hon. Daniel, death of, at Shediac, N. B.—May 5.
- Harcourt Sir William Vernon, speaks at Brunley on the 30,000 men employed to coerce Ireland.—May 8.
- HAYTI, Minister Preston informed that Legitime's army has taken by assault town of Eunary.—May 17.
- Legitime's forces routed, four towns captured by Hippolyte, many persons slain.—Reported May 21.
- Gen. Wallace and ex-Consul Packard selected by U.S. Government to go and use influence to secure peaceable settlement of troubles there.—May 24.
- Port au Prince in the hands of a mob, an attack expected by Hippolyte's Army.—May 21, reported May 28.
- Minister Preston declares the Dominion Government has virtually recognized Legitime.—May 27.
- Despatches received at London from Gen. Hippolyte, the insurgent leader, saying he has defeated President Legitime, captured Port au Prince and proclaimed himself President.—May 31.
- Hewitt Abraham S., interviewed at New York by *Herald* on the Basic process for making open hearth steel.—May 14.
- Hibernians, Ancient Order of, session at New York.—May 14.
- Holland King of, Parliament passes resolution restoring his power.—May 2.
- Holland, The Hague, body of socialists hauls down Royal Standard from great tower, and hoists socialist flag.—May 12.
- Holland, elections for members of Provincial Assembly.—May 29.
- Hoskin, commander of flagship "Swiftsure," dies at Esquimault.—May 20.
- Hungarian merchants boycotting grain market of Vienna, in consequence of growth of anti semitism.—May 9.
- Hypnotism exhibitions of, forbidden by Executive Council of Swiss Confederation at Berne.—May 20.
- Illinois Senate, Chicago drainage bill passes.—May 22.
- Imperial federation league addressed by Earl of Rosebery.—May 24.
- Imperial federation, Hamilton, address by Rev. Dr. Grant of Kingston.—May 11.
- IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT, Commons, Budget discussed, main proposals approved.—May 2.
- Commons, Charles Coaybeare, M. P., conviction of, attempt to discuss same by Mr. L. A. Jones defeated.—May 6.
- Commons, Newfoundland fisheries, Government will support British subjects in lobster fisheries, provided they do not interfere with French treaty rites.—May 7.
- Commons, Halifax, Bermuda cable, copy of contract presented.—May 7.
- Commons, Naval defence bill passes its second reading.—May 7.
- Commons, Halifax, Bermuda cable, contract for, approved.—May 10.
- Commons, emigration of poor children, discussion on.—May 10.
- Commons, Sugar Bounties and United States Government, discussion thereon.—May 10.
- Commons, Viceroyship of Ireland, proposal to send a Royal Prince.—May 13.
- Commons, naval bill passes committee stage.—May 13.
- Commons, Balfour Mr., states ten Irish members of the house now in prison, for offence under Crimes Act.—May 16.
- Commons, perpetual pensions, Mr. Bradlaugh's motion opposing proposal of Government to commute, rejected.—May 16.
- Commons, House of Lords, abolition of debate on.—May 17.
- Commons, Naval defence bill passes third reading.—May 20.
- Commons, Ireland, Chief Secretary for, questioned as to league for the purpose of placing Protestants on farms from which Catholics evicted.—May 27.
- Commons, Luggacurran evictions debate upon.—May 27.
- Commons, Healy Mr. Tim, M.P., protests against dinner given in the dining room of the house by Mr. Matthews, house Secretary.—May 27.
- Commons, absence of Lord Lytton from opening ceremonies of Paris Exhibition, course of Government approved.—May 28.
- Commons, Behring Sea, Sir James Ferguson denies that men-of-war ordered from Pacific station.—May 30.
- Commons, Scotch Local Government Bill read second time.—May 30.
- Commons, Bill for drainage and improvement of the Shannon and for the construction of railroads in Ireland introduced.—May 31.
- Lords, proposal by Earl of Meath, to allow women to sit in County Councils, rejected.—May 20.
- Lords, Equimault to be garrisoned by Royal Marine Artillery.—May 16.
- Lords, marriage with deceased wife's sister, bill rejected.—May 9.
- Lords, term of power in Europe, Lord Salisbury makes remarkable speech as to.—May 27.
- Lords, Naval defences, bill passes second reading.—May 28.
- Indianapolis Sunday law rigidly enforced.—May 26.
- Indians, Cherokee, opposition among, to the sale of Cherokee strip to United States.—May 11.
- Indians, Standing Rock, Dak., hold council, and agree not to sign treaty unless paid \$11,000,000 for their land.—May 19.
- Insane Asylum, Chicago, investigation into.—May 13.
- Insane Asylum, Cook County, Ill., investigation into affairs of.—May 13.
- Insanity, Brenham, Tex., Brant Mrs. Randolph, kills two of her children aged four and six years, and escapes with youngest child.—May 27.
- Interstate Commerce Commission resumes hearing at Chicago of case of Board of Trade against Western Railroad.—May 28.
- Interstate Commerce, Senate Committee, President Smith, J. H. Henick and John J. Kernan give evidence, committee adjourns until July 5.—May 10.
- Interstate commerce, Senate committee on, begins its investigation in New York as to Canadian railroad companies.—May 3.
- Interstate Commerce, Senate Committee on Canadian Railroads, Albert Fink, chairman of Trunk Line Association, gives evidence.—May 6.
- Interstate commerce, Senate Committee, Chauncey M. Dupew and Mr. Joseph Hickson give evidence.—May 7.
- Interstate commerce, Senate Committee, Thomas Lyman, railroad expert, James J. Hill president of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba railroad, and Mr. Erastus Wiman give evidence.—May 8.
- Interstate commerce, Senate committee, Mr. W. C. Van Horne, president of Canadian Pacific Railway, testifies.—May 9.
- IRELAND, Cork, Jack Hickey, Irish pugilist, breaks the jaw of a car driver and kills him.—May 8.
- Belfast, Carew Mr. J. L., M.P. for North Kildare, released from prison.—May 20.

IRELAND.—Continued.

- Ballymena, Lawlor John H., Manager of Ballymena Branch of Provincial Bank of Ireland shot dead on road.—May 31.
- Bill for drainage of Shannon, and construction of railroads introduced into British House of Commons.—May 31.
- Bowell estate in Cork, evictions, boy named Shea fatally injured.—May 31.
- Dublin, National league, Professor Galbraith denounces proposal to abolish the office of Viceroy.—May 21.
- Falcarragh, Charles Conybeare, M. P., sentenced for conspiring to oppose the law.—May 3.
- Falcarragh, conflict between evictors and tenants, 25 policemen injured.—May 27.
- Keller Rev. Canon commences action against Mr. Balfour, Irish secretary, for slander.—May 15.
- Luggacurran evictions, debate upon in British House of Commons.—May 27.
- Luggacurran estate, eight tenants evicted.—May 28.
- Lord Landsdowne's Luggacurran estate, evictions completed.—May 31.
- O'Brien Patrick, M. P., brings action for libel against London *Times*, Liverpool *Courier* and Thomas Wallace Russell, M. P.—May 16.
- Orders issued to prison authorities to release from gaol William O'Brien and Timothy Harrington.—May 4.
- Sir William Vernon Harcourt speaks at Bromley on the 30,000 men employed in coercion.—May 8.
- Tipperary, Dr. Tanner and Messrs. O'Connor and Condon, sentences affirmed upon, riot at Clomnel upon their arrival.—May 2.
- Vandeleur Estate, Sir Charles Russell, arbitrator in disputes between Tenants and Landlords, makes his award.—May 4.
- Viceroyship proposal in British House of Commons to send Royal Prince.—May 13.
- Viceroyship, meeting of Unionist members of Lords and Commons meet at residence of Marquis of Waterford, and adopt memorial praying for abolition of Viceroyship and for a royal residence in Ireland.—May 21.
- Walsh, Archbishop of Dublin, writes urging arbitration in disputes between Landlords and Tenants.—May 7.
- Zetland, Earl of, appointed Lord Lieutenant.—May 29.
- Irish Home rule advocates, Dillon, Deasy and Esmonde, arrive at Sydney, N. S. W.—May
- Irish Home rule, Australia, immense meetings held at Ballarat.—May 16.
- Parliament, introduction of budget.—May 10.
- Irish Viceroyalty, deputation of Unionist members of Lords and Commons waits on Lord Salisbury and present petition, asking for abolition of office.—May 29.
- Iron Guthrie, Oklahoma, rich mines discovered near.—May 30.
- Irving Bishop, New York, verdict on request.—May 30.
- ITALY.—Chamber of Deputies, Abyssinia, Premier Crispi says as soon as treaty of peace is signed, Italian Government proposes to give Massowah a civil administration.—May 8.
- Milan, Anarchists, 17, arrested for inciting tumults at Gallarate.—May 23.
- Jamestown, Dak., shower of frogs.—May 7.
- Japan, Kioto, heavy floods do great damage in.—Reported May 22.
- Japan, Tokio, earthquake of most unusual character recorded in Scismological Observatory of Imperial University.—April 18, reported May 22.
- Japan, Yokohama, Journalists punished for publishing cartoon of new liberal constitution.—Reported May 22.
- Jefferson, Ill., Lunatic Asylum, brutality practised upon lunatics, one man, Robert Burns, beaten to death by keepers, details brought to light.—May 2.
- Jockey Club, warns Lord James Douglas off New Market course for defaulting in bets.—May 30.
- Johnstown, Pa., bursting reservoir submerges the town.—May 31.
- LABOR.—Knights of, Barry Mrs. Lenora, general investigator of women's work in the Knights of Labor, interviewed at Cincinnati as to her visit to the South.—May 2.
- Land Syndicate purchases 30,000 in Norfolk County, Va., and Currituck and Camden Counties, North Carolina, for farms.—May 14.
- LEGAL.—Chicago, Bishop Samuel Fallows, of Reformed Episcopal Church, sued by National Union Building Association on bond as to John Fairbanks, treasurer of association.—May 3.
- Brooklyn, Dent Rev. Father Francis sues Bishop Ryan of Buffalo and others for libel.—May 15.
- Chicago, Carter divorce case, verdict returned in favor of Mr. Carter.—May 22.
- Cobourg, Ont., Comnee and Macleannan vs. Canadian Pacific Railway hearing of.—May 20.

LEGAL.—Continued.

- Compton County of Magistrates, Court established in to be held at Megantic.—May 27.
- Cotton John B., of Lewiston, Maine, appointed by president assistant Attorney General.—May 29.
- Ireland, O'Brien Patrick, M. P., brings action for libel against London *Times*, Liverpool *Courier* and Thomas Wallace Russell, M. P.—May 16.
- Ireland, Keller Rev. Canon commences action against Mr. Balfour, Irish Secretary, for slander.—May 15.
- London, Eng., Court of Appeals decides in Lady Sandhurst's claim to sit on London County Council.—May 16.
- London, Eng., Canada Shipping Company, judgment with costs against, for £2,400 loss upon grain cargo to Dublin.—May 7.
- London, England, Greenwood vs. St. James' *Gazette*, jury discharged, unable to agree.—May 21.
- London, Eng., Mackenzie Sir Morell, brings libel proceedings against Mr. Steinkoft and the *Times*, for publishing letters produced in Greenwood case.—May 23.
- Montreal, Jesuit Fathers vs. Toronto *Mail*, argument on the exception to form of plea.—May 11.
- Montreal, Society of Jesus vs. "The *Mail*," judgment as to plea.—May 14.
- New York, Electric Sugar Refinery Company dissolved by Judge Barrett, a receiver appointed.—May 10.
- New York, Edison Thomas A., begins suit against Ezra Gilliland of Boston, and lawyer Tomlinson of New York, to recover \$250,000.—May 11.
- New York, suit of Dr. Charles E. Simmons, against estate of Samuel J. Tilden for \$143,500, Judge Ingraham decides case must be tried before a jury.—May 24.
- Ottawa, argument in Supreme Court in appeal of Canadian Pacific Railway vs. Western Union Telegraph Company.—May 8.
- Ottawa Supreme Court, Canadian Pacific Railway vs. The Little Seminary of St. Therese, argument heard.—May 13.
- Philadelphia, Andrew Quinn vs. Philadelphia Railroad, verdict for plaintiff \$12,000.—May 24.
- Philadelphia, Henry Specht against Pennsylvania railroad, verdict for plaintiff \$20,000.—May 24.
- Portland, Oregon, and Trans-Continental Company restrained from its suing new preferred stock.—May 17.
- Quebec Bar Association, annual meeting and election of officers.—May 1.
- St. Albans, Noble Hon. Guy C., death of.—May 21.
- Toronto, Farquhar E. and C., against John Ross Robertson, proprietor of *Evening Telegram*, judgment in libel suit.—May 3.
- Toronto, injunction served by town of Cobourg to restrain federation of Victoria College to Toronto University.—May 2.
- U. S. Supreme Court affirms validity of law excluding Chinese laborers.—May 13.
- United States Supreme Court, Robert Shields vs. Omaha Town Site Company, case decided in favor of Shields, damages assessed at \$22,000,000.—May 23.
- Washington, Attorney General Miller accepts place on Supreme bench, made vacant by death of Justice Matthews.—May 21.
- Webster Sir Richard, Attorney General, banqueted by London solicitors.—May 29.
- Lincoln Robert T., newly appointed U. S. Minister to England, given farewell banquet at Union League Club, Chicago.—May 7.
- Lombardy, Anarchists fomenting land agitation, number of houses ransacked, troops called out.—May 17.
- Lonsdale Lord, arrives at Winnipeg from San Francisco.—May 7.
- Lumbermen, Frazer River, B.C., valuable limits secured.—May 20.
- Lumber, Muscovia, lumber companies and others sell 320,000 acres of yellow pine land to English syndicate.—May 30.
- Lynching, Port Huron, Mich., Martini mulatto tramp, who outraged Mrs. Gillies, lynched.—May 28.
- Mackenzie Sir Morell, brings libel proceedings against Mr. Steinkoft and the *Times*, for publishing letters produced in Greenwood case.—May 23.
- McConnell Mr. B. D., appointed Engineer to Montreal City Water Works.—May 6.
- Mails British, Cunard Steamship Company and Oceanic Steam Navigation Company secure contracts to carry outward mails.—May 31.
- Manhattan, Single Tax Club of New York purchase 1,700 acres in Forresterburg, Sullivan County, to erect club house, etc.—May 28.
- Manitoba Government decide to locate new reformatory at Brandon, deaf and dumb institute at Portage la Prairie and home for incurables in Winnipeg.—May 27.
- Manitoulin Island, grasshopper plague prevailing at.—May 21.

- Mansen Dr., and companions, on exploring expedition to Greenland, arrive at Copenhagen on their return.—May 21.
- Manufacturers, Augusta, Ga., convention held at, and permanent organization formed.—May 1.
- Marlborough Duchess of, presentation of, at Court.—May 5.
- MARRIAGES**, Archduchess Marguerite Clementine of Austria to Prince Albert of Thurn and Texas, betrothal of, proclaimed.—May 17.
- Czarewitch of Russia to Princess Alice of Hesse, projected marriage cancelled.—May 27.
- Duc D'Orleans, son of the Comte, Paris and Princess Marguerite daughter of Due de Chartres, marriage arranged between.—May 27.
- Jackson, Mich., Folsom Mrs., mother of Mrs. Grover Cleveland, to Henry E. Perrine of Buffalo.—May 20.
- New York, Fanny Davenport, actress, to Melbourne McDowell, leading man in her dramatic company.—May 19.
- Paris, Dulcep Snigh, Indian prince, to Miss Ada Wetherell.—May 20.
- Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria to Princess Alice of Hesse, betrothal of.—May 18.
- Princess Millytre, second daughter of Prince of Montenegro, Grand Duke Peter of Russia, betrothal of.—May 30.
- Tahiti, U. S. Consul Jacob L. Doty engaged to Princess Polona.—May 15.
- Washington, Bayard ex-Secretary, and Miss Mary Willing Aymer, engagement of.—May 10.
- Meyer Herr, ivory importer, death of, at Kiel.—May 3.
- Meteorological, Central Illinois, tremendous heat wave, temperature at Bloomington reached 96, highest in May for twenty years.—May 9.
- Meteorological, Chicago, signal service thermometer registers 88, hottest day in May since office established in 1871.—May 8.
- Meteorological, Geneva, Ill., considerable damage caused by storm.—May 10.
- Meteorological, Germany, Peterswaldan flooded, much damage done in Berlin.—May 17.
- Meteorological, Hudson, severe electric storm along.—May 14.
- Meteorological, New York, thermometer registers 92.—May 10.
- Meteorological, Northern Wisconsin and Michigan, fall of from three to five inches of snow.—May 16.
- Meteorological, Pittsburg, Pa., great damage by storm.—May 10.
- Meteorological, Antoine Creek, Ont., cyclone strikes camps of Rochester and Doherty, one man killed and another badly hurt.—May 19.
- Meteorological, Findlay, Ohio, blighting frost prevails.—May 25.
- Meteorological, Lackawanna Valley, Pa., cyclones cause great damage.—May 20.
- Meteorological, Leavenworth, Ks., 50 to 65 inches of rain fall in 48 hours.—May 18.
- Meteorological, Quincy, Ill., terrific wind and rainstorm does considerable damage.—May 26.
- Meteorological Society, New South Wales Coast, hurricane extends over, rainfall never equalled, railway traffic suspended, number of lives lost.—May 29.
- Meteorological, Troy, N. Y., disastrous May storm and freshet at Stillwater and Sandhill.—May 21.
- MILITARY**.—United States, Harvey General William, oldest officer in army, death of, at Orlando, Fla.—May 9.
- Canada, Major Short and Sergt. Walleck killed at St. Sauveur fire.—May 16.
- Canada, Militia, general orders issued governing the annual drill of volunteer militia for present season.—May 11.
- Canada, Militia department authorizes Quebec Seminary to form another Military school battalion.—May 21.
- Canada, Drury Capt. C. W., promoted to mayor-vice the late Major Short.—May 28.
- France, students for priesthood exempted by Senate from military service after a year's drill.—May 17.
- France, Military bill, Senate again adopts amendment which Chamber of Deputies before refused to accept.—May 17.
- Germany, Metz military tribunal imposes fine of 600 marks upon 37 young men, for evading military duty.—May 18.
- Germany, Potsdam garrison reviewed by Emperor William and King Humbert.—May 22.
- Russia, conspiracy to assassinate Czar discovered among military officers stationed at St. Petersburg.—May 12.
- United States, Sunday parades, President Harrison issues proclamation forbidding.—May 21.
- Miller Attorney-General, accepts place on Supreme Bench of United States, made vacant by death of Justice Matthews.—May 21.
- Millers, The Huron, North Grey, Wellington and Bruce Millers Association hold meeting at Listowel, Ont., and adopt plan of campaign to gain protection.—May 21.
- Miners, Brazil, Ind., conference between coal operators and miners, delegation ends with operators' refusal to arbitrate the difference.—May 15.
- Miners, Indianapolis, two miners who compose committee of Clay County, miners solicit aid, and state miners in destruction.—May 24.
- Mining, iron, discovered near Guthrie, Oklahoma.—May 30.
- Mining Silver, West Beaver Mining Company, share list opens in London, Eng.—May 6.
- Missouri Legislature, Australian election law with some modifications adopted by both houses.—May 4.
- Mississippi River, party sent out by Minnesota Historical Society to discover source of returns to St. Paul and make report.—May 3.
- MORMONS**.—Alberta Railway and Coal Company sells to Mormon hierarchy, several thousand acres of land in North-West Territory.—May 23.
- From Utah and Idaho, passing through Montana en route to Canada.—May 25.
- Morocco, several tribes rebel against Sultan, make prisoners of number of officers.—May 31.
- Murat, Princess of, claim indemnity from Italy of 51,000,000 lire for confiscated estate, of King Joachim.—May 31.
- MURDERS**.—Blair, La., merchant named Melarck shoots his wife, two children and himself.—May 2.
- Ballymana, Ireland, Lawlor John H., manager of Ballymana branch of Provincial Bank of Ireland shot dead on road.—May 31.
- Baussier, Havre, chemist charged with poisoning his employer acquitted at Rome.—May 25.
- Chicago, Dr. P. H. Cronin's body found.—May 22.
- Chicago, Cronin Dr., Detective Daniel Coughlin arrested on suspicion May 27.
- Chicago, Cronin Dr., P. O. Sullivan and Frank Woodriff indicated.—May 28.
- Chicago, Cronin Dr., *Times* says Patrick O'Sullivan makes full confession and gives names of those concerned.—May 28.
- Chicago, Cronin case, man named Mack supposed to be driver of the white horse, arrested.—May 31.
- Chicago, Cronin Dr., clothes of murdered man found.—May 31.
- Cincinnati, Blane A. J., chemist, shoots wife, daughter and himself.—May 12.
- Costa Rica, Hobbs Rev. Mr., Baptist minister, wife and child, living on Peand of Ruatan, murdered, shipwrecked senator from Jamaica arrested.—May 20.
- Galveston, Tex., Weyer Judge Henry, J. P., of Galveston county, W. T. Allen and Charles Janeman arrested for murder of Richard Fleischig in 1884.—May 28.
- Indianapolis, Shroden John, grocer and saloon keeper, cuts his wife's and his own throat.—May 15.
- Jefferson, Allen Mrs. Sarah E., shot by her husband who kills himself.—May 17.
- Liverpool, Maybrich Mrs., arrested on charge of poisoning her husband with arsenic.—May 18.
- Liverpool, Maybrich Mr., inquest on commences.—May 28.
- Maidstone, Ont., Thomas Johnson (colored) arrested at Windsor with beating his child May Johnson to death.—May 21.
- Memphis, Tenn., Ward George, shoots and kills his wife and himself.—May 13.
- Mountain Home, Pa., Sophia Everett, aged eleven, killed by Jeffrey Harrison, aged eleven.—May?
- Ozark, Mo., Bill Walker, Dave Walker and John Matthews, the three bald knobbers, executed for murder of Charles Green and William Edens in March, 1887.—May 10.
- Rainy River, Man., Humphrey Keller, found murdered near Rapid River.—May 24.
- Sillery, P. Q., body of unknown man murdered, found at Bridgewater cove.—May 23.
- Springfield, Mass., Smith James Beebe, local editor of *Republican*, shot by his brother-in-law Royal B. Sturtevant.—May 13.
- Toronto, Charlton Lily, by abortion, John O. Woods arrested a Buffalo.—May 9.
- Victoria, B. C., Chinese girl in a house of prostitution murdered by her lover.—May 12.
- Washington, Nelson Colbert, hanged for murder of Philip Wentzell.—May 17.
- Murphy Mr. Edward, of Montreal, appointed senator for division of Victoria Canada.—May 30.
- National Liberal Club, London, Eng., annual meeting of.—May 7.
- National Liberal Club, Parnell Mr. C. S., elected a life member.—May 7.

- NAVAL.**—Great Britain, Naval defence bill passes its second reading in House of Commons.—May 7.
 British bill passes Committee stage in Commons.—May 13.
 British, Commander of flagship "Swiftsure" dies at Esquimault.—May 20.
 British, Naval defence bill passes third reading in Commons.—May 20.
 British man-of-war "Surprise" runs ashore at Syracuse after colliding with and sinking the steamer "Nesta."—May 26.
 British flagships Swiftsure and Amphion sent to Sitka with orders to course in Behring sea.—May 27.
 British man of war "Surprise" floated off Island of Syracuse.—May 27.
 Defence bill passes second reading in British House of Lords.—May 27.
 France, Prince George of Greece joins French Navy.—May 21.
 United States, Farquhar Captain, of the "Trenton," arrives at San Francisco from Samoa with shipwrecked sailors, and sends despatch to Secretary of Navy.—May 20.
 United States, warship "Charleston," arrives at San Francisco from Santa Barbara, naval officers report as the "Charleston."—May 13.
 United States, private trial trip of new Government gunboat "Petrel" built by Columbian Iron Works at Baltimore.—May 9.
 United States steamship "Thetis" sails from Tacoma, W. T., for Sitka, Alaska.—May 28.
 United States revenue cutter "Rush" leaves San Francisco for Behring sea.—May 20.
 United States secretary Windom, signs the sailing orders of the revenue steamer "Bear" designated to assist in protecting the Alaskan seal fisheries.—May 31.
 New Brunswick Cabinet, result of meeting of the Government and of the party caucus.—May 4.
 New Brunswick, N.J., fight between railway men and brickmakers at Sawyerville brickyards, two men killed, several injured.—May 4.
 Newfoundland lobster fisheries, British Government State in House of Commons, they will support British subjects, provided they do not interfere with French treaty rates.—May 7.
 Newfoundland, riot feared in consequence of British resident, being prohibited from setting their nets in best fishing grounds.—May 21.
 New South Wales, Sydney, Dillon, Deasy and Esmonde, Irish Home Rule advocates, arrive at.—May 11.
 New York Fire Department, Hugh Bonner appointed chief.—May 21.
 New York legislature, adjournment of.—May 17.
 Noble Hon. Guy C., prominent lawyer of Vermont, dies at St. Albans.—May 21.
 Nyassa, Southern Lake deputation of missionaries waits upon Lord Salisbury, protesting against surrender of, to Portugal.—May 17.
 O'Brien, William, M. P. declines to testify before Lord Aberdare's committee on prison rules.—May 29.
 Oil Exchanges, Pittsburg, Pa., conference committee meet and decide to recommend dealings in future.—May 7.
 Oklahoma, Guthrie Mayor, prevented by mob from laying out proposed streets.—May 2.
 Omaha Town Site Company, action by Robert Shields, decided in his favor by United States Supreme Court, damages \$22,050,000.—May 23.
 Orange, Grand Lodge of British North America, Goderich, Ont., opening of session at.—May 28.
 Oregon and Trans-Continental Companies, Judge Barrett temporarily enjoins the company from issuing ten millions of new stock.—May 13.
 Oregon and Trans-Continental Company restrained at Portland, Oregon, from issuing new preferred stock.—May 17.
 Oshima Island, Volcanic eruption destroys more than half the houses on the island.—April 13, reported May 29.
 Panama Canal, bonds issue of abandoned.—May 25.
 Paris, count and countess de, Silver wedding of, celebrated at Sheen House, Eng.—May 30.
 Paris Exhibition, three men arrested for shouting "Vive Boulanger."—May 6.
 Paraguay and Boliva, conflict imminent, Brazil preparing to aid Paraguay.—May 13.
 Parnell Mr. C. S., elected life member of National Liberal Club.—May 7.
 Parnell Mr. C. S., Edinburgh Municipal council, confirms resolution granting freedom of city.—May 8.
 Parnell Mr. C. S., M.P., presented at London with address, by deputation from Irish municipalities, congratulating him on disproving the calumnies.—May 23.
- PARNELL TIMES.**—Commission examination of Mr. Parnell concluded.—May 1.
 Commission, Parnell's cross-examination, as to his denunciation of outrages.—May 2.
 Commission, cross-examination of Parnell, as to his dealings with William O'Brien.—May 3.
 Commission, Parnell admits deliberate misstatement of facts, to House of Commons.—May 3.
 Commission, Parnell makes personal explanation as to his admission to deceive House of Commons.—May 7.
 Commission, close of Parnell's cross-examination.—May 7.
 Commission, Walsh Archbishop, goes in the box.—May 8.
 Commission, Father Egan gives evidence.—May 15.
 Commission, Mr. Harrington intimated by secretary, steps will be taken to force him to pay fine of £500.—May 17.
 Commission, O'Brien William, gives evidence.—May 21.
 Commission, O'Brien William, M.P., cross-examined.—May 22.
 Commission, the missing land league books announced to be in possession of a *Times* witness.—May 28.
 Commission, Biggar Mr. M. P. in the box.—May 29.
 Commission, Arthur O'Connor, M. P., gives evidence.—May 30.
 Commission, Mr. O'Connor, M. P., Mr. Justin McCarthy, M. P., and Mr. George Lewis give evidence.—May 30.
 Libel suit on application of defendant's suit postponed until November.—May 30.
- Peace movement of Christian churches against militarism, London, Eng., demonstration at St. James' Hall.—May 19.
 Pelham George B., architect of Government Buildings, Ottawa, death of at New York.—May 2.
 Persia, Reuter Baron, obtains concessions from National Bank of Persia and to work the coal and other mines.—May 8.
 Persia, Shah of, leaves Teheran for Russia.—May 12.
 Persia Shah of, arrives at St. Petersburg.—May 23.
 Philadelphia, Insane hospital, warrant issued for arrest of keepers Devlin and William, for assault and battery upon patients.—May 22.
 Pittsburg, Pa., floods do great damage and cause loss of life.—May 11.
 Pope declines to nominate Polish and Russian bishops at Consistory.—May 18.
 Pope in allocution protests against Italian legislation, denounces proposed monument of Gregory Bruna, and refers to recent Catholic congress.—May 24.
 Portugal, Oporto, dynamite bomb exploded at door of civil governor's house.—May 25.
 Postal, Chicago, Post office vault entered and 86 registered letters stolen.—May 26.
 Prison rules, Lord Aberdare's Committee on, William O'Brien, M. P. declines to testify before.—May 29.
- RAILWAYS,** Canadian Pacific, annual meeting of, at Montreal.—May 8.
 Boston, freight handlers in Fitchburg railroad yards decide to demand increase in wages.—May 22.
 Canadian Pacific, new line through Maine wilderness, Lebois to Brownville, Pioneer train stopped by caterpillars.—May 19.
 Canadian Pacific, hearing of Comnee and MacLennan suit against, at Coburg, Ont.—May 20.
 Canadian Pacific applies to treasury department, at Washington, to be bonded a common carrier between ports of United States.—May 24.
 Canadian, investigated by United States Committee on Canadian relations.—May 25.
 Caignecto ship railway, plans of work submitted by engineer and others to government at Ottawa.—May 30.
 Chicago and Atlantic, Volney C. Malott, appointed receiver.—May 18.
 Cleveland, St. Louis and Kansas road, construction work comes to a standstill by failures of contractors to meet obligations to sub-contractors.—May 13.
 Conductors, twenty-first annual convention opened at Denver, Col.—May 14.
 Delaware, Lackawana and Western Railway Co., action brought against, by Isaac B. Felts, to recover possession of coal lands in Scranton, Pa.—May 2.
 Erie road cuts the local rate on corn from Buffalo to New York.—May 10.
 Hereford railway troubles, John P. Noyes, Q.C., appointed by Quebec Government commissioner to enquire into.—May 2.
 Iron Ore freights, Western agents decide to reduce rate on iron ore from Lake Ports to Pittsburg.—May 22.
 Northern Pacific complete arrangements for operating the Wisconsin Central on a traffic agreement.—May 2.

RAILWAYS.—Continued.

- New York, Ontario and Western Railroad Company issues bonds for \$100,000,000 secured by a mortgage to the Mercantile Trust Company.—May 27.
- Omaha Railroad Co. completes arrangement with Oregon Railway Navigation Company to connect the two lines.—May 29.
- Pennsylvania railway directors decide to issue nearly \$7,000,000 of new stock.—May 8.
- Pittston, Pa., railroad and coal companies order their men to resume work on full time.—May 21.
- Prussia, freight rates on all lines reduced by Government, to alleviate distress arising from dearth of coal.—May 18.
- Regina and Long Lake railroad, arrangements completed in England for building.—May 16.
- Richmond and Inverness, Municipal Council of Inverness, N.S., votes \$100,000 bonus towards construction of.—May 2.
- Rock Island gives notice, it would meet rates of Chicago, Burlington and Northern between Chicago and St. Paul.—May 31.
- Siberian Railway scheme, approved by Russian special commission.—May 2.
- Southern Pacific, Annual report of issues for 1888.—May 29.
- Union Pacific Co., President Harrison appoints John F. Plummer, George E. Leighton, Jesse Spaulding and Rufus B. Ballock to be Government directors.—May 14.
- U. S. Board of Railway Commissioners, decide that Central Hudson cease the discrimination in favor of certain firms in Rochester and against firms in Buffalo engaged in produce business.—May 27.
- Wabash railway, east of Mississippi river, sold at Chicago to agents of Wabash Western Purchasing Committee.—May 15.
- Western Railroad and Board of Trade, Interstate commerce commission resumes hearing at Chicago.—May 28.
- Reed Andrew, inspector general of Royal Irish Constabulary, made a knight.—May 24.
- Reid Whitelaw, farewell dinner at New York, from gentlemen connected with *Tribune*.—May 3.
- Reuter Baron, obtains concession from National Bank of Persia to issue bank notes for twice the amount of Bank's capital.—May 8.
- Rice Mr. Allen Thorndike, newly appointed U. S. Minister to Russia, death of, at New York.—May 16.
- Richmond Agricultural Society, Spring Horse show opens.—May 22.
- Rocheport Henri, and Pitoté the artist, fracas between, in Regent street, London.—May 19.
- Rogers Major A. B., discoverer of Kicking Horse Pass, death of, at Waterville, Minn.—May 5.
- Royal College of Music, London, Eng., Samson Fox donates £45,000 to.—May 22.
- Royal Society of Canada, final business meeting.—May 9.
- Royal Society of Canada, opening of week's meeting.—May 7.
- RUSSIA, St. Petersburg, arrest of officers connected with peaceful political revolutionary society.—May 2.
- St. Petersburg, conspiracy to assassinate the Czar discovered among military officers.—May 12.
- Siberian Railway scheme, approved by special commission.—May 2.
- Conversion loan, Rothschild's arranged for in conjunction with the Disconto Gesellschaft group.—May 11.
- Czar issues ukase, placing on the market second series of 310,498,000 gold roubles four per cent. consolidated railway bonds.—May 14.
- Large number of arrests made at St. Petersburg, Moscow and Cronsstadt.—May 15-16.
- Ignatieff Gen., appointed Assistant Minister of Interior.—May 27.
- Odessa, two enormous bombs found beneath streets alongside which Royal visitors usually pass on their way to the palace.—May 27.
- Ryan Hon. Thomas, death of, at Montreal.—May 25.
- Ryerson Rev. Egerton, founder of school system of Toronto, unveiling statue of, at Toronto.—May 24.
- Salisbury Lord, speaks at meeting of Primrose League, London, Eng., and says alliance between Parnellites and Gladstonians slowly breaking.—May 21.
- Salt, English Salt Union, Wellington Burt of Michigan and Chas. Burger of New York, on behalf of American merchants enter into an alliance with.—May 25.
- SAMOA, Knappe Dr., late German consul, arrives at Sydney, N. S. W. with latest news.—May 5.
- Conference, Prince Bismarck gives an audience to commissioners who desire neutrality of the Islands.—May 7.
- Farquhar Captain, of the "Trenton" arrives at San Francisco with shipwrecked sailors from Samoa, and sends despatch to Secretary of Navy.—May 20.
- Conference, Germany accedes to demands of United States commissioners to restore King Malietoa.—May 21.

SAMOA.—Continued.

- Conference at Berlin comes to agreement upon all the questions at issue.—May 22.
- Admiral Kimberley succeeds in stopping hostilities for the time being Matafa and Tamasese agree to truce pending conference at Berlin, reported May 27.
- Admiral Kimberley reports to U. S. navy department that natives disbanding and peace prevails.—May 27.
- Conference, Sir E. Malet, Mr. Resson and Herr Holstein complete draft of protocol.—May 27.
- Conference commissioners agree to questions at issue and draw up a protocol.—May 31.
- Saxony, Koenigstein, powder magazine struck by lightning, and explodes.—May 16.
- Schleswig, authorities of, refuse to rescind decree expelling certain German-Americans from the Islands of Amron and Fohn in the North Sea.—May 4.
- Scott Act, counties of Oxford, Lambton and Middlesex reject the measure.—May 9.
- Scotch, Irish congress at Columbia, Tenn., adopt plan for permanent organization of Scotch-Irish of America, and elect Robert Bonner, President.—May 9.
- Scotch local government bill read second time in British House of Commons.—May 30.
- Sea Serpent, Philadelphia, Capt Smith, of Steamer "British Princess" from Liverpool, reports seeing monster on May 4 in lat 44, long 42, 40.—Reported May 14.
- Servia, Pau Servian plot discovered at Bosina, numerous Russian intriguers arrested.—May 24.
- Shanty-men, Algoma, riot among, at North Bay, three men killed, traveller arrives in Toronto and gives particulars.—May 3.
- SHIPPING, "City of New York," arrives at Queenstown, making the quickest passage on record from New York.—May 8.
- Belleisle, straits of, Quebec Board of Trade decides that no sailing vessel should pass by the straits before first of July.—May 27.
- Boston, Captain Josiah Lawlor with Hans Hansen sail for France in sailboat "Never Sink," 36 feet long.—May 20.
- British Steamer "German Emperor" from London for Bilbao ran into British steamer "Beresford," from Hartleypool for Bombay on Goodwin sands, thirty persons drowned.—May 20.
- British ship "Attimore" from Sydney, N.S. W., for San Francisco, wrecked at Neral in the South Pacific.—Reported May 15.
- British steamship "Aberlady" strands near Cape Lookout, N. C., crew saved.—May 13.
- Canada, order-in-council passed as to fees to be exacted from all vessels navigating inland waters of Canada, when entering on clearing at any port above Montreal.—May 24.
- Cleveland, Ohio, master of schooner "Sophia Minch" fined for employing alien on board as officer.—May 18.
- Cunard Steamship Company and Oceanic Steam Navigation Company secure contracts to carry the outward British mails.—May 31.
- Halifax, N.S., Canadian cruiser "Vigilant" seizes Gloucester schooner "Mattie Winship" about two miles off Cape North, C.B.—May 31.
- Hamburg, American steamer "Rugia" from New York, cargo of cotton takes fire.—May 8.
- Hamburg-American line's new turn screw steamer arrives at Hamburg from her trial trip.—May 7.
- Lake Ontario, three barges laden with lumber ashore at Point Peter light.—May 28.
- Lake Ontario, "Bavaria" ashore at Gallos Islands all lives supposed to be lost.—May 29.
- Liverpool, Steamer "Servia" arrives with cargo on fire.—May 28.
- Liverpool steamer "Eunland" from New Orleans arrives with cargo of cotton on fire.—May 22.
- Magdalen Islands, Dutch whaler broken into pieces by storm.—May 19.
- Missouri steamer arrives in London, great ovation given Captain Murrell.—May 18.
- Montreal, Steamship "Cynthia" from Glasgow sunk by S. S. "Polynesian" of Longue Pointe, eight of the crew drowned.—May 22.
- Newfoundland coast, two French fishing vessels, the "Elia" and "Quatre Frères," lost with 175 men.—Reported May 21.
- Owen Sound, new steel steamship "Manitoba" constructed for Canadian Pacific Railway, launch of.—May 4.
- "Parkhurst" London steamer arrives at Rio de Janeiro with cargo on fire. News brought to Queenstown by Inman liner "City of New York."—May 29.

SHIPPING.—Continued.

- Queenstown, "City of Paris" arrives after journey of 5 days, 22 hours, 10 minutes.—May 22.
- St. Andrews, N.B., sloop sinks off Hardwood Island, six men drowned.—May 4.
- Schooner "Willie Parkman" of Portsmouth runs down and sinks fishing schooner "Champoin"—May 16.
- Steamer "Augusta Victoria" of Hamburg Packet line arrives at New York, making the fastest trip ever made across the Atlantic.—May 18.
- Steamship "Escaleona" from Mediterranean ports goes ashore at the Platon, St. Croix Bay, Quebec.—May 20.
- Steamship "Alaska" bound to San Francisco from Puget Sound, wrecked off Astoria, Oregon.—Reported May 16.
- Steamer "City of Paris" arrives at New York from Liverpool, having made quickest passage on record.—May 8.
- St. Lawrence Canals, instructions issued at Ottawa as to Saturday and Sunday opening and closing hours.—May 30.
- Syracuse, British man-of-war "Surprise" runs ashore after colliding with and sinking steamer "Nesta"—May 26.
- Suez Canal, British steamer "Curfew" from Swansea runs into and sinks British steamer "Nyanza" from Cardiff.—May 23.
- Sioux reservation lands in Dakota, great boom of.—May 14.
- Smallpox, Guatemala, epidemic at.—May 27.
- Smallpox, Nanticoke, Pa., twenty persons ill with.—May 22.
- Smallpox, Soudan, Capt. Wissman's contingent, smallpox broken out among.—May 31.
- Smith Professor Goldwin, addresses Board of Associated Charities at Toronto.—May 20.
- Smythe Bishop, Portuguese authorities, on demand by British Foreign office cease to obstruct passage of the Bishop and party on way to Lake Nyassa by way of Mozambique.—May 21.
- Smuggling, Callao, goods valued at \$100,000 and other smaller lots seized.—May 24.
- Smuggling, St. Thomas, P. Q., schooner "Mary Ann" seized by customs officials for smuggling whiskey.—May 11.
- Socialism, France, Narbonne municipal election results in victory for socialists.—May 12.
- Socialism, Holland, The Hague, body of, hauls down royal standard from great tower and twists socialist flag.—May 12.
- Socialists, Austria, Government warned by Germany to, that German Socialists agitating among Austrian miners.—May 27.
- Socialist, Mons, house of one of the jurymen in the trial of alleged Socialists damaged by explosion of dynamite cartridge.—May 25.
- South Africa, Company to apply for royal charter to administer to all unappropriated Central and South Africa.—May 29.
- SPAIN.—Chamber of Deputies, Budget presented.—May 2.
- Lueca, Anarchist, Republican conspiracy discovered at.—May 18.
- The Cortes, Senor Sagasta reads decree of the Queen Regent, suspending session of that body.—May 24.
- SPORTS.—Aquatics, Toronto, cablegram received that unless Searle's deposit of £100 with London *Sportsman* covered by May 10th, race between himself and O'Connor would be declared off.—May 2.
- Aquatics, Montreal Canoe Club, annual races at Pointe Claire, P.Q.—May 24.
- Aquatics "Vice Commodore's cup. "The Lulu" wins.—May 25.
- Bicycling tournament opens at Chicago.—May 13.
- Bowling, Boston team defeated by Worcesters.—May 3.
- Cock fighting, Kingston, Ont., three principals fined in Police Court.—May 10.
- Cricket, Dundas H. A. L. of Calgary, member of Winnipeg Crick Cricket Team, death of.—May 22.
- Lacrosse, Huntingdon Lacrosse Club, election of officers.—May 17.
- Lacrosse, Montreal, Hawthornes beat Victorias.—May 11.
- Lacrosse, Montreal, Montrealers beat Shamrocks by three straight games.—May 25.
- Lacrosse, Torontos beat Shamrocks.—May 24.
- London, Eng., Yachting, Lord Dunraven's yacht, the "Valkyrie," sails her maiden match.—May 22.
- Racing "Czar," the phenomenal 3 year old running colt, owned by Theodore Winters of California, dies of Pneumonia.—May 13.
- Racing, Jockey club warns Lord James Douglas off Newmarket course for defaulting in bets.—May 30.
- Racing, Kingston Park, great jubilee stakes won by General Byrne's amphion.—May 10.
- Racing, Newmarket, first spring meeting, Two Thousand Guinea stakes.—May 1.
- Racing, Newmarket, Eng., One Thousand Guinea stakes won by Viner's "Nunthe."—May 3.

SPORTS.—Continued.

- Racing, Newmarket stakes, Duke of Portland's Donovan wins.—May 22.
- Winnipeg, Paterson, N. J., Steve Brodie jumps over Passaic Falls.—May 20.
- Yachting, Lord Dunraven objects to New York Yacht Club's reply to his challenge.—May 2.
- Yachting, London, Eng., "Valkyrie" beaten by "Irex" and "Yarana."—May 28.
- STANLEY H. M., Royal Geographical Society at London, Sir Francis de Winton, president of Emin Bey relief committee, speaks and predicts early return of Stanley.—May 12.
- Steel, Basic process, Hewitt Abraham S., interviewed thereon, at New York by New York *Herald*.—May 14.
- Stock exchange, New York, official announcement made that no more quotations distributed by stock indicators or tickers.—May 31.
- Stokes Professor, created a baronet.—May 24.
- STRIKES.—Italian laborers on Schuylkill and Lehigh Valley Railroad at Cressona, Va.—May 2.
- Iron workers, McKeesport, Pa., two thousand employees of welding department of National Tube Works strike for advance of 10 per cent. wages.—May 16.
- Masons, Berlin, 2,000 masons struck for shorter hours and higher pay.—May 20.
- Miners, Austria, 10,000 miners at Saar, Austria, have struck.—May 24.
- Miners, Belgium, strike in Seraing district extending.—May 29.
- Miners, Germany, 5000 strikers meet at Bochum, and resolve to insist upon their demands, Council of Ministers, Prince Bismarck presiding, consider the strikes.—May 9.
- Miners, Gelsenkirchen West riot, number of shops wrecked.—May 5.
- Miners, Gelsenkirchen, Westphalia, miner killed and many persons injured during.—May 5.
- Miners, Westphalia, Military in, disturbed, district reinforced, conflict in Essex, 3 men killed and 5 wounded.—May 8.
- Miners, Brazil, Ind., conference between coal operators and miners delegation ends with operators' refusal to arbitrate the difference.—May 15.
- Miners, Germany, miners at Mulheim and Duisberg join in. Delegates at Bochum abandon demand for higher wages, but insist upon reduction of hours. Krupp issues notice protesting against illegal action of miners.—May 10.
- Miners, Germany, mines at Dortmund, Essen and Bochum deserted. Krupp and other works compelled to stop manufacture of rails.—May 10.
- Miners, Germany serious conflicts between troops and strikers.—May 11 and 12.
- Mining, Germany, coal mine owner and striking miners appoint committee to confer and arrange settlement of dispute.—May 12.
- Mining, Germany, pit workers at Margaretha express willingness to resume work on condition that they be protected from strikers.—May 13.
- Miners, Germany, Prussian Ministry decides to summon to Berlin deputations from mine owners and miners.—May 13.
- Miners, Germany, Emperor Williams receives delegates of striking miners.—May 14.
- Miners, Germany, several owners in Essen and Dortmund concede the demands of their employees, and the men resume work.—May 15.
- Germany, Builders Sprottan, Carpenters Bunselan, Korugsburg, Wuryburg and Lubek, Brewers Dortmund.—May 16.
- Germany, Emperor, receives deputation of Westphalian mine owners, who present their side of mining troubles.—May 16.
- Miners, Germany, miners delegation report to strikers at Dortmund result of their visit to Berlin, proposed compromise approved.—May 17.
- Miners, Germany, several owners grant the advance in wages demanded.—May 18.
- Miners, Germany, strikers agree to return to work, but threaten to strike again if owners fail to keep their promises.—May 20.
- Miners, Germany, strikers in Dortmund, Bochum and Essen districts resume work.—May 21.
- Miners, Germany, in consequence of non-acceptance by owners of strikers' terms, Gelsenkischen miners resolve to continue the strike.—May 22.
- Miners, Germany, Mass meeting attended by 1,000 persons held at Boston in sympathy with strikers.—May 24.
- Miners, Germany, colliers still show tendency to hold out, declaring employers do not hold to their promises.—May 24.
- Miners, Germany, miners of Essen resume work.—May 25.
- Miners, Germany, all meetings of miners prohibited by Government. May 27.

STRIKES.—Continued.

- Miners, Germany, arrest of members of committee appointed to represent striking miners at Bochum.—May 27.
- Miners, Germany, strikers at Pilsen assume threatening attitude, troops ordered there to preserve order.—May 28.
- Miners, Germany, strikers at Essen, Bochum and Dortmund, hold meetings and decide to resume work.—May 29.
- Miners, Germany, homes of leaders of strike at Dortmund, raided by police and letters and money seized.—May 29.
- Miners, Raidwood, Ill., Gov. Fifer, authorizes Illinois National Guard to protect property and persons endangered by riot.—May 27.
- Miners, Stantonville, Ill., Sheriff Henderson telegraphs for re-inforcements as not anticipated.—May 24.
- Miners, Silesia, rioting and pits demolished.—May 17.
- Miners, Spain, delegation from German strikers committee visiting all the chief towns in Spain.—May 29.
- Miners, Westphalia, encounter near Bracket between the troops and strikers, 3 miners killed, several wounded.—May 10.
- Miners, Westphalia, Herr Weber, president of Bockum strike committee, arrested for making an inflammatory speech.—May 24.
- Miners, Westphalia pitmen resume work.—May 31.
- Miners, Yorkshire miners threaten to strike unless employers concede an advance in wages.—May 13.
- Omnibus drivers, Rome, Italy.—May 27.
- Peasants, Milan, conflict between strikers and military, one peasant killed and eight injured.—May 20.
- Plasterers laborers, Toronto, demand an increase of two and a half cents an hour, and go out on strike.—May 18.
- Railroad Coal Miners, Pittsburg district, compromised.—May 14.
- Shipping employees, Allan and Anchor lines yield to demand of strikers.—May 11.
- Street Car Drivers, Prague, Company yields to demand of employees.—May 10.
- Shipping firemen, Liverpool Steamer "City of Chicago" detained in consequence.—May 8.
- Steel Workers, Alleghany, Va., works carried on by non-union men, number of rails turned out.—May 6.
- Street Car drivers, St. Paul, Minn., men agree to go back to work on reduced wages.—May 3.
- Tramcar employees, Prague, company fined by municipal authorities £1,000 for cessation of traffic caused by the strike.—May 27.
- Tramway drivers, Prague, lines at a standstill.—May 24.
- Women employed in rice fields, at Mediuna, Italy, bakers shops pillaged, troops called out.—May 24.
- Suez Canal, directors recommend annual dividend for 1889 of 38 per cent.—May 22.
- Sugar Bounties and United States, government discussion in British House of Commons.—May 10.
- Sugar Merchants, Trieste, conference of Austria and Hungarian merchants, resolutions adopted urging Government to withdraw from London sugar bounties convention.—May 16.
- SUICIDE.—Dallas, Tex., Rice Mrs., kills herself with strychnine.—May 3.
- Ottawa, Sherwood Mr. Edward, ex-deputy sheriff of the county of Carlton, shoots himself.—May 11.
- Baltimore, Schorr Rev. H. G., assistant rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, shoots himself.—May 27.
- St. Vincent de Paul, P.Q., Louis Lahaise, a convict, hangs himself.—May 4.
- Sinvarrow Islands, commander of British cruiser "Rapid" hoists British flag over.—May 8.
- Sumatra, war renewed between the Dutch and Malays, natives attack the port of Atchen, but are repulsed with loss of 160 killed.—May 15.
- Swiss confederation, executive council of Berne forbids exhibitions of hypnotism.—May 20.
- Switzerland, German Booksellers, arrested at Zurich, against whom false information had been given by Socialists.—May 31.
- Switzerland, Spiessback, land slide destroying villages, forests and cattle.—May 15.
- Switzerland, Bundesrath order expulsion of Russian suspected of making bombs in Zurich.—May 7.
- Tea, U. S. Consul Crowell at Amoi, China, reports as to tea from Amo Oolong.—May 7.
- TELEGRAPHS.—Canadian Pacific Railway vs. Western Union Telegraph Company, argument heard before Supreme Court at Ottawa.—May 8.
- Halifax, Bermuda cable, copy of contract presented in British House of Commons.—May 7.
- Halifax, Bermuda, cable contract for, approved by British House of Commons.—May 10.

TELEGRAPHS.—Continued.

- Halifax, Bermuda Cable Co., issuing £120,000 sterling 4 per cent. debentures.—May 23.
- New York, Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies, order issued reducing long distance rates, and slightly advancing short distance rates.—May 3.
- Tennyson Lord, starts on cruise in Lord Brassey's yacht "Sunbeam."—May 23.
- THEATRICAL.—Easton, Pa., Lotta has a fall on the stage of the Opera House.—May 3.
- Jersey City, Academy of Music catches fire.—May 14.
- London, Eng., Opera Comique, Massauet's new opera "Esclamonde" produced.—May 16.
- New York, Fanny Davenport married to Melbourne McDowell, leading man in her dramatic company.—May 19.
- Toronto, Edward Stowe of New Orleans, one of the members of Haverley-Cleveland minstrel troupe, playing at "The Grand," shoots at Cleveland, the manager.—May 24.
- Watson Mrs. Charles T., death of, in New York.—May 4.
- Worcester, Mass., Theatre destroyed by fire.—May 16.
- Tolstoi Count, Russian Minister of the Interior, death of.—May 7.
- Toronto Board of Grain examiners and Arbitrators, Order in Council passed limiting powers of.—May 29.
- Toronto University, Senate meeting of and conferment of Honorary degrees.—May 27.
- Trance, Boston, Patton Miss Kate, taken for dead, and preparations being made for funeral.—May 21.
- TRUSTS.—Copper, failure of the conference despatch from Paris to Boston *Herald*.—May 4.
- Flour, English Syndicate attempting to purchase great flour mills of America.—May 22.
- Meat, American Meat Company, and America cattle trust, make contract, by which the former will handle entire produce of cattle trust.—May 18.
- Omaha, Chicago live stock pool breaks.—May 7.
- Turkey, Armenian Village attacked by Kurdish Chief, prominent men seized and burned to death with petroleum, despatch dated.—May 6.
- Turkey, Montenegrin frontier, Christians reported to be massacred by Turks.—May 17.
- Turkey, Sultan sends envoy to Berlin to thank Emperor William for his support of Turkey's Eastern policy.—May 11.
- Universal Peace Union, New York, twenty-third anniversary opened.—May 13.
- UNITED STATES.—Senate Committee on trade relations with Canada leave Chicago for San Francisco.—May 2.
- Senate Commission on trade relations with Canada arrives at Los Angeles, Cal.—May 14.
- Senate Committee on Canadian relations commences investigation at Tacoma, W.T.—May 25.
- Senate committee on Canada arrive at Victoria, B.C.—May 27.
- Senate Committee on Canada arrive at Seattle, W. T., and hold session.—May 29.
- University Federation, Toronto, an injunction served to restrain the Federation of Victoria College to Toronto University.—May 2.
- Victoria University, senate of, meets at Coburg, and considers federation with Toronto University.—May 14.
- Volcanic eruption, Oshima Island, half the houses destroyed.—April 13, reported May 29.
- Voodooism, Louisiana, arrest of white and negro men and women.—May 29.
- Warsaw, N. C., struck by Cyclone, considerable damage done.—May 2.
- Watson Mrs. Charles T., reader and actress, death of, in New York.—May 4.
- West Beaver Silver Mining Company, share list opens in London, Eng.—May 6.
- White Caps, Mount Auburn, Ia., Farmer's barn burned down, several persons fatally injured.—May 30.
- Wiman Mr. Erastus, speaks on Commercial Union at Harmony Hall, Ottawa.—May 4.
- Wiman Erastus, the Dominion Statistician at Ottawa answers some of Mr. Wiman's statements.—May 7.
- Window Glass Workers Association issues order that all foreign glass workers coming from the United States be blacklisted.—May 10.
- Winnipeg, McMillan Col., appointed to succeed Treasurer Jones.—May 6.
- Wurtemberg King of, insists upon return of Baron Savage, his American adviser.—May 2.

Wurtemberg, Emperor William writes to King Charles, advising him not to permit the return of Baron Savage, his American favorite.—May 15.

WRECKS, Astoria, Oregon, steamship "Alaska" bound to San Francisco from Puget Sound.—Reported May 16.

Cape Lookout, N. C., British steamship "Aberlady" strands near, crew saved.—May 13.

Goodwin Sands, British steamer "German Emperor," from London for Bilbao, ran into the British steamer "Beresford" from Hartley-pool for Bombay, thirty persons drowned.—May 20.

Lake Ontario, three barges laden with lumber, ashore at Point Peter light.—May 28.

Lake Ontario, "Bavaria" ashore at Gallos Islands all lives supposed to be lost.—May 29.

Magdalen Islands, Dutch whaler broken into pieces by storm.—May 19.

Montreal, steamer "Cynthia" sunk by steamer "Polynesian" off Longue Pointe, 8 lives lost.—May 22.

WRECKS.—Continued.

Neirai in South Pacific, British ship "Attmore" from Sydney to San Francisco.—Reported May 15.

Newfoundland, two French fishing vessels, the "Elia" and "Quatre Frères," lost with 175 men.—Reported May 21.

Platon, St. Croix Bay, Quebec, steamship "Escalona," from Mediterranean ports, goes ashore.—May 20.

Suez Canal, British steamer "Nyantza" from Cardiff sunk by British steamer "Curfew," from Swansea.—May 23.

Wright William, LL.D., professor of Arabic in University of Cambridge death of.—May 23.

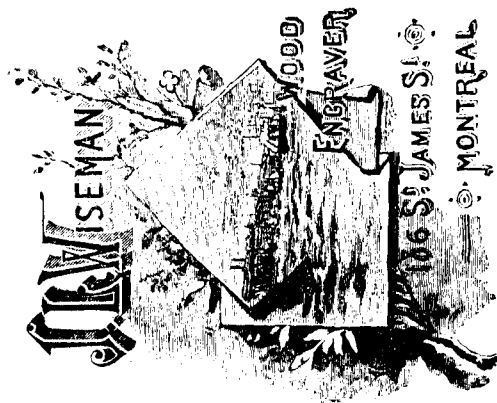
Young Men's Christian Association, Orange, N.J., annual conference at.—May 2.

Young Men's Christian Association, Philadelphia, 28th international convention opens.—May 8.

Zetland, Earl of, appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.—May 29.


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