

Falls, N. Y. Lord Bourke, Lord Connaught, English statesman. Professor Knapp, German pathologist.

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APRIL.

- 1. Steamer Camorta lost in a cyclone off the coast of India; 129 lives lost.
2. Quake in Managua, Nicaragua, kills 10,000.
3. Quake in Guatemala, destroyed by an earthquake.
4. Steamer City of Pittsburgh burns in Ohio River above Cairo; sixty-three lives lost.

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6. Tornado devastates Dacca and surrounding towns in India; 416 lives lost.
7. Tornado in Mexico kills 200 persons.
8. Tornado in Philadelphia in panic caused by a false alarm of fire.

MAY.

- 1. Seventy-five lives lost in the burning of a school in Glasgow, Scot. and.
2. About fifteen lives destroyed by a waterspout at Foss and Geary, Okla.
3. Eruption of La Soufriere volcano, St. Vincent, kills 200 persons.

- 4. St. Pierre, Martinique Island, totally destroyed by Mont Pelee volcanic eruption; about 35,000 lives destroyed on the island.
5. Brazilian aeronaut Savro and his assistant killed in France by the collision of their balloons.
6. Explosion of oil tank cars at Sheridan, Pa., near Pittsburg, kills twenty-seven persons and injures 250 others.

JUNE.

- 1. Eruption of Bolivian volcano destroys two villages and seventy-five lives.
2. Burning of a Chicago sanitarium wipes out twelve lives.
3. Chinese cruiser Kat-Chi blows up in Yang-tze River, killing 150 men.

- 4. Trolley collision at Gloversville, N. Y., kills fifteen persons.
5. Explosion of dredge in Cambria Rolling mine near Johnstown, Pa., kills 112 men.
6. Campanile of St. Marks Cathedral, Venice, falls.

JULY.

- 1. Powder explosion in a mine near Park City, Utah, kills thirty-five men.
2. Twenty-four blocks in Guayaquil, Ecuador, burnt; loss, \$3,000,000; many lives destroyed.
3. Capsizing of a sailboat off the New Hampshire coast drowns fourteen persons.

- 4. Twenty lives destroyed in and near Baltimore by a whirlwind.
5. Excursion steamer Primus wrecked in collision with tug off the river Elbe, Germany; sixty lives lost.
6. One hundred and twenty lives destroyed by a mine gas explosion at Wallongong, Australia.

AUGUST.

- 1. Fifteen workmen and trainmen killed in a railroad collision near Marshalltown, Iowa.
2. Gas explosion in a mine near Trinidad, Colo., kills thirteen men.
3. Japanese island of Toroshima overthrown by volcanic eruption; 150 persons perish.

- 4. Earthquake and landslide destroy twenty villages and 700 lives in Transcaucasia.
5. Ten workmen killed by explosion of steel digesters at Wilmington, Del.
6. Earthquake at Ashkend, Turkistan, destroys 1000 lives.
7. Eruption of Mont Pelee and tidal wave destroy 200 lives.

SEPTEMBER.

- 1. Excursion train wrecked near Birmingham, Ala.; thirty killed.
2. Many persons perish in Northern Pacific coast forest fires.
3. Seventeen lives lost in Algoma mine explosion near Bluefield, W. Va.

- 4. Panic in a colored church at Birmingham, Ala., where Booker T. Washington was speaking, kills 115 people.
5. Cyclone and tidal wave sweep Sicily, destroying 200 lives.
6. Typhoon and tidal wave near Yokohama, Japan, destroy 500 lives.

OCTOBER.

- 1. Fourteen persons killed by an explosion in the Lawson mines, Wash.
2. Circus elephant at Nijni Novgorod, Russia, runs amuck in the streets, killing 20 persons.
3. M. de Bradsly and Morin, French aeronauts, dashed to death by the fall of their airship.

- 4. Sixteen Lockwood founders in Lake Erie off Ashtabula; ten lives lost.
5. Bridge over the Golden Horn, Constantinople, collapses; 100 lives lost.
6. American Glucose annex factory, Chicago, burns with 12 men.
7. Fireworks explosion in New York kills 15 men and boys.

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- 1. At Saxenburg, Butler County, Pa., Henry B. Smith is murdered and his wife maltreated by burglars.
2. James Wilcox convicted at Elizabeth City, N. C., for the murder of a woman.
3. Neely and Rathbone, convicted of postal frauds in Havana.

APRIL.

- 1. At Philadelphia, William Lane (colored) murders his employer, Mrs. Ellen Furush, and her daughter and wounds a third.
2. Eleven Wheeling Councilmen indicted on a charge of bribery.
3. Will twice shot dead and burned at Tusculum, Ala., after shooting nine of a Sheriff's posse.

MAY.

- 1. Russian labor peasant, from Moscow to Vladimir revolt.
2. Paul Leicester Ford, New York, murdered by his brother, Malcolm, who commits suicide.
3. Colonel John Gaynor and Captain W. O. W. Smith, captured at Savannah, arrested at Quebec.

JUNE.

- 1. Riding breaks out between Chicago police and packing house strikers.
2. Deputies fire upon a crowd of strikers at Eastwick, R. I., with fatal results.
3. Mayor Ames of Minneapolis arrested on a charge of bribery.
4. Anarchists lead mob attack upon silk mills of Paterson, N. J.

14. Three aged brothers named Leach, near Rochester, O., attacked by six burglars; one brother kills three assailants and puts the others to flight.

NOVEMBER.

- 1. Laura Biggar surrenders to authorities at Freehold, N. J.
2. Hale Johnson, once Prohibition nominee for Vice President, shot dead by Harry Davis at Bogota, Ill. Alan G. Mason arrested in Boston on charges of assault and murder of young women in New York, Mollioux acquitted of murder.

DECEMBER.

- 1. Actor Harry Johnstone shoots and kills actress Kate Hazlett in Philadelphia.
2. Col. George W. Streeter and other Chicago lake front squatters convicted of manslaughter.
3. Leopold, King of Belgians, shot at, Alaska Indians on warpath against him.

JANUARY.

- 1. Pasadena, Cal.: Michigan defeats Stanford University at football, 49 to 0.
2. St. Louis: Bernstein is awarded the decision over Tommy White after fifteen rounds.
3. St. Louis: Three runners break a world's record for a 16-lap track—Sheldon the negro, Cartwright the Englishman and Kirby of Pennsylvania. Cartwright makes the best time for 50 miles—5 hours 34 minutes.

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3. Putney, Eng.: Cambridge wins the annual boat race against Oxford.
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- 1. Cambridge, Mass.: C. H. Robinson of Boston establishes a new national Y. C. A. shot-put record, 36 feet, 9 1/2 inches.
2. Atlanta: Walthour makes a new record for a five-mile motor-paced race on an indoor track, 7:52.
3. Kansas City: H. C. Hirschy of Minneapolis wins the Grand American shooting handicap.

MAY.

- 1. Baltimore: Frank Sherman regains the world's pool championship against W. H. Clearwater.
2. Louisville: Weing knocks out Choyinski in the sixth round.
3. Toledo: At Binaros A. D. Stramhan makes 110 points without a break.
4. Portland, Ore.: H. W. Kerrigan makes two new world's records: 6 feet 2 1/2 inches in running high dive, and 15 feet 3/4 inches in running long dive.

JUNE.

- 1. Newark, N. J.: Frank Kramer breaks the quarter-mile bicycle record, 2:23 2/5 seconds.
2. Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard wins intercollegiate strength contest, with 74.98 points.
3. Paris: Tom Linton of England breaks the world's hour bicycle record; 71 kilometers in 59 minutes.
4. Fort Erie, Ont.: Gans knocks out Erne in one round.

JULY.

- 1. Newark, N. J.: M. L. Hurley breaks the five-mile bicycle record in 1:09 1/3.
2. London: Kid McFadden of San Francisco wins the world's bantam-weight championship by knocking out Jim Williams of London.
3. Boston: World's bicycle records from 15 to 25 miles motor-paced, broken by Albert Champion; 25 miles in 37:35.
4. Washington: Champion of France twice breaks the ten-mile motor-paced bicycle record, second time in 14:03; also breaks all paced competition records from one to ten miles inclusive.

AUGUST.

- 1. New York: Suburban handicap won by Gold Heist, 2:28 1/2.
2. New York: Yale wins the inter-collegiate baseball championship against Pittsburg.
3. Chicago: Champion makes new bicycle record in one to ten miles; one mile in 1:18 2/5.
4. Newark, N. J.: M. L. Hurley, bicyclist, rides 80 yards in 55 seconds, a new record; half mile in 34 1/2; ten miles in 22:10, another world's record.

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2. Detroit: George Hanley makes the world's possible bowling score with 12 consecutive strikes. Total score, 1300.
3. Salt Lake: Unlaced professional bicycle race for one-quarter mile broken by Furman, Hoffman, Chapman and Samuelson, in 24 1/2.
4. Walsall, England: D. Billington breaks the world's swimming record for 600 yards; 8:25 2/5.
5. London: Joe Nutall lowers the world's

swimming record for quarter-mile, open water, to 8:20.

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- 1. New York: Dr. J. E. Mulligan makes a new world's record for ten standing jumps; 15 feet 3/4 inches. M. F. Sweeney breaks the world's record in high and kick by touching the ball at 9 feet 4 inches.
2. London: F. V. C. Lane, Australian, makes a new world's record for 300 yards; 5:41 1/2.
3. National Baseball League season begins.
4. New York: W. A. Larned, American, retains the American tennis championship against R. F. Doherty of England.
5. San Francisco: Hanlon knocks out Maurice Roussel in 6 rounds.
6. Chicago: Futurity race won by Savable in 1:14.

OCTOBER.

- 1. Philadelphia: Jack O'Brien of England beats Peter Maher in a six-round bout.
2. Pittsburg wins the National Baseball League pennant and the highest number of games in a season in the league's record.
3. Brookline, Mass.: Miss Hecker wins the women's golf championship.
4. London: Lipton's third challenge for the America's yachting cup signed.
5. Lexington, Ky.: Ozanam wins the Transylvania stake in the fastest series of six heats ever trotted, each being run in 2:20.
6. Chicago: Jack Root awarded the decision in a six-round bout with Kid Carter.

NOVEMBER.

- 1. Football: Princeton 10, Cornell 1. Yale 6, West Point 4. Harvard 23, Yale 16. Pennsylvania 17, Columbia 9.
2. Paris: Eddie Bell, American, wins the international scratch race, 1653 yards, in 2:53 1/2.
3. New York: Two world's athletic records broken: 56-pound weight lifted 30 feet 2 inches by Jim Mitchell, Martin J. Sheridan throws discus 133 feet 7 inches.
4. Memphis, Tennessee, gelding, reduces the world's five-mile trotting record to 12:24.
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3. Fifteen men perish in a copper mine cave-in at Negaunee, Mich.
4. Two New York Central trains collide in a New York City tunnel, killing seventeen persons.
5. Two men killed by a mine explosion in a flooded pit at Breux, Belgium.
6. Earthquake in the Mexican state of Guerrero razes a town and destroys many lives.
7. Mine gas explosion near Oskatoosa, Iowa, kills twenty-two men.
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