

Typhus fever prevailing in Sydney, Australia. Thermal wave from Manitoba to Atlantic reaches New York.

18. Lord Beaconsfield makes his statement in House of Lords. Kolapore Cup won by British team. Elcho Shield by Irish team. Emergency meeting of Supreme Grand Lodge of Orangemen.

19. Six iron clads ordered to Cyprus. Emigrants from Egypt going in numbers to that island. Intense heat in New York, over 60 cases of sunstroke.

20. Quebec Legislature prorogued. Mr. Gladstone refuses to resume Liberal leadership. German Emperor recovered from his wounds. Demonstrations in favour of annexation of the Tyrol held in various parts of Italy. Shumla evacuated by the Turks, and occupied by Russians.

22. Favourable change in commercial affairs in England. Queen confers order of the Garter on Beaconsfield and Salisbury. Further labour troubles in France.

23. Treaty of Berlin ratified by President MacMahon. Austrian army of occupation enters Bosnia.

24. Evacuation of Shumla commenced. 26 members of Parliament resolve to oppose the grant to the Duke of Connaught on his marriage.

25. Great mortality among refugees in Constantinople. Orangemen in Ireland guarantee £10,000 to test the legality of the order before the Privy Council. Great distress in agricultural districts of Spain from drought and insects.

26. All the powers but Turkey ratify the Treaty of Berlin. Terrible famine in Southern Morocco. Great damage by floods in Illinois and Wisconsin.

27. Marquis of Lorne accepted Governor Generalship of Dominion. Dinner at Carlton Club to Lords Beaconsfield and Salisbury by more than 500 Peers and Commoners. More severe fighting in the Transvaal.

28. Austrian troops enter Bosnia.

29. Debate on Lord Hartington's motion condemning Eastern policy of Government opened. Typhoid epidemic at Blackburn, Lancashire.

30. Agreement between Great Britain and U. S. announced, giving subjects of each equal rights with natives in trademarks and labels. Sultan ratifies Treaty of Berlin. Serious illness of Cardinal Franchi.

31. Papal Nuncio arrives in Germany to confer with Bismarck.

AUGUST.

1. Austrian forces occupy Herzegovina. *Times* makes bitter attack on Mr. Gladstone. Boundary Commission meet at Ottawa. Lord Carnarvon and Lord Beaconsfield have bitter debate in House of Lords.

5. Marquis of Hartington's resolution condemning Treaty of Berlin lost in House of Commons by vote of 338 to 185. Archbishop of Canterbury orders special thanksgivings for return of peace. French Government issues invitations for an International Monetary Congress in Paris. British Columbia Legislature pass Bill prohibiting employment of Chinese on Public Works, and impose a tax of \$60 per year on every Chinaman in the Province.

3. Russian troops returning home at the rate of 50,000 per day. Ontario Boundary

Commissioners award large increase of territory to that province. Freedom of City of London conferred on Beaconsfield and Salisbury, and magnificent banquet given them. Election of Socialists to the German Parliament causes uneasiness in France, and Workingmen's Congress is prohibited.

4. Severe hail and rain storm in Toronto and neighbourhood. Earthquake and hail storm at Terrebonne. Tornado at Washington, U.S.

5. Fever breaks out among British troops in Cyprus. Armed resistance to Austrian occupation of Bosnia. Holiday in England - "St. Lubbock's Day."

6. 7,000 Russian soldiers in Bulgaria ill with typhus fever. Prince Bismarck and Papal Nuncio arrive at an understanding. Communication in Moldavia and Wallachia interrupted by floods. Chancellor of the Exchequer announces a deficit of £4,300,000, for which Exchequer Bonds for three years are authorized to be issued. Aspect of affairs in Bosnia threatening. Another severe storm in Dominion with much damage from lightning.

8. The *Dory Nautilus* arrives at Havre from America after a passage of 56 days. Hungarian elections result in support of Government. Russians begin to occupy Varna.

9. Large part of Kars destroyed by explosion of mine. Sentence of suspension of Mr. Mackonochie by Dean of Arches, quashed by Lord Chief Justice. Violent rain and hail storm over lower lake region and Atlantic States.

10. Bill for Sunday Closing of Public Houses in Ireland passes third reading in Imperial Commons. Opening of International Money Conference at Paris. Rise of the Nile giving good prospects for crops. Floods in India through heavy rain.

11. Hanlan again wins in Harrie boat race. Terrible distress from destruction of crops by rain at Cashmere.

12. Orange Pic-Nic at Ottawa with some disturbance. Guards called out for three days to protect the city.

3. Deaths from famine in India officially given at 1,850,000. French protectorate of Tunis agreed to by allied powers.

14. Austria and Turkey come to agreement respecting occupation of Bosnia. Bill to prevent spread of Socialism submitted to German Council. Phylloxera makes its appearance in Spanish vineyards.

15. Socialists elected to German Parliament for 4th district of Berlin by a majority of 2,000. Prince Bismarck warns the Porte against delay in executing Treaty of Berlin.

16. Turkish troops in Bosnia join the insurgents. Prorogation of Imperial Parliament. Execution of Hoedel for attempt to assassinate Emperor William. Chief of Czar's private police murdered.

17. Insurrection in Bosnia spreading. Terrible explosion of powder magazine in Pottsville, Pa., from lightning. Yellow fever spreading in Mississippi Valley.

21. British crop returns show increase in wheat and barley and decrease in oats. International Law Congress decide in favour of freedom of Suez Canal and similar works in time of war. U. S. Railway Managers agree to abolish sale of tickets on commission. Batoum evacuated.