

of Cornell University, died at Ithaca, N. Y., born 1814.

September 19.

- 1519—Magellan sailed from San Lucar, Spain, on his voyage around the world.
- 1665—On this day the great plague in London reached its worst, over 2,000 dying and about 10,000 in the week ending this day.
- 1821—Gilbert Haven, Methodist Episcopal bishop, born in Malden, Mass.; died BISHOP HAVEN there 1880.
- 1881—James Abram Garfield, twentieth president of the United States, died at Elberon, N. J.; born 1831.
- 1890—Turkish man-of-war Ertogroul foundered, and its crew of 500 men were drowned.
- 1895—Alex H. Ritchie, formerly well known artist and engraver, died in New Haven; born 1822. The Spanish cruiser Sanchez Barcaiztegui run down and sunk in the harbor of Havana; 36 drowned.



September 20.

- 356 B. C.—Alexander the Great was born at Pella; died at 32.
- 1792—Battle of Valmy, decisive victory of the French revolution; the French, under Kellerman, defeated the Prussians, commanded by the Duke of Brunswick.
- 1805—Robert Emmet, eminent and universally revered Irish patriot, hanged at Dublin for treason; born 1780. Emmet was prominent in the uprising of 1798 and was leading a new movement when he fell into the hands of the government. His firm bearing on the scaffold is cherished as one of the sublimest traditions of his race.
- 1839—Vice Admiral Sir Thomas Hardy of Copenhagen and Trafalgar, flag captain to Nelson on board the Victory, died; born 1760.
- 1840—Dr. Francia, dictator of Paraguay, called by his people "El Supremo," died, aged 83.
- 1894—Giovanni Battista de' Bossi, celebrated Italian archaeologist at Rome, died; born 1822. Mme. Fursch-Madi, a noted soprano, who created the title role of Aida, died at Mount Bethel, N. J.; born 1847.

September 21.

The united tidal action of sun and moon on the atmosphere is greatest at this date, which some take to be the cause of the "equinoctial storm."

- 1558—The famous Charles V of Germany, etc., died at the monastery of San Yuste, Spain; born 1501.
- 1697—Treaty of Ryswick, France, with England, Spain, Holland, etc. In the celebrated treaty of Ryswick Louis XIV acknowledged William of Orange as king of Great Britain and Ireland and restored conquered territory to Spain and Germany. France acquired definitely Strassburg and other places in Alsace.
- 1778—Louis Bonaparte, brother of the emperor, king of Spain and father of Louis Napoleon, born at Ajaccio, Corsica; died 1846.
- 1820—Joseph Rodman Drake, American poet, died; born 1795.
- 1832—Walter Scott died; born 1771.
- 1895—Professor Abraham Victor Rydberg, Swedish author, died at Stockholm.
- 1896—Professor William Crawford Winlock, astronomer at the United States naval observatory, died at Bay Head, N. J.; born 1859.



September 22.

- 19 B. C.—Virgil, the Roman poet, died.
- 1585—Battle of Zutphen; Sir Philip Sidney mortally wounded.
- 1604—Surrender of Ostend, in Flanders, to the Spaniards.
- 1761—Coronation of George III of England.
- 1776—Nathan Hale executed at New York.
- 1828—Major Theodore Winthrop, author and soldier, born; killed at Big Bethel, Va., June 10, 1861.
- 1862—President Lincoln issued his warning proclamation of emancipation, which was perfected Jan. 1, 1863, freeing the slaves in all states in rebellion at the last named date.
- 1897—General Bourbaki, noted French leader in the war of 1870, died at Bayonne, France.

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