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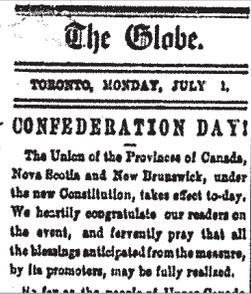
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# INVESTIGATE DECADES OF CANADIAN HISTORY WITH NEWSPAPERS

Newspapers provide multiple perspectives of how stories unfolded – and continue to unfold – over years and decades. They reveal local perspectives on regional, national and international affairs providing insight on how everyday lives are impacted and influenced.

1860



**The Globe.**  
TORONTO, MONDAY, JULY 1.  
**CONFEDERATION DAY!**  
The Union of the Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, under the new Constitution, takes effect to-day. We heartily congratulate our readers on the event, and fervently pray that all the blessings anticipated from the measure, by its promoters, may be fully realized.

**July 1867**  
On July 1 1867, at noon, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and the Province of Canada were proclaimed the Dominion of Canada, with John A. Macdonald its first prime minister.

1920



**November 1916**  
Oceanliner *Britannic*, refitted as a hospital ship during World War I, sank quickly in the Aegean Sea after striking a mine.

1940



**September 1939**  
Canada joins World War II. Montreal's Fort de l'Île Sainte-Hélène serves to contain 250 prisoners of war.

1960



**June 1962**  
Doctors in Saskatchewan strike for 30 days after the Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Bill passed providing care based on pre-payment and universal coverage.

1980



**July 1976**  
Montreal was host to the 1976 Summer Olympics, the first Olympic Games held in Canada.

1990



**April 1982**  
Queen Elizabeth II signed the Canadian Constitution Act, transferring control of Canada's constitution to Canada, ending any remaining British political power.

2000



**January 1998**  
Toronto was greatly enlarged as a "new" single city through an amalgamation of the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto and six lower-tier constituent municipalities.

2010



**July 2017**  
Canada celebrates its 150th birthday marking the sesquicentennial of Canadian Confederation.

2020

# FEATURED STANDALONE TITLES THAT SHOWCASE ALBERTA'S HERITAGE



## Calgary Herald (1883-2010)

The *Calgary Herald* is the largest and oldest daily newspaper in Alberta. Its first publication was as a mining and ranch weekly in 1883 at the height of Western Expansion and the Nation Building period. The coverage gives insight into Canadian history in the early 20th century and important reporting of international, national, provincial, and local events. At the beginning, Bob Evans a leading journalist in Canada promoted the emancipation of women and temperance. Other notable coverage includes the first Calgary Stampede in 1912 and the development of the petroleum industry in Alberta and throughout Canada.



## Edmonton Journal (1903-2010)

The *Edmonton Journal* began in 1903 just prior to the establishment of Alberta as a Canadian province. It started as a 4-page paper for trappers and early settlers and quickly emerged as the leading daily in town. Chronicling Edmonton's history, the Journal became a conservative advocate for the interests of Canada and the west. They were passionate supporters during the nascent town's unsteady growth throughout the decades to the affluent, populous city it became. The *Edmonton Journal* coverage includes local, national and international events such as the birth of the province in 1905, both World Wars, Edmonton's devastating Black Friday tornado of 1987, the death of beloved Princess Diana, and the trade and retirement of The Great One, Wayne Gretzky. In 1938, the Pulitzer Prize for public service was awarded to The *Edmonton Journal* 'for its leadership in the defense of the freedom of the press in the Province of Alberta.'



On a scale of 0 to 100

**NON** 50.57

**SI** 49.43

ET CE DEVOIT PASSE!

### Slim victory leaves Quebec deeply divided

PAUL WELLS THE GAZETTE

Canada has staved off disaster. But this morning it is in crisis. By winning the narrowest of majorities in yesterday's sovereignty referendum, Quebec federations and their allies across the country live to fight another day. But the close vote - and Premier Jacques Parizeau's comments about losing because of "money and the ethnic vote" - highlight profound divisions in Quebec. The unending debate about the province's place within Canada has not been resolved.

NEWS ANALYSIS

THEY COMPLAIN OF SEGREGATION

## "GOLDEN GRIFFIN."

CARPETS, CARPETS, CARPETS.

THE balance of our large stock of Carpets will now be sold off without reserve. Also, a lot of Tapestry, Benetate and Velvet Pile remnants very cheap.

### HUGHES & COMPY

Toronto, July 1. 688 847 8177

## NEW GOODS.

J.M. CHARLWORTH & CO., have just opened a large lot of Men's Coats, Lasting Crown Pettie, Browns and Cream Logging Coats, Canada Bagpats and Sags, Old Dishes, Stock, Vests and Wool Broads, and a mass of assorteds.

### HABERDASHERY.

AROLD MORRISON

(CP) — Police Lee Harvey Oswald, "TRIP TO EUROPE" — Capt. Will Fritz of Dallas hom announced the charge had been laid ag a former U.S. Marine who profess

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## AVAILABLE CANADIAN STANDALONE NEWSPAPERS TITLES

Newspaper Title	ProQuest Historical Newspapers	ProQuest Recent Newspapers
<i>The Globe and Mail</i>	1844 - 2015	
<i>Montreal Gazette</i>	1878 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Toronto Star</i>	1894 - 2016	2011 - Recent
<i>Leader-Post</i>	1883 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Calgary Herald</i>	1883 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Edmonton Journal</i>	1903 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Times-Colonist</i>	1884 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Vancouver Sun</i>	1912 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Ottawa Citizen</i>	1845 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Windsor Star</i>	1893 - 2010	2011 - Recent
<i>Saskatoon Star Phoenix</i>	1902 - 2009	2011 - Recent

## THE NEED FOR NEWS

In an era where local news coverage has been on the decline, historical regional papers can transport students and researchers to another time where smaller newspapers served as the informational hub of the community. Stories about neighborhood personalities, town events, city politics, schools, agriculture, commerce and other local business aren't available anywhere else.

Additionally, regional newspapers reveal local perspectives on national and international affairs for insight on how everyday lives are impacted and influenced by the issues and events that dominate the headlines of major metropolitan papers.



### EXTREMELY IMPORTANT

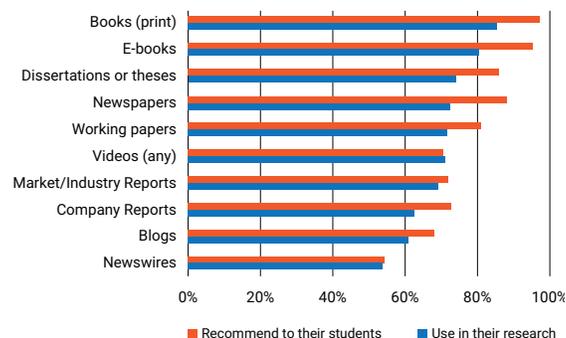
Faculty state that developing critical thinking skills in students is extremely important.

From a 2018 survey of more than 1,300 faculty and students on the use of varied content in research, teaching, and learning, faculty indicate why they assign primary sources in teaching.

## 72% of researchers use news today

A 2017 ProQuest study shows that newspapers are a vital tool in research – they're used by 72% of researchers and recommended by 80% of researchers who teach.

### Which of the following types of information do you use in your research? Which do you recommend to your students?



Faculty use a rich mix of content in their work and they encourage their students to stretch beyond journals.



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