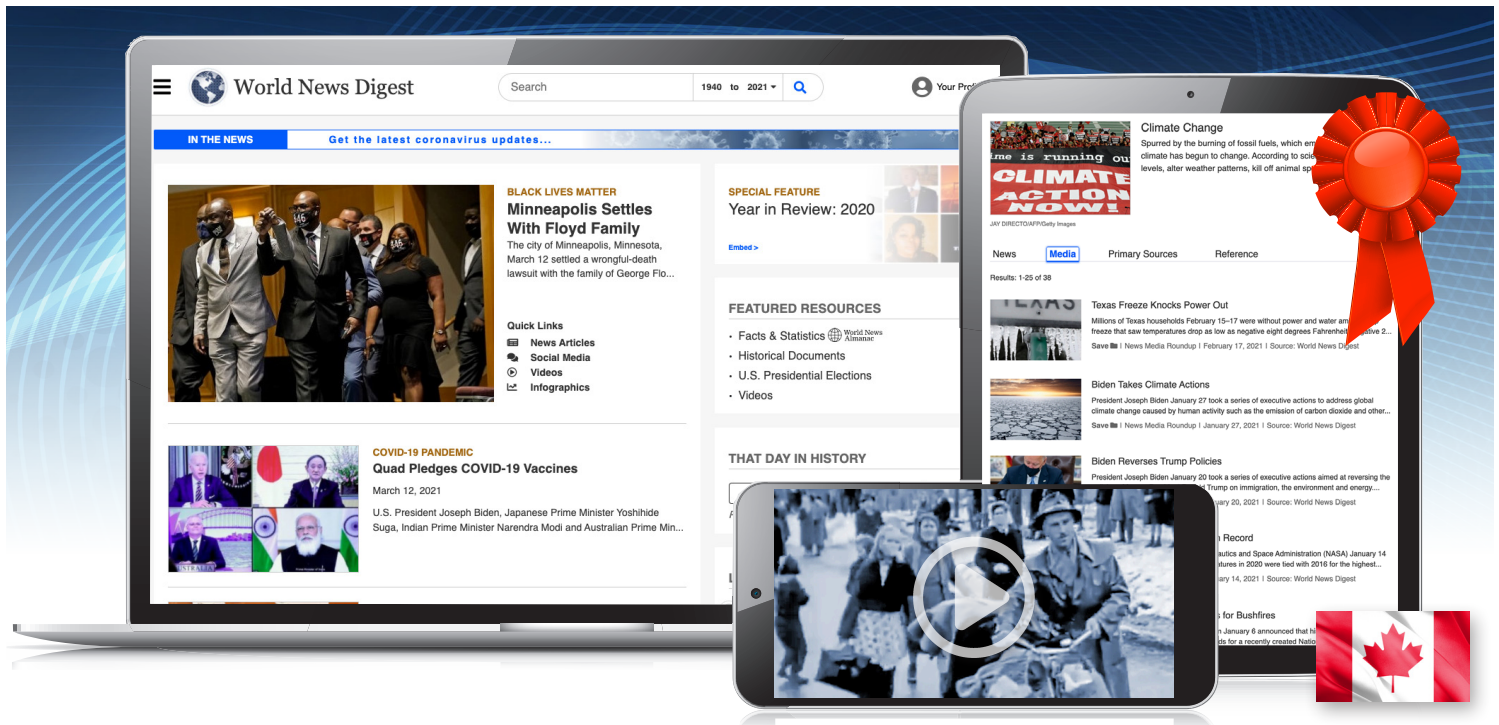


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HIGHLIGHTS AND FEATURES



The screenshot displays the website's layout with sections for 'Landmark Events in the News', 'Featured Videos', and a detailed article titled 'COVID-19 Pandemic' dated March 11, 2020. The article text includes: 'On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization (WHO) declared a pandemic on COVID-19, the first time it had ever done so for a coronavirus. The severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) and the infectious disease it caused, COVID-19, had 2019 in Wuhan, the provincial capital of Hubei in central China. It then spread rapidly to other countries, with tens of millions of confirmed cases and hundreds of thousands of deaths.' The interface also shows a 'Filter by Decade' dropdown menu and a 'News Media Roundups' section.

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