

Oct. 28, The Hincks-Morin Ministry took office.

Its members were :—

Hon. Francis Hincks, Premier and Inspector-General, U.C.

“ A. N. Morin, Provincial Secretary, L.C.

“ W. B. Richards, Att.-Gen., West.

“ L. T. Drummond, Att.-Gen., East.

“ Malcolm Cameron, President of Council, U.C.

“ John Young, Commissioner of Public Works, L.C.

“ John Rolph, Commissioner of Crown Lands, U.C.

“ R. E. Caron, Speaker of Legislative Council, L.C.

James Morris, Postmaster-General, U.C.

Hon. E. P. Tache, Receiver-General, L.C.

Nov. 6, Parliament was dissolved.

Dec. 9, The Young Men's Christian Association was established in Montreal ; this was the first entrance of the Society in America.

Dec. 14, George Brown was elected to Parliament by Kent and Lambton.

1852.

Jan. 1, The Act abolishing the law of primogeniture in Canada went into effect.

Jan. 28, Bishop's University, Lennoxville, L.C., received a royal charter.

The Baptist Missionary Society of Canada was formed.

May 4, Rev. William Walsh was made the first Catholic Archbishop of Halifax, N.S.

Responsible government was now assured in Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. Moodie's "Roughing it in the Bush" was published.

July 6, McGill College, Montreal, received a new royal charter.

July 8, A large part of Montreal was destroyed by fire.

July 16, Trinity University, Toronto, received a royal charter.

A few Fathers of St. Basil began St. Michael's College, Toronto.

Aug. 19, Parliament met in Quebec.