

VI. What produced disastrous effects on Canada, and how? When were Municipal institutions organized, and for what purpose? What proposition was made in 1850? How were the "Clear Grits" formed? Explain the free banking system, and when was it established. What departmental transference was made in 1851? What was the chief inducement to construct railways? What lines were first commenced? How had navigation of the river been ensured?

VII. Who came into power in 1851, and what was the chief feature of his policy? What is the session of 1852 called? and why? What political advances were made in 1853? When and between what parties was the Reciprocity Treaty concluded? What is remarkable about this treaty? Define its chief articles. Who succeeded Lord Elgin? What success had Canada at the Exhibition at Paris?

VIII. In what way was the Clergy Reserves question settled? What social change was effected in Lower Canada, and how? What recent change has been made in the Legislative Council? What gave rise to a Canadian line of steamers? What depressed trade in 1857 and 1858? What action did the Government take in consequence?

IX. What question assumed importance in 1857-59? How was Red River first settled, and how afterwards colonized? What change occurred after Selkirk's death? Through what perils have the colonists survived? What is the population now? What Companies were amalgamated in 1821? What was granted to the united Company? What was the object of many Canadians, in 1859? How did their scheme result?

X. State some remarkable events in 1858. What great undertaking was brought to a close in 1859? Give some recent instances of Canada's loyalty to Great Britain.

XI. What caused the resigna-

tion of the Macdonald-Cartier Administration? Who was then called on to form a Government? Was the new Government supported by the House? Who succeeded the three days' Government? How did the Cartier-Macdonald Ministry evade the necessity for re-election? and with what result? What great undertaking had partial success this year? What eminent Canadian statesman died?

XII. Where did Parliament meet in 1859? Where did it next meet? Were duties raised or lowered this session? What important public work was formally commenced this year? What drew immense crowds to Niagara Falls? Who crossed Lake Ontario in a balloon? What bereavement befell the Governor-General? What monument was inaugurated?

XIII. What important political meeting took place in Toronto? What important scheme was first announced at it? What eminent judge died this year? When was Victoria Bridge opened for general traffic? By how much did the Customs duties of 1859 exceed those of 1858?

XIV. Where was the mail-steamer *Hungarian* lost, with all on board? What was the result for a time? Where did Parliament meet in 1860? What happened on the day of opening? What post-office regulation was passed? What obnoxious duty repealed? What foreign prince visited Canada this year? Where did the *Great Eastern* arrive after her first trip?

XV. What had been an engrossing topic for months? When did the Prince of Wales sail from England? When did he arrive at St John's, Newfoundland? When at Halifax? When at Quebec? Who presented addresses at Quebec? and what gentlemen were knighted by the Prince? When did he reach Montreal, and what ceremony did he perform there? When did he reach Ottawa, and of what building did he lay the foundation stone? When did he arrive at Toronto, and how was he received?