

Metaphysics and
year 1871 until his death in 1889. The portrait
of the artist, Mr. W. Allaire Shortt, M. A.
presentation of a marble bust of Professor Young was one
principal features of the occasion, and was made under
sponsors of the Young Memorial Fund. As the result of a
held in University College almost immediately after his
a committee was appointed for the purpose of receiving
towards a memorial in honour of the teacher and
who in life had been so greatly revered and beloved.
committee Professor McCurdy is chairman, Mr. John A.
M. A., treasurer, and Dr. F. Tracy, secretary, taking
of the original secretary, Mr. T. C. DesBarres, and of
Mr. H. E. A. Reid, both of whom after most valu-
were compelled on account of change of residence
their office. Liberal responses have come in great num-
from graduates and undergraduates of the University,
and professional men, as well as personal friends
generally, led by a subscription of \$550 from Mr.
of Ottawa. In accordance with the preferences indi-
the contributors the committee have appropriated \$830
for the marble bust, and have invested the remainder as the
of a post-graduate scholarship in the department of
in the University. The subscriptions so far have
about \$4,600.

Text of the speeches delivered is now published as a
of the proceedings, and in testimony of the influence
character of the eminent men whose names will ever be
connected with the early struggles and successes of
the Provincial University.

THE PRESIDENT'S REMARKS.

ough all present are, no doubt, familiar with the name
William Hume Blake, very few, I imagine, are aware that
services which he rendered to this University were such as
entitle him to a foremost place for all time amongst its
He became Chancellor of the University in 1854,
months before the fall of the Hincks Government. To
the wisdom of his policy, as well as the value of
services, one must be acquainted with the perilous position
the University at that juncture, and with the apparent
difficulties which under his guidance were