

Grand Manan and other islands in Bay of Fundy declared British territory.....	1817	Responsible Government established in N.S. and N.B.	1848
First complete census of Nova Scotia (population 81,351)....	1817	In P.E. Island.....	1851
Sir Leonard Tilley born, May 8....	1818	In Newfoundland.....	1855
Cape Breton reunited to Nova Scotia.....	1820	First telegraph message between St. John and Halifax, Nov. 9.....	1840
Sir Wm. Dawson, born at Pictou, N.S., Oct. 13.....	1820	Municipal Act passed in Ontario... ..	1849
Lachine Canal begun.....	1821	In New Brunswick.....	1878
First complete census of New Brunswick, (population 74,176).....	1824	In Nova Scotia.....	1870
Great Fire at Miramichi.....	1825	General acts were passed providing for the incorporation of all the counties in those provinces. These acts have been consolidated and enlarged in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick during recent years, providing the fullest measure of independence to the people of any defined district in managing their local affairs and carrying on efficiently any public improvements. Before the passage of municipal laws, the cities of St. John, Halifax and Fredericton had been incorporated, with a few towns in each province, and in New Brunswick several counties; but for this it was necessary to get a special act or charter from the legislature. In Nova Scotia a general act for the incorporation of towns was adopted in 1888. Before the incorporation of counties and towns, the general sessions in each county, composed of justices of the peace, had attended to all local affairs.	
King's College (University of Toronto), founded.....	1827	First submarine cable laid in North America, between N.B. and P.E. Island.....	1851
McGill College opened.....	1829	Postage stamps first used in Canada.....	1851
Outbreak of cholera at Quebec....	1832	Free Schools established in P.E. Island.....	1852
First Assembly elected in Newfoundland.....	1832	In Nova Scotia.....	1864
First Steamer to cross the Atlantic— <i>Royal William</i> —from Pictou, N.S., to London in 23 days.....	1833	In New Brunswick.....	1872
First Canadian railway opened, between Laprairie and St. Johns, P.Q.....	1836		
Joseph Howe first enters Nova Scotia Legislature.....	1837		
Queen Victoria's Accession....	1837		
Rebellion in Canada.....	1837-38		
First penny newspaper printed in Canada and the British Empire, St. John, N.B., <i>News</i>	1838		
Lord Durham's report to British Parliament.....	1839		
Upper and Lower Canada united.....	1841		
Boundary between Maine and New Brunswick settled.....	1842		
Queen's College, Kingston, opened	1842		
Mount Allison Academy, Sackville, opened.....	1843		
Ladies' College opened.....	1854		
University of Mount Allison organized.....	1862		
Treaty of Oregon.....	1846		