

Prepare your Hot Beds for sowing Seeds.

4th Month.

APRIL, 30 Days. Begins on Tuesday.

Moon's Phases.	Quebec.	Montreal.	Perth.	Toronto.	London.
First Quarter.....	D. 4	h. 1 48 ev.	h. 1 42 ev.	h. 1 30 ev.	h. 1 18 ev.
Full Moon.....	12	5 3 ev.	4 57 ev.	4 45 ev.	4 33 ev.
Third Quarter.....	20	1 0 mo.	0 54 mo.	0 42 mo.	0 30 mo.
New Moon.....	28	5 54 ev.	5 48 ev.	5 36 ev.	5 24 ev.

M.	Week.	Montreal.		Toronto.		Sun's Declinat. North.	The Moon. R. & S.	Sun on Meridian.			Calendar Aspects, &c.
		Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.			D.	h.	m. s.	
1	Tues.	5 46	6 22	5 47	6 21	Deg. Min. 4 39	h. m. 11 34	1	12	3 48	ALL FOOLS' DAY, so called.
2	Wed.	45	23	46	22	5 2	Morn. 3 40	9	12	1 28	There will be rain and all the aspects about these days are stormy & unsetl.
3	Thur.	42	24	44	23	5 25	0 38	17	11	59 25	Wind and rain.
4	Fri.	41	25	42	24	5 48	1 38	25	11	57 47	
5	Sat.	39	27	40	26	6 10	2 24	6th Sunday in Lent.			
6	E.	5 37	6 29	5 38	6 27	6 33	3 6	Monday before Easter.			
7	Mon.	35	30	36	28	6 56	3 40	Tuesday before Easter.			
8	Tues.	33	31	35	29	7 18	4 8	Wednesday before Easter.			
9	Wed.	32	32	33	31	7 40	4 31	Holy Thursday.			
10	Thur.	30	33	31	32	8 3	4 54	GOOD FRIDAY.			
11	Fri.	28	34	30	33	8 25	Rises. 6 29	Easter Even.			
12	Sat.	26	36	28	34	8 47	6 29				
13	E.	5 24	6 37	5 26	6 35	9 8	7 35	Easter Sunday.			
14	Mon.	22	38	24	36	9 30	8 43	Monday in Easter week.			
15	Tues.	20	40	23	37	9 51	9 53	Tuesday in Easter week.			
16	Wed.	18	42	21	39	10 13	11 3	We shall have fair weather.			
17	Thur.	17	43	19	40	10 34	Morn. 0 12	Mild and pleasant days.			
18	Fri.	15	44	17	41	10 55	0 12	Cold and chilly nights.			
19	Sat.	13	45	16	42	11 16	1 13	Very changeable season.			
20	E.	5 11	6 47	5 14	6 44	11 36	2 1	1st Sunday after Easter.			
21	Mon.	10	48	13	45	11 57	2 41	Not unpleasant, and rather favorable for work.			
22	Tues.	8	49	11	46	12 17	3 16	ST. GEORGE'S DAY.			
23	Wed.	6	50	9	47	12 37	3 45	Very fine day.			
24	Thur.	5	51	8	48	12 57	4 11	ST. MARK'S DAY.			
25	Fri.	3	53	7	49	13 16	4 35	Comfortably warm and fine.			
26	Sat.	2	55	5	51	13 36	Sets. 8 10	2nd Sunday after Easter.			
27	E.	5 00	6 56	5 4	5 52	13 55	8 10	The last days of April all promise to be fair and fine, with light breezes.			
28	Mon.	4 58	57	2	53	14 14	9 12				
29	Tues.	56	58	5 0	54	14 32	10 25				
30	Fri.	55	59	5 0	55	14 51	11 23				

APRIL.—That it is possible to cut timothy too close seems quite clear, especially in a dry, hot climate. This is particularly the case when the cutting is done with a mower, which is now very general. The bulb having been shaded in its growth by the tall grass is suddenly laid bare to the rays of the hot sun in July and August, which dries every particle of moisture in it, consequently, when rain comes the bulb has lost its germinating power. It was noticed that, when a small portion of a meadow was cut down with a cradle for seed, that the growth of grass during the fall was far greater, and also that the timothy is a great deal heavier on that part than alongside where it was mown close with the machine. This being the case, the value of machinery is, by so much depreciated, and the cradle is to be preferred.

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