

BANK HOLIDAYS IN ONTARIO.

Every Sunday, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Monday, The Queen's Birthday, and each day appointed by Royal Proclamation as a General Fast or Thanksgiving Day.

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical or Sunday letter.....	D	Roman Indiction.....	4
Golden Number.....	11	Julian Period.....	6604
Epact or Moon's Age.....	20	Diocletian Era.....	1666
Solar Cycle.....	24	Dominion Day, 25th year begins, July 1	

MOVABLE FESTIVALS.

Septuagesima Sunday.....	Jan.	25	Low Sunday.....	April	5
Quinquagesima Sunday.....	Feb.	8	Rogation Sunday.....	May	7
Ash Wednesday.....	"	11	Ascension Day.....	"	3
Quadragesima.....	"	15	Whit Sunday.....	"	17
Palm Sunday.....	March	22	Trinity Sunday.....	"	28
Annunciation.....	"	25	Corpus Christi.....	"	29
Good Friday.....	"	27	Michaelmas Day.....	Sept.	21
Easter Sunday.....	"	29	Advent Sunday.....	Nov.	29

HOLIDAYS OBSERVED IN PUBLIC OFFICES.

Circumcision.....	January	1	Her Majesty's Birthday.....	May	24
Epiphany.....	"	6	Corpus Christi.....	"	29
Ash Wednesday.....	Feb.	11	St. Peter and St. Paul.....	June	29
Annunciation B.V.M.....	March	25	Dominion Day.....	July	1
Good Friday.....	"	27	All Saints Day.....	Nov.	1
Easter Monday.....	"	30	Immaculate Conception.....	Dec.	8
Ascension Day.....	May	7	Christmas Day.....	"	25

ECLIPSES FOR THE YEAR 1891.

During this year there will be four eclipses, two of the Sun, and two of the Moon.

I. May 23rd, there will be a total Eclipse of the Moon, partly visible as a partial Eclipse.

First contact with the Penumbra.....	10.42 mo. of May 23rd
Beginning of total phase.....	0.55 ev. "
Middle of the Eclipse.....	1.35 ev. "
Last contact with the Penumbra.....	4.27 ev. "

II. June 6th, there will be an Annular Eclipse of the Sun, visible as a partial Eclipse.

Begins on the earth generally, 2h. 3m. 4 sec. mean time at Greenwich, in longitude 132° 33' west of Greenwich, and in latitude 25° 15' North.

Central Eclipse, at noon, June 6th, in longitude 110° 6' east of Greenwich, and in latitude 71° 11' N.

III. November 15th, there will be a total Eclipse of the Moon visible.

First contact with the Penumbra.....	4h. 52m. ev.
Middle of the Eclipse.....	7h. 24m. ev.
Last contact with the Penumbra.....	11h. 07m. ev.

IV. Nov. 30th-Dec. 1st, there will be a partial Eclipse of the Sun, invisible here.

Begins on the earth generally, November 30th, 21h. 44m. mean time at Greenwich, in longitude 75° 26' west of Greenwich, and in latitude 35° 46' S.

Ends on the earth generally, December 1st, 1h. 18m., in longitude 10° 47' east of Greenwich, and in latitude 59° 17' S.

NOTE.—There will occur a TRANSIT OF MERCURY across the Sun's disc, May 9th, 1891, partly visible. External contact at ingress, 11h. 53m. 44s. mean time at Greenwich. External contact at egress, 16h. 50m. 25s. mean time at Greenwich