# ALMANAC, &c.

#### EPOCHS.

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Of the Mundane Æra,		5853
Of the vulgar Christian Æra,		1850
Since the Discovery of America,		358
Since the Foundation of Quebec,		242
Since the Treaty which confirmed the possess	sion	
of Canada to the British,		84
Of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria		13

## ECLIPSES.

In the year 1850 there will be only two Eclipses; both of the Sun.

I.—An Annular Eclipse of the Sun, February 12th, invisible at Montreal. Conjunction in Right Ascension at 1 hour 37 minutes in the morning.

II.—A Total Eclipse of the Sun, August 7th, invisible at Montreal. The mean time of Conjunction in Right Ascension will be at 4 hours and 37 minutes in the evening. This Eclipse will be seen from the North and Western parts of South America, from Mexico, California, Oregon, and from the Japanese Islands.

## THE SEASONS.

Vernal Equinox—Spring begins. March, 20th day 6h. 9m. Evening.

Summer Solstice—Summer begins..June, 21st day 3h. 6m. Evening.

Autumnal Equinox—Autumn begins...September, 23d day 5h. 6m. Morning.

Winter Solstice—Winter begins. December, 21st day 10h. 44m. Evening.

## EMBER DAYS.

February20	22	23	September18	20	21
May22	24	25	December18	20	21