

Explanation of Calendar Pages.

The ordinary tables of the changes and quadratures of the Moon are given at the head of each month respectively, calculated for the longitude of Montreal, and at the right hand corner the time of Sun on Meridian or noon mark. The 1st and 2nd columns to the right of the Calendar give the mean time of the rising and setting of the Sun. The 3rd column shows the Sun's declination S. or N., and the fourth gives the Moon's place on the Zodiac. The rising and setting of the Moon are given in the fifth column, with sufficient exactness for all practical purposes. The weather prognostications are calculated according to the table of the celebrated Dr. Herschel.

Explanations of Astronomical Symbols and Abbreviations.

○ The Sun,	♃ Saturn,	○ Degrees,	♋ Cancer, The Crab,
☾ The Moon,	○ In Conjunction,	Minutes, of Arc	♌ Leo, The Lion,
☿ Mercury,	□ In Quadrature,	Seconds)	♍ Virgo, The Virgin,
☿ Venus,	▢ In Opposition,	{ Days & Hours}	♎ Libra, The Balance,
⊕ The Earth,	Ω Ascending Node	m. Minutes,	♏ Scorpio, The Scorpion,
☿ Mars,	▢ Descending Node	s. Seconds,	♐ Sagittarius, The Archer,
♃ Jupiter,	N. North, S. South	♀ Aries, The Ram,	♑ Capricornus, The Goat,
♄ Herschel, or	E. East, W. West	♉ Taurus, The Bull,	♒ Aquarius The Waterman,
the Georgian,		♊ Gemini, The Twins	♓ Pisces, The Fishes.

Chronological Cycles.

Dominican Letters.....	A.	Julian Period.....	6567
Golden Number.....	12	Jewish year commencing 14th	
Jewish Lunar Cycle.....	9	September, 1854.....	5615
Epact.....	1	Age of the World (Septuagint)	7869
Solar Cycle.....	15	Mahometan year com. Oct. 15	1271

Movable Festivals.

Septuagesima Sunday.....	February 12	Low Sunday.....	April 28
Quinquagesima Sunday.....	" 26	Rogation Sunday.....	May 21
Ash Wednesday.....	March 1	Ascension Day, Holy Th.	" 25
First Sunday in Lent.....	" 5	Pentecost, Whit Sunday, June	4
Palm Sunday.....	April 9	Trinity Sunday,.....	" 11
Good Friday.....	" 14	Corpus Christi.....	" 15
Easter Sunday.....	" 16	Advent Sunday.....	December 3

Holidays observed at Public Offices.

Circumcision.....	January 1	Corpus Christi.....	June 15
Epiphany.....	" 6	St. Peter and St. Paul..	" 29
Annunciation.....	March 25	All Saints Day.....	November 1
Good Friday.....	April 14	Conception, B. V. M....	December 8
Ascension Day.....	May 25	Christmas Day.....	" 25
Birth Day of Queen Vict.	" 24		