

CALENDAR AND ASTRONOMICAL INFORMATION.

Chronological Cycles.

Golden Number	12	Dominical Letter	A
Epact	1	Roman Indiction	12
Solar Cycle	15	Julian Period	6567

Fixed and Moveable Feasts, &c.

Circumcision,	Jan. 1	Ascension Day,	May 25
Epiphany,	6	Holy Thursday,	
Septuagesima Sunday,	Feb. 12	Pentecost—Whit Sun.,	June 4
Sexagesima Sunday,	19	Trinity Sunday,	11
Shrove Sunday,	26	Corpus Christi,	15
Ash Wednesday,	Mar. 1	Accession of Q. Victoria,	20
Quadragesima, or 1st S. in Lt.,	5	Proclamation,	21
St. Patrick's,	17	St. John Baptist,	24
Palm Sunday,	April 9	Birth of Prince Albert,	Aug. 26
Good Friday,	14	St. Michael,	Sept. 29
Easter Sunday,	16	Birth of Prince of Wales,	Nov. 9
Low Sunday,	23	St. Andrew's,	30
St. George,	23	1st Sunday in Advent,	Dec. 3
Rogation Sunday,	May 21	St. Thomas,	21
Birth of Queen Victoria,	24	Christmas Day,	25

Ember Days.

March 8th, 10th, and 11th.	September 20th, 22d, and 23d.
June 7th, 9th, and 10th.	December 20th, 22d, and 23d.

Astronomical Symbols.

☉ The Sun	♄ Saturn	SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC.
☾ First Quarter	♆ Georgian	
◯ Full	♌ Conjunction	♈ Aries
☾ Last Quarter	☐ Quadrature	♉ Taurus
● New	♍ Opposition	♊ Gemini
♿ Mercury	* Sextile	♋ Cancer
♀ Venus	△ Trine	♌ Leo
♁ Earth	♊ Ascending Node	♍ Virgo
♂ Mars	♋ Descending Node	♎ Libra
♁ Vesta	N North	♏ Scorpio
♁ Pallas	S South	♐ Sagittarius
♁ Juno	° Degrees	♑ Capricornus
♁ Ceres	' Minutes	♒ Aquarius
♁ Jupiter	" Seconds	♓ Pisces

Commencement of the Seasons.

Spring begins March 21.	Autumn begins Sept. 23.
Summer begins June 21.	Winter begins December 22.