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ECLIPSES.

There will this year be four Eclipses—two of the Sun and two of the Moon—as follows—
1.—6th of May, an Annular Eclipse of the Sun, partly visible—
Rises 6 41; eclipsed, 9h 44m; Mean time Duration of visibility, 34 minutes
Eclipse ends 5h 18m; Morning.
11.—21st May, Total Eclipse of the Moon—
Visible at Montreal.
111.—30th October, Annular Eclipse of the Sun—invisible at Montreal.
1V.—13th November, a Partial Eclipse of the Moon, visible—Beginning, 6h 23m evg—Middle 8h 2m—End, 9h 41m.—Magnitude (Moon's diam. = 1) 0.92 on northern limb.
There will be a Transit of Mercury over the sun's disc, 8th May, beginning 11h. 32m. mor.

THE SEASONS.

Spring begins March 20, 0h 58m Evening.
Summer begins June 21, 9h 56m Morning.
Autumn begins September 23, 0h Morning.
Winter begins December 21, 5h 35m Morning.

MOVEABLE FESTIVALS.

Septuagesima Sunday, Jan. 19
Shrove Sunday, Feb. 2
Ash Wednesday (1st day of Lent), Feb. 5
Palm Sunday, March 16
Good Friday, March 21
Easter Sunday, March 23
Ascension Day, May 1
Whit Sunday (Pentecost), May 11
Trinity Sunday, May 18
Corpus Christi, May 22
Advent Sunday, Nov. 30

FETES D'OBLIGATION.

OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Circumcision, January 1
Epiphany, January 6
Annunciation, March 25
Ascension Day (Holy Thursday), May 1
Corpus Christi, May 22
Saint Peter and Saint Paul, June 29
All Saints' Day, November 1
Conception B. V. M., December 8
Christmas Day, December 25

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical Letter, Solar Cycle, 6
Epact, Roman Indiction, 5
Golden Number, Julian Period, 6568

EMBER DAYS.

February 14 15 16
March 17 18 19
April 20 21 22

PHASES OF THE MOON.

JAN. Last Quar., 1st day 0h 34m Mor
New Moon, 8th day 2h 26m Mor
First Quar., 15th day 4h 4m Mor
Full Moon, 23rd day 9h 33m Mor
Last Quar., 30th day 5h 8m Evn
FEB. New Moon, 6th day 1h 48m Evn
First Quar., 13th day 0h 13m Mor
Full Moon, 21st day 1h 59m Mor
Last Quar., 28th day 3h 26m Mor
MARCH. First Quar., 10th day 6h 6m Evn
Full Moon, 18th day 0h 13m Evn
Last Quar., 26th day 3h 32m Evn
APRIL. New Moon, 6th day 4h 36m Evn
First Quar., 14th day 2h 33m Evn
Full Moon, 22nd day 5h 25m Mor
Last Quar., 29th day 6h 33m Evn

MAY. Last Quar., 1st day 0h 34m Mor
New Moon, 8th day 2h 26m Mor
First Quar., 15th day 4h 4m Mor
Full Moon, 23rd day 9h 33m Mor
Last Quar., 30th day 5h 8m Evn
JUNE. New Moon, 6th day 1h 48m Evn
First Quar., 13th day 0h 13m Mor
Full Moon, 21st day 1h 59m Mor
Last Quar., 28th day 3h 26m Mor
JULY. New Moon, 6th day 1h 48m Evn
First Quar., 13th day 0h 13m Mor
Full Moon, 21st day 1h 59m Mor
Last Quar., 28th day 3h 26m Mor
AUG. New Moon, 6th day 1h 48m Evn
First Quar., 13th day 0h 13m Mor
Full Moon, 21st day 1h 59m Mor
Last Quar., 28th day 3h 26m Mor

SEPT. New Moon, 1st day 4h 48m Evn
First Quar., 9th day 0h 37m Mor
Full Moon, 17th day 5h 5m Evn
Last Quar., 25th day 7h 59m Mor
OCT. New Moon, 1st day 4h 48m Evn
First Quar., 9th day 0h 37m Mor
Full Moon, 17th day 5h 5m Evn
Last Quar., 25th day 7h 59m Mor
NOV. New Moon, 1st day 4h 48m Evn
First Quar., 9th day 0h 37m Mor
Full Moon, 17th day 5h 5m Evn
Last Quar., 25th day 7h 59m Mor
DECR. New Moon, 1st day 4h 48m Evn
First Quar., 9th day 0h 37m Mor
Full Moon, 17th day 5h 5m Evn
Last Quar., 25th day 7h 59m Mor

UNITED KINGDOM.

The Royal Family.

THE QUEEN.
VICTORIA, Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland (daughter of the late Duke of Kent, by Victoria Maria Louisa, sister of Leopold King of the Belgians) born May 24th, 1819—succeeded her uncle Wm. IV. June 20, 1837—crowned June 28, 1838—married February 10, 1840, to Prince Albert Augustus Charles Emmanuel, Prince of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, born August 26, 1819.—Issue:—
Victoria Adelaide Mary Louisa, Princess Royal, born November 21, 1840.
Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, born 9th November, 1841.
Alice Mary, born April 25, 1843.
Alfred Ernest Albert, born August 6, 1844.

QUEEN DOWAGER.—Adelaide, consort of the late William IV. born August 13, 1792.
Ernest Augustus, King of Hanover, Duke of Cumberland, born June 5, 1771.
Adolphus Frederick, Duke of Cambridge, b. February 24, 1774.
Mary, Duchess of Gloucester, b. Apr. 25, 1776.

Legislative Assembly.

Elected in October and November, 1844.

Sir Allan McNab, Speaker.

CONSTITUENTS.
Beauharnois, Eden Colville
Bellevue, Hon Augustin N Morin
Berthier, David M Armstrong
Bonaventure, John LeBoutillier
Brockville, George Sherwood
Bytown, James Johnston
Carleton Place, Louis Lacoste
Chambly, Louis Guillet
Champlain, Roland Macdonald
Dorchester, Pierre E Taschereau
Drummond, Robert Nugent Watt
Dundas, De William Dickson
Durham, Edward Seymour Williams
Essex, John Prince
Frontenac, Henry Smith
Gaspé, Robert Christie
Glengarry, John S Macdonald
Greenville, Hamilton D Jessup
Haldimand, Edward Briminger
Halton, East Riding, George Chalmers
Halton, West Riding, James Webster
Hamilton, Sir Allan N MacNab
Hastings, Edmund Murney
Huntingdon, Benjamin H LeMoine
Huron, De William Dunlop
Kamouraski, Amable Berthelot
Kent, Joseph Woods
Kingston, John A Macdonald
Lanark, Malcolm Cameron
Leeds, Ogle Robert Gowan
Lennox & Addington, Jacob De Witt
Lincoln, North Riding, William H Merritt
Lincoln, South Riding, James Cummings
L'Islet, Etienne Paschal Taché
London, Hon William H Draper
Lotbinière, Joseph Laurin
Megantic, Hon Dominick Daly
Middlesex, Edward Briminger
Missisquoi, Hon James Smith
Montmorency, Joseph Cauchon
Montreal City, Hon George Moffatt
Hon C S De Bieury
Montreal County, André John
Nagawick, Walter H Dickson
Nicolet, Antoine P Michot
Norfolk, Israel Wood Powell
Northumberland, N.R. Adam Henry Meyers
Northumberland, S.R. Adam Henry Meyers
Ottawa, Hon Denis B Papineau
Oxford, Robert Hiddel
Prescott, Lewis T Drummond
Prince Edward, John P Robin
Quebec City, Hon Thomas C Aylwin
Jean Chabot
Quebec County, Pierre J O Chauveau
Richelieu, Walter H Nelson
Rimouski, Louis Bertrand
Rouville, Timothée Franchère
Russell, Archibald Patric
Saguenay, L P Latendresse
Shefford, Stephen Sewell Foster
Sherbrooke, Edward Hale
Sherbrooke County, William B Robinson
Simcoe, William B Robinson
Stamstead, John McCollin
Stamstead, Donald E McDowell
Saint Maurice, Thomas Boutillier
Terrebonne, François Desaulniers
Three-Rivers, Hon H Lafontaine
Toronto City, Hon Henry Sherwood
William H Boulton
Two Mountains, William Henry Scott
Vaureuil, Jacques Philippe Lantier
Verchères, James Leslie
Westchester, Harmanus Smith
Yamaska, Leon Rousseau
York, First Riding, James Hervey Price
York, Second Riding, George Duggan
York, Third Riding, Hon James E Small
York, Fourth Riding, Hon Robert Baldwin
William B Lindsay, Clerk.

JANUARY.

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JULY.

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Corporation of Montreal.

As constituted after the Election, 1st Dec. 1844.

James Ferrier, Mayor.

ALDERMEN.
Benjamin Holmes, François Trudeau
Hon C S de Bieury, Joseph Bourret
William Lunn, Thomas Molson

COUNCILLORS.
William Watson, William Footner
Pierre Jodoin, Benjamin Lyman
Henry Stuart, H L Routh
John Tully, John Glennon
Alfred LaRoque, Daniel Gorrie
François Perrin

WARDS REPRESENTED.
East—Ferrier, Jodoin, and Perrin.
Centre—Bourret, Stuart, and Footner.
West—Holmes, Lunn, and Lyman.
Queen's—Watson, Tully, and Routh.
St. Mary's—Trudeau, Molson, and Gorrie.
St. Lawrence—De Bieury, La Roque, and Glennon.

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION.
John P. Sexton, City Clerk.
Arthur Ross, City Treasurer.
John Ostel, City Surveyor.
Richard D. Bodley, Assistant Clerk.
George Harding, Assistant Treas. Office.
C. M. Goppinger, Chief Eng. Fire Department.
John Perrin, Inspector do do do.
Pierre Blanchet, Translator.
John McKecher, Overseer of Roads, &c.
Joseph A Bourdon, Clerk of New Market.
John Abbott, Clerk of Saint Ann's Market.
Maurice Eardley, Clerk of Hay Market.
Antoine Schwartz, Asst. do.
Jos. Robillard, Pound Keeper, Clerk of Hay and Cattle Market, Viger Square.

TABLE.—£1 Sterling equal to 21 4s. 4d. Currency.

STG. CURRY.	POUNDS.	STG. CURRY.	POUNDS.	STG. CURRY.	POUNDS.
1. 0 14	1 4 36	1 0 14	1 4 36	1 0 14	1 4 36
2. 0 24	2 8 37	2 0 24	2 8 37	2 0 24	2 8 37
3. 0 34	3 13 08	3 0 34	3 13 08	3 0 34	3 13 08
4. 0 44	4 17 49	4 0 44	4 17 49	4 0 44	4 17 49
5. 0 54	5 6 18	5 0 54	5 6 18	5 0 54	5 6 18
6. 0 64	6 10 49	6 0 64	6 10 49	6 0 64	6 10 49
7. 0 74	7 14 80	7 0 74	7 14 80	7 0 74	7 14 80
8. 0 84	8 18 71	8 0 84	8 18 71	8 0 84	8 18 71
9. 0 94	9 22 62	9 0 94	9 22 62	9 0 94	9 22 62
10. 1 04	10 26 53	10 1 04	10 26 53	10 1 04	10 26 53
11. 1 14	11 30 44	11 1 14	11 30 44	11 1 14	11 30 44
12. 1 24	12 34 35	12 1 24	12 34 35	12 1 24	12 34 35
13. 1 34	13 38 26	13 1 34	13 38 26	13 1 34	13 38 26
14. 1 44	14 42 17	14 1 44	14 42 17	14 1 44	14 42 17
15. 1 54	15 46 08	15 1 54	15 46 08	15 1 54	15 46 08
16. 2 04	16 49 59	16 2 04	16 49 59	16 2 04	16 49 59
17. 2 14	17 53 50	17 2 14	17 53 50	17 2 14	17 53 50
18. 2 24	18 57 41	18 2 24	18 57 41	18 2 24	18 57 41
19. 2 34	19 61 32	19 2 34	19 61 32	19 2 34	19 61 32
20. 2 44	20 65 23	20 2 44	20 65 23	20 2 44	20 65 23
21. 2 54	21 69 14	21 2 54	21 69 14	21 2 54	21 69 14
22. 3 04	22 73 05	22 3 04	22 73 05	22 3 04	22 73 05
23. 3 14	23 76 96	23 3 14	23 76 96	23 3 14	23 76 96
24. 3 24	24 80 87	24 3 24	24 80 87	24 3 24	24 80 87
25. 3 34	25 84 78	25 3 34	25 84 78	25 3 34	25 84 78
26. 3 44	26 88 69	26 3 44	26 88 69	26 3 44	26 88 69
27. 3 54	27 92 60	27 3 54	27 92 60	27 3 54	27 92 60
28. 4 04	28 96 51	28 4 04	28 96 51	28 4 04	28 96 51
29. 4 14	29 100 42	29 4 14	29 100 42	29 4 14	29 100 42
30. 4 24	30 104 33	30 4 24	30 104 33	30 4 24	30 104 33
31. 4 34	31 108 24	31 4 34	31 108 24	31 4 34	31 108 24

British Ministry.

Formed under Sir R Peel, in September 1841.

SALARY.
Sir R Peel, 1st Lord of the Treasury, £5000
Lord Lyndhurst, Lord High Chancellor 14000
Lord Wharfedale, Pres. of the Council, 9000
Duke of Buccleuch, Lord Privy Seal, 3000
Sir James Graham, Home Secretary, 5000
Earl of Aberdeen, Foreign Secretary, 5000
Lord Stanley, Colonial Secretary, 5000
Rt Hon. H. Goulburn, Chan. of Excheq, 5000
Earl of Haddington, First Lord Admiralty 4500
Sir E Knatchbull, Paym. of the Forces, 3500
Earl of Ripon, President Board of Control 2000
Earl of Devon, President Board of Trade, 3000
Lord Somerset, Chancellor Duchy of Lancaster
Duke of Wellington, Commander of the Forces
THE ABOVE FORM THE CABINET.

Earl of Delaware, Lord Chamberlain
Earl of Liverpool, Lord Steward of the Household
Earl of Jersey, Master of the Horse, (hold R. Hon. Sir F. Fremantle, Secretary at War.
Earl of Londonderry, Postmaster General
Earl of Lincoln, First Commis. Land Revenue
Sir Geo. Murray, Master Gen. of Ordnance.
Earl of Dalhousie, Vice-Pres Board of Trade
Sir William W. Follet, Attorney General
Sir Frederick Thesiger, Solicitor General.

Imperial Legislature.

THE HOUSE OF LORDS is composed as follows:—Dukes, 5; Marquises, 20; Earls 17; Viscounts, 21; Barons, 235; Peers of Scotland, elected 1841, 19; Peers of Ireland elected for life, 57; English Archbishops and Bishops, 26; Irish Archbishops and Bishops 4.—Total, 464.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS is composed as follows:—Representatives for England and Wales, 500; Scotland, 53; Ireland, 105. Total, 658.—The present Parliament was elected July 1841.—Speaker, Right Hon. Charles S Lefevre.

SEPTEMBER.

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OCTOBER.

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NOVEMBER.

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DECEMBER.

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Montreal Police.

Wm. Ermatinger, Inspector & Superintendent
Thomas Wily, Ch. J. of Police.
Hypolite Jerome, Deputy Inspector.
3 Chief Constables and 60 Sub-Constables.
Centre Station—front of the New Market.
West Station—St. Joseph Street.
East Station—St. Nicolas Totentine Street.
Office of the Chief, at the Centre Station.

COMMERCIAL.

Montreal Board of Trade.
COUNCIL.—Hon J Moffatt, Pres.; T Cringan, Vice-Pres; J W Dunscomb, Treas.; J T Brondgeest, James Henderson, H L Routh, J G Mackenzie, W Edmondstone, Harrison Stephens, T B Anderson, D Torrance—Frederick A Wilson, Secretary.

Customs.
QUEBEC.—Henry Jessop, Collector; Charles G Stewart, Landing Surveyor.
MONTREAL.—William Hall, Collector; R H Hamilton, Landing Surveyor.
INLAND CUSTOMS.—T W Dunscomb, Commissioner for Canada East.

Trinity Board.
MONTREAL.—Robert Armour, Master; J W Dunscomb, Deputy Master—James Holmes Registrar and Treasurer—W K Rayside, Harbour Master.

BANKS.
Bank of Montreal.—Hon P McGill, Pres.; Benj. Holmes, Cashier.—Days of Discount, Tuesdays and Fridays.
City Bank—J Frothingham, Pres.; Charles H Castle, Cashier.—Days of Discount, Mondays and Thursdays.
Banque du Peuple.—L M Viger, Pres.; B H Lemoine, Cashier.—Days of Discount, Tuesdays and Fridays.
Bank of British North America.—D Davidson, Manager.—Days of Discount, Wednesdays and Saturdays.
Agency Commercial Bank, M.D.—C S Ross, Cashier.
Agency Bank of Upper Canada.—J Wenham Manager.
Montreal Savings Bank.—S Gerard, Pres.; James Finlay, Secy, and Treas.—Attendance Mondays and Thursdays, from 11 to 2 o'clock.
Provident and Savings Bank.—William Lunn Pres.; John Eadie, Actuary.—Open daily from 10 to 3, and on Monday and Saturday evenings, from 6 to 8.

POPULATION TABLE—Census 1844.

POPULATION OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.					
West Ward	East Ward	St. Mary Ward	St. Lawrence Ward	Queen's Ward	Centre Ward
1113	1919	852	5738	681	844
1246	1671	1599	5762	681	844
572	882	7078	5762	4538	509
620	393	1965	2946	3072	467
257	147	739	783	1061	174
906	88	429	893	904	192
644	362	1940	3026	4197	426
71	24	132	117	328	30
9	94	37	92	333	701
1200	1256	928	8133	883	2920
414	410	1704	1729	3024	4706
296	149	921	1263	1436	253
463	105	480	1160	1769	472
70	42	486	554	413	30
257	255	1870	1850	1812	208

Population of British Empire.

England and Wales, 15,091,981
Scotland, 2,624,586
Ireland, 8,205,382
Guernsey, Jersey, and Man., 124,079
Total, (exclusive of army & navy), 26,046,028

COURTS OF JUSTICE.

COURT OF APPEALS.
TERMS.—From the 1st to 10th March, July and November