

IV. ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY	V. CONSTITUTIONAL AND ECONOMIC HISTORY	VI. CULTURAL LIFE
1573. <i>Collegium Germanicum</i> established at Rome. Jesuits begin counter-reformation in Fulda.		1573. Fr. Hotman: <i>Franco Gallia</i> ; political theory of Monarchism. Tasso: <i>Aminta</i> . Fischart: <i>Flöhhatz</i> .
1574. Roman Catholic activities in England. Crypto-Calvinism suppressed in Saxony.		1574. Du Plessis-Mornay (collaborator of Coligny): <i>Vindiciae contra Tyrannos</i> ; political theory of Huguenots; published in 1579.
1575. May 18: <i>Confessio Bohemica</i> of all non-Roman denominations in Bohemia.	1575. Second national bankruptcy in Spain. Child labour abolished in Hungarian mines.	1575. Leiden University founded. Wm. Stevenson (?): <i>Gammer Gurton's Needle</i> . Turberville: <i>Book of Falconrie</i> .
1576. May-June: Torgau articles drawn up by Lutheran theologians.	1576. Feb.-Mar: Poor Relief Act	1576. Warsaw University founded. Jean Bodin: <i>De la République</i> ; theory of absolutism, advocates religious toleration. Three theatres built in London. Victa introduces decimal fractions. Fischart: <i>Lucky Ship of Zurich</i> . Jan. 19: Hans Sachs, Meistersinger of Nuremberg, d. Aug. 27: Titian d.
1577. May 28: <i>Formula Concordiae</i> , final confession of Lutheranism. Greek College founded at Rome.	1577. Mar. 1: State monopoly of colonial trade abolished in Portugal.	1577. Raphael Holinshed: <i>Chronicles</i> .
1578. English College removed from Douai to Rheims. Protestant preachers expelled from Vienna.		1578. Wilna and Altdorf universities founded. Du Bartas: <i>La Semaine</i> , Christian epic. John Lyly: <i>Euphues, the Anatomy of Wit</i> .
1579. May 1: English College founded at Rome. Sezzini (Socinus) founds Socinian sect in Poland.	1579. Charter for Fellowship of Eastland Merchants for trading in Scandinavia and the Baltic. English privileges to Hansa merchants withdrawn.	1579. North's translation of Plutarch's Lives. Geo. Buchanan: <i>De jure regni apud Scotos</i> . Edmund Spenser: <i>Shepherd's Calendar</i> .
1580. June 23: <i>Book of Concord</i> , official collection of Lutheran confessional treatises.	1580. First commercial treaty between England and Turkey. Venetians import coffee into Italy.	1580. Lyly: <i>Euphues and his England</i> . Bodin: <i>Démonomanie</i> . Montaigne: <i>Essais</i> , vol. i-ii. Last Miracle play performed at Coventry. Jan Kochanowski: <i>Trzy (Dirges)</i> .
1581. Jan. 28: James VI signs second Scottish Confession of Faith. Dec. 1: Three Roman priests executed in England. <i>Harmonia Confessionum Fidei</i> , collection of Calvinistic confessional treatises. Claudius Aquaviva becomes General of Jesuits.	1581. Levant or Turkey Company formed. Wm. Strafford (?): <i>Compendious or Brief Examination of Certain Ordinary Complaints of Our Countrymen</i> ; standard work of English mercantilism. Franco-Turkish commercial treaty renewed, including French protectorate over Oriental Christians.	1581. Tasso: <i>Gerusalemme Liberata</i> . Sidney: <i>Defence of Poesy</i> ; and <i>Arcadia</i> . Cervantes: <i>Galatea</i> .
1581-1582. Gregory XIII tries in vain to reconcile Russian Church.		