a. A few terms used for the calendar...I will comment on them in the briefest fashion.

--appointed time

--feast

--fast

--assemblage

-- day of affliction, etc.

b. The Order of the Days: Annual worship gatherings

 Passover
 15-22 Nisan
 Lev. 23:5-8 (Num. 28:16-25)

 Pentecost
 6 Siwan
 Lev. 23:10-14 (Dt. 16)

 Tabernacles
 15-22 Tishri
 Lev. 23:33-44

 Trumpets
 1 Thishri
 Lev. 23:23-25

 Atonement
 10 Tishri
 Lev. 23:26-32 (Lev. 16)

c. The Order of the Days: periodic gatherings

 Sabbath
 Lev. 23:1-3

 New Moon
 Num. 10:10

 Sabbath Year
 Lev. 25:1-7

 Jubilee Year
 Lev. 25:8-18

The Jews would later add other holidays such as Purim and the feast of Lights (Hanukkah). And in that these were accepted in the Lord's day it is seen that the obligated occasions were not the only ones allowed. But one had to be careful not to encumber the calendar (Zech. 7-8) with days whose meaning could be doubtful or debated. The Sabbaths and the New Moons were almost necessary, incidentally, for keeping up with the time of the year.

- d. Discussion of the major occasions:
 - (1) Passover: Lev. 23:5-8)
 - (a) Meaning of the term
 - (b) Brief note on history
 - (c) Institution (Exodus 12)
 - (d) Details on significance (Numbers 9:10-12, Dt. 16)
 - (e) Procedure: Text
 - (f) Notable passovers:
 - --2 Chronicles 20:13
 - --2 Kings 23:21
 - --Ezra 6:19
 - --Matthew 26.