

rule ([128], p. 426)	(cf. often assimilated "p" and "v")
16.3. "Triumvirate" members in order of their influence: Claudius, Pallas, Narcissus ( <i>ibid.</i> )	16.3. "Triumvirate" members in order of their influence: Valentinian I, Valens, Gratian ( <i>ibid.</i> )
16.4. Claudius' and Pallas' "co-rule" lasted for no more than 13 years	16.4. Valentinian's and Valens' co-rule lasted for 11 years
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17a. Tiberius Claudius Nero (= Nero)	17b. Valens
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17.1. Nero, Claudius' adopted son, became emperor after Claudius had been poisoned ([128], p. 789)	17.1. Remained sole ruler after Valentinian's "sudden death" in 375 A.D. ([128], p. 793)
17.2. Ruled for 14 years in A.D. 54-68	17.2. Ruled for 14 years in 364-378 A.D.
17.3. Sharply distinguished from Second Empire rulers by series of murders, persecutions and confiscations ([128], p. 431). Treasury repeatedly filled with mass confiscations	17.3. Sharply distinguished from Third Empire rulers by series of murders, persecutions and confiscations [134]. Treasury repeatedly filled with mass confiscations
17.4. Displeasure in empire with Nero's policy. Plot in A.D. 65	17.4. Displeasure in empire with Valens' policy. Conspiracy and Procopius' uprising (see above)
17.5. Empire's upper classes at head of plot ([128], p. 437)	17.5. Empire's upper classes at head of conspiracy ([134], p. 442)
17.6. Disclosure of conspiracy and defeat of uprising ( <i>ibid.</i> )	17.6. Disclosure of conspiracy and defeat of uprising ( <i>ibid.</i> )
17.7. Great repressions and mass denunciations in return ( <i>ibid.</i> )	17.7. Great repressions and mass denunciations ( <i>ibid.</i> )
17.8. Ferocious persecution of Christians; death of vast multitude of Christians with atrocious tortures ( <i>ibid.</i> )	17.8. Ferocious persecution of Christians. Valens was Arian. In particular, persecution of Basil the Great under Valens = Herod ( <i>ibid.</i> ; see above)
17.9. "Anti-Christian repressions" especially strong in Rome ( <i>ibid.</i> )	17.9. "Anti-Christian repressions" especially strong in Rome ( <i>ibid.</i> )
17.10. Empire sharply deteriorated at end of Nero's rule ( <i>ibid.</i> )	17.10. Empire sharply deteriorated at end of Valens' rule ( <i>ibid.</i> )
17.11. Julius Vindex uprising, culmination of this turbulent time ([134], p. 306)	17.11. Goths' uprising on Danube in 376 A.D., culmination of this turbulent time ([134], p. 443)