

MISCELLANEOUS.

PERPETUAL CALENDAR.

GLENWOOD, Utah, Dec. 30, 1898.

I here enclose a little scheme for an improved and simplified perpetual calendar, which may prove interesting, if not useful, to your numerous readers.

If you wish the table continued forward and back you can do so by placing a dash after every fourth year, as you will see.

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January begins on

MONTHS.	1892.											
	Monday:	Tuesday:	Wednesday:	Thursday:	Friday:	Saturday:	Sunday:	Monday:	Tuesday:	Wednesday:	Thursday:	Friday:
1 Jan. Oct.	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903
2 May.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904
3 August.	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905
4 Feb. Mar. Nov.	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906
5 June.	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907
6 Sept. Dec.	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908
7 April. July.	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
LEAP YEAR.												
1 Jan. Apr. July.	1900	1904	1908	1912	1916	1920	1924	1928	1932	1936	1940	1944
2 October.	1901	1905	1909	1913	1917	1921	1925	1929	1933	1937	1941	1945
3 May.	1902	1906	1910	1914	1918	1922	1926	1930	1934	1938	1942	1946
4 Feb. Aug.	1903	1907	1911	1915	1919	1923	1927	1931	1935	1939	1943	1947
5 March. Nov.	1904	1908	1912	1916	1920	1924	1928	1932	1936	1940	1944	1948
6 June	1905	1909	1913	1917	1921	1925	1929	1933	1937	1941	1945	1949
7 Sept. Dec.	1906	1910	1914	1918	1922	1926	1930	1934	1938	1942	1946	1950

* The first leap year in every century is cancelled on account of the small fraction of a day over one-fourth, as 865,265,361.2; twenty-five hundredths or one-fourth makes one day in four years more, but there is still six one-thousandths of a day and more over.

EXPLANATION:

If the year had only 364 days or 52 weeks, January would come in on the same day every year; but there is one day more, which brings January to the following day every year, excepting leap year, when there is still one day more, when we must take the second day following. I have left one day blank after each leap year to correspond with it. On leap year, after February, the months must be moved down one line. May comes second in common years, but in leap year it comes in the third line, as will be seen under "leap year" in the columns of months, etc. If the months column

is out of, and January put on the same line as the year, slipping it down or up to correspond with the same, as: 1948, Thursday, January, 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. February, Monday, 1, 8, 15, 22, 29.

This calendar is abbreviated and greatly simplified from the old tables generally found in books. Suppose you wish to know on what day of the week Christmas will come in 1900. Look along the lines and find that January, 1900, begins on Monday; then refer to column of "months" and find December in the sixth line from January, which corresponds to Saturday, the sixth day of the week; then if you refer to a calendar of any year, you find Saturday 1, 8, 15, 22, Sunday 23, Monday 24, Tuesday 25—Christmas. Or, what is the day of the week of your birthday, September 29, 1832, which we find in the line of Friday; that is, January commences on Friday, being leap year, and September the seventh to the column of months for leap year, and the seventh day from Friday is Thursday. Then we say Thursday 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Thus 29 is on Thursday.

NEWS NOTES.

Bicycles have reached the Arizona Indians, and people of Phoenix recently noted a Pima riding his wheel along the Tempe road.

A scheme is said to be on foot to have the state capital of Washington moved from Olympia to a point about half way between Seattle and Tacoma.

A San Francisco electric car crashed into a wagon loaded with hay Saturday afternoon. John Hogan, the driver, was thrown from his seat, receiving injuries which resulted in his death.

La grippe is epidemic in San Bernardino, Cal., scores of cases being severe enough to take the victims to bed. The disease is different from la grippe before occurring there, as symptoms of pneumonia attend it.

Omaha Stockman, Jan. 4—Joseph Beer of Ogden, Utah, was at the yards, having brought in five cars of range cattle. M. K. Parsons, a well known patron of this market, had two cars of on the here from Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Marie A. R. bles, widow of S. R. bles of Mountain View, Santa Clara county, Cal., whose funeral took place December 29th, was 81 years old, and had never been outside of California. She was the mother of twenty-nine children.

An important trial of the rural free-mail delivery system is about to be made at Campbell, in Santa Clara county, Cal., by the postal department of the United States. The district will include about six square miles, thickly settled with small orchardists.

The Arizona Mineral Wealth says: The Indians have caught the breath of freedom for Cuba. Wallapai Charley was in our office today, and stated that he had sixty of his tribe drilling for the Cuban war. The Wallapais are expert machete throwers and trallers. A jack rabbit and a little

paroled corn is all they need in a campaign, and as for clothes a fiddle string would last them to the end of the war.

Geo. W. Combers of Oakland, Cal., in trying to jump on the 4:15 broad-gauge train Saturday afternoon, after it had started, fell under the train and had both legs crushed by the wheels. He died at the receiving hospital two hours later. He leaves a widow and three children.

There are 8,000 Indians in Arizona who occupy five reservations, aggregating 618,937 acres. The governor in his report, recommends this land should be allotted in severalty and the Indians be encouraged to cultivate the soil so as to enable them to become self-supporting.

Harry Hart, employed for the past five years as a day barkeeper at the New Western hotel, San Francisco, fell over the balustrade on the stairs near the fourth story to the landing on the second story, a distance of about thirty feet, Saturday, and received injuries from which death resulted.

Hugo von Gullenbergen, who claims to be a Russian army officer, was sentenced Thursday afternoon last to serve 180 days in the Los Angeles, Cal., city jail on a conviction of stealing a bicycle. Some time ago he was a trusted employe of the Terminal railway. This is not his first offense.

On January 8 an accident occurred at Oakland, Cal., Sunday, costing the life of George Combers. He found that he was seated in the wrong train and tried to retain the depot platform alone. He slipped and fell as he reached the bottom step of the platform and the wheels passed over his legs.

Oneida, Idaho, Herald: We will be thankful to the party who stole a sack of coal from the rear of W. C. Parkinson & Co.'s store on the night of New Year's Eve if he will return the same to the editor of this paper, and no questions will be asked. We would not care, but we have sickness at home and we need the coal.

Ranchmen throughout Chilocotin, Caribou and the vicinity of Ashcroft, B. C., unite in saying that the loss of cattle this season will be very large. Cold weather came on unexpectedly and found even those lucky ones who have feed sufficient under ordinary circumstances unprepared for it and their herds to the hills scattered and hard to get together.

The communion service of Sacred Heart church, at Oakland, Cal., was stolen on Sunday night. They stripped the tabernacle on the altar of all its vessels and carried the safe which contained most of the service to a convenient point near the church, where they blew it up. The work was done by experts, for they opened the tabernacle with skeleton keys without even marking the paint, and their operations on the safe were deftly performed. They disturbed no one and the crime was not discovered until next morning.

James Nichols, deputy sheriff of Leadville, during the troublous times in the history of that camp, and later sheriff of Cochise county, A. T., was found dead to bed at Prescott on Sunday morning. He had been engaged