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THE LIBERTY CALENDAR.

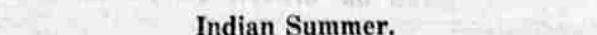
There's a new scheme on foot to make over the calendar. An association has been formed and it is now at work trying to persuade Congress and the public that its proposed reform is desirable. Remembering that the calendar has been made over already a number of times, on each with a view to simplifying it, we may consider the latest proposal with open minds.

The plan is to divide the year into 13 months, instead of the present 12. The extra month would be called Liberty and would follow February. Each of the 13 would have exactly 28 days, or four weeks each, and each would begin on Monday. New Years day would become an independent legal holiday and would not be included in any week or month, and in leap years another independent legal holiday is provided called "Correction day."

The advantage that strikes one at once is the arrangement by which the days of the month are made to coincide with the same days of the week the year around. Monday would always be the 1st, the 8th, the 15th, or the 22nd. No longer would we have to mumble "Thirty Days Hath November, April June and September," etc., or run over our knuckles to discover where we were in the month. All would have 28 days and that is all there would be to it.

As listed by the association the advantages are that:

Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason



Indian Summer.

Bless the Indian who invented balmy days which bear his name, days which make us all contented with the old's world's changing game. Just before the wintry weather we are handed this sweet boon, mild and mellow days together, like fond memories of June. All the distances are hazy, and the brooklets croon and sing, and we mortal jays are lazy, with the laziness of spring. And the Indian who invented this soul-soothing interlude, should be sought, where he is tented, in his native solitude; and when we at last have found him in the region of his birth, we should load him and surround him with some tributes to his worth. We should give him something useful something that Poor Lo Desires, plug tobacco, or a goose full of the stuffing he admires. For that savage is a hummer and a dandy and a jo; who invented Indian summer, when no nipping zephyrs blow; when the days are mild and sunny and no brooding, cloud appears, when the timid patient bunny, doesn't have to thaw its ears. Let the Indian be rewarded who worked out a scheme so wise; may it never be recorded that true merit draws no prize.

"The saving of time and mental effort would be immense. All holidays and anniversaries would always fall on the same day of the week. A promissory note given for any number of weeks, months and years would always come due on the same day of the week it was given. The plan also provides that Good Friday and Easter Sunday shall always be observed on certain fixed dates. This was contemplated when our present calendar was adopted."

Folks who are interested are urged by the association to ask their congressmen to support the measure.

Had Wooden Legs.
Artificial arms and legs were, it is believed, used in Egypt as early as 700 B. C. They were made by the priests, who were the physicians and surgeons of those days in the land of the Nile.

Mystery Solved.
Mrs. A: "You say you kept a cook for a whole month. How in the world did you manage it?" Mrs. B: "We were cruising on a houseboat and she couldn't swim."

Most Distant Cepheids.
The most distant cepheids now known are nearly 20,000 light years from the sun—almost as far away as the nearest of the globular clusters; (about 21,000 light years).

Fans in China.
Fans are carried by men and women of every rank in China. It is a compliment to invite a friend or distinguished guest to write some sentiment on the host's fan as a memento of any special occasion.

Maybe.
"I wonder why the Hottentot palinaw makes the groom pay for his wife?" "Dunno." "Perhaps on the ground that what you get for nothing you don't appreciate."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Little Wind in Siberia.
While the average temperature in Western Siberia is extremely low it is withstood by human beings comparatively easily because of the lack of wind.

GAIN IS NOTED IN STAMP SALE

100 PER CENT INCREASE IN DEMAND FOR WAR SAVINGS SECURITIES REPORTED AT POST-OFFICE.

A 100 per cent increase in the number of war savings stamps sold so far this month over the amount disposed of at this time in November, is reported by Acting Postmaster W. H. Hudson. In part this is due to the fact that the baby bonds are being bought for Christmas presents, and in part as the result of the pledge cards recently sent out.

Although there are doubtless many people in Bend and Deschutes county who have received cards, and who intend to buy war savings stamps to the limit of their resources, only \$1500 in pledges has come into the committee of the Elks lodge which is endeavoring to increase the sale of war savings securities. All hav-

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in
"The Way of The Strong"

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ing pledge cards are asked by the committee, so that a fairly accurate idea of what Deschutes county is doing can be obtained.

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GIFTS THAT WOMEN PREFER:

HAND BAGS—of velvet, leather, silk or Tinsel Brocades \$1.50 to \$15.75.

GLOVES—a much welcome gift on Christmas morning. You'll find a varied assortment of gloves for all occasions \$2.50 to \$4.50 Pair.

HANDKERCHIEFS—always welcomed by the recipient—plain initial embroidered corners—boxed or without from 5c to \$1.50.

HOSIERY—One has never too many hose—why not a box for Christmas? Phoenix Silk Hosiery \$1.50 to \$3.00 Pair—Holeproof Silk or Lisle Hosiery, 60c to \$2.25 Pair.

FELT COZY TOES SLIPPERS—\$1.60 to \$2.50 Pair.

OR IF YOU ARE BUYING FOR "HIM"

HERE IS A LIST OF GIFT SUGGESTIONS: SLIPPERS, NECKWEAR, HANDKERCHIEFS, HOUSE COATS, S M O K I N G JACKETS, S W E A T E R S, MACKINAWS HOLEPROOF OR INTERWOVEN SOX, ASH TRAYS, GARTER AND ARM BAND SETS MUFFLERS, GLOVES AND SILK SHIRTS.

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