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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. Hollingshead is visiting in Dutton.

—Miss Phemia Graham is visiting in Detroit.

—Miss Millie McGugan of Cairo is visiting in town.

—Rev. Mr. Lloyd was in town for a short time on Monday.

—John Clarke, miller, of Bothwell was in town on Tuesday.

—Miss Jean Sutherland is holidaying with relatives in Detroit.

—Mrs. Joseph Grant left on Tuesday to visit her parents in Winnipeg.

—Mrs. Earl and family of Toronto are visiting at Mrs. Mary McRae's.

—Mrs. W. J. Strachan is visiting relatives in Guelph and Port Elgin.

—Rev. C. C. Purton of Detroit spent a day or two in Glencoe during the week.

—Mrs. A. D. McLaughlin of Sarnia is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Houston.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Singleton of London were in Glencoe Sunday and Monday.

—Rev. C. H. P. Owen and family arrived home from Toronto on Friday evening.

—Mrs. Louisa Ross of London spent last week with her brother, F. W. Gubbins.

—Misses Gladys and Mary Manson of Ayr are the guests of Miss Jean McLachlan.

—Mrs. A. R. McVicar and boys of Brantford are visiting at W. R. S. McCracken's.

—Bess Covey and Elizabeth McArthur are holidaying at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

—Rev. R. Fulton Irwin was called this week to attend a funeral on a former charge.

—Miss Margaret Stinson is in London attending the wedding of Miss Irene Stinson.

—Misses Gladys and Florence Hurley are visiting their aunt, Mrs. D. G. McPherson, Rodney.

—Misses Hazel and Ethel McAlpine are visiting their cousin, Miss Anna Galbraith of Ekfrid.

—W. M. Drader of Los Angeles, California, spent last week in Glencoe the guest of J. E. Eastman.

—Miss Mary E. Crawford, graduate nurse, of Jackson, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. B. Clark.

—Richard and Russell Vernon of Windsor spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. R. W. Houston.

—Miss Thos. Watterworth of London is spending a couple of weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Hiram Lumley.

—Miss Edythe Fulton of Brownsville is spending the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldred.

—Mrs. R. Tanner and baby of Rock Creek, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Tanner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kerr.

—Miss Arlie Parrott motored to Inwood and spent a few days with Misses Florence and Mary Woodcock.

—Mrs. Suttler and daughter Ruby left on Tuesday to visit with friends at Grimsby, Toronto and Ingersoll.

—Miss Gladys McKenzie and Miss Carrie Pearson of Thamesville are the guests of Miss Evelyn McLachlan.

—Mrs. John Hodge and daughter Mary of Windsor arrived a couple of weeks at the home of Thomas Stinson.

—The Rev. S. D. Jamieson of Thornbury, Ont., formerly of Newbury, is spending a holiday with friends at Glencoe.

—Mrs. M. L. Farrell and daughter Nellie were in Chatham Wednesday attending the funeral of a cousin, Miss Sadie McKishnie.

—Herbert and Eric Rayner of Grimsby, who have been spending some time with their grandparents here, returned home on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Watterworth of London motored to Glencoe on Saturday and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lumley.

—John Hodge has returned home to Windsor after visiting his parents at Bothwell and spending a few days at Thomas Stinson's, Mosa.

—Mrs. Mac McGugan and children, Miriam and Malcolm, of Calgary were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clana-han at the tea hour last Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McIntyre left Sunday for London, where they will spend a day or two before motoring to their home in Strathclair, Manitoba.

—Mrs. H. S. Gunn left for her home in Winnipeg Wednesday, and was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John McCracken, who will spend some weeks there.

—J. F. Manders and family are moving to Stratford this week. Mr. Manders was employed as a miller at the Woodburn mills for some time up to their being burned.

—Miss I. Fish and Miss M. Whitlock, accompanied by J. Henderson and W. H. McCracken, motored from London on Sunday and spent the day at Peter McCracken's.

—Misses Miriam and Betty Weekes, children of Abel S. Weekes of Edmonton, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Fred Aldred, for two weeks, returned to Bothwell on Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Annett, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carroll of Watford and J. A. Rose of London motored to Glencoe on Sunday and spent the day with the former's mother, Mrs. Robert Gubbins.

—Mrs. R. Sutherland, who has been on a visit to relatives in Glencoe and vicinity for several weeks, left for her home at Nelson, B. C., on Tuesday, intending to spend a week at her son's in Toronto on route.

—Rev. James Bracken, pastor of Hugheon Street Baptist Church, Hamilton, was in Glencoe on Tuesday and called on the few remaining old friends and acquaintances of some forty years ago when he resided here.

—Rodney Mercury—Mrs. D. Hurley and daughter, Miss Lila Hurley of Glencoe, have returned home after visiting the former's son, Charles, and family, South Albion, and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. McPherson.

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LOCAL.

Duncan M. Stewart is foreman over a cement gang at London.

Archie McDougall, of Ekfrid, has been confined to bed with asthma.

Mr. Johnson has exchanged the McAlpine House on a farm near Iona.

Mrs. Laughton, a well-known resident of Bothwell, died on Tuesday.

A refreshing shower Sunday evening. Could have stood more of it.

Wise ones tell us that summer will linger longer with us this year than usual.

Another 100 lbs. Neilson's Chocolates on sale Saturday. Special 30c pound.

Scott's.

Major Grover has purchased a new Goodison separator and will commence threshing Friday.

Correspondents will please remember that complimentary addresses are only published as advertising.

The Agricultural Board met on Saturday evening. Preparations are under way for the fall fair.

Tom Walker, Woodgreen, trapped a fine specimen of owl in the act of carrying off a hen which it had headed.

Miss Clede Hicks is making satisfactory recovery after an operation at her home on Tuesday of last week for appendicitis.

Morley McMaster of the Royal Bank staff, Appin, has been moved to Springfield, where he has the position of teller-accountant.

Some alterations are to be made at the electric power house next week, and there will be no lights on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Rev. Wm. S. Galbraith of Thamesford preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday. Rev. Kenneth McLean will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows meets in Toronto on August 9th and 10th. A. J. Wright will attend as the representative from Glencoe Lodge.

Tail's Corners Red Cross Society will meet on Wednesday, August 15th, at the home of Mrs. David Allan. Those having socks and shirts ready will please bring them to this meeting.

Mrs. Willmott, widow of the late Rev. Mr. Willmott, formerly of Appin, died last week in Toronto and the remains were brought Glencoe on Thursday and interred in Oakland cemetery.

Many people have made the discovery that on a very hot day it is better just to stay at home, where you can wear what you like, eat what you like, say what you like and do what you like.

Mrs. Chas. Stinson has been officially notified that her nephew, Pte. Lou O'Connell of London, who went overseas with the 33rd Battalion, has landed in Quebec. Lou went over in June, 1915, and was wounded while in the Vimy Ridge battle. Lou is known in Glencoe.

Look over your business stationery and see what you need. August is a good month to replenish your stock. September and October are always busy months for the printer, and sometimes he has to keep customers waiting longer than they like. Get your work done in August and avoid delay.

Clarence Rankin, aged 28 years, youngest son of Hugh H. Rankin of Appin, dropped dead from heart disease while on a steamer near Detroit last Thursday. The remains were brought to the home of his parents, where the funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon, and interment was made in the Eddie cemetery.

The First Presbyterian Church Orchestra of London, consisting of fourteen players (George Lethbridge, leader), and several prominent soloists and a talented reader have been engaged for the union basket picnic of the Battle Hill Relief Society and the Sunday Schools of Glencoe to be held in Herbert Weekes' grove, Mosa, on Wednesday, August 22nd—Glencoe's civic holiday. See fuller announcement in next week's issue.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Estate of Samuel Tuffin, Late of the Township of Ekfrid in the County of Middlesex, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Ontario Statute in Chapter 121, Section 36, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Samuel Tuffin, who died on or about the fifth day of January, 1917, are required on or before the twenty-fifth day of August, A.D. 1917, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Elliott & Moss of the Village of Glencoe, Solicitors for Alexander D. Block, Administrator of the estate of the said deceased, their Christian and non-Christian names, the nature and amount of their claims, the statement of any security, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice has not been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 30th day of July, A.D. 1917.

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Solicitors for Alexander D. Block, Administrator of the Estate of the said Deceased.

New Russian Calendar

Has Been Made Uniform
With European Nations

THE calendar is one of those things which most people take for granted. It is regarded as a simple and necessary equipment of every well-regulated household or office, and few people, probably, pause to consider the wealth of history, stretching back to the remotest period, which lies behind it. In this respect, indeed, the calendar is a snare and a delusion, for, from the very first moment when one begins to make inquiry into its history, one is involved in many other studies. There are associated with it great political questions and great religious questions. There are mazes of the most abstruse mathematical calculations to be faced, whilst it involves, or may involve, a careful study of practically the whole field of astronomy. Then, if anyone imagines, when he first engages in this inquiry, that he has simply to trace through a single thread, which has one end in the beginnings of things and the other on his writing desk, he is doomed to disappointment. There are other calendars, still in use to-day, and many others, and the time is long past when, in the use of the calendar, one can have history, or the Julian calendar, to which Russia, by a special edict, has at last conformed, after holding out successfully against it for more than three hundred years, it is now by far the most important of those at present in use, and the coming in of Russia places it in the position of a world calendar.

Russia, in the change she has just made, has performed an act beside which the national writings off of an hour at the commencement of summer time is indeed a small matter. She has written off no less than thirteen days, and, in order to bring herself into line with the rest of the world, took a leap, from April 18 to May 1. Thus is a long controversy now practically settled. It had its beginnings more than three hundred years ago, and it came about in this way:—It is nearly four times the Romans were wont to divide their year into ten months, but, later on, in the days of the kings, they adopted the lunar year of 355 days, divided into twelve months, with an occasional intercalary month to preserve the adjustment. In process of time, however, the priests who had charge of the matter, either through carelessness or ignorance, allowed confusion to creep in, and by the time of Julius Caesar the matter was crying out vociferously for drastic adjustment. Julius Caesar, accordingly, grappled with the question in B.C. 6. The year was divided into 365 days, and every fourth year, one day was added, the length of the year being assumed to be 365 1/4 days. As a matter of fact, however, the year is less than 365 1/4 days, by eleven minutes and forty-eight seconds, and this fact was the source of all the trouble which followed, for some sixteen hundred years.

In those sixteen hundred years, the few minutes each year grew into days, and by 1582 a discrepancy between the official date and the actual date amounted to ten days. This shifting of days had caused great disturbances by unfixing the times of the celebration of Easter, and likewise of all other movable feasts, and so, in the year already mentioned, Pope Gregory XIII. decided that a reformation was necessary. After carefully investigating the matter, with the help of the astronomer Clavius, he ordained that ten days should be deducted from the year 1582, and that, in the month of October in that year, the calendar should jump from the 4th to the 15th, and that the same placement should not occur again. It was further ordained that every hundredth year should not be counted as leap year, excepting every fourth hundredth, beginning with 1600. In Spain, Portugal, and Italy, France and the Roman Catholic Low Countries, the change was made, although not in every case on the same date; but in the Protestant countries the movement was strenuously resisted, and the Lutheran of Germany, Sweden, and the Lutheran of the Low Countries did not agree to the change until the year 1700. England stood out for another half century, and it was not until 1752 that the Act was passed for equalizing the style in Great Britain and Ireland, with that used in other western countries of Europe. By that time the ten days of Gregory's time had grown to be eleven, and so, when the change was made, the 2nd of September, 1751, became the 14th, and an incensed populace paraded the streets of London, calling upon the authorities: "Give us back our eleven days!" Russia and Greece still held to the old style, the discrepancy, of course, accumulating all the time. Now Russia has made the leap, and Greece alone is left to represent the old order.

Not a Copper.

In the French city of Toulouse, it seems, there are no more copper coins. Instead, there are sou of pasteboard. The one sou piece is rectangular and of exactly the same size as the two-sou piece. Just how or why is not clear, but the disappearance of the copper coins from the whole region of Toulouse has been complete. Consequently, the necessity of replacing them by this paper, or rather cardboard, money. The paper two-sou notes bear this legend: "Good for one sou. For they are tranway tickets, nothing more, though they pass freely as currency. The one-sou note has printed in the middle of it a picture—a very bad picture, at that—of that rare, precious, marvellous, and no longer obtainable object, the copper sou.

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