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PUTTING IT ON THICK.

If there is one thing that means less than another in the lives of this celebrated human race it is a superlative. Few among us have achieved an obscurity in which we are not the youngest the oldest, prettiest, tallest or smallest something or other somewhere.
A few months ago Omaha picked her prettiest girl to represent her out of town yet today we are informed that another lass of astonishing beauty has materialized and been designated Miss Omaha for some reason not mentioned. Coincidentally we are apprised of the identities of the prettiest girl in Montreal, the fairest actress in Sweden, and the lady whose teeth are reputed to be the loveliest in all Paris, with no assurance, however, that next month will not produce another and superior person in each class.

It is an historic fact that man dies only once yet the oldest inhabitant of Tennessee has died several times recently. And it is a recognized truth that every captured still of imposing size becomes automatically the largest ever confiscated. The original Little Eva died again a week ago, and now and then we learn that the last of the captors of Jeff Davis has shuffled off once more. The last veteran of Scott's Mexican expedition periodically passes on and the sole survivor of the Custer massacre gives up the ghost.

The last survivor of the noble six Hundred which participated in the historic charge at Balacava has died twice within the past month. It goes to show that those accustomed to deal in superlatives place no great store in accuracy.

PROOF OF GREAT CHANGE.

A West Virginia farmer represented a horse he was selling to be all that a horse ought to be. The animal kicked the new owner to death. The sequel is the indictment of the farmer upon a charge of manslaughter. It is the first instance we know of wherein retribution has ever made a start to begin to hold the ancient following of horse-trading responsible for its customs. For innumerable centuries it has been agree among men that if they were beaten in a horse trade it was their punishment for being fools. The trader escaped justice until he, too was deceived and humiliated before his fellows. The West Virginia grand jury ignores tradition, rejects the argument of custom, and says in effect that there shall be no respect among persons and occupations as regards guilt. We can scarcely prove the contentions that the world is passing through vast, sweeping changes.

FOR HAPPY TOURISTS.

Back in the tangled jungle of Yucatan rest the ruins of Chichen-Itza, faded glories of the Maya civilization. Here are sculptured gods and intricate calendars and a hieroglyphic chronicle of happenings form the rise of a king to an epidemic of fevers. Great stones are piled so high upon one another that engineers scratch their heads in wonder as to how the work was done. Few people have seen this ancient city of the Mayas. But that is to be remedied. An automobile road is to be run in from the coast. Then the tourists but the shipload and the truckload, can come into the jungle twilight, giggle over the pronunciation of the guides and scratch their names on the mighty walls. Day by day the world is made pleasanter and pleasanter for the travelers with the itch for vandalism.

The post of Keeper of the Jewel House of the Tower of London is of great antiquity. One of the earliest keepers was John de Flete, who in the reign of Edward Third, received a daily wage of twenty-four cents. The remuneration was increased during the succeeding reigns so that Thomas Cromwell, Earl of Essex appointed Master of the Jewel House by Henry VIII, received \$250 per annum and perquisites of considerable value, while he ranked as the first Knight Bachelor in England. Although still amounting to \$6,500 per year the additional emoluments of the office were reduced substantially by Charles II and as a com-

pensation the then keeper was permitted to admit the public to the Jewel House for a fee, whence came the privilege ever since enjoyed of viewing the regalia.

The cycle of earthquakes on the Pacific coast over, avers a scientist. There is nothing particularly remarkable about this report excepting that it comes from San Francisco.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

We can't help wondering how Adam felt when he discovered that Eve didn't know a darned thing about cooking.

Memory of a good appetite may have something to do with the longing for the good old days.

Ultimatums and cream puffs soon get stale if not used.

With so many colds and related diseases abroad it might be a good idea to postpone kissing until Spring.

Prohibition enforcement is a nasty business but not as nasty as the old liquor business.

France is having a hard time selling Germany the idea of paying off her debts.

That Peoria man who spent three years making a clock was not as lucky as Henry Ford. Henry made a watch, and when he got through discovered he had an automobile.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL TO BE CONSIDERED MONDAY NIGHT

(Continued From Page Eight) would provide for little more than temporary requirements and that in the future the problem would again occur. A new High School Building would meet the requirements of the High School for years to come and the present building in York street could be devoted to grades lower than High School, present overcrowding being relieved and rooms also being available for the future.

Some Criticism
Mayor Reid made pointed remarks about expenditure on basement rooms at the Smythe Street School. He believed that two rooms could be provided there. At the Charlotte street annex also there were basement playrooms. He thought that money could be much better spent for rooms which could be used for classes.
Ald. Feeney expressed the opinion that machine-shops, and other vocational departments would do very well for New York but would be out of place for Fredericton.
Mr. Lemont said he agreed but that a new building could have rooms which might be devoted to such departments should they be necessary in the future.

Ald. Cooper wanted some idea what would be added to the annual assessment. It was about \$85,000 at present and it looked as if the Board would make it \$100,000. The taxpayer was very likely to have something to say about it.
Mayor Reid said there was such a thing as overdoing. On the other hand an influx of new families into Fredericton to take advantage of the schools must be considered as an asset.

To Act re Site
After the delegation withdrew it was decided that Mayor Reid communicate with R. B. Hanson, M. P., relative to the Park Barracks property. In regard to Queen's Square, Ald. Feeney said in the opinion of some the city held it merely in trust and could not dispose of it. The opinion also was advanced that the military property should revert to the city upon being diverted from military use, under the original arrangement with the Imperial authorities.

WEEK-END MARKET

Beef in Large Quantities But Butter Scarce and Going Upwards—
Ruling Prices

There were huge quantities of beef offered in the country market today. There was a good attendance and produce was offered in variety and abundance. Mutton and lamb were scarce and so was butter. Prices ruled as follows:—
Eggs, per dozen, 50 to 60 cents.
Butter, per lb., 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes, per bbl., \$1.25 to \$1.50.
Carrots, per bbl., \$2.
Parsnips, per bbl., \$3.
Beets, per bbl., \$1.50.
Chicken, per lb., 35 cents.
Fowl, per lb., 25 cents.
Veal, per lb., 10 to 15 cents.
Beef, per lb., 6 to 10 cents.
Pork, per lb., 8 to 16 cents.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church
Rev. J. S. Sutherland, D. D., Minister. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30 P. M.

Methodist Church
7.00 p.m. "What is Life?", the first in a series of addresses on the Coming of Spring. 11.00 a.m. Subject: "Lessons From an Ancient Robe." Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Prayer Service on Tuesday at 8.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting on Friday at 7.30 p. m. Corner King and Carleton Streets. Rev. F. H. Holmes, M.A., Pastor. Seats free. Everyone welcome.

Brunswick St. Baptist Church
Rev. Gordon C. Warren, B. D. Pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School with Classes for all ages at 2.30 p.m. Communion at close of the morning service.

Salvation Army Services
Public Meetings as follows: Sunday 11 a.m., 3 p.m., 7 p.m. Weeknight: Monday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

Reformed Baptist
Rev. P. J. Trafton, pastor. 10.30 a.m. Prayer Service. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. preaching by the pastor. Sunday school 12.15 p.m. All are welcome.

Marysville Reformed Baptist.
Rev. H. S. Dow, Pastor. Social Service at 10.30. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Preaching at 7 by Pastor. All are invited.

Had Snowshoe Tramp
A number of the pupils of the Smythe Street School enjoyed a pleasant snowshoe tramp last evening. The party was under the chaperonage of Prof. Pulling of the U. N. B. They tramped to the Forestry Camp where refreshments were served.

Winter Hard on Baby

The winter season is a hard one on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels, and break up colds. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Notice of Legislation

Notice is hereby given that a Petition will be made to the Legislative Assembly, praying that a bill may pass and become law providing that Section two (2) of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick, 1902, Chapter 87, shall not apply to the City of Fredericton.
(Sgd.) G. R. PERKINS,
City Clerk.

Moir's Chocolates
Moir's Pound Cake, Moir's Sultana Cake, Moir's Sponge Cake. (Fresh from the Factory)
CHICKEN BONES, CREAM PEPPERMINTS, CREAM WINTERGREENS, COCOANUT BONBONS — (Just Received).
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