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W. E. HALL.

Halifax, August 9.

After a session lasting about five months the Dominion Parliament was prorogued on Friday.

On Thursday last Ex-Judge A. L. Paltner died in St. John at the age of seventy-nine. Mr. Palmer was one of the ablest of New Brunswick's lawyers and has been in most important cases. He was born and educated at Sackville, and admitted an attorney in 1884. He practiced at Dorchester and St. John; made judge of equity in 1879, and resigned in 1893. He lived in Boston much since then and was injured there a few months ago by falling from a street car. He was brought to St. John a few weeks ago and shortly afterward was taken ill. He was prominent in politics some years ago and successfully contested Westmorland County for the Dominion seat. He was returned representative from St. John in 1872 and again two years later.

Mr. W. J. Fanning, steward of the steamer New York, at Clayton, N. Y., is anxious to find relatives who formerly resided in Montreal. His father, the late Jeffrey Fanning, of St. John, N. B., had two sisters who married Montreal men named Haskells. His father was killed in the rebellion in the United States, and for many years the family has had no communication with their aunts or family. They would now like to find them.

How Much Are Young Women Worth.

Young women cannot build the houses that would line eight streets from New York to San Francisco, but rightly educated they could convert each one of these houses into a home, and to found a home and conduct it properly is to help the world. It is so easy to measure what is done with physical strength. We can see what men are doing when they build railroads, construct immense bridges, and towering buildings, but it is more difficult to measure what is done through intellectual and spiritual forces which go to build up men and women. With this thought in your mind can you answer the question. How much are you worth? How much are you worth to yourself? How much are you worth in your home? How much money would your parents be willing to accept in place of yourself. How much are you worth to the community in which you live? How much are you worth to the State, the nation, the human race?

You can recognize your value in the home when you remember that you are the centre of all that goes on there, how much your interest is consulted in everything that is done by your father and mother. You can realize your value to the State when you realize how much money is spent for the education of young people how cultured men and women give the best of their lives to your instruction. You cannot measure your value to the the human race until you begin to think that the young people of today are creating the condition of the world in fifty or one hundred years to come, that you through your physical health, or lack of it are to become a source of strength or weakness in future years, if you are a mother. It is all right that young women should think of marriage and motherhood provided they think of it in the right way.

I want you to reverence yourself, to realize your own importance, to feel that you are a necessity to God's perfect plan. When you are young, and feel that we are of no account in the world, it is difficult to realize that God's complete plan cannot be carried out without us. The smallest, tiniest rivet or bolt may be of such great importance in the construction of an engine that its loss means the incapacity of that piece of machinery to do its work. As God has placed you in the world, he has placed you here to do a specific work for him and for humanity, and your failure to do that work means the failure of his complete and perfect plan. Now can you begin to see how much you are worth?—The New Crusade.

CANADIAN TEACHERS WANTED

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News Summary

A San Francisco special says advices from Vancouver state that there has been renewed fighting in Samoa.

The assembly of Victoria Australia on Thursday adopted a resolution pledging the colony to join the Pacific cable scheme.

William H. McMullen, reporter on the Toronto World staff, was drowned at Port Hope, Ont., on Friday, while bathing.

Hon. Edward Blake and several members of the Bisley team were on board the Allen liner California from Liverpool, which arrived at Montreal.

The British warship Sempareil, while returning from the manoeuvres, sank the British ship East Lothian Monday night off the Lizard. One man was drowned.

Andrew Carnegie has donated \$10,000 to found a library at Keighley Yorkshire. Mr. Carnegie says he has no intention to perform the duties of justice of the peace, or of the deputy lieutenantship.

The coroner's jury in Canada Atlantic wreck at Polycarp on Wednesday returned a verdict that the accident was caused by running the train too fast over an imperfect track.

The half-yearly report of the Grand Trunk Railway Company announces a surplus of \$135,400 has been added to the balance of \$4,200 carried forward from 1898.

The Transvaal Volksraad has revised the constitution of the South African Republic by adding two members. The proposed increase in the representation of the gold fields is also ratified.

Reports to Great Northern officials place the destruction by Thursday's hail storm in North Dakota and Minnesota at 300,000 acres. If the wheat should average not over twelve bushels this means a loss of 3,000,000 bushels.

It is said the Transvaal government has prepared warrants for the arrest of prominent reformers whenever the condition of affairs at Johannesburg provides an excuse. The presumption is that President Kruger means to secure the leading Uitlanders as hostages the moment trouble arises.

The yellow fever epidemic in Virginia is practically at an end. The quarantine established by Newport News against Hampton and vicinity has been raised. The record of the scourge to this date shows a total of forty-three cases, of which eleven resulted fatally.

Mrs. Helen A. Sands, aged 55, of New York, died very suddenly on the U. S. S. New York at Bar Harbor, Me., on Friday. She had just ascended the gangway, and was about to grasp the hand of Admiral Sampson, who was waiting to receive her, when she fell to the deck, and soon expired.

The report of the United States commissioner of pensions for the fiscal year ending June 30 shows total disbursements of \$138,253,923, leaving a balance of \$1,857,198 out of the \$140,000,000 appropriated. The total number of pensioners on the roll June 30 was 991,519, a decrease of 2,195. There were 40,991 names added and 43,186 dropped.

W. W. Ogilvie, the big miller, stated last evening that he had been over the province every year since 1876 and had never before seen anything to equal the prospects of the present time. If the weather is favorable for the next two weeks the yield will average twenty-five bushels to the acre, or fifty million bushels.

The Prize List of the Exhibition to be held in St. John, N. B., September 11th to 20th, 1899, has been issued. The sum of thirteen thousand dollars is offered in premiums, and competition is open to the world. The management announce new special attractions and improvements in all departments.

It is stated that Hon. H. R. Emmerson and Mr. W. Lodge who returned last week from Boston, completed arrangements with Boston capitalists for commencing boring for oil in various section of New Brunswick. It is expected that operations will be begun within three weeks and test holes will be made in Westmoreland, Albert and North Shore counties.

Early Sunday morning the inhabitants of Presque Isle, Me., were awakened by what was thought to be an earthquake, which proved to be an explosion of dynamite, stored in a small building half a mile from the village. Window frames were smashed, the glass being broken in a hundred or more houses and stores.

Terrific destruction was wrought by a hurricane off Australia. Four ships foundered at sea. The City of York, an iron ship of 1,170 tons, went ashore at Rotterest Island and is a total wreck. Eleven lives were lost. The wreck of the Carlisle was the most frightful that has occurred on the coast for years. Thirty-three people among the passengers are missing, and while many were drowned, many more were eaten by sharks.

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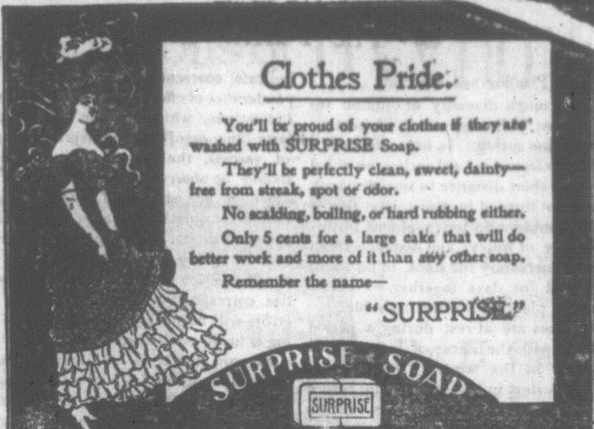
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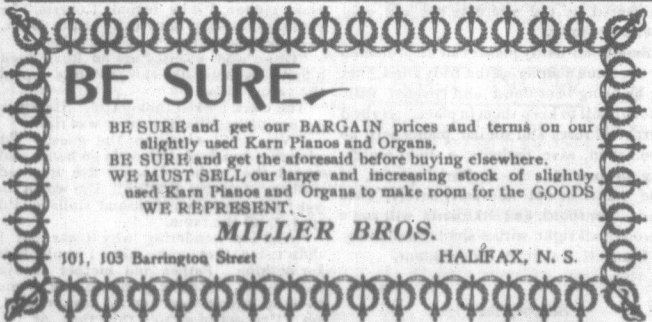
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