

HOT FUSILLADE IS AT THE CANNON

Fowler Accuses Speaker of Tyranny and Conspiracy Against Party.

MADE PLOTS WITH ALDRICH

Deposed Chairman of Currency Committee Issues Furious Call to Insurgents—Scheme to Beat Tariff Revision.

FOWLER'S HITS AT CANNON. "You literally hoisted the idea of a panic." "But the panic came, as every man who had any intelligence on the subject knew it would."

ELIZABETH N. J., Aug. 23.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon and Cannonism are openly and unsparringly denounced in an open letter from Charles N. Fowler, whom Mr. Cannon has deposed as chairman of the House Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Fowler begins by quoting as Mr. Cannon's reason for not appointing him chairman, namely, that it was doubtful whether he could get an agreement.

Mr. Fowler then quotes a letter he wrote the Speaker on May 3, 1909, soliciting the appointment, and in getting an agreement on currency bills and tells of having urged the insurgents to vote for Mr. Cannon for Speaker, but says he does not regard servile and traitorous obedience to a party mandate which is in direct contravention of the principles of the matter of principle, in any evidence whatever of party loyalty.

Rakes Up Cannon's Record. Mr. Fowler then opens fire on Mr. Cannon with all his artillery. He begins by showing the falsity of the charge that he could not get agreements on bills in committee. Then he proceeds to rake up Cannon's record on the money question from 1874 down. He shows that Mr. Cannon voted for the greenback bill, did not vote at all on resumption of specie payments and later voted to repeal the clause providing for cancelling greenbacks; voted for reauthorization of silver in 1877, against repeal of the silver purchase act in 1893 and endeavored to prevent the passage of the gold standard act in 1900.

Cannon's Sulphurous Outburst. Referring to the asset currency bill reported by the House committee on banking and currency in the fall of 1906, Mr. Fowler says:

I went to you, as was necessary, disinterested as the necessity may seem, under the circumstances, to ask whether I could call up the bill for consideration, telling you we were then facing a financial crisis and that something should be done to meet it and that this had been done for that specific purpose.

You literally hoisted the idea of a panic, and inquired, "What is it—does this howling in Wall street amount to?" The country don't care what happens to those speculators. Everything is all right out West and around Danville. The country don't need any "asset currency." I don't take any stock in your "asset currency." As usual, your ignorance and prejudice were all sufficient then.

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Mr. Fowler then proceeds to argue that if his bill providing for \$50,000,000 of credit currency had been passed in 1906, at least one-half, and possibly two-thirds, of the losses in the panic would have been prevented and he says this loss at the Speaker's door.

He goes on to tell how he reported the Fowler bill in the 1908-9 session and appealed for the privilege of bringing it up in the House, "only to receive your contemptuous refusal with the added information—"You will get the Aldrich bill or nothing." He says:

Bill Made by Two Bosses. Not a single hearing was held at the Senate and the House on the bill for the purpose of securing information through common sense and the light of the political world, and yet a bill was brought forth there or somewhere else, through the secret and illegitimate combination of the finance committee of the Senate and other influences, which was to be forced through both houses without any support whatever, except the political will of two political bosses.

He continues: This is your record upon our financial and currency legislation. I challenge you to find a single living man with so rotten a one. It is a record of ignorance or political craft or a disgraceful hybrid of the two. And yet, sir, you assume to dictate the financial and currency legislation of a civilized country.

Why Fowler "Insulted." Then he announced himself as a candidate for Speaker only to accentuate his platform, which was to take away the Speaker's political power and make him only a presiding officer. He goes on to say that he would call up bills in their own right and will not hereafter be compelled to crawl upon their bellies, like cringing toads, to crave the indulgence or a recognition of the Speaker, which being granted, calls for gratitude, and carries with it an obligation, an appreciation which must be shown, at least in the proper time, or the recipient is written down as an insulter.

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Ladies' Home Journal Quarterly Style Books—Fall Number 20c a Copy and a 15c Pattern Free—On Sale in Pattern Department

Olds, Wortman & King

Three-Piece Silver Tea Sets \$5.75

Rousing Good Specials in the Third-Floor House-furnishing Dept.

- Three-piece Silver Tea Sets, consisting of sugar, creamer and spoonholder. Reg. worth \$7.25. Special this week at \$5.75. Three-piece Sets, reg. worth \$9.25. Special, the set, \$7.25. Four-piece Sets, teapot, sugar, creamer and spoonholder. Reg. \$8.50 the set. Special at \$6.50. Four-piece Set, reg. \$12.25. Special, the set, \$9.50. Four-piece Sets, worth \$15.50, at \$12.25. Four-piece Sets, worth \$18.00, at \$14.75. Silver Cake Baskets, regularly worth \$4.00 each. Special at \$3.15. Cake Baskets, worth \$6.00, at \$4.75.



- Dessert Sugars and Creamers, sell reg. at \$2 pair. Specially priced at \$1.55. Dessert Sugars and Creamers, reg. \$3.75 value, at \$2.95. Bonbon Dishes, \$1.50 values at \$1.15. Bonbon Dishes, \$2.00 values, at \$1.75. Coffee Sets, 4 pieces, reg. priced at \$12.65. Special at \$9.98. Children's Mugs, reg. \$1.00 each, at 78c. Children's Mugs, reg. 50c each, at 39c. Silver Ferneries, \$1.90 value, at \$1.45. Silver Ferneries, \$2.75 value, at \$2.15.

\$2.75 Handbags At \$1.49 Each

Women who wish to carry up-to-date Handbags, in the best leather and most popular styles, had best take advantage of this group of special offerings. Come in seal, morocco, alligator, pig or patent leather, with silver, gilt or metal trimmings. Prices— LOT 1—Regular \$2.25 to \$2.75, special at \$1.49. LOT 2—Regular \$3.50 to \$5.00, special at \$2.49. LOT 3—Regular \$5.50 to \$7.50, special at \$3.89. LOT 4—Regular \$8.00 to \$12.50, special at \$5.98. LOT 5—Regular \$13.50 to \$18, special at \$8.39.

New Jersey Costumes \$28.50 to \$75.00

The reigning fad in the East where smart attire is most worn are these clever, form-fitting dresses. Made of a beautiful, iridescent, shimmering wool jersey, they show off good figures to perfect advantage; in this city where good figures are \$28.50 to \$75 so plentiful they're destined to be in greater favor. See window

Fall Suits in fullest assortment, a model to fit every figure, a price to please every purse, a style to suit every taste. All white or colored Linen Shirts on sale at Half Price. House Dresses worth up to \$15, special now at \$3.98. Lingerie Dresses worth up to \$18.50, special now \$4.97. Linen Suits worth up to \$40.00, special now at \$9.98.

A Grand Shoe Cleanup



Portland's Premier Shoe Bargain Event is presented in this splendid sale. Shoes of the most wanted sorts are offered at prices absurdly small, and there's a good choice as to sizes and styles. Women's Oxfords, small sizes in black kid and all sizes in the white or colored canvas. Regular values to \$5.00. Choice, \$1.00. Women's Low Shoes, in every style leather and shape, 7000 pairs. A cleanup of regular \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 grades. Nothing held back; they all go. \$2.39. Women's Low Shoes, of the very best grades, fancy colors in buck, suede and castor leathers. Values to \$7.00 for \$3.39. Grab Box—A lot of 100 pairs of low shoes, in odds and ends. Regular values up to \$4.00 the pair. Special for today 25c. Misses and Children's Low Shoes, all at One-fourth Less. All Boys' Shoes on sale today at Half Regular Price. Men's Low Shoes on sale at one scale of prices, as follows: The regular \$2.50 grades, special, the pair, for \$1.89. Regular \$3.00 grades for \$2.19. Regular \$3.50 grades for \$2.30. Regular \$4.00 grades for \$2.69. Regular \$5.00 grades for \$3.60. And the regular \$6.00 grades, special, the pair, for \$4.30.

Lace Curtains 75c Pair

This special price is on white lace curtains in Brussels or Renaissance effects. Many grades are featured, and all reductions correspond with the one noted in headline. Regular \$1 grades going at 75c. Regular \$1.25 values for 95c. Regular \$2.00 values for \$1.65. Regular \$2.50 values for \$2.10. Regular \$3.50 values for \$2.50. Regular \$7.50 values for \$5.50.



Stencil Matting Rugs, sizes 36x65 inches, worth 50c. 75c each. Special. Indian Robe Blankets, for auto robes, buggy robes, slumber robes, etc. Regular \$4.50 values. Special at \$3.65 each. Tapestry Couch Covers, in fancy Bagdad stripe effects, fringed all around, 60x108 inches. Regular \$3.50 values. Special at \$2.65. Tapestry Couch Covers, Oriental designs, 60x108 inches, with silk braid edge. Regular values \$5.00 each. Special at \$3.75. Hospital Pillows, made with extra tick, which buttons on and can be taken off to be washed, filled with live goose feathers. Worth \$7.50 pair. Special, pair, \$5.50.

BABY WEEK



Everything in Infants' Wear Reduced

Again comes a special stirring six days' sale of baby needs. A solid week devoted to featuring things that mothers want and that babies take comfort and look well in. The best assortment of baby things on the Pacific Coast is at the disposal of those who come to save at this sale. Prices always low now radically reduced, and the general reductions enlivened and made stronger by thrilling specials that attract irresistibly. BABY BIOGRAPHIES FREE.

Hand-made Slips and Skirts, long or short. Our entire stock will be placed on sale this week at a special reduction of ONE-THIRD. Domestic Slips, bishop or yoke styles, very well made and daintily finished. Regular 98c. \$1.25 values. Special, \$98c. Children's Mother Hubbard Dresses, made of fine lawns or nainsooks, ages 6 months to 3 years, at the following prices: Regular 75c values, special for this sale at 59c. Regular \$1.50 values, special for this sale 97c. Regular \$2.50 values, special this sale \$1.87. Regular \$2.75 values, special this sale \$1.98.

Diapers of birdseye cotton, in three sizes, very specially priced—the large size at \$1.48, the medium size at 99c, and the small size, per dozen, 77c. Stork Absorbent Diapers, half dozen in box. Large size, special, per box 90c; medium size, the box, only 82c; small size, the box, only 68c. Knit Cotton Bands for Infants, regularly worth 25c each. Sale price only 17c. Pique Buggy Robes, regular value to \$1.75. Sale price, choice, \$1.19. Pads for beds and baby cribs. Reg. 30c. Sale price, 23c.

Stork Waterproof Diapers, all sizes. Special, 45c. Infants' Summer Shirts, slipover styles. Regular 65c at 39c. Infants' Shoes, regularly 50c pair. Choice, pair, 39c. Pads for beds and baby cribs. Reg. 30c. Sale price, 23c.