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### AUSTRALIA PROTEST AGAINST CANAL BILL

Wants Retaliatory Legislation Throughout Empire—Final Action by U. S. Expected Today

London, Aug. 15.—Melbourne telegrams indicate that strong feelings have been aroused in Australia over the Panama canal bill. Premier Fisher, of the labor ministry of the commonwealth, has made representations to the imperial government, especially concerning the proposal to grant free tolls to American coasting vessels. Both Australia and New Zealand have declared for a similar preference in favor of the empire as against foreign ships in regard to the American principle, regarded as coastwise trade between all ports of the British empire.

### A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

A Little Sage and Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy for All Hair Troubles

Who does not know the value of Sage and Sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft and glossy and in good condition? As a matter of fact, Sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp specialists to be connected with loss of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than Sage and Sulphur, if properly prepared.

### ANNEX OPENED

The newly erected annex to the Home of the Good Shepherd in Waterloo street was blessed yesterday by His Lordship Bishop Casey. Representatives of the civic authorities and friends of the home in great numbers were present. The city was represented by Commissioners Wigmore and Agar, the mayor and Commissioner Schofield sending their regrets. Police Magistrate Ritchie and Chief of Police Clark, together with many prominent citizens, were also present.

### ROYAL APPRECIATION

Halifax, Aug. 15.—The Duke of Connaught was pleased with the proceedings at the dedication of the memorial tower yesterday and today sent the following message to his majesty:

"On the occasion of the dedication of the tower, commemorative of the first overseas legislative assembly, I send you in the name of the representatives of Canada, of its provinces, of Australia, Newfoundland and England their dutiful expressions of loyalty.

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### BAPTIST MISSIONS IN INDIA

Letters recently received from the Baptist missionaries in India by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, D. D., secretary of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board, say that conditions in that country are more hopeful than for some time. The rainy season is coming on and the crops are good and the social unrest, which was much in evidence recently, has practically wholly died out.

### A Queer Point of View

by RUTH CAMERON

A GROUP of young girls whose ages ranged from fifteen to eighteen were discussing the kind of a man they wanted to marry.

Four out of the five declared for a man much older than themselves. Three of them wanted him to be five or ten years older; one wanted a man of at least fifty.

The mother of one of the girls was present, and she very heartily applauded this point of view. "Better be an old man's darling than a young man's slave," she quoted tritely.

Now, I can understand the point of view of the young people, but I simply cannot see how the older woman could have encouraged them in it.

I know that to the young girl there is something splendidly romantic in a man much older than herself. I doubt if there was ever a girl of sixteen or eighteen who did not desperately admire any man with iron-gray hair and wavy romances of which the hero was a dignified man of forty-five or fifty with gray hair and an impressive manner. "The mature woman who will seriously encourage a girl to entertain such ideas I cannot understand."

Undoubtedly there are marriages in which the man is ten or fifteen years older which turn out happily, just as there are successful marriages in which the disparity is in the opposite direction. But to consider a disparity of either kind as an insuperable advantage seems to me very short-sighted.

I wish the woman who is always urging upon her girls the advantages of a much older man as a mate would stop and think and consider. Suppose her girl of twenty meets a man of thirty-two or three, and after a year of courtship, marries him. That means that for ten years before he had even met her he was a grown man; that while she was still a child he was living a decade of mature life. Consider, is that likely to produce ideal conditions?

Again, a decade of difference means a decade of difference in point of view. She is at the age of enthusiasm, he at the age of disillusionment; she is at the age that loves movement and excitement, he probably wants to settle down. And so, all along the line, their difference in age will probably mean a conflict in desires.

Again a man of thirty-five or forty is likely to be just a little "out of his habit" in his tastes and habits. A compromise which comes hard enough even when tastes and habits are pliant. But when they are fixed, well, I know of one couple of which the man was much the older, who inaugurated a life of discord by disagreeing the second night as to how much the bedroom window should be opened.

Perhaps I am a bit prejudiced, but I am sure I could not find a better mate in age as well as in other respects.

### LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

Another Saub for King Peter—French Women Released Office—Duke of Manchester Blackballed—Member of Illustrious Family, But a Criminal

King Peter, having paid state visits to St. Petersburg, to Paris, and to Rome, has been endeavoring for some time past to arrange for the release of French prisoners and even of his own children, upon each occasion it has been postponed for a few minutes by the Austrian government. Now, however, both the Austrian and the German envoys at Belgrade have officially intimated to the monarch that his presence at Vienna and Berlin is not desired, and that it would be impossible to accord to him any state welcome there.

The reason for this slight, which is catalogued to humiliate him so greatly in the eyes of his people that it may cost him his throne, is due to the fact that he reached the capital over the murdered coronator, King Alexander and Queen Draga, and that his continuance in the deed is shown by his retention of their actual possessions in high office at his court, and in his army, despite the protests of foreign powers, and even of his own children, who said that he cannot help himself, since were he to anger the republics it would mean the end of his monarchy.

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### MALE OFFICE-SEEKERS

appealed to that supreme court known as the Council of State, which is the most permanent, impartial, and respected of all tribunals, and is moreover the only one through which redress against the government can be obtained.

The Council of State has now rendered its decision, which is quite the reverse of that favorable to the women; for it points out that a law re-affirmed as recently as 1908, insists as an indispensable condition of office in the civil service, that the candidate must have fulfilled the requirements of the Compulsory Military Service law. As women, so far as at least, are not accepted as soldiers, this seems to dispose effectually of their claims, and a precedent for the French people the spectre of a premier or president in petticoats.

While the Duke of Connaught's black-balling last week at Cowes by the Royal Yacht Squadron created something of a sensation, and has been mentioned by the press, it should not have been mentioned by the press, and even if it had been, it is inconceivable, indeed, that his name should have been mentioned by the premier yachting organization of the world, and that even if presented, it should not have been mentioned by the proposer and seconder before the balloting took place. For his antecedents have not been officially intimated to the Secretary of the Royal Yacht Squadron, and even King Edward, who should have known the Duke's antecedents, the late Comptrolleur Yzagola, was anxious to do all he could for him and assist him in his candidature for the post of Captain of the Guard, felt himself obliged to require his resignation, and to sever his connection with the Royal Household a few months later.

### Daily Hints For the Cook

**BAKING POWDER BISCUITS.**  
Two cups of flour, 2 teaspoons of baking powder, 1/2 cup of lard, 1/2 teaspoon of salt. Sift flour and baking powder together, then rub in the lard with tips of the fingers, or cut in with a knife. Add water or milk to make a soft dough, turn on a well-floured board, roll very lightly with a rolling pin. Bake 15 minutes.

**BLUEBERRY BREAD PUDDING.**  
Cook berries (1/2 cup of water to pint of berries), strain and sweeten to taste. Cut stale bread in small squares and put a layer in bowl, moisten well with hot berry juice, then more bread and juice till all is used. Cover dish and set away to cool. Serve with plain or whipped cream or custard sauce. Do not flavor the sauce, as it detracts from the flavor of the pudding.

**LEMON RICE PUDDING.**  
One cup of rice boiled soft in water. Add 1/2 cup of cold milk and a piece of butter the size of an egg, yolks of 4 eggs and grated rind of a lemon. Mix and bake in a hot oven for 15 minutes. Bake and cooled, beat the whites of 4 eggs, stir in nearly a pint of sugar and the juice of a lemon, pour this over and brown.

### Rumor of Prince's Visit

London, Aug. 15.—The story revived here today that the Prince of Wales and his brother, Prince Albert, will visit the Duke and Duchess of Connaught in Canada next summer. They would be in charge of their tutor, Mr. Hansell, who recently accompanied the Prince of Wales to his sojourn in Paris, where he went to perfect his knowledge of the French language. The expected visit to Canada will last about a month.

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### VICE-REGAL PROCESSION

The route to be taken by the Duke of Connaught and party next Monday morning when they are to be shown the points of interest about the city was decided by the committee at the meeting of the city commissioners.

The vice-regal party is to land at Reed's Point about 10 o'clock and will immediately enter the carriage. They will then be driven along Prince William street to Queen, along Queen to Charlotte, through the north side of Queen Square to Sydney street and along Sydney to the court houses.

After the ceremony in the county court chamber the party will proceed down Sydney street to Waterloo and down Waterloo to City Road and thence to Wall street, along Wall to Rockland Road and along Rockland Road to Main street, along Main to Douglas avenue. The party will cross the Suspension bridge and drive by the main road to Martello Tower and down St. John street to Ludlow and to Rodney street, across the ferry, Landing at the east side of the city they will drive along Water to the Market Square and up King Street to the Union Club for luncheon.

### SHIPPING

**ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG. 16.**  
A.M.  
High Tide, 1:49 Low Tide, 7:33  
Sun Rises, 5:24 Sun Sets, 7:33  
The time used is Atlantic standard.

**PORT OF ST. JOHN**  
Arrived Yesterday:  
Stm Valenta, 1937, Muir, Glasgow, Robt Ford Co.  
Stm Governor Cobb, 1556, Allan, Boston via Maine ports, W G Lee.  
Coastwise—Stm LaTour, 98, McKinnon, Westport.

Cleared Yesterday:  
Stm DeMorey Gray, 323, Rector, Bridgeport (Conn.), C M Kerrison.  
Stm Rovers, 122, McLellan, New Haven, D J Parry.  
Coastwise—Stm Harbinger, 46, Rockwell, Riverside, Schrs Forest, Maid, 42, Hat, Beaver Harbor.

Sailed Yesterday:  
Stm Shenandoah, 2492, Trimick, London via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co.  
Stm Jennie A Stubbs, Wade, New Bedford (Mass).  
Stm DeMorey Gray, Rector, Bridgeport (Conn.).  
Stm E. Merriam, Ward, Greenwich (Conn.).  
Stm Nellie Eaton, Barton, New Bedford.

### FOUR YEARS IN ARCTIC

Dawson, Yukon Territory, Aug. 15.—Two men who arrived from the mouth of the Mackenzie River by trail yesterday, reported that Vilhjalmur Stefansson and Dr. E. M. Anderson, of Iowa, who have been in Arctic region more than four years for the American Museum of Natural History, making ethnological studies, have embarked on a whaling vessel for Seattle, by way of Point Barrow. It is presumed that the explorers will land at Nome or some other Alaskan port and take a steamer for the remainder of the voyage. The explorers left New York city in April, 1908, for Hudson Bay and nothing was heard from them since Sept. 1, 1911, when a letter was received in New York saying they would return in 1912 with complete surveys of Langton Bay, Horton River and several other uncharted regions on the south coast of Victoria land. Stefansson found a race of blonde Eskimos.

### MEET NEXT YEAR AT CHATHAM

Yarmouth, N. S., Aug. 15.—The Grand Lodge of Oddfellows elected its officers today as follows:  
Grand master, Duqald Stewart, Bridgewater; deputy grand master, Charles E. Granklands, New Glasgow; grand warden, H. E. Codner, St. John; grand secretary, J. K. McKinnon; grand treasurer, H. H. Batoon; grand representatives, W. S. Hooper, Fredericton, and W. E. Broken-shire, Halifax; grand chaplain, Rev. A. H. Dunson, Antigonish.

It was decided that the next place of meeting would be Chatham (N. B.). This evening at the curling rink Diamond Lodge and Opal Rebekah Lodge tendered a reception to the visiting brethren and their friends.

Practically all the visiting Oddfellows will return home in the morning.

At the meeting this morning the officers' reports were adopted. The treasurer's report shows that the cash on hand July 24 was \$8,696.05, as compared with \$5,322.90 on the same date last year. The receipts from all sources during the year were \$5,287.98 and the expenses were \$1,124.92.

The village of Berich, Germany, having been found an insuperable obstacle during the construction of the Eider River dam, it was moved 30 miles up the river. The houses of the villagers were pulled down and new dwellings were erected at the new location, but sentiment compelled the engineers to carefully take down the village church, which had withstood the elements for 300 years, and to reconstruct it at New Berich.

## August Bargains At FRANK SKINNER'S

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