

New York Letter

by
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NEW YORK, May 3.—The sensation erupted by the entrance into the movies of Mrs. Lydig Hoyt, leader of society, just announced a few days ago hasn't yet died down. For one thing, she is handsome enough to have a right to the sensation. But the most welcome note in the whole matter to some of us, who have grown a wee bit irked by so much talk by various people on the "willingness to throw everything over for my art," and the "realization that one must sacrifice in order to develop," and so on, whenever they decided to go and get a job somewhere, was Mrs. Hoyt's frank reason for taking to the screen instead of the speaking stage. "It's the hours," she said. "Motion picture work I can do daytimes and I should have had to work evenings if I had done the other thing." It's exactly the reason that I myself took art instead of physics junior year at college; art came at 10:30 in the morning and physics at 8. I can understand people when they talk like that—even debutante actresses.

The New York Telephone company has just turned the dagger in our many telephonic wounds by raising the local rates, charging us a penny more every time we call anyone here in town and then easing the surface of matters by taking a penny off every time we call someone in New Jersey. According to New York logic anyone who talks to New Jersey ought to be made to pay all the traffic will bear. And certainly it is no recompense for our tragedy here at home.

New York is to be the headquarters of a national campaign, under the direction of the American Cotton Growers' association, not only to bring about a renaissance of the cotton stocking, but to popularize generally cotton and cotton fabrics. "Buy cotton" will be the principal theme of the campaign, and, of course, there will be a slogan: "Ask if the article you buy is made of pure cotton—all cotton, and a yard wide." Like the smart men that they are, they plan to use daily newspaper advertising in their campaign.

New York City, however, just now is hardly even in a mood to scoff at her sister west of the Hudson. She is completely covered with blushes. For where is the home of John Hutchinson, the man who just lost \$1,000 in Paris to the oldest confidence game in the world? He met a social trio there who told him about the \$40,000 they were carrying in a suitcase because you couldn't trust the banks there. So he gave them his \$1,000 to protect along with their own! And where, I ask, is John Hutchinson from? Why, from New York City!

Among the innovations in the new Ambassador hotel, at Park avenue and Fifty-first street, is an electric alarm clock, which has been installed in each bedroom, thus making it unnecessary for guests to leave calls with the clerks. Not only that but it doesn't bur-r-r shrilly in one's ear. Musical chimes do the alarming, sounding at intervals for five minutes. The system is regulated from the Arlington observatory, Washington.

Montclair, N. J., has had heated discussions and—yes, tears—over the question of whether it is better to kill the cats and save the birds or spare the cats and kill the rats. A majority favored the birds, so the public safety commissioner has ordered several gross of cat traps which will be baited with catnip.

The annual "Seamen's auction" is always one of the most interesting of

the legalized gambling events in the city. The baggage and effects of seamen who died or deserted their craft during the year are sold at these times "sight unseen." At the one held the other day, John Donovan, a seafaring man himself, bought a trunk for \$18.50 which proved to hold just one Chinese slipper; not another thing; while another man unwrapped a parcel for which he paid \$1.50, and found a glass eye.

Art and music have a hard time in these commercial days. Charles Chapelle was haled into court when he was found wandering about the third floor of the Hotel York the other day shortly after two burglaries had taken place there. He was seen to try several doors of rooms on the seventh floor and the bell boys got suspicious. "What is your occupation?" a detective asked Chapelle. "Bricklayer," he replied. "Well, then," persisted the detective, "why were you prowling around the hotel?" "I was looking for a place to write songs," the wanderer explained. But they wouldn't consider the explanation sufficient.

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CABINET MUST

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stration of government departments, and I am very sure we can never fix ourselves firmly on a basis of economy until the departments are conducted within the provisions made by congress.

"I wish you would call this matter to the attention of the various bureau chiefs, so that a like situation will not be reported in the future."

Brown's Dufur Stage Time Table
Two round trips daily. Leave Bank hotel, 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Leave Dufur 1:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.



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Impersonates many of the world's great men and gives to the role of an eccentric inventor a peppery interpretation that will make him a million new friends—critics say it's the best!



CASINO
TOMORROW AND THURSDAY

SCANDAL-SMIRCHED BANKER ALLOWED TO RESIGN

By United Press
NEW YORK, May 3.—The resignation of James A. Stillman as president of the National City Bank has been accepted, it was announced today. Charles E. Mitchell, president of the National City company, was elected to succeed him.

Stillman's resignation was first offered several weeks ago, but was refused at that time.

Hearings in the divorce suit in which he and his wife are suing each other, are to be resumed tomorrow.

SALVATION ARMY

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dependent men, Americanization work among foreigners and state prison and emergency relief.

The following telegram, from Governor Olcott, has been received by Mrs. Crandall:

Mrs. Lulu Crandall,
The Dalles, Oregon.
In passing through what appears to be one of the most critical periods of readjustment, there has fallen to the lot of the Salvation Army perhaps the greatest responsibility in

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the history of that organization. It has never ceased to serve where service was needed. It is an active efficient organization working continually for suffering humanity. The Salvation Army commands our respect and deserves our financial support. I therefore desire to make the

most earnest appeal to the people of our state to exert themselves to the utmost on behalf of the home service fund appeal for this year.

BEN W. OLCOTT,
Governor.

All checks should be made payable to the Salvation Army. Sub-

scriptions may be sent to Captain Clara Nelsen, 209 Washington street, The Dalles.

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Statement of Condition of WASCO COUNTY BANK THE DALLES, OREGON

As rendered to State Banking Department at the close of Business April 28th, 1921

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$312,822.45	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Overdrafts	1.32	Guarantee Fund	2,285.97
United States, State and Municipal		Redeemables and due to banks	20,500.00
Bonds	30,688.47	Deposits	306,391.04
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00		
Furniture and Fixtures, Vault and Equipment	28,645.30		
Expenses	1,057.19		
Cash on hand and due from banks	52,133.28		
Other Resources	829.00		
	\$429,177.01		\$429,177.01

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H. W. Scherrer, Asst. Cash.

DIRECTORS

Geo. C. Blakeley
J. Parke Bolton
Dr. H. C. Dodds
R. L. Stevens
T. H. West



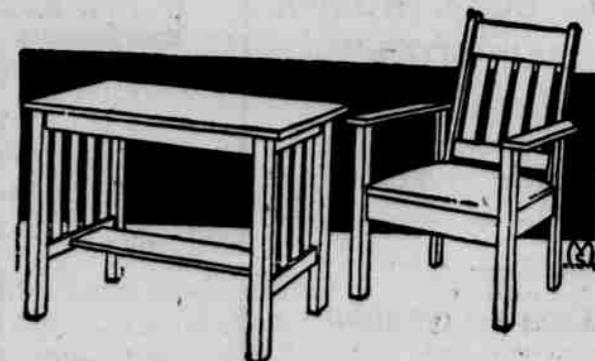
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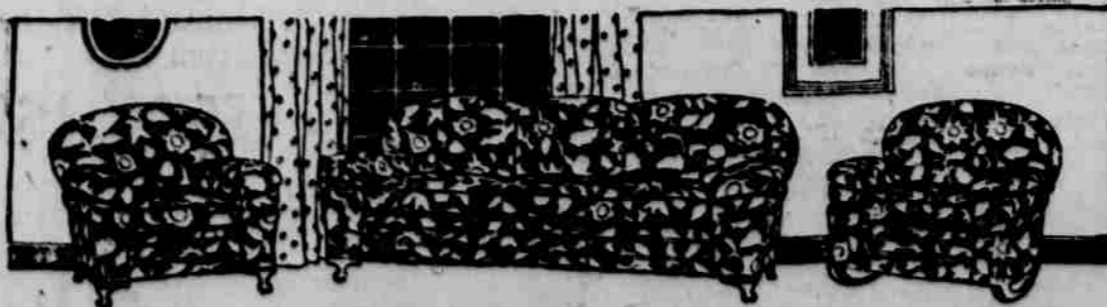


Use Your Credit

Credit, More Than Any Other Factor, Has Been Responsible for Making America a Nation of Better Homes

—A recent investigation made in all sections of the country among all classes of people, reveals the fact that over 90 percent of furniture, automobiles, pianos, talking machines, clothing and other commodities are being purchased on credit. In furniture particularly, do you find more and more people each year taking advantage of the opportunities presented by stores selling furniture on the deferred payment plan.

—Heretofore, only furniture of the cheaper grade was sold on a charge account basis, but today practically every type of furniture, even the most beautiful period suites, are to be found in the stores doing a charge account business. Thus, the credit system has been largely responsible in making America's homes more attractive, and we are very proud of being numbered among those stores that are helping beautify America's homes with the greatest convenience to the home owner.



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