

New York Letter

by
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NEW YORK, May 6. — Have you seen what appears to be a corner of a boudoir walking down the street? Well you soon will. They are already appearing on tennis courts herabouts. Girls in chintzes and cretonnes, with large splashy patterns all over them, exactly like the velvet parlor chairs in their summer wrappings, they are. Bright carmine drapery linens with blue stripes and yellow dots, scenic chintzes of huge patterns and vivid hues in futuristic designs showing languorous figures in eccentric poses are among the favorites not only for sport skirts but for entire costumes, hats and bags. "I never thought of going into the dressmaking business," said an interior decorator, "but women seem to be buying more large-figured drapery fabrics for clothes than for houses this season. There are some designs I will not let them have, though, for such purpose. He showed a chintz enormously patterned with red and yellow farm scenes. "That, for instance," he added, "one of them was determined to dress herself in that but I said positively that she should not."

Another New York society woman sets up shop. Mrs. Gouverneur Morris, this time, wife of the author, will open a beauty parlor de luxe. She insists that she is largely altruistic in doing it—that it is one duty in life to add as much beauty as possible to the world, and that she hopes to enable debutantes to keep their girlish color, lines, and lack of lines for added number of years. It will be a very smart place, indeed, with tea served while one waits and all that sort of thing. To overcome the cruel effects of golf and gardening upon the hands, there is a recipe straight from—sh! the harem. Regardless of how one may pity the harem ladies, one is allowed to envy their white hands, and so an American woman who had tea one time with them brought home the recipe they used.

Phyllis Ruth Tocque sailed on the Saxonia the other day for England upon a full-sized passport and all alone—proudly alone, in fact. The pride and the noteworthiness are due to the fact that Phyllis is just four and one-quarter years old. There is no one on the steamer whom she has ever seen before. Her father came up from Louisville to put her safely on board and her grandparents will meet her after the broad Atlantic has been sailed across. But enroute, she is captain of herself. Everybody on board from midshipmate to captain, including all the passengers were claiming the privilege of looking after her as the boat sailed, but Phyllis explained firmly to them all, "I am traveling alone."

Henry Anton Madler declares that he is not dead, whatever his undertaker may insist, and moreover that he has a very particular grievance. The undertaker, so he says, has used his (Anton's) money with which to give a handsome burial, including cremation to another man! Eighteen months ago, Madler says, before entering the Laurel Hill almshouse, he gave his last dollars to the undertaker with directions for their spending. The other day, he wandered into a gathering place of his old Hoboken cronies and they jumped upon him with the statement that he was dead—

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

SEWING—and buttons covered. Mrs. A. J. Moline, 607 Union street. 35

LOST—Fibre portfolio case on Wasco road Tuesday night. Return to The Maytag company, Portland, Ore. Reward. 9

FOR RENT—Pasture, lots of fine pasture for horses and cattle at \$2.00 per head. J. W. Perdue, on old Sam John's place, Mill creek. 12

LOST—If the party who appropriated my hat at the K. of P. hall Friday, May 6, will kindly return same, he can get back his own. R. E. Williams, postoffice. 7

WANTED—Woman or girl to help in cook house or can use man and wife. P. E. Blackman, 407 Union street. Telephone red 3701. 6

WANTED—To talk over business proposition with a first class auto mechanic, especially good on Ford cars. Whitney Auto & Electric works, 709 East Second street. 7

dead and his ashes reposing in a vase in the crematory. He denied it, but they insisted so firmly that he went to see the undertaker about it. Yes, said the undertaker, it was all true, including the fact that his money had been used for the ceremony. The almshouse attempted to straighten matters out by explaining to the undertaker that it was a different name altogether they gave him as the deceased man, but the undertaker says he understood it to be Madler and he used Madler's money for it and he doesn't see what can be done about it. Moreover, Mr. Madler, he thinks, should be glad to be alive under the circumstances and not be fussy about a little burial money.

Spring house-cleaning time is upon us except with those prompt and early souls who have it all done and winter things well-packed away. Anyhow, let them and the rest of the housewives of the country think of the New York Hippodrome and be grateful. Anna Ritterrodt, housekeeper for the big playhouse, is just now putting away in moth balls for the summer the wardrobe of "Good Times," and here is what it means: 4,000 dresses, 2,500 hats, 3,000 pairs of tights, and 2,000 pairs of shoes and slippers. She has thirty assistant house-keepers to help her, but even so it's a fair-sized moth-ball job. The elephants only are mothproof.

Boys and girls of this part of the Atlantic coast are going to be expert sailors by the time they are of boat-racing age. The number of sailboats being built this year for school girls and boys is amazing when one considers the tremendous increase over a few years ago. Two hundred and ten of them have been built in shops right around New York, ranging in size from the fourteen and one-half foot boats familiar in Oyster Bay, to 16-foot cats for use off Marblehead.

Carpentering and building. C. H. Merryman, telephone red 5741. M30

Brown's Dufur Stage Time Table
Two round trips daily. Leave Bank hotel, 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Leave Dufur 7:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

The Economy Shop
Ladies' and children's hats at very reasonable prices. Organdie collar and cuff sets and embroidery yarns. A few ready-to-wear infants' dresses. Ladies' silk and voile dresses, also house dresses, aprons and underwear. Children's dresses, boys' blouses and infants' wear made to order. Mrs. Weaver, 302 Union street, opposite postoffice. Telephone black 3171. 20

BACHELOR IS FATHER

By United Press
NEW YORK, May 6.—Rev. Percy Stickney Grant, bachelor pastor of the Church of the Ascension, is acting as a temporary father to a baby girl which was left on the doorstep of the parsonage.

Typing and Stenography done at reasonable rates. Kosina A. Fleck. Office Hotel Dalles. Residence phone red 2332.

MEETING NOTICES

Cedar Circle No. 8.
Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet in K. of P. hall tonight at 8 p. m. 6

Artisans Attention
Special meeting at office of the Columbia Realty & Loan company, 308 Washington street, Saturday, May 7, at 7:30 p. m. 7

The Good Intent Society
will hold an apron and pastry sale Saturday, May 7, at Corson's music store. Sale to open at 10 a. m. 6

Regular meeting Columbia hose and chemical engine company, No. 2, Friday evening, May 6, 1921, at 8 p. m. E. J. HANLON, Secretary. 6

County Sunday School
executive committee meeting will be held at the Baptist church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. GEORGE SPICKERMAN, Secretary. 7

Seventh Day Adventist
Services at the Seventh Day Adventist church, 500 East Fourteenth

street are held regularly as follows: Sabbath school at 9:45, preaching at 11 a. m. and Young People's meeting at 3 p. m. Saturday. Preaching Sunday night at 7:30. Prayer and missionary meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. The public is invited to attend these meetings. Elder P. W. Province, pastor. Personal address, 420 East Fourteenth street.

THE DALLES APPLICATION FOR WATER, MERE DREAM

Although it was announced here last week that the city of The Dalles had made formal application for 4,000,000 gallons of water daily from the east fork of Hood river to be used in supplying domestic demand for the neighboring town, the news created no flurry among local irrigationists, who characterize The Dalles' plans as a mere dream that can never be realized.

The point is already reached, it is said, where the waters of the east fork are far from meeting the needs of farmers of the east side and Mount Hood fruit sections, and the demands of the Oregon Lumber company, which operates its Dee mill with electrical power generated by the stream. Local folk do not believe that the plea of The Dalles for the water will go far beyond the mere application to the water board.

"If The Dalles can show a superior right to the stream," said George R. Wilbur, secretary of the East Fork Irrigation district, "she can take the waters of the stream. But this The Dalles cannot do. At the present time there is scarcely enough water left in the stream to keep a fish alive. The Dalles cannot set up any claims superior to those of irrigationists whose filings date back over a quarter of a century and who are now using or

making preparations to use the full flow of their claims. The state engineer may receive the application, subject to prior rights, and that is about as far as the matter will go. The Dalles cannot set up a superior claim

for she is in an entirely different water shed where she can find enough water to meet her requirements." The Oregon Lumber company has filed an objection to The Dalles' action.—Hood River Glacier.



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TODAY		SATURDAY	
Prologue "Pagliacci".....	Leoncavallo	Toreador Song "Carmen".....	Bizet
O Sole Mio.....	Mr. Eduardo Lejarazu	Habanera "Carmen".....	Bizet
Aria "Rigoletto".....	Beatriz Pizzorni	Strida La Vampa "Il Trovatore".....	Verdi
Flower Song "Faust".....	Ricardo Clarke	Quest O'Quella "Rigoletto".....	Verdi
Ensemble "Lucia di Lammermoor".....	Speria Castel	Ensemble Quartette "Rigoletto".....	Verdi
	Donizetti		

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE—ENCORES WILL BE RENDERED IN AMERICAN POPULAR SONGS

TODAY'S PICTURE

Mary Miles Minter

—IN—

"The Little Clown"

Coming

Knights of Pythias Big Spring Festival

ALL WEEK COMMENCING

MAY 9th

BOUCHER-FRENCH SHOWS

GOOD SHOWS — PLENTY OF AMUSEMENT

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