

LONDON STAGE NEWS.

Special Correspondence. LONDON, May 28.—"Leah Kleschna" was so big a success in the United States, as well as in this country, that one wonders if the curious story of how it came to be written has yet been printed on the other side of the water? Americans have heard, no doubt, that the author of "Leah," C. M. S. McLellan, has just been awarded damages against Charles Hanman, the English playwright, who claimed that the plot of the piece had been stolen from him and it was in the course of the legal action over this matter that Mr. McLellan told the dramatic circumstances under which his drama came into being. It was, he said, in some extent the plot of a dream, not his dream, but his wife's. According to the playwright's story, however, the idea of "Leah Kleschna" was suggested to him by an experience in Paris which made a strong impression upon his mind. Walking on the boulevards in Paris he frequently saw a woman with a striking young woman, "She seemed striking and pretty," remarked McLellan, "and at first we thought she was respectable, but later doubted."

remembrance of their father and relative, and to speak of the man and his great work on earth. Hon. J. W. Young and his family, Mr. A. B. Young, Miss Anna Young, Mr. A. L. Farrell, Mrs. Louise Ferguson and her family, Dr. Gill Richards, President Murray K. Jacobs, and Miss Nan Clawson, completed a social party of relatives who spent the time in most agreeable fashion. As the party approached, the thought was general that at that moment the celebration was closing in. In the hall, where the Young reunion was being held, silent greetings in prayer to our friends were waiting over many miles of land, while love and best wishes, President and Mrs. McQuarrie were also guests of the reunion held here, and it was decided that June 1 should always be kept by the relatives of President Young, who were making their home in West Orange, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Ricardo Struller, celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary May 24. Miss Edna Cohn of Salt Lake and Mrs. Helene Davis of New York were among the guests invited to the festivities. Mrs. Struller and the family of Louis Cohn of Salt Lake are close friends, and Mrs. Davis is also an intimate acquaintance. At their elegant home at West Orange, Mr. and Mrs. Struller entertain lavishly; they have traveled extensively in the west, Salt Lake being a familiar stopping place to them. Miss Cohn is awaiting the arrival of her parents, and her sister, when they will all sail for Europe to spend the summer, while here she is a guest of Mrs. Struller, and is enjoying occasional trips over to New York, where the attractions of the shopping district and visits with friends keep her pleasantly occupied.

Why Westerners Distrust The Banks of New York.

THE statement of one of the New York bankers the other day to the effect that outside bankers did not distrust the New York banks is unfortunately disproved by openly written and expressed disapproval on the part of many of the interior bankers. Very likely the troubles arising from the apparent close relationship between New York bankers and speculative Wall street, says the American Banker. To those viewing New York from the viewpoint of daily financial news reports, it appears as though the banks and Wall street were too closely allied for the safety of banking conditions. A few years ago banks were considered as strictly commercial institutions, steady, safe, so engaged and guided as to be able to steer clear of any number of financial shipwrecks and away from dangerous shoals and derelicts. The word "bank" was a synonym for res-

liability, and a banker's opinion and judgment indisputable. Now, however, banks have become so connected with financial enterprises, promotions of ventures, stock speculations and other things entirely out of the legitimate line of conservative banking that it is small wonder outsiders stand aloof. Prof. Tausig stated in a recent speech that "National banks and state banks doing a similar business, are closely associated with investment houses, with the large private banking firms that undertake to promote and finance great ventures in new business fields, with trust companies that carry on a very wide range of financial operations and with individuals whose primary interest is not in banking but in independent enterprises of their own." We have had active and disastrous demonstrations of the above facts only too recently. It is true that New York does not contain all of the financing institutions disguised as banks. There are others in other large cities. But New York has looked forward to rivaling London as a financial center, and from the tenor of opinion that is still for off. The unfortunate part of all this is that interior bankers suffer through no fault of their own, because of the lack of trust the above conditions have engendered in the minds of the people of the country. Wall street may fluctuate, the rise and fall of stocks may cause great losses, but the financial situation of the country should be regulated not by bull and bear selling, but by genuine conditions of natural development. The trout and chicken dinners at Calder's are just fine. A good place for a good meal.

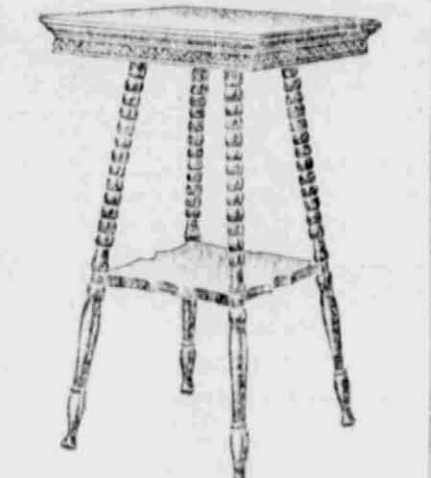
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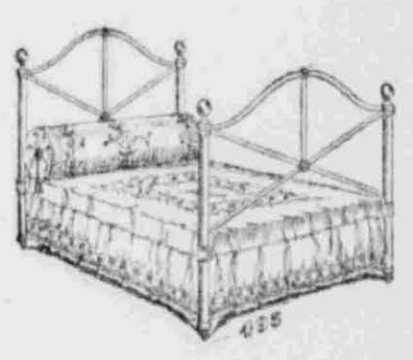
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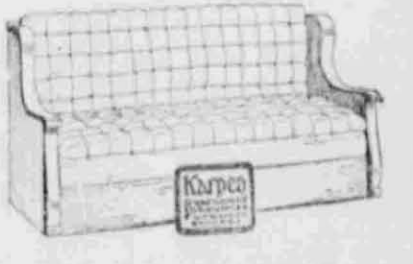
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SALT LAKERS IN GOTHAM.

Special Correspondence. NEW YORK, June 4.—The Vanderbilt of the Red Star line, which east her storerooms from slip 14 on Saturday morning at 11:30, carried a goodly number of Salt Lakers among her cabin passengers for Europe. Mrs. W. W. Ritter, her daughters Maud and May, Col. N. W. Clayton, and his four sons, occupied elegant staterooms on the main deck as usual, flowers, fruits, teas, fervent hand claps and embraces, were the order of the day; several friends journeyed down to Cortland street in the luncheon of a June day, and waved handkerchiefs from the pier as long as the grand old ocean liner was in view. A more ideal day for a long sail could hardly have been ordered than June 2. The clear atmosphere brought into view the Jersey coast, Staten and Governors islands, with glimpses of the Battery, which at this time of year is glorious in foliage and rare shades of green. The Vanderland is a thorough boat, lacking in some respects the sturdiness of the Kaiserlinde and Wilhelm der Grosse, but it makes up in real comfort for families who care little for style and more for the atmosphere of home which is to be found in its saloons and on its brand decks.



MRS. ALBERTA E. D. STORRS

CENTRAL FIGURE IN LOS ANGELES DEATH MYSTERY.

The eyes of American society are wide with expectation of seeing a social lioness in Los Angeles, Cal., when the authorities of that city shall have determined the cause of the deeply mysterious death of Rowland Storrs, in which the beautiful widow, Alberta Jean Dymke Storrs, is strangely implicated. Since the night of April 27, when Storrs was found dead, Mrs. Storrs, a cousin of Mrs. Nellie Langhorne Shaw Astor, and prominent in society, has been held in the Louis Angles House of Detention, while detectives have unceasingly labored to solve the mystery. It is asserted that their efforts have been fruitless, and that no one, unless it is Mrs. Storrs, can say

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