

I am so sorry you are away,
dear Edna Ferber - and so will John
Phillips be, for I had told him I was
hoping to get hold of you for dinner,
and he had promised to come along. You
know you can only get him by some superior
temptation!

I am sorry not only to miss seeing
you, but because it would give me a chance
to propose something which I hoped would
interest you. And that is, coming into
the Cosmopolitan Club. Of course you know
it. I gave up the Colony Club for the Cos-
mopolitan some time ago- like its tone
much better, on the whole. But it could
be improved, and you would be one of the
things that would improve it immensely.

It might be a convenience to you, too.
Would you be willing that I should propose you
if so, I will send you a book and you can
choose from its membership a seconder. What
do you say?

To think of your being in Emporia,
Kansas with the joyous Whites!

Love to you

Affectionately

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