(1). TITLE .: - HANDS ACROSS THE SEA.

Picture: - When the Lord Mayor of Manchester, Alderman Fitt, arrived at the City Hall, New York, to visit Mayor "Jimmy" Walker of the great American metropolis, the mayoral robes and headgear, not to mention the Mace caused something in the nature of a sensation !

New York is not used to seeing civic heads so splendidly arrayed. XXXX It's own Mayor is on the right of the picture. XXXX He is famous for his smart attire I XXXX You know, one of those men whose--

--tailor "suits" him down to the - spats : XXXX The Town Clerk too, was a sensation, while the Mace-bearer left them--

-- speechless ! XXXXX My Lord Mayor of --

-- "our rainiest city" went across to "boost" trade ! A commendable object ! XXXX Here's the bears, but where's the Mace ? XXXXXXXXXXXX Ah ! all's wall