

SOCIAL EVENTS

"Life—what is it?
Ah, who knows;
Just a visit
I suppose,
Joy and sorrow,
For a day;
Then to-morrow
We're away,
Youth and morning
Manhood, noon;
Age—the warning,
Night comes soon,
Shines a star to
Light us; then
'Tis not far to
Home again.

Mr. Jack Hope was in town this week.
Mrs. A. J. Wilkes spent Tuesday Toronto.
Mr. Forsyth spent Wednesday in Hamilton.
Miss Roddy spent the week with friends in Toronto.
Mrs. A. T. Duncan is visiting friends in Hamilton.
Mrs. W. C. Livingstone is a week-end visitor in Toronto.
Miss Adelaide Montzambert leaves next week to visit in New York.
Judge Hardy has returned to town after spending the week in Toronto.
Mrs. Lloyd Harris and Mrs. Blackmore, spent Wednesday in Toronto.
Mrs. A. A. Hughes, Dufferin Ave., has returned from a visit to Chicago.
Mr. Frank Savage was home on a brief visit, he left on a trip to South America.
Miss Edna Mason who was visiting in Detroit and Windsor, has returned to town.
Miss Nelles is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. McKenzie Wilson, Dufferin Avenue.
Miss Kathleen Johnson who was the guest of Miss Doris Hardy, has returned to Cobourg.
Mrs. W. A. Henderson, 127 Brant Avenue, will be at home after Feb. 1st, during the week to receive.
Many friends will be sorry to hear Mrs. J. S. Hamilton is ill at her home, Brant Avenue.

A STRIKING USE OF BLACK ON A WHITE DANCING GOWN



The black velvet sash, knotted about the hips of this white silk gown is effectively balanced by the sharp note of black in a velvet rose at the corsage. The tunic is puffed up, pannier fashion, above the black sash, and below it falls a deep flounce of silver lace. The bodice is of silver lace over white chiffon and the pretty dancing gown is matched by buttoned strap slippers of white satin.

DAILY FASHION HINT.

Many friends will be glad to hear Mrs. A. B. G. Tisdale is recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Ramsay will entertain next Wednesday evening at an informal dance, in honor of Miss Jackes of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Knox, Hamilton spent part of the week the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chester Harris, Dufferin Avenue.

Mr. Walter Wilkes, Winnipeg, arrived in town Wednesday, called here by the serious illness of his mother Mrs. James Wilkes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bixel, William street and their niece, Miss Harriet Hunter of Oakland, Cal., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson yesterday to tour in the Orient.

Mrs. A. W. Aitken (nee Margaret Howarth) will receive for the first time since her marriage on Tuesday, February 2nd, at her home, 8 Hart street, and afterwards on the first Tuesday of each month.

Dr. Hicks, a prominent physician of Port Dover, who is at present taking a post-graduate course in Baltimore, has purchased the residence of Mr. John Irwin, Brant Ave. and will begin the practice of his profession in town early in April.

Perhaps no better plays were ever staged in a moving picture show than the repertoire appearing at the Empire under the direction of the Lucas Bros., New York. This week they have told the following stories: Les Miserables by Victor Hugo; Cleopatra, and to-day is Mr. Pnegsterie's by Eugenie Sue.

The dance Monday night was a brilliant aftermath of the military ball. The environments so attractive with the various rainbow lights in rich colors enhancing a scene that was enchanting. The music giving a glorious "atmosphere" to the affair, made all go "merry" as a marriage bell. It closed a never-to-be-forgotten chapter in the social history of our enterprising little city.

Mrs. Minchin and the Misses Minchin held a successful well attended talent tea Friday afternoon at their home on Murray street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's Mission. The ladies who are interested in the mission presided at the different tables. Light refreshments were provided and home-made cakes and sweets were on sale. A pleasant feature was a short program when the following performers took part: Mrs. Harry Leonard, piano solo; Miss Ruby Wye, vocal solo; Miss Clifford, vocal solo; Mr. Cornelius, piano solo. A nice sum was realized for a good cause.

PATTERN ORDER

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The average man's brain are useful to another man who knows just how to use them.

Miss Marjory Wilkes and her cousin, Miss Dorothy Wilkes, left on Tuesday to visit friends in Cobalt.

Before an American heiress who marries a foreign nobleman places him on exhibition she removes the price mark.

Mrs. Wilgress and Miss Dorothy Wilgress of Hamilton, were in the city this week the guests of Mrs. Montzambert.

Mr. H. Mackenzie of Montreal, General Manager of the Bank of British North America, is a guest at Grace Church rectory.

The average woman can get more exhilaration out of a cheap compliment than a man can get out of a quart of champagne.

When you hear the household comment on how to cook, you prefer a story book. Literature makes fine perusing but it isn't good to eat.

Many Brantford friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Robert Henry underwent a successful operation at Harper's Hospital, Detroit this week for Cataract.

When a woman says her husband doesn't understand her, it's generally a sign that she isn't giving him a chance to work on the facts of the case.

"Are you giving this splendid party to entertain your friends?"
"No, I'm giving it to that people who haven't invited me will take notice that I haven't invited them."

The Marchioness of Dufferin, who, it is announced in London, has at last realized her artistic leanings, and is about to make her debut in opera at Covent Garden. Before she married, the Marchioness was Miss Flora Lewis of New York. She has a trained soprano voice of rare quality and dramatic power. She married the Marquis of Dufferin in 1893.

The great Poirot has been at it again. He says that a woman should dress to match her soul, says Louise Heiberg. Not her hair or complexion, mind you, but her soul! Fancy turning your soul into a dressmaker's rummy and hanging one of Poirot's amazing color confections upon it! There is not a woman living, I dare swear, who would take the liberty. Even the most material of us know that a soul is an immortal possession. Immortality dressed in a Bakst design would be an inconceivable thing. Poirot has not yet finished. He declares further that: "There are gowns that sing and gowns that weep and gowns that are full of mystery." What awkward clothes these must be to weep! Fancy carrying a Maskylene and Dexam entertainment about you in the folds of your skirt, or having a shoulder-strap that would insist upon singing, "Hitchy-Koo." I think Poirot must have mistaken his vocation. Instead of being a dressmaker he should have been a Futurist poet.

A large and fashionable audience greeted Margaret Anglin at the Grand Theatre evening, when in "As You Like It" she portrayed a role in Shakespeare with the genius of a great actress. Margaret Anglin was born in Ottawa, and is the only woman of eminence in the world in any walk in life whatever who is able to claim the distinction of having been born in the Parliament Buildings. Her mother was an accomplished amateur actress. Her early education was at Loretto Abbey in Toronto, where her brother, Justice Anglin, resides, and at the convent of the Sacred Heart in Montreal. Afterwards she went to the Empire school of Dramatic Actors in New York and at an age when most girls are beginning their real education she appeared on the boards in New York in a play called "Shenandoah." And although she scored big successes at a time when the woods were full of Shakespeare players and plays, at the age of thirty-seven she can well afford to look back upon a line of big stellar parts which she has taken since 1896, when at the age of twenty she first appeared in New York where she now lives. This woman has the right to rank as one of the great exiled Canadians. And her return to Canada has always been marked by a real hearty welcome from her friends—whom she has kept as few women in public life are able to do. Her annual donation of a gold bracelet as a prize for acting in "The Earl Grey Competition" is but a slight mark of her perpetual esteem for her native land.

Those who enjoyed the work of the clever players of the Y. W. C. A. literary club last year, will be glad to learn that next Tuesday evening these players will produce two plays. "The Flower of Yeddo"—a Japanese comedy. Also a modern comedy, "The Teeth of the Gift Horse" verified, the old adage, "Never look a gift horse in the mouth." Among those taking part are: the Misses Van Norman, Leone Park, Evelyn Buck, Norah Tomlinson, Ethel Raymond, Vera Redding, Marjorie Sweet, Stephanie Jones, Messrs Hunstman, Jack Towers, Arthur Dunstan. The children will be Misses Winkie Van Westrim, Florence Westbrook, Gwendolin Wilkes, Dimples Vager. The playlets are under the supervision of Miss Gould, the educational director of the club.

STOCK-TAKING SALE

Now on in full swing, and will continue for next 5 days. We have many Bargains to offer. Come early.

Big Reductions on Dress Goods

Ladies' Winter Coats, in tweeds and diagonals, all sizes. Worth \$10 and \$12. Sale price..... **\$5.00**

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Boys' ribbed Cashmere, 25c all sizes. Sale price.....

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Boys' heavy ribbed Worsteds Hose, all sizes, regular 40c. Sale price..... **29c**

3 pieces Tapestry Carpet, in red, green and fawn. Sale price..... **39c**

5 pieces Tapestry Carpet, extra quality, regular 75c. Sale price..... **59c**

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Ladies' Waists in grey flannel, etc., all sizes. Sale price..... **98c**

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, colors, sizes 2 to 10 years, double yoke, good quality, price..... **89c**

Children's Sweater Coats, in all Regular \$1.25 and 1.50. Sale price..... **79c**

Black Satene Underskirts, good quality materials, all lengths. Worth up to \$1.50. Sale price..... **98c**

Children's Colored Dresses, in Serge, Panama, Cashmere, regular \$3.50 and \$4. Sale price..... **\$2.49**

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Athletics At The Armories

Competition Between Different Companies Start Monday Night.

An extensive schedule of sports has been drafted by the Dufferin Rifle Athletic Association, the events to take place Monday and Wednesday nights at the armories. Two games will be played each night. The play in the schedule starts on Monday evening when G and H companies play football, the game to commence at 8 o'clock sharp. Immediately following the game the Bugle Band and the Signallers will meet in a like contest.

The Schedule.

Football:
Monday, Feb. 2—C. vs. H. Bugle Band vs. Signal Section.
Wednesday, Feb. 4—D vs. F. B. vs. A.
Monday, Feb. 9—C. vs. E. G. or H. vs. Bugle Band or Signal Section.
Basketball
Wednesday, Feb. 11—G. vs. E. B. vs. D.
Monday, Feb. 16—C. vs. Bugle Band; F. vs. A.
Wednesday, Feb. 18—S. S. vs. H. G. or E. vs. B. or D.
Baseball
Monday, Feb. 23—Bugle Band vs. F. Coy; E. vs. D.
Wednesday, Feb. 25—A. vs. F. or Bugle Band.
Foifball
Wednesday, Feb. 25—Second round 1 vs. 2.
Monday, March 2—Second round, 3 vs. 4.
Basketball
Monday, Mar. 2—Second round, 1 vs. 2.
Wednesday, Mar. 4—Second round, 3 vs. 4.

45 feet circumference 23 feet. Its mouth 38 inches wide, and its tongue 40 inches long.

Unlike other fish, it had no lungs, but received air through five long openings on either side. It could have swallowed a score of Jonah's, and when examined it had swallowed an animal weighing 1500 pounds.

B.C.I. Cadets Made Fine Showing

The second miniature match of the Canadian Rifle League was fired on Friday, Jan. 30th by the B. C. I. Cadets. The scores were excellent, showing a wonderful improvement over the previous matches. Corp. Bennett led with 97 out of a possible 100. The scores show the high brand of shooting which was done. The scores are of a possible 100:

First Team.	
Corp. C. M. Bennett	97
Cadet R. Patton	95
Cadet A. C. Burt	95
Cadet G. Kew	94
Capt. L. Feely	94
Cadet T. Ruddy	93
Cadet M. Luck	93
Lieut. N. Lake	93
Lieut. N. Palmer	93
Corp. T. Foster	92
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Second Team.	
Cadet W. Fraser	91
Cadet I. Cassidy	91
Sergt. A. Beckett	91
Cadet A. Weir	89
Sergt. M. Smith	88
Corp. C. Joyce	88
Cadet P. Braund	88

IS THIS THE FISH OF JONAH KIND?

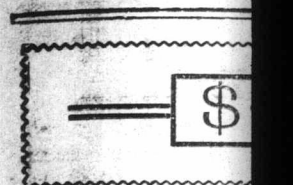
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