

# NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

## Life's Social Side

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There will be an informal dance in Sir Arthur Currie Hall, Royal Military College, on Wednesday after the football match, in honor of the McGill team.

Mrs. Bruce Taylor will entertain at tea on Thursday at the Principal's Residence for the wives of the staff of the University.

Mrs. H. J. Dawson, Barrie, is entertaining the bridge club of which she is a member, this afternoon.

Mrs. Bartlett Dalton, West street, is entertaining the bridge club of which she is a member this afternoon.

Mrs. Kenneth Perry, Royal Military College has returned from Toronto.

Mrs. Alexander Pirrie, South America who received a hearty welcome home to Kingston, during her week-end visit to the Messes Shaw, Earl street, has left for Toronto and Dundas.

Mrs. Frederick Colson, who was in Kingston for the I. O. D. E. convention and afterwards in Belleville

with Mrs. G. A. Stewart and her daughter, Mrs. R. T. Brymner, has returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. C. D. Kerr, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kerr at St. Paul, Mich., has returned to her home in Winnipeg.

Miss Helen Wilmot, Vernon, B.C., who was to have come east on a visit to her old home in Kingston, has decided to go to Arkansas with Mrs. Vallance and Miss Vallance, of Vernon, B.C., and will later visit California.

David Horwitz, who has been in Kingston for the past fourteen months, has gone to Los Angeles, California, to reside with his sister.

Mrs. John Herald, widow of the late Dr. John Herald, Kingston, has returned to St. Thomas after spending several weeks at Windermere, Muskoka, and later with her sister, Miss Grafton, at Dundas. Mrs. Herald's name appeared recently in a list of prominent Canadians, booked for the round-the-world cruise on the Empress of France, starting in January.

Miss Charlotte Whitton, Ottawa, spent the week-end in Renfrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Maitland Hanniford, who were with Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Hopkins, King street, left for Montreal today.

Mrs. Everett Birdsall, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kent, "Somerset House," has returned to Birdsall, Ont.

Miss Marion Fleiger, who has spent two years in Denver, Cal., spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Fleiger at the "Y," leaving for her home in New Brunswick on Monday.

Miss Edith Lilley, who was the guest of Miss Sibbald Hamilton, Earl street, has left for Calgary.

Mrs. John Conialus, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. D. G. Laidlaw, Earl street, left for Pittsburg, Pa., today.

Mrs. Kinaky, who has been in town at the Y.W.C.A., Johnson street, returned to Bancroft on Monday.

Mrs. C. T. Booth has returned to her home, Tupelo, Mississippi, after spending a month with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ainsley, Earl street.

The marriage of Miss Frances Buchanan Caverhill, youngest daughter of the late Frank Caverhill and of Mrs. D. C. Macarow, Montreal, to Major Hayward Linton, son of W. F. Linton, Truro, N.S., will take place very quietly Tuesday evening, at the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul.

### What the Editor Hears

That the congregation of St. George's Cathedral were glad to see the red tunic of the cadets in the Royal Military College gallery on Sunday, and to hear the lusty voices of the lads from Point Frederick in the service. The gallery is not large enough for the Anglicans this year and they occupy ten seats in the south transept as well.

That Brig-General Armstrong, Montreal, has given permission to all officers to wear their uniforms at the Armistice Ball.

That the Dominion Board of the Women's Auxiliary which recently met in Toronto responded to the appeal of the Bishop of Algoma, for the restoration of the churches burnt during the fire in Northern Ontario by sending him \$2,000.

That Kingston's "God's Acre," Cataract cemetery, is splendidly cared for and is one of the most beautiful places in the neighborhood.

That speaking in Toronto, Judge Emily Murphy, Edmonton, (Janey Canuck) says that while Austria consumes drugs at less than one grain per capita, Italy one grain, Germany two grains, France three grains, the per capita consumption in this continent is 72 grains. Ninety-five per cent. of those addicted to the use of drugs are English speaking.

That London reports that the "Voice O'ar Eden" is likely to be hushed as a prelude to church weddings since school inspectors have warned vicars that choir boys are not to sing during school hours, as it is estimated a single absence costs the ratepayers a shilling.

### SKIRTS TO BE LONG OR EVEN TO BE SHORT

Cecile Sorel, the famous French actress, arrived at Quebec on Oct. 22nd, as well as Albert Lambert, who are both opening their American tour in the ancient Capital tomorrow in "L'Aventuriers," Augier's masterpiece.

The great French artist will reveal, while here, some of the secrets of the coming styles.

"I will show to this country styles which will only be known right in France in two or three months," said Mlle. Sorel. "I may tell you a secret, for instance: dresses are to be short and long, according to the needs or

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### Raisin Pie

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"What has brought longer dresses? Well, just because a woman looks better in them, while the short ones are more convenient. However, the days of extreme short dresses will never return."

There is nothing in the nature of money to produce happiness. The more a man has, the more he wants. Instead of filling a vacuum, it makes one.

It is always easier to follow the opinions of others than to reason and judge for ourselves.

### DYE DRESS, SKIRT OR FADED CURTAINS IN DIAMOND DYES

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## Efficient Housekeeping

BY Laura A. Kirkman

ANSWERED LETTERS.

"Bride: Please tell me how to finish a hardwood floor that has never been touched. I prefer a dull finish." Answer: You did not tell me what wood was used to make the floor and whether you wished a light or a dark floor. Such woods as oak, ash, chestnut and birch are called "open-grained woods" and require a "filler" before the final touch is applied; while such woods as hard pine are called "close-grained" woods and

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## TO-DAY'S FASHION

By Vera Winston.



Jet Girdles This Crepe Gown of Red and Black.

Many of the new frocks exploit the two-color mode. Red and black are both good colors for the new season and they are especially smart when combined in a one-piece frock.

Crepe is the medium in the model above. The blouse of red crepe shows a deep band of tucks on either side. This is repeated in the narrow cuffs which hold the wide sleeves at the wrists.

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### THAT "TEA PARTY"

A Piece of History Often Misrepresented.

It has often been pointed out by critics on the side of Britain and Canada that the history manuals used in the schools of the United States are unfair in spirit and untrustworthy as repositories of facts. Such criticisms find endorsement of an interesting sort in a letter written to the New York Times by Robert W. Leonard, a resident of a New York suburb.

In dealing with the "causes of the Revolution," he states that in 1765 the British colonies were enthusiastically loyal; that the "Stamp Act" of that year did not affect the masses and that it was repealed the next year; the trouble caused by the tea duty was due to the fact that the East India Company had consigned it to a few monopolists instead of throwing it open to competition. He might have added in this connection that the starting of the revolution was due very largely to the efforts of "Sam Adams, a restless demagogue in Boston," and to Patrick Henry, whose exaggerated aspirations were expressed by his "Give me liberty or give me death."

Mr. Leonard says the Civil War was not caused by slavery, but by a tax on cotton fabrics imposed by Congress by way of protection to the New England cotton manufacturers at the expense of the cotton-growers of the Southern States. He adds that President Lincoln was opposed to slavery as an institution, but was not in favor of its summary abolition. The North, as well as the South, had negro slaves, but found out earlier—probably for climatic reasons—that slavery was unprofitable, as the South was discovering when the Civil War was suddenly precipitated by the Southern attack on Fort Sumter.

Again, Mr. Leonard tells his countrymen that, "but for British forbearance and friendship, the American Union would have fallen in its first fifty years"; that New England was sick of the Union and would have annexed itself to Canada; that Great Britain rejected Louis Napoleon's invitation to recognize in 1861 the independence of the South; and that Capt. Chichester of the British navy, in Manila harbor in 1898, prevented the German admiral's proposed attack on Admiral Dewey's fleet.

Thought Balfour Dilletate.

The Earl of Balfour, at a dinner in Washington, praised the American colored people.

"I often judge Americans by this criterion," he said: "If they like colored people, then I know they are likeable themselves—and vice versa."

"Once I visited Washington a good many years ago. All the hotel waiters were colored men, and I confess I preferred the quiet colored service to the present sophisticated and elaborate service of the whites.

"The day of my arrival, when my waiter, an old colored man with snowy wool, brought me the menu, I put a coin in his hand and said, 'Just bring me a good dinner, uncle.'"

"He brought me an exquisite dinner, and during my fortnight's stay we followed out this program daily. By pushing aside the menu and handing him the coin, he selected a much better dinner for me than I could have chosen myself."

"The day of my departure, as I took leave of him, he said, 'Good-by, sir, and good luck, and when you or any of your friends what can't read the bill of fare comes to Washington, just ask for old Calhoun Clay.'—Everybody's."

Treating to Check Hunger.

Lord Birkenhead told a good story the other day of two Oxford undergraduates who were up in London for the day. Both were blessed with healthy appetites, but their joint supply of ready cash was none too large, so one suggested that they should lunch at a cheap little Soho restaurant he knew of. "I'll stand treat," he added.

Agreed! They ate steadily through the set courses, and it didn't take them long, for the portions served were all too meagre.

The man who was standing treat, however, thought it advisable at least to pretend to be satisfied.

"Well!" he said, leaning back in his chair. "Well, how's that for a lunch?"

The other eyed the menu hungrily. "Quite good!" he said. "Er—have one with me."

### To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25.

Conflicting forces prevail on this day, according to the astrological figure. While there is prospect of important change which should rebound in ultimate benefit, with probable travel or adventure, yet the condition of the health may prove to be a delaying factor, and may be

a matter of grave concern unless properly attended to. The outlook is encouraging for those in the employment of others, and the forecast for domestic, social and affectional interests is excellent. It might be well however, to guard against deception. Those whose birthday it is may find a successful and happy year awaits them if they will but safeguard their health and guard against deception or fraud. A child born on this day will be original, inventive and popular, and should succeed in business and employment despite many difficulties to be overcome. Every little classified advertisement has a value all its own.

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