Cyrano de Bergerac

Act II

Vocabulary

felicitation: (n) an expression of good wishes; congratulations

cartilaginous: (adj) made of or containing cartilage

acrostic: (n) series of lines in which the first letters of each line form a word

doggerel: (n) trivial or inferior poetry

moiety: (n) portion; piece

retinue: (n) group of followers

whelp: (n) young animal

hecatomb: (n) a large scale sacrifice or slaughter

dowager: (n) a woman who holds some title or property from her deceased husband, especially the widow of a king, duke, etc.

palpitate: (v) to tremble, quiver, throb, pulse

insinuate: (v) to suggest or hint slyly

habitation: (n) a place of residence; dwelling; abode.