Society -

Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Griffith have returned to their home in Payetteville after spending several days in the

Miss Alberta Blanton, who taught veils should be worn. at the Carolina Beach school during the past winter, has returned to her home in Wallace after visiting friends in the city.

The Red Cross unit of St. John's Episcopal church will meet at the mission house Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be in attendance.

of Mrs. W. J. Farrar, No. 1318 South Elizabeth Eliza Sweet, by far the Third street, Thursday evening from most attractive-Carrie Newkirk. 8 to 10 o'clock for the benefit of the Frances Fedory Sweet, partial Church of the Ascension. A silver flowers-Elizabeth McDougall. will be served free. All are invited Paul Lane.

"Kentucky Belle" will be presented by the Winter Park war savings society at the Winter Park schoolhouse, Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. An admission of 15 cents will be charged and the proceeds will be used to purchase war savings certificates.

All members of the Cathedral Red Cross unit are requested to assemble at the city hall Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock to participate in the Red Cross parade. White dresses and

RED CROSS BENEFIT.

"The Sweet Family," presented Courtney, treasurer. some time ago by Circle No. 1, St. Andrew's auxiliary, is to be again Special revival services will be held given for the benefit of the Red Cross at the Bladen Street Methodist church of St. Andrew's Memorial hall, Tuesthis evening at 8 o'clock. The public day evening, May 21, at 8:30 o'clock. Norris Martin, Harriet Jane Moore, is extended a cordial invitation to at. The cast of characters will be as fol- Martha Young Patterson, Otha Par-

ning ways-Mrs. John Farlow.

Betsy Belindy Sweet, the delicate one-Mrs. T. L. Linder. Carolina Cordelia Sweet and Dorothy Delilah Sweet, both twins-Edna A social will be given at the home Lanier and Alice Behrends.

offering will be taken. Refreshments Gioriana Gadabout Sweet-Mrs.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



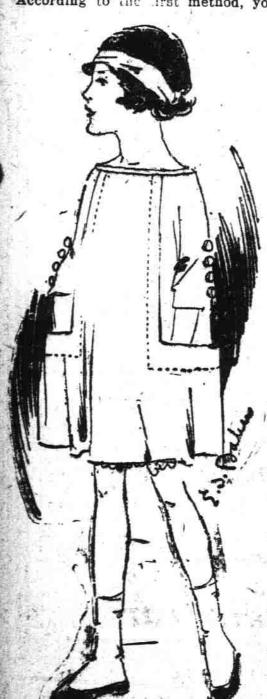
T HAS taken devotees of fashion some time to get used to the idea of collarless blouses, but now they are generally accepted, and make a of very attractive style, especially for warm weather. Here is a collar- church. The ceremony was attended less blouse of ecru georgette, embroidered and hemstitched in self color. by only a few intimate friends and It is a slip-on affair, opening on the shoulders, where the buttons and buttonholes indicate a fastening.

The round neck and epaulet shoulders are relieved by the pointed yoke in front from being unbecoming. Wonderful, isn't it, what 'a little hemstitching and embroidery will do?

PRACTICALLY A ONE-PIECE.

depends to a great extent on just how the hips for the pockets. you choose to make it, for there are two ways to do it. "ou know,

According to the lirst method, you



will select a perfectly straight-fromthe shoulder dress with round neck combination with its bodice made of and rather snug kimono sleeve. It will look exactly like the illustration, excepting for the pane; effect and pockets in one. You will allow for mond motifs, boxes and vertical clusters. them. Make a side pleat at each side ters.

Much of this frock's one-pieceness of the front, then a long slit below They were the recipients of many

selecting the pattern as pefore, only Mrs. D. D. Bradshaw. Mr. Smith is this time the front panel and side ar- connected with the Yopp undertaking rangement are cut separate. Let con- establishment. trasting machine stitching do the finishing. And how about linen or pongee for the actual making?

MAKE YOUR OWN BRAID. The home dressmaker, who knows what it means to save a penny here and there on trimmings for her frocks will appreciate the news that knitted braids are now being shown on the latest spring and summer models. Imagine a jersey frock trimmed not only with knitted collar and cuffs. pockets and belt, but with a narrow three-quarter inch braid of knitted wool to band the overskirt and delineate an Eton jacket, etc.

These braids are not only made of wool, but of combinations of silk and wool in one or two colors, of all silk. ribbon, cotton and even twine. The twine braids are espeically good looking on linen suits. Plain knitting back and forth for several rows is used in most cases, though a combination of purling and knitting will make a novelty braid. This can be worked in two ways, either across You Don't the width or along the length. If your pieces promise not to be too long the your pieces promise not to be too long the length.

FASHIONGRAMS.

One sees organdie in combination with straw for summer hats; they are in delightful printed effects some-

Now they are painting the separate sports skirt. White silk tricotine treated to Dresden floral motifs is Cordo Calf, Lace Oxford,

One sees stunning capes and sleeveless sports coats developed in suede

There's economy, to be sure, in a wedding gown with removable train. The train may be worn stole effect, too, if you please. In the undie world there is seen a

striped silk in waistcoar effect.

INVITATIONS RECEIVED. Many persons in the city have reeived invitations reading as follows: The Class of

Nineteen Hundred and Eighteen

The Fayetteville Hig School invites you to be present at the Commencement Exercises riday evening, May the twentyfourth, at half after eight o'clock

LaFayette Theatre Fayetteville, North Carolina. Officers: Henry Ashby Rankin, Jr. president: Francis Earle Campbell, vice-president; Lula Virginia Cameron, secretary; Andrew Marcus

Class Roll: Effie Davis Cade, Lula Virginia Cameron, Clara Beatrice Elkins, Minnie Nimocks Holland, Mary Clyde Keith, Lou Jane Kinlaw, Allie ker Jane Darling Smith, Irene Byrd Ma Sweet, a one "reic"-Isabel Mc- Walker, Edna Mae Johnson, Halma Clyde Jones, Francis Earle Campbell, Arminty Ann Sweet, with many win- Andrew Marcus Courtney, Morton Myers, Henry Ashby Rankin, Jr., Samuel Hyman Strange, Jr., Matthew

> bee Tatum (at Camp Jackson). Class Flower: Richmond Red Rrose. Class colors: Red, White and Blue. Class Motto: Semper Fidelis.

MORSE-JUSTICE WEDDING. At the home of her brother, C. S. Morse, No. 513 South Front street, this afternoon at 6 o'clock, Miss Orita Morse, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. T. M. Morse, will be united in marriage to Milton T. Justice, formerly a wellknown yiung man of this city, now of Wilmington, Del.

For the nuptial event the home has been prettily decorated in palms and Easter lilies. Miss Morse will be married in a sand-colored traveling suit with hats and gloves to match and will carry a corsage of rosebuds and

aweet peas. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and the bride will be given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Morse. There will be no attendants.

Immediately following the ceremony the bride and groom will board the 6:45 northbound train for several northern cities, where they will spend their honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Justice will make their future home in Wilmington, Del., where the groom holds a responsible position,

Miss Morse was the recipient if a delightful linen shower, given at the home of Mrs. J. F. Craig Monday evening.

First Baptist Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. Coy Hewett, 1919 Pender avenue, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

An automobile ride is being planned by the members of the Epworth League of Trinity Methodist church, and will be given on Saturday night. Machines will leave the church, Ninth and Market streets, at 8 o'clock. A small admission will be charged.

SMITH-BRADSHAW.

Miss Hattie May Bradshaw and W. Harry Smith were quietly married at the home of the bride, 214 North Fourth street, this morning at 7 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. H. McCracken, pastor the Fifth Avenue Methodist relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on the 7:45 train for Washington and other points north. They will be at home to friends at 214 North Fourth street after the first of the month. The bride was dressed in a goingaway suit of midnight blue, with hat and gloves to match, and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations. beautiful and useful presents. Mrs. Method number two will consist in Smith is the attractive daughter of

> Mrs. E. T. Huggins and Mrs. Clark are visiting friends at Beaufort, S. C.



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in connection with our May White Sale. Never were values greater nor prices better, and it is really important from your point of view as well as ours, that every housekeeper in Wilmington attend this sale. We were almost swamped with business yesterday, despite the weather, so you see you should make a point of coming early. This is your one best opportunity to get goods you simply must have at prices you certainly can't duplicate. Here are just a few of our big bargains.

WHITE SALE VALUES FROM THE ART DEPARTMENT.

36-in. white Centerpieces, with Floss for completing at ...85c 14-in. Centerpiece as above at 49c 20x48 Bureau or Table Scarf, with Floss at79c 18-in. stamped centers with Children's stamped lawn and Batiste dresses, 75c to \$1.00

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\$1.50 fancy white Pique skirts in values, sizes 2 to 6 years at 49c

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Valentine Howie and Charles Dixon, colored, were the principal sufferers in this morning's session of recorder's court, obth drawing three months sentences, to begin at the expiration of sentences from which they escaped convict delivery of several years ago. Howie and Valentine were in the crowd. They were arrested a few days ago in Petersburg upon request of the local authorities and returned to the city last night by Deputy Sheriff Bullard and Officer D. M. Coleman. Their escape was effected before the building of the stockade, consequently it will be strange quar-

selves held. Leon Lance, held as incorrigible, was paroled with Probation Officer Johnson for a period of one year, In the case charging disorderly conduct nol pros was taken. Many Williams orderly conduct, also escaped by the nol pros route. Prayer for judgment has many friends in the city who will was continued upon the payment of wish for him much success in Uncle the cost in the case charging C. V. Jackson with obstructing the sidewalk.

FOURTEEN MEMBERS ARE NOW IN THE SERVICE

With the addition of several more stars in the service flag of the Temtion of te Temple of Ihrael are now in the service o Uncle Sam.

\$27.50 Now

CHARGE IS MAKING

F. A. Stahl, of Lumberton, was arrested yesterday charged with making seditious utterances, according to information received here today, and in default of \$2,000, required by Commissioner- Johnson, before whom he several years ago. Older residents was arraigned for a preliminary hear-remember the big East Wilmington ing, was carried to Laurinburg to await trial in federal court. Unusual interest was attached to the case. ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF TRUCKERS' JOURNAL ENLISTS

Having enlisted several weeks ago, Wylie S. Whitehead, business manager and associate editor of the Carolina Fruit and Truckers' Journal and also the Southern Lumber Journal, of ters in which they will find themthis city, left last night for Charleston, S. C., in response to an order to report for duty in the navy. Mr. Whitehead only recently be-

came part owner and associated with his father, Z. W. Whitehead, in the and LeRoy Beery, charged with dis. management of the local publications. and as a writer was making good. He Sam's navy and will also wish for him a safe return.

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