

FOUR
SOCIETY

*Straight Up and Down
Is This Season's Style*

Mrs. Cuthbert Martin leaves tonight for New York where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Byden Sparks. En route, Mrs. Martin, who is recuperating from a recent illness, will spend a few days at Washington with friends.

Russell-Harper Announcements.
Cards announcing a marriage of Miss Catherine Harper and J. B. Russell have been issued. They read: "Mrs. Ella C. Harper announces the marriage of her daughter, Catherine Ruede, to Mr. James Emmett Russell, on Monday, October 8, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, Winston-Salem, N. C. The following cards are enclosed: At home after November the first, 301 Dock street, Wilmington, N. C."

Mrs. C. W. Spencer, who has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. B. S. Boykin has gone to Raleigh to join Mr. Spencer and will attend the annual state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Henley, who have been spending the past two months on the northern extension at Wrightsville beach, expect to ignore the first of next week to their home on South Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Storm, and son, Walter Storm, 3rd, move Tuesday from their cottage at Wrightsville Beach to their home on Ann street.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Huggins announce the engagement of their sister, Miss Annie James Huggins to Mr. Douglas Barclay, Jr., the wedding to take place in December.

Frank Andrews has returned from New Bern where he has visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. V. McIae.

A. R. Taylor, of Chicago, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Mrs. F. I. Holloway left Friday for Atlanta to visit her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Graham Evans and her sister, Mrs. W. F. Kirby at Decatur, Ga.

Mrs. H. J. Gore, of Whiteville, who has been undergoing treatment at a local hospital, has regained her health sufficiently to return home.

Entertainment for Miss Hood.
The following clipped from the Kinston Free Press will be of interest on account of the state-wide importance of the wedding of Miss Pauline Hood, of Kinston, who is the central figure of it:

"On Monday afternoon at her handsome home on West Washington avenue Miss Catherine opelana was hostess at one of the most distinctly enjoyable of the charming entertainments accorded Miss Pauline Hood, bride-elect, who has been lavishly feted during the period of announcement of her marriage to Mr. Jess Bowers, of Washington, on October 11. The home was beautifully decorated in field flowers of varying hue and shades, lending color to an appropriate setting of tables placed for interesting games of bridge. At the conclusion of the playing, the guest of honor was presented a dainty piece of lingerie. Miss Sarah Hood, of Kinston, hostess of the highest score, was remembered with linen handkerchiefs, as winner of the highest score. Delightful refreshments were served.

"The following names were included in the guest-list:
Miss Hood, Misses Sarah Hudgins, Marion and Frances Henry, Durham; Mrs. Duncan McKenzie and Mary Sue McKenzie, of Timmonsville, S. C.; Misses Eleanor Hood, Elizabeth Quinberry, Mary Fleming, Elizabeth Canady, Leah Hines, Mesdames Henry Canady, Thornton Hood, Mack Robbins, C. M. Jones and Parrott."

MISS RHODES ENTERTAINS
On Thursday evening, Miss Mamie Rhodes charmingly entertained a host of her friends at her home 205 South Second street. The guests were received by Miss Rhodes who was attractively dressed in a gown of old blue and grey crepe.

The guests were ushered thru the long hall into the spacious living room which was beautifully decorated with potted plants.

During the course of the evening many interesting and delightful games were played after which delicious punch was served. The guests then departed voting Miss Rhodes a very charming hostess.
Among those present were, Misses Berneta Aman, Ruby Brown, Allie and Ruth Robinson, Kitty Taylor, Mae Jenkins, Jennie Rhodes, Josephine Shepard, Mamie Grady, Marie Larson and Ethel Miller and Messrs. J. B. Taylor, L. L. Wood, G. Phelps, C. S. Everett, Earl Covil, V. G. Thompson, C. N. Richards, P. B. Rhodes, C. Hughes D. Robinson, Arnold Westbrook, Al Norris, Wallace Aman, L. Lewis, D. Kelly, Co. Copeland, Charles Cherry, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Southerland.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING CALLED
The woman's club of the Church of the Covenant will meet at the club room Monday at 4 p. m. A full attendance is desired as the work for the winter is to be planned.

Mrs. Charles Stephen Brewer announces the marriage of her daughter Catherine Sarah and Hassel Lee Sneed on Wednesday October 24 at high noon at the First Baptist church in Henderson, N. C. They will be home in the Carolina apartments, Wilmington, after November 5.

Ferrell-Ruffin Cards
Invitations reading as follows have been received here: "Mrs. Charles Randolph Thomas requests the honor

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THE STRAIGHTLINE SILHOUETTE

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Follow the straight and narrow—let that be your sartorial motto for the coming season.

This may be the last season for the straightline gown—and the French courtiers devoutly hope it is, but for another six months, it reigns supreme!

Three-piece suits show almost a straight line from shoulders to hem. Afternoon frocks take the pencil for their model. Only the evening frocks for the young and slender, which follow the bouffant line are an exception to the rule.

To the casual eye the styles for the coming winter do not differ greatly from those of the summer, but the discerning eye sees many straws which indicate a change of wind, and the silhouette is changed just enough so that you may easily tell this season's models from last.

Line Has Moved.
The waistline has moved. It does not dwell so near the hips as it did, and any indication of its habitat is entirely obliterated so far as many of the smartest frocks are concerned.

In Worth's collection, you scarcely encounter a belt. The silhouette is straight, back and front, and the necessary fullness is taken care of at the sides in draperies, pleats, or interesting folds.

Jenny shows many beltless models

and others where the front is perfectly plain and the back has a belt dropped very low. Her skirts are very narrow and frequently split at the side to enable ease in walking, the slit being concealed under the ends of a large bow or drapery, or showing a fan-shaped inset of some contrasting color.

Patou is showing many circular ruffles on the bottom of narrow skirts, particularly across the back. These are not circular enough to change the straight effect, but they do give a slight width about the feet, and they proclaim themselves to be this year's models.

As one watches the mannequins in their straightline models, scarcely wider at the hem than they are at the waistline, one realizes these styles will have to be adapted for the average woman, if she depends upon walking as her means of locomotion.

She Mustn't Hurry
The very narrow skirt requires a particularly leisurely, graceful, unhurried walk which the French woman has learned, and which is suited to her mode of living.

The courtiers will tell you frankly that the fuller skirt and closer belt undoubtedly must follow this season, but for the present the well-dressed woman of Paris keeps her silhouette as straight as art can make it.

of your presence at the marriage of her niece, Miss Jane Ruffin, to Mr. Wesley Luther Ferrell, on Saturday, the 22nd day of October, at 8 o'clock in the evening, at St. Paul's church, Winston-Salem, N. C." Enclosed cards read: "Mrs. Charles Randolph Thomas requests the pleasure of your company on Saturday, the 27th day of October, at half after eight o'clock at the Robert E. Lee hotel."

Boardman

Mrs. Rebecca Stephens and daughter, Miss Grace, of Wilmington are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George B. Cromartie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brewer and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, visited relatives in Bennettsville, S. C., recently.

Misses Lottie Pierce and Agnes Thompson spent the week-end at their homes in Hallsboro.

Miss Rachel Grady of Whiteville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Walters, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Herring and family spent Sunday at Maxton with their daughter, Miss Sallie who is attending Carolina college.

Miss Agnes Griffin of Elizabethtown, visited Misses Jessie and Mildred Griffin for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Strange Fields motored to Winston-Salem and Raleigh for a visit to relatives.

Mrs. W. Ross Davis and young son Locke of Whiteville spent Friday with her sister Mrs. W. E. Stone.

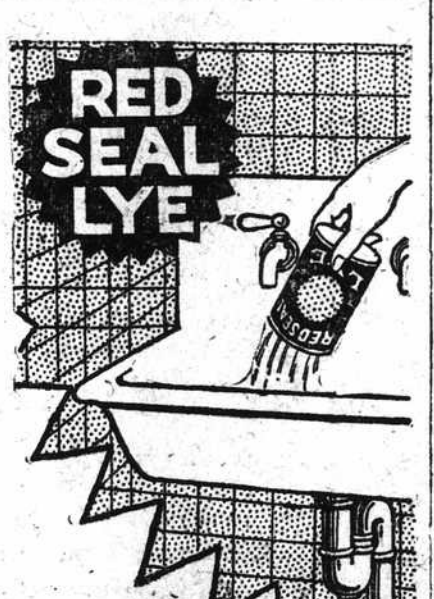
The Women's Annual Meeting of the Cape Fear Columbus association was held in the Baptist church, Friday October the fifth. The meeting was very ably presided over by Mrs. J. L. Memory and opened with devotional exercises by Mrs. Leslie Pierce. The address of welcome was cordially given by Mrs. R. James Edwards and responded to by Mrs. C. A. Usher.

Two beautiful vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Glen F. Strobe, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. J. T. McKenzie. A very interesting talk on "Personal Service," was given by Mrs. I. T. Newton and an "Inspirational Talk," by Mrs. Wesley N. Jones. After this the meeting adjourned for the noon recess and an elegant luncheon was served. The afternoon session opened with devotional exercises by Mrs. W. F. Cox.

Mrs. T. Neil Johnson a returned missionary from China spoke very touchingly of the work of the Baptist college in Shanghai.

A very helpful talk on "Mission Study" was given by Mrs. C. H. Durham. Then came a demonstration by the Boardman Sunbeams. The closing address was "The Importance of Training our Girls for Christian Service," by Mrs. E. A. Moffitt. The delegates were: Mesdames J. R. Williamson, E. A. Moffitt and Ballard of Cerró Bordo; Mesdames S. W. and Leslie Price, Thomas, Brown and J. B. Wyche of Hallsboro; Mesdames R. M. and C. H. Garrel and W. F. Cox of Tabor; Mesdames Alex. Register, G. W. Hester, E. L. Green and W. E. Allen of Clarkton; Mrs. J. H. Jenrette of Hinson's

Cross Roads; Mesdames C. A. Usher, J. J. Hendren, G. F. Strode and S. W. Johnston of Chadbourne; Mesdames I. T. Newton, J. T. McKenzie, J. L. Memory



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When traps clog and all efforts fail to clear them, a little RED SEAL Lye properly applied does the trick every time.

Housewives learn to make RED SEAL Lye do a lot of unpleasant jobs for them. Such as cleaning pots, pans, dishes, silverware, floors, etc.

Write for booklet of proved uses. Full directions in each can. Be sure and buy only the genuine RED SEAL Lye.



and Misses Fay and Mamie Memory of Whiteville. The Missionary sermon was preached in the evening, by Rev. G. V. Stephens of Chadbourne.

(Special to The Star)
JONESBORO, Oct. 13.—Relatives and friends of Dr. Reston Stevenson, formerly of this city, and now of the department of chemistry of the college of the city of New York, will learn with pleasure of the honor recently conferred upon him by the French government, in the form of a decoration, the highest given by that government to any foreigner, and known as "Le Croix de Chevalier de la legion d'Honneur."

This honor was bestowed upon him in recognition of his chemical services, in the French chemical laboratories, when he was detached from the A. E. F. as a captain and later as major.

Dijon, France, is noted chiefly for its gingerbread, where hundreds of shops make more forms and varieties than are found in any other part of the world.



10 Years Go
In 30 minutes—my White Youth Clay

By Edna Wallace Hopper

I was a plain girl, and I made myself a beauty. I grew old, like others, but I kept my wonderful bloom.

Now, after 40 years as a stage star, I still look a girl of 19. All because of beauty aids which French experts perfected.

Now, as a duty to my sex, I offer those helps to others. And I am taking time in a busy life to tell the facts about them.

Clay Did The Most
You read much now about facial clays. Millions of women use them. But they are crude and sandy, like the primitive clays I used many years ago.

They do amazing things. Any woman who omits clay does herself injustice. Nothing else can so multiply beauty or so preserve one's youth.

It is white, refined and dainty. It is French experts after 20 years of study, have perfected a new-type clay. But there are better clays today, brings manifold effects. That is the clay I now use—my White Youth Clay. And to that I owe my baby skin at the age of 62.

Its Magical Effects
Most of you know what clay does. You see beauties everywhere whose complexions are due to clay. You see mothers who look like daughters, grandmothers who look like girls—all because of clay.

Clay purges the skin of all that clogs it—the causes of sallowness, blackheads and blemishes. It constantly renews the skin.

It brings the blood to the skin to nourish and revive it. The result is that rosy afterglow which so amazes and delights. Many women in 30 minutes seem to drop ten years.

Clay firms the skin, combats all lines and wrinkles, reduces enlarged pores.

The ordinary crude and muddy clays do that. Then what may you expect of a new-type clay, at least ten times as effective? You may expect just what it did for me.

Mine is this new-type clay. I call it my White Youth Clay. It is now supplied by all druggists and toilet counters at 50c and \$1 per tube.

Also my Youth Cream, which should follow the clay. My Facial Youth—my famous liquid cleanser. Also my Hair Youth, which brought my luxuriant hair. My Beauty Book comes with each.

My day is nearly over. Now I wish to bring to others the joys I won and keep. Now you can have the very helps which made me what I am. Start today with my Youth Clay, and see what tomorrow brings you. Edna Wallace Hopper. Business address, Waukesha, Wis.



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