

### Mrs. A. H. Powell Entertains For Mrs. E. H. Gibson

FAIR BLUFF, June 27 — Mrs. A. H. Powell entertained at her home on Main street Thursday evening at a bridge party honoring Mrs. E. H. Gibson of Kernersville, who was visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellis Meares.

The home was arranged with summer flowers and during the evening progressive bridge was in play at two tables. Mrs. Eva Jenkins was winner of the high score prize. Mrs. Gibson was presented a guest prize.

Mrs. Powell was assisted in serving by Mrs. E. S. Lloyd, a course which consisted of an ice cream with accessories carried out in the party appointments.

Guests included: Mrs. E. H. Gibson, Mrs. Guy Bailey, Mrs. Sam Scott, Jr., Mrs. Eva Jenkins, Mrs. E. S. Lloyd, Mrs. Eddie Bass, Mrs. Ellis DeVine Meares and Mrs. G. D. Elliot.

Each time a new battleship slides down the ways, 75 tons of rubber go with it—as much rubber as would be used to make more than 17,000 automobile tires.

### Marguerite Day, Robert A. Biddle Announce Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Newton Day, Jr., announce the marriage of their daughter, Marguerite Dorothea, to Robert Anderson Biddle, son of Mrs. Amelia Biddle and the late John W. Biddle of Wilmington.

The wedding took place Sunday, June 7, at Conway, S. C.

### United China Relief Offering Will Be Taken At St. John's Church

The members of St. John's church have received with parish notes a special article and envelope for the United China Relief. A large offering is requested Sunday at both the 7:30 and 11 a. m. services for this worthy purpose.

### Miss Evelyn Polston, William Whitworth Wed

Richard Bryan of Carolina Beach, announces the marriage of his niece, Evelyn Polston, to William H. Whitworth of Fort Myers, Fla.

The couple was married at Marion, S. C., May 29. They are now making their home here, Mr. Whitworth being employed at the North Carolina Shipbuilding company.

### Katherine Hilburn To Wed Julian Tusch

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hilburn of Atkinson, announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine to Julian H. Tusch of Wilmington. Mr. Tusch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tusch of this city. The wedding is planned for the early fall.

### New Bern Coffee And Tea Quotas Increased

NEW BERN, June 27.—Due to the heavy influx of newcomers in this section because of service camps and defense projects, coffee and tea quotas have been increased. Representative Graham A. Barden has announced.

The present quota of 75 per cent of 1941 sales for coffee and 50 per cent for tea has been increased 40 per cent by the Office of Price Administration, the congressman said.

### WILL REOPEN HEARINGS

NEW YORK, June 27.—Col. Arthur V. McDermott, city director of Selective Service, said today that a local draft board will reopen hearings to consider the protest of Marshall Field against the induction of Ralph Ingersoll, 41 year old editor of the New York Daily Newspaper p.m. McDermott said he recommended the action after a review of all records in the case.

A new process recently has been developed which yields 50 per cent more 100 ounce ful from a given amount of synthetics than at present.

## Modes Of The Moment

By Dorothy Roe



**IT'S A NIGHTGOWN!**  
Rebel Randall shows what the well-dressed dream girl wears for midsummer slumbers—a white organza slumbergown, its full skirt trimmed with inset stripes of pink grosgrain ribbon. This is part of an all-cotton wardrobe designed for a new Hollywood musical by Raoul Rene du Bois.

### Fair Bluff

FAIR BLUFF, June 27 — Misses Eva Rogers and Fannie Grey Townsend are spending the week at Myrtle Beach.—Miss Ida Townsend is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. T. Fintlea in Florence, S. C.—Mrs. Elbert N. Johnson has her house guests her sisters, Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson of Meredith college, Raleigh, and Mrs. J. S. Farmer of Raleigh.—Mrs. Aubrey Waddell and little son, Wilton, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Chauncy Barcliff in Wilmington.—Wade Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rogers, left Monday for the Naval Training station in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Townsend had visiting them for several days their daughter, Mrs. Leo Buie and small son, Steve, of Bladenboro.—Mrs. Mattie E. Walker has returned to her home in Petersburg, Va., after a visit of several weeks here to her sister, Miss Helen Elvington.—L. H. Williams of Camp Davis is spending a few days at his home in Fair Bluff.—Mrs. Emily R. Powell has returned from a few week's visit to her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Powell in Alexandria, Va., and to Jonesboro, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Pate.—Mr. and Mrs. John Cole of Conway, S. C., were guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Floyd.

Miss Clara Waddell has returned from Raleigh, where she has been the guest of Miss Armstrong, part of her week's vacation.—Miss Eva Rogers has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William E. Cottle in Raleigh.—Miss Mary Elizabeth Johnson has returned from a Lumberton hospital, where she was a patient for a few days.—Mrs. Robert Powell and daughters, Jean, Bobbie and Pansy Powell, of Marion, S. C., were visitors in the city Sunday.—Miss Virginia Lee Floyd of Barnesville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Ford.—Mrs. Harvey Tucker and daughter, Margaret of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived Friday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tucker.

Mrs. J. B. Prince returned Monday from Columbia, S. C., after a visit of two weeks to her daughter, Mrs. W. Y. Bryan. Mr. Prince went up for the week-end.—Hubert Rogers, Jr., is spending some time at Lake Waccamaw visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Townsend, Jr.—Little Miss Sue Lou Edwards has returned to Wilmington after a visit here to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Elvington.—Miss Evelyn Jenkins returned Tuesday from a trip to Tampa, Fla.—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mosses, on Riverside have as their guest, Mrs. Caldwell and son, Jack, from Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Mollie Rogers of Society Hill, S. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. R. Prince.—E. C. Britt of Charleston, S. C., spent last week-end in the city with his family.—Mrs. Cornie Rogers returned last week from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Robb Waller in Norfolk, Va.—Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey were visitors for the day Thursday in Jacksonville and Wilmington.—Miss Juanita Grainger is visiting relatives in Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gibson left Sunday for their home in Kernersville, after a visit of two weeks at Myrtle Beach and to Mrs. Gibson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Meares in Fair Bluff.—Miss Ida Townsend will leave in a few days for Columbia university where she will attend summer school.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ford and little daughter are back from a week's vacation to relatives in Laurens and Camden, S. C.—F. A. Turner returned Saturday from Washington, D. C., where he visited his daughter, Miss Ida Turner.—Floyd Collins is at home after a week's stay at Thompson's hospital following an appendectomy.

### So You Want To Dye Your Hair; Why Not, If It Pleases You?

By ALICIA HART NEA Service Staff Writer

Women living as far apart as New York and Minnesota ask me, at the same time, "How can I tint my hair a desired color without dyeing it?" and, "Should I dye my hair to get a good wartime job for which I believe a woman with graying hair wouldn't be considered?"

I'd say to both, and to all women who are worrying over gray hair: Nobody but you can or should make the decision for you; and you should be able to make the decision easily in the light of a few facts.

#### DYEING IS NOT A STIGMA TODAY

The first fact to consider is that dyed hair is not nowadays the hazard-fraught, obvious, stigmatized thing it was to your mother and grandmother—if it is done well and cared for properly. I know several women who dye their tresses, but whose best friends don't know it.

However—and here is the second fact to consider—gray hair is not the tattletale of "age" that it once was, either. The "life begins at 40" philosophy has been spreading for some time, and you watch the war give it a terrific push.

People are beginning to think in terms of "middle life" instead of "middle age." And I mean people generally, including employers and including very charm-conscious, charm-valuing men and women. So, don't go rushing off to dye

hair in desperation at the mistaken notion that gray locks relegate a woman to limbo.

Now, if you nevertheless prefer to dye your hair, and cooperate, there should be nothing to worry about. Be sure to do these things:

#### REACH YOUR OWN DECISION

1. Don't let anyone persuade you to change the color of your hair. Make up your mind, and tell the expert you choose, that you want your hair as close to the natural, original color as can be achieved. (And that is plenty close!)

2. Plan now to have your hair re-colored often. It would be a good idea to arrange for this when you have the hair dyed. For this re-coloring is the whole secret of satisfaction. How often it is done depends on how fast your hair grows. As soon as untinted hair emerges from the scalp enough to show, even at a distance—well, obviously you cannot go around with gray streaks at the scalp.

3. If your budget cannot take frequent re-colorings, ask the expert who dyes your hair to suggest a dye which you can apply at home between visits to the salon for expert re-coloring. And be sure that the expert who suggests this home-use preparation shows you how to use it.

Work on the long-projected highway from the United States to Alaska through Canada has started after approval by the joint United States-Canadian Board.

### Women's Clubs District Meets Are Announced

MOUNT GILEAD, June 27.—Mrs. Pressley Robinson Rankin, president of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, has released to district presidents of the organization dates set for the 16 district meetings.

"Of course there is no guarantee," Mrs. Rankin states, "that the meetings can be carried out exactly as scheduled, on account of transportation conditions that may exist at that time; however, in view of the many demands upon clubwomen for their assistance in the war effort, as well as the need for carrying on as nearly as possible the regular club work, it is necessary that the meetings be held."

All meetings will be held in October, beginning with that of the fifth district in Troy on the 2nd. Other meetings are scheduled for Canton the 6th, Asheville the 7th, Lenoir the 8th, Mount Holly the 9th, Salisbury the 13th, Greensboro the 14th, Hemp the 15th, Clarkton the 16th, Clinton the 20th, Mount Olive the 21st, Beaufort the 22nd, Manteo the 27th, Powellsville the 28th, Macon the 29th and Wendell the 30th.

The fall executive board meeting of the Federation and the annual Council-Institute will be held in Raleigh Sept. 28-30.

### Miss Doris Newell, M. B. Stewart Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Newell of Bolton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris, to M. B. Stewart of Lillington and Columbia. The wedding will take place in the Columbia Methodist church, July 12, at 8:30 in the morning.

### ENGAGED

CONCORD, June 27.—(P)—The engagement of Miss Jane Morrison Harris of Concord to Rep. Joseph Edward Hendricks, of the Fifth Florida district, was announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brevard Ervin Harris. The wedding will take place in the fall.

### Miss Nell Batson Engaged To Marry Ernest H. Spencer

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Batson of Castle Hayne, announce the engagement of their daughter, Nell, to Ernest H. Spencer of this city and Camp Lee, Va.

Mr. Spencer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Spencer of Wilmington.

The wedding to take place in the early fall.

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