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## The R. M. Haddon Co. OPENING, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY March 26 and 27.

OUR MAMMOTH AND ATTRACTIVE DISPLAY OF

## French Pattern Hats and Beautiful Millinery

will be open and ready for inspection by the Ladies of Abbeville and surrounding country on the above dates.

### The DRESS GOODS Department

has been selected with great care, and we will have on exhibition FANCY CHIFFON PANAMA in all the leading shades. Colored Mohairs in tan, navy blue, and light grey. A beautiful line of Fancy Checked English Suitings, also some very handsome Voiles in black, royal blue, cream and tan.

### Our Stock of Black Dress Goods and Mourning Goods.

is very full. We have in this department BLACK CRISPINE CHIFFON PANAMA, FRENCH BATISTE and Black Mohair.

Our Silk Department is very full and attractive. We have a full supply, black, solid, colors, and checks. In fact we have a full line of Silks in all the leading shades for Ladies' Shirt Waists. Be sure to see our display on Opening Days.

We cordially invite all the Ladies to visit our store and see our handsome display on Opening Days.

### THE R. M. HADDON COMPANY.

"In 1897 I had a stomach disease. Some physicians said Dyspepsia, some Consumption. One said I would not live until Spring. For four years I existed on boiled milk, soda biscuits, and doctors' prescriptions. I could not digest anything I ate; then I picked up one of your Almanacs and it happened to be my life-saver. I bought a fifty-cent bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received from that bottle all the gold in Georgia could not buy. In two months I went back to my work as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. May you live long and prosper."—C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga.; 1906. The above is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by Kodol for Dyspepsia. It is sold here by C. A. Milford.

**Worked Like a Charm.**  
Mr. D. N. Walker, editor of that spicy journal, the Enterprise, Louisiana; says: "I ran a nail in my foot last week and at once applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. No inflammation followed; the salve simply healed the wound." Heals every sore, burn and skin disease. Guaranteed at P. B. Speed's Druggist. 25c.

For weak kidneys and lame back use DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Best for lumbago, rheumatism, bladder and other troubles arising from bad blood. They cleanse the kidneys and clear the system. Indorsed and sold by C. A. Milford.

**WHEN IT COMES TO The ACTUAL SHOW DOWN**

No tobacco ever made can surpass our Plug, Twist and Smoking. Wherever exhibited in competition with the world, they have never failed to win the gold medal for their general excellence, high quality and for their decided superiority over all competing brands. "SHOW DOWN" is one of the coming brands of America. Only a few years old, its unrivalled qualities have made it one of the leading sellers over all other fine-cured plugs. It thoroughly satisfies and perfectly suits everybody and all classes. Sold at 10c and 15c per plug or 5c cuts.

Always buy "SHOW DOWN," and save the tags. There is many an article you need for your comfort or entertainment which these tags get for you without cost.

A copy of our 1907 premium catalogue, which is one of the largest and most attractive ever gotten out by a tobacco manufacturer, will be mailed to any address in the United States on receipt of only 4c in postage stamps or 5 of the tags we are redeeming.

**Hancock Bros. & Co., Lynchburg, Va.**

**School Improvement.**  
Abbeville, S. C. Feb. 12, 1907.  
The School Improvement Association has decided to offer 15 prizes in the schools of the State for the most decided material improvement during the given length of time. Five of the prizes are to be \$100 each and ten are to be \$50 each. Regulations concerning the 15 prizes that are to be awarded by this association are as follows:

1. Improvements must be made between Jan. 1 and Nov. 15, 1907.
2. Prizes will be awarded to schools where the most decided material improvements have been made during the time mentioned.
3. Under the material improvements are included local taxation, consolidation, new buildings, libraries, interior decorations, sanitary yards, and better general equipment.
4. No school can compete for any of these prizes unless it is a rural school. No town or city with more than 500 population shall be eligible to the contest.
5. All who wish to enter this contest must send names and descriptions of schools, before improvements are made, to the president, prior to October 1.
6. All descriptions, photographs and other evidences showing improvements must be sent to the president before November 1.
7. Prizes will be awarded in checks sent by December 1. The prizes are to be used for further improvements in the schools receiving them.

Mary T. Nance, Pres.  
Abbeville, S. C.

**Precautions to Observe in the Sick room—How to Avoid Contagion.**  
The person caring for one sick with a disease highly infectious should not mingle at all with the children of a family unaffected with the disease and as little as possible with adults. The utter dress of the nurse should be of cotton, that can be washed easily; never of wool. The dress should be changed when obliged to go in other parts of the house. No food or drink that has been in the sickroom should be eaten by any other person, and the person fulfilling the office of nurse should never eat without previous and thorough washing of face and hands. This particularly in typhoid, where the disease is always communicated through the mouth. A good supply of towels, soap and two basins, one containing a solution of chloride of lime and the other pure water, should always be on hand for frequent and immediate use. All dishes used by the patient should be kept separate from those used by the family and scrupulously cleansed in boiling water.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not grip or sicken. Recommended and sold here by C. A. Milford.

Waterman's Fountain Pens the best on earth at Milford's Drug Store.

#### DDE WEST.

Miss Fannie Strother, of Saluda Co. was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Cowan.  
Miss Purdy came up from Abbeville and attended the Amelian Celebration Monday night.  
Rev. N. J. Holmes was over from Laurens and officiated at the Sullivan-Ervin marriage on Wednesday.  
Mr. J. T. McDill and family expect to move into their new house on Bonner street, this week. They have one of the most beautiful and modern homes in Due West.  
Messrs. R. C. Brownlee and R. S. Galloway went to Greenville Wednesday to meet with the Southern railway magistrates.  
Miss Hattie Caldwell returned last week from Lincolnton, N. C. where she has been with friends for some months.  
Mr. J. R. Devlin and Edgar McCullough have returned from an extended visit to Sanford, Fla. They report a most delightful time.  
Mr. John Sitton spent a night in town with his sister, Mrs. Caldwell. Mr. Sitton's friends will be glad to know that he has decided to locate near by, having recently purchased a home in Greenville.  
Mrs. J. O. C. Fleming, of Laurens, is with her mother, Mrs. Jane Todd, who has been confined to her bed with Grippe.  
Rev. T. C. Atchison, pastor of the Second U. P. Church in Baltimore, was the guest of Dr. J. S. Moffatt for a short while. He preached one night at the Female College.  
Mrs. Frank Kerr and son came up from Cedar Springs with Miss Emily Mills to take in the Castalian Celebration.  
Mrs. Fannie Presely visited friends at Long Cane last week.  
Mr. Homer Blackwell, one of the rising young lawyers of Laurens, paid his homefolks a visit last week.  
Mr. Sam Rabb, principal of the Sharon school came up to see the ball game Saturday.  
Mr. Mack Nickles of Abbeville and Mr. Jeff Nickles of Anderson spent Sabbath with their parents in Due West.  
Mr. S. Dandridge and Mr. Guyn came over from Rock Hill to take in the Celebration.  
Miss Swartz has arrived and will take charge of the millinery department in Mr. W. W. Edwards store.  
Miss Lizzie Cochran, of this place, visited homefolks last week.  
Mr. F. A. Carville was the guest of friends at Means Chapel.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Abbeville have been visiting their daughter Mrs. W. C. Doty.  
Mr. Charles Young, of Florida, has been the guest, for several days, of his sister, Mrs. J. T. McDill.  
Miss Mamie Martia has closed her term as assistant teacher to her sister, Miss Ora Martin the number of pupils not being large enough to justify two teachers.  
Piedmont and Erskine played ball here Saturday afternoon, the score being 16 to 4 in favor of Erskine.  
Mrs. Walker returned last week from Charlotte, where she went on the death of her daughter, Mrs. Ray.  
Mrs. Daisy Belle Ragsdale was down from Anderson last week with her mother Mrs. T. J. Bell.  
Mr. Martin G. Giffen expects to leave shortly for Wyoming to visit his brother, Rev. Bruce J. Giffen, who is preaching in that State.  
Miss Eula Kay of Lowndesville, was visiting friends in town last week. Quite a large crowd was out last Monday evening to the Amelian Celebration. The weather was ideal and the people came from a distance. The stage was tastily decorated in pennants made of the society colors, purple and gold.  
The program consisted of essays, readings and debates, all of which showed much study and careful preparation.  
An especial feature of the evening was the music, furnished by the Alumnae of the society.

**BELLEVEUE.**  
Mr. Norman Cason and Miss Sallie Cason, were guests of Mrs. Cowan Thursday.  
Mrs. Mattison and children, of McCormick, have been on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Britt.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradley spent Monday with relatives in Long Cane.  
Mr. Reagan of Troy is painting some of the buildings at Lethe.  
Mr. W. Kennedy was in Abbeville last week attending court.  
Dr. J. B. Britt came home from Columbia Thursday where he had been attending the medical Association.  
Mr. W. P. Wideman and Mrs. Fannie Thomson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morrah Wednesday.  
Capt. McBride of Willington passed through Bellevue Thursday enroute to Abbeville.  
Mrs. Ada Kennedy spent Saturday with her mother.  
Prof. and Mrs. M. E. Bradley of Clemson spent Friday in Abbeville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bradley.  
The Ladies Missionary Society of Long Cane at their last meeting elected Miss Carrie Cowan and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy delegates to the Womans Missionary Union, which meets in April at Louisville, Ga.  
The young peoples Christian Union met at Bellevue school house Sabbath afternoon, Miss Emma Wardlaw read an address on "The Life of Paul".  
At this writing Dr. Lesley Watson is critically ill at his home in Lebanon.  
Mr. C. J. Britt was in McCormick Wednesday on business.  
Mr. Black of Anderson was in this community Thursday sampling cotton.  
Rev. H. J. Ranson and Rev. R. F. Bradley were in Bellevue Friday afternoon. Mr. Ranson is canvassing the churches in the A. R. P. Synod, for the equipment of the Home Mission work at Spartanburg.  
Mr. R. B. Cheatham visited the schools in this section on Tuesday.

**WEDNESDAY**  
March 27.

**TUESDAY**  
March 26.

## Millinery Opening

We extend to all the ladies of Abbeville County a cordial invitation to visit our store on the above dates, when we will show the prettiest line of Spring Millinery ever shown in our city. At this opening you will see the best collection of stylish Hats we have ever shown. Hats to please everybody. We will show you also on this date the prettiest and most complete stock of Dress Goods in this city.

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| <b>Dress Goods</b><br>50 inch Chiffon Panama, blue, 50c per yard.<br>50 inch Chiffon Panama, black, 50c per yard.<br>A beautiful line of Mohairs in all the leading colors at 50c yd.                      | <b>Silks</b><br>We have just received about \$1,000 worth silks. We think it is the prettiest collection ever brought to Abbeville.<br><b>Laces</b><br>50 bolts all-linen Lace 5c yd.<br>50 bolts German Torchon Laces 3c.<br>The prettiest line of val and round thread laces we have ever shown. A big lot to select from. | <b>Embroideries</b><br>We cannot do the stock justice by trying to describe it in this advertisement, but a look will convince you that we have the best selected stock of embroideries ever brought to Abbeville. |
| <b>Bleaching</b><br>1 yd wide Bleach Homespun 8c yd.<br>1 yd wide Lonsdale Cambric 10c yd.<br>1 yd wide unbleached Homespun 8c yd.<br>27 inch bleach Homespun 5c yd.<br>27 inch unbleached Homespun 5c yd. | <b>Organdie Lawns</b><br>Beautiful sheer figured organdie lawns a large stock to select from, consisting of the prettiest patterns we have ever shown at 10c yd.   | <b>Table Linen</b><br>72 inch pure linen Damask 75c yd.<br>72 inch pure linen Damask unbleached 60c yd.<br>Napkins to match.   |
| <b>Collars</b><br>A large collection of Collars from 5c up to 50c each. Box Ruching, six pieces to box, 25c box. Linen embroidered collars 25c each.   | <b>Belts</b><br>We have gotten in two shipments belts already. New lot just received. We are sure we can please you.   | <b>Gloves</b><br>Long silk gloves in black, white and grey at 75c.<br>16 button lavender gloves \$1.50.<br>16 button pink gloves \$1.50.<br>We have the long kid gloves also.                                      |
| <b>Linens</b><br>36 inch blue Costume Linen 25c yd.<br>36 inch brown Costume Linen 25c.<br>27 inch blue Costume Linen 20c yd.<br>We have a big stock of linen lawns from 30c to 75c yd.                    | <b>Lawns</b><br>40 inch white Lawn 10c yd.<br>40 inch Persian Lawn 15c yd.<br>40 inch French Lawn 15c yd.<br>We have a big line of the nicer qualities, and we know if you will examine our stock you will be convinced that we have them at right prices.   | <b>Towels</b><br>Pure linen towels 18x36 inches 25c.<br>Turkish bath towels 15c.<br>A first-class towel only 10c.<br>Towelings all grades from 5c yd up.   |
| <b>Sheeting</b><br>10-4 Sheeting 25c yd.<br>10-4 Sheeting, best, 30c yd.<br>5-4 Pillow Casing 15c yd.  |  | <b>Ready-made Underwear</b><br>We have a beautiful gown at \$1. Corset Covers 25c up to 60c. Ready-made Aprons 20c each.   |

**OUR LINE OF Oxfords and Low Cuts**  
For Women and Children

Is complete. At no other store can you find the exclusive styles and economical prices. We extend a special invitation to the ladies to call and examine our stock.

**Philson, Henry & Co.**

**Dargan's 5 & 10c Store.**

**MARCH 26 & 27** We will offer special our various Lines of DINNER WARE.

To the Lady who buys one of our Bassett China Dinner Sets, or one of our English Sets, or who gives us an order for either of the 6 Patterns of the lovely Theodore Havaland Sets, of which we have the samples. We will give FREE, her choice of the following: 1 dozen Ice Tea Glasses with Saucers, or 1-2 Quart Ice Cream Freezer, or 1 Year Subscription to the Ladies Home Journal and Munsey's Magazine.

**SPRING.**

With each Spring House cleaning, even in the best ordered home, it is found that a certain amount of breakage cannot be escaped. While in few households does the Mistress not find additions she must make. The many attractions we now have in stock will aid you to wonderfully brighten up each room in the house.

**Red Band Brand Candies** always fresh.

**Ice Cream Freezers.** Lightening, White Mountain, Blizzard and American Twin Freezers now in.

**Toilet Soaps.** We are showing a strong line of fine Soaps 5 and 10 cents.

**Window Shades.** Regulation length Window Shades just in for the special price 15 cts.

**When the news of Spring Weddings reaches you don't forget that at this Store you can find correctly priced lovely cut glass and odd pieces of fine imported China.**

**DARGANS 5 & 10c STORE.**

