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I WE Y'S Society

Holiday Trade in Full Tide Mr. John J. Adams, who has been under treatment in a New York hospital for several weeks is expected back before the end of the year.

We are getting in new Holiday Goods by every express and freight. You dent at the Jefferson Medical College will find a better selection here and at the Annex than we have ever

of opening the property of the opening of BOTH MAIN STORE AND ANNEX OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL

SPECIAL WHITE WAIST MADRAS

Received this morning shipment fine mercerized Madras Waisting, regular 40c grade 29c yard

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MILLINERY FOR THE HOLIDAY

We have a lot fresh, pretty, stylish Millinery just from the workroom.

The prices are much less than earlier in the season.

We sold out of our \$1.50 Fur Turbans, and so have reduced our \$2.00 Tur-

Black Hats have been very scarce. We have plenty of them now.

SALEABLE COAT SUITS

We are selling lots of them because we have the Suit you want. A fine lot of lately bought stylish Suits at very attractive prices.



\$18.75 Suits

We would like for you to compare these with others "reduced to \$20 and \$25." A wide variety of choice from our on West Trade street. They will be best Tailors, about 25 Suits in the lot worth up to \$30. Price National Guard of North Carolina and **\$**18.75.

\$25 Suits

season's newest models, and ed near Cincinnati, will arrive in the city to-morrow morning and will be in honor of the ladies Thursday eventhe popular cloths, fancy mat- home of Mrs. John Wilkes during the erials, quiet neat shadow Stripes, Plain Cloths, Blacks the city for the holidays and is with and Colors. Many of these on South Tryon street. Miss Oliver are regular \$30 to \$37.50 grades. Choice \$25.00.

\$15.00 Suits

Severely Tailored, Plain Shadow Stripe, Hard Finish Material, Good Length, a great seller. If you want an inexpensive, durable Suit, and yet one that any lady could wear anywhere, you will certainly be \$15 pleased...

\$10.00 Suits

Never made to sell at this price, but we bought them cheap. Good Tailoring, Nice Materials, worth \$10 much more....

THE HOLIDAY ANNEX

We are much pleased over the sales at the Annex. It simply shows that people will surely find a place that has such a lot of attractive goods on which they can save so much money.

Rich Cut Glass, Fine and cheaper China, odd Vases, unique pieces China, Brass Jardinieres, etc., Dolls, Drums, etc., etc.

Princess Dresses

The very latest in Satin and Cloth Dresses. Indications point to these for next seasons \$15 to \$40 dressy wear. We have a nice line.....

Special Ladies Coats

We have made a rack and put on it a lot of our best selling evening, December 22d, at 8 o'clock. coats. We have too many and offer this special to reduce stock. Blacks and Colors of the seasons best styles, were \$12.50 to \$15.00 Choice

We have lately received a lot of Choice Coats from an overstocked manufactureer. Price were up \$5.00 to \$7.50

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HANDKE RCHIEFS

The most attractive line we have shown. Initial Handkerchiefs, Men's and Ladies.

Special all Linen Ladies Initial Handkerchief.... 15c Special Handkerchief 5c, 10c, 25c, etc All conveniently displayed, where you can easily select.

Mr. Henderson Irwin, who is a stuat Philadelphia, is at home to spend the holidays with his friends, Dr. and Mrs. John R. Irwin.

Rev. A. A. McGeechy will be absent his week, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, He win be back to fill his pulpit on Sunday next.

Miss Ruth Lillard left this morning for Lenoir to attend the Gwyn-Hickerson wedding on Wednesday. Miss tor there. The wedding will be quiet -There will be no prayer meeting

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Richardson left Richardson will spend the holidays

Mrs. John J. Pelzer and little son, John J. Pelzer, Jr., who have been making Charlotte their home for several months, leave this afternoon to join Mr. Pelzer at West Hoboken, N. J. Mr. Pelzer was with the Farbenfabriken, of Elberfield Co., in this city and has been transferred to the New York office. Their Char-

Miss Mary Graham has returned throughout the day. herself for primary teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnston, of Richmond, Va., have arrived in the No Club Meeting This Week. city and are with Miss Julia Robertson, here until after Christmas.

Mrs. Robertson, who are living in Raleigh, have arrived in Charlotte for the U. C. T. Invitations. holidays and are with Miss Julia Rob-

the guest of Miss Minta Jones, at the

Miss Florence Oliver has arrived in her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oliver, is a student at Vassar.

In Honor Mrs. Alexander and Miss

Mrs. W. W. Phifer will entertain this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Thomas W. Alexander, nee Spruill, and Miss Mary Davidson, of Quincy, Fla. The latter is visiting Mrs. P. P. Zimmerman. She stopped in Charlotte on her way home after an absence of six months in Europe.

For Mrs. Alexander. Misses Sophia, Violet and Julia Alexander will be at home to-morrow afternoon in honor of Mrs. Thomas

W. Alexander. In Honor Miss Myers.

Mrs. George Stephens will entertain at cards to-morrow afternoon in honor of her sister, Miss Mary Morgan Myers who has returned home from St. Mary's in Raleigh, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Myers, on East Avenue.

Holiday Dance. The College boys of Charlotte who

are home for the Christmas vacation will give a dance Wednesday evening at the Selwyn hotel complimentary to the young ladies of Charlotte and the visitors. Neat engagement cards have been distributed among the boys.

Messrs. Mcrehead Jones and Kenneth Tanner are managers of the dance. The floor committee is composed of Messrs. George Wilson, chairman: Jack Watters and Horance John-

The following ladies have been asked to chaperone: Mrs. Nalle, Mrs. Todd Mrs. Butt, Mrs. Charles Alexander Mrs. Van Ness and Miss Lucy Oates. King-McManus.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. King, of McBee, S. C., have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Elma and Dr. Amos A. McManus. The vedding will be celebrated on the 31st of December.

A Christmas Play. The Light Bearers of Tryon Street church will give a little play, "The Sorrows of Santa Claus," on Tuesday Those taking part are:

Kathleen Sterne Santa Claus Florence Flint Mother Goose Virginia IveyJenny Wren Aileen ButtJack Frost Mary PageThe Man in the Moon. Isabel Ardrey The Clerk of the Weather

Isabel McCallRobinson Crusoe B. D. Heath, Jr.Friday Julia FlintMother Shipton Benetta HeathPocahontas Virginia Davis ...Lo, the Poor Indian Robin KirbyRip Van Winkle Julia HagoodDick Whittington

Pearle Abernathy Captain Kidd William HagoodRobin Hood Mrs. B. D. Heath trained the children and has also arranged a musical by Lillian Boyer, Aileen Butt, Benetta Heath, Julia Hagood and others.

Fain-LeGrande. Miss Lillian Fain, of Dallas, Ga., will be married to Mr. Torrance Le Grande, of Concord, at noon on Christmas eve. The marriage will take place at the home of the bride's father, in Dallas, and the ceremony will be performed by Rev. Mr. Bailey, the Methodist pas-



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there with her parents. Mr. Richard- making a success in the Southern cotson will return to Charlotte before ton mill industry and is at present superintendent of the Hanover Manu- ula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to facturing Company, of Concord, at impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters which city the young people will es- is a cleansing blood tonic. Makes you tablish their home early in the new clear-eyed,

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Celebrating.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Craig, of profanity won't cure them. Doan's Gastonia, are celebrating today the Ointment cures itching, bleeding or fiftieth anniversary, or golden wedding protruding piles after years of sufferanniversary of their marriage. No in- ing. At any drug store. lotte friends regret very much to vitations were issued but their friends were all invited to call at their hospitable home, which will be kept open regularly, Doan's Regulets will prevent

ham, on North Brevard street. Miss E. W. Mellon and family, Mr. and Mrs. for them. 25c. Graham is attending the Teacher's T. M. Shelton and children, Messrs. College in New York, further preparing Robert and John M. Craig; also Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Craig, of Statesville, ache or pain of burn or scald in five Mrs. Archibald Brady, of El Reno.

The Woman's club has no meeting Oil, monarch over pain. scheduled for this-Christmas week. The civics department will hold a meeting Wednesday morning, Decem-Adjutant General T. R. Robertson, ber the 30th, which is the next on the

Cards reading as follows have been

sent out: About 100 choice Suits, the Miss Bessie Rossell, daughter of Major W. T. Rossell, U. S. A., station-No. 297, request the honor of your ing. December the 31st, at half past eight o'clock, Selwyn Hotel. The din-The reception committee is compos-

ner will be followed by a german. ed of the following couples: Mr. and Mrs. Luke Seawell, Mr. and Mrs. L W. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Schiffff. Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watt, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eaves, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shannonhouse, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Littlefield Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dorr, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stokes. Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. C. O.

MR. M'LEAN LEAVES. Member of News Staff Goes to Hat

tiesburg, Miss. Mr. J. T. McLean, who has for year and longer been a member of the local staff of The News, has accepted a positon in the business office of the Hattiesburg, Miss., News, and left yes terday to take up his duties there Mr. McLean is a good newspaper man, kindly, courteous, obliging and full of energy and ne leaves a large circle of firiends behind him, who regret to

see him get so far away from the old Tar Heel base. He not only has a nose for news but he often puts : touch of subtile, delicate humor in his "stories," which make him an at tractive writer when he "lavs himself out" on a "story". The News regrets to part with Mr. McLean but wishes him well in his new field. Scottish Rite Masons,

One of the most important meetings of the year in Masonic circles will be that of the Scottish Rite Masons on Dec. 28th and 29th. Degrees in the following ranks will be conferred: Charlotte Lodge Perfection, No. 2; Mecklenburg Chapter, Rose Croix, No. 1; Charlotte Council, Kadosh, No. 1 and Carolina Consistory, No. 1.

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