

ABOUT OUR Town!

G. C. Hyder says he sells goods at Lake Toxaway as a consequence of his ad. in The Hustler.

The Congressional Records received at this office are the best thing in the world with which to start the office fires.

Miss Nettie LeGrand has been giving some dainty little boxes of the famous Steere's chocolates to her friends—a delicious confection, satisfying in every way.

Of the five prisoners who left the Hotel de Jail, but one has returned—the Preacher, altho' strenuous efforts to locate the others are being made.

J. O. Williams, undoubtedly one of the most reliable merchants of this State, has something to say in this issue. You'd better read it!

A day or so of mean, wet weather, and then the same glorious sunshine as of old! That's Hendersonville weather while its blizzards and snow and zero weather in the North and West.

The big dynamo and other machinery of the Hotel Wheeler plant, has been taken out of the hotel and shipped to Asheville. 'Twas a big job, but Charley Hamilton of the Star Wood and Dray Co., managed it easily and successfully—of course.

The Flat Rock road from the railroad tracks to the last bridge is in a most deplorable condition. One of the main traveled roads, it sadly needs attention, and a man with a wheelbarrow even could soon remedy those terrific ruts.

Mr. Pless to Leave.

Mr. Chas. E. Pless will leave this town shortly and open a large book and stationery store in Winston, N. C., where Mr. Pless considers the prospects for such an enterprise extremely flattering.

Mr. Pless left for New York on Tuesday to buy his stock for his new store, which he will open on February 1st.

For the present Mr. Pless will continue his present business in Hendersonville.

The many friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Pless will regret exceedingly to hear of their departure. Mr. Pless has given the town a book store worthy of the name in every particular and of which towns many times the size of Hendersonville may not boast, but they know he will be as eminently successful in his new field as he has been here.

Hendersonville's Missionary.

This goodly city can now claim the distinction of having a missionary of her own in Korea, and Rev. J. W. Moore, the zealous and beloved pastor of the Methodist church is a very happy man. He had been working and praying to this end for some time, and last Sunday week laid the matter before his congregation.

It was announced that \$600 would have to be raised for foreign missions, in order to support a missionary. In a short time about \$400 of this amount was subscribed, and since then the balance has been secured, and the church has assumed the support of a splendid young South Carolinian, Rev. M. B. Stokes who is already in Korea, and doing wonderful work for the cause of God and humanity.

Our community is certainly blessed with live, working churches, and able, zealous pastors. All of them are doing nobly in the great work of winning the world for Christ, and all good people will rejoice at this evidence of the fact.

The farmers are invited to call and see me. J. R. Willson.

Brick for sale at retail at J. R. Willson's.

Car load of Cypress Lath at J. R. Willson's.

An offering of THIS Seasons' Ladies' and Misses' Coats at two-thirds their price and one-fourth their value

COATS AT COST!

The nobbiest line ever shown in Hendersonville, all this season's goods, at almost your own price

READ THESE PRICES

LADIES' LONG BLACK COATS

3 coats, \$12.50 coats, for	\$8.50
5 coats, 12.00 coats, for	8.00
4 coats, 8.00 coats, for	5.00
12 coats, 5.00 coats, for	3.00

TANS AND MODES

8 coats, \$12.00 coats, for	\$7.50
8 coats, 10.00 coats, for	6.50
5 coats, 9.00 coats, for	6.00
9 coats, 7.50 coats, for	3.75

MISSES

5 coats, \$2.50 coats, for	\$1.50
6 coats, 5.00 coats, for	3.00
5 coats, 4.00 coats, for	2.00

These Coats are of many beautiful designs, the very last word in style, were bought at a very low price and are offered at cost. We believe they are the biggest bargains ever offered in the city, and urge you to call and inspect them. We might talk an hour—to be convinced that here is a legitimate, bona fied reduction in seasonable merchandise, we ask you to inspect the coats yourself.

J. O. WILLIAMS

Dry Goods and Coats

Main Street

ABOUT People.

H. S. Bruin has gone to Canton for a few weeks.

Look for J. W. Cairnes' announcement in this paper next week.

BORN—To Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Wilcox, on January seventh, a daughter, Agnes.

Mr. Chas. E. Pless left for New York, Tuesday, and will return in about ten days.

P. W. Hart, Flat Rock, fell from a chair one day last week, in his home, and broke his arm.

J. D. Dermid, the county school superintendent, left last week for a short vacation in Florida.

S. Johnson has some beautiful Arnold's silks at his store for only 25 cents a yard—silks made to sell at 50 cents.

Misses Fannie and Jessie Wheeler, of Asheville, were the guests of Miss Helen Christian and Miss Grace Bate Wednesday.

BORN—To Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Liverett, of Des Moines, Iowa, on New Year's Day, a son, who now answers to the call of Wilbur Maurice Liverett.

The smiling face of Mr. E. C. Ingram and his brother are again seen on our streets. Mr. Ingram says he is glad to be back in "God's Country."

Hon. A. Cannon left on Monday for Raleigh, called there by his duties as a member of the legislative committee of the State Board of Agriculture.

Dr. P. L. Cusachs, of Naples, left last week for Little Rock, Ark., where he has accepted the professorship of pharmacy and bacteriology of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of that place.

The annual sermon to the Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be delivered at the Baptist Church, 3 p. m. Sunday, by Dr. Hughes. There will be special music and the public generally and the Odd Fellows especially, are invited to attend. The collection taken will be for the benefit of the Orphanage at Goldsboro, recently burned, entailing a loss of \$30,000.

Dr. Atkins, presiding elder of the Asheville district, preached at the Methodist Church, Sunday morning and night, and held the quarterly Conference, Monday morning. Dr. Atkins was once pastor of this church, and his visit was a source of pleasure to his many friends.

"Trade" Dermid has returned from an extended trip thro' the West and South, visiting some of the famed farming sections of the country. While favorably impressed, Mr. Dermid says the water of old Henderson tastes good and there are no cyclone cellars here, either.

Mrs. Frank King has been called suddenly to Florida, leaving here on Saturday, summoned there by the death of her brother Mr. C. A. Burnham, who died at his home in Duval county on Saturday. Mr. Burnham was well known here, where he had many friends, and was a strong admirer of Hendersonville.

Dr. Wm. Redin Kirk has returned from Charlotte where he has been attending the meeting of the North Carolina State Tuberculosis Association. Dr. Kirk believes this session of the Association has been of the greatest benefit to the physicians in attendance. There were many papers read, some 40 or 50, six of which were published in the Charlotte Observer, Dr. Kirk's amongst them.

Sewing Machines.

The best values in sewing machines can be obtained at Singer Store. Machines sold for cash or on easy terms. Look for the Red S. Singer sewing Machine Co., Hendersonville, N. C.

Did you ever see a YPPWPF? J. R. Willson.

Take a trip through a live Lumber Shed. J. R. Willson.

BLUE SHOE SALE

Every pair marked price in Blue has been reduced