

DR. J. H. CALDWELL

DIES IN CHARLOTTE

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The whole community was shocked and saddened to learn last Saturday that Dr. Joseph Henderson Caldwell died in Charlotte Friday night, August 17th. Dr. Caldwell was born and reared in Winnsboro and leaves a large number of friends and relatives. For the past sixteen years he has been practising his profession in Charlotte, where because of his cheerful and efficient service, his courteous and sympathetic attitude, his tolerance and patience, he was very popular with his associate doctors and nurses and beloved by his patients. Since his return from the World War, Dr. Caldwell has been junior partner in the well known Nalle Clinic in Charlotte.

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At three o'clock the First Presbyterian church of Charlotte was filled by those who came to pay their last tribute to his life. Active pallbearers were members of the Nalle Clinics and several friends from his profession, while the Mecklenburg Medical Association were honorary pallbearers. Military rites were given at his own request. The service was conducted by his war comrade, Dr. Beam, of Charlotte, and the Rev. Oliver Johnson, D. D., of Winnsboro. Uniformed guards, representing the American Legion, fired a salute over the grave and sounded taps, while furling the flag. After the funeral the flag which draped the casket was presented to his wife. His body will be placed in a marble crypt in the handsome new mausoleum in Oaklawn cemetery, Charlotte. Joe Caldwell's 38 years of life have been dedicated to the cause of his country and suffering humanity.

Surviving him are his wife, who was Miss Grace Miller of Winston-Salem; his mother, Mrs. J. P. Caldwell, of Winnsboro, one daughter, Marion; a son, James; and two brothers, Philo Caldwell, of Charlotte, and H. E. Caldwell, of Winnsboro.

Many relatives and friends from Winnsboro and Columbia attended the funeral.