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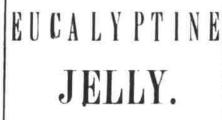
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THE STORES SHOULD CLOSE.

Large Crowds From the Neighboring Places will be Here to Attend Dr. Miller's

A representative of THE NEWS called on a number of th- merchants of the city to-day to find out their views on the suggestion for a total suspension of business during the funeral services of the late Dr. A. W. Miller, from 11 to 12 o'clock to-morrow. In every instance, the suggestion was beartily endorsed, and each merchant interviewed expressed not only a willingness, but a desire, to close his doors during the hours of service. One merchant went so far as to arge THE Name to use every endeavor to bring about this end. "Our people," he said, "hardly realize the loss they have sustained, and it would not only be proper, but really fitting that the merchants should close their doors as a tribute of rein season and out of season, in attenspect to the greatest minister Chartion to the needs of his flock. In lotte ever knew. humble imitation of Him who sent him, his chief concern has ever been

Information received to-day is to the effect that a great many people from neighboring points will be here to attend the funeral.

The Graded School will Close. The city graded school will be closed to-morr w, to allow the teachers and congratulate the people of Charlotte pupils to attend the funeral services upon their good fortune. of the late Dr A. W. Miller.

Telegraph Wires Hown. Last night's sleet storm played havor with the telegraph wires be- pleasant intercourse with the cititween Charlotte and Washington. The railroad wires between these points went lown by the mile last nounced as his text the well-known night, and trains are running to-day from station to station. The repairers fairly line the road to day, and by morning the wires will be in good | with force and effect, and his re-

Local Rippies.

- Rev. Edward Mack, of Goldsboro, arrived in the city last night.

-Austin's bar, opposite the Temple Justice, is being dismantled toby that saloon is for rent. -Misses Jennie and Maggie Free-

man are visiting friends in Atlanta, the guests of Mrs. Robert Cobb. -The Salisbury Herald says that a distiller there shipped a gallons of

whiskey to a single man in Char--Mr. David C. Hunter, and wife, of Croftsville, Indiana, who have been visiting policeman D. P. Hunter

for a few weeks past, are now visiting their kinsman, county treasurer -Mr. W. W. Ward, who has been

weeks past, is now very much improved and expects to be able to be

-Mr. C. P Wheeler will conduct the half hour gathering of men in the parlors of the Young Me 1's Christian Association to-night at eight o'clock. Men cordially invited. The reception committee will meet and

-Capt Thomas W. Prichett and wife, of Charlotte have gone Foreston, S. C., to visit relatives and friends there. Capt. Pritchett's father, Rev. Claude Pritchett, who was a boyhood friend of the late Dr. Miller, lives at Foreston.

Encalyptine Jelly—A B Reese & Co. On sale for to morrow—T I, Seigle & Co. Wagons, buggies—J W Wadsworth & Son.

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stock of Flannel Underwear is also marked down—way deep down. Fancy suitings, Plain dress stuffs in leading materials, as Plain dress stuffs in leading materials, as flannels, laftes cloths, homespun, bedford cords, ect., on the cut price list.

January is the ladies favorite month for getting black dresses; we dont know why this month more than others; anyway its a fact and we are awake to the demand and ready to show an unsurpassed line in silk warp Henriettas, Melange, Serge, all wool Henriettas, Bedfords, etc.

THE PUNERAL OF DE. MILLER. A correspondent of yesterday's To be Held from the First Presbyterian

Raleigh News & Observer, says: "For Church, at 11 O'Clock Tomorrow Mornnearly two years, Father Francis has administered the affairs of the church of Sacred Heart in this city. The sudden and unexpected announcement was made by him at the Il o'clock services on Sunday last, that he was ordered by Rt. Rev. Leo Haid, Bishop of North Carolina, to so to Charlotte. His devoted flock received this announcement with much sadness, manifested in many cases by the shedding of tears. Priests and laymen alike have ever cheerfully acquiesced in all matters which, in the opinion of the ruling factor, the B shop, is most conducive to the promotion of religion. In the discharge of his duties as pastor of Raieigh; and in visiting the missions the funeral services are over. dependent upon the Raleigh priest, The interior of the church has been Fathe Francis has ever been instant, decorated in a most appropriate man-

doned sinner, feeling that the "ninety and nine" needed less watching. With sad hearts we part with this good priest, and at the same time

earnest solicitude for the most aban-

'At the 4:30 o'clock services Father Francis preached his farewell sermon. He feelingly alluded to his zens of Raleigh, and most especially with those of his own faith. He an words spo en by our Lord himself "If you love me, keep my commandments." Father Francis preaches marks on this occasion will doubtless be long remembered by those

Charlotte's New Catholic Priest.

who heard him. "This good priest will be accom panied to Charlotte by his sister, Miss Kate Meyer, who carries with her the best wishes of her many acday, and the place formrely occupied quaintances and friend among the ladies of Raleigh."

The Report of the Railroad Commission.

The report of the Railroad Commission to the Governor has been completed by the Commission and the manuscript has been in the hands of the printers for some time. It would have appeared before but for the delay in the printing. It is now expected that the report will be out about Febuary first.

A New Drug Store.

Carpenters are at work today fitting McCorkle's old saloon, corner of confined to his home for several Trade and Church streets, with shelving. The saloon gives way to a drug store, of which Mr. J. M. Kenis already getting in his stock of "Prescription goods" will be a specialty at this stand.

No Wonder Cotton is Low.

A News reporter went among the cotton men this morning, to see what they had to say about the cotton sitnation They all talked one way and known cotton to be so low. The New York February cotton is 7 cents. Cotis lower now than it has been since 1849, and there is no prospect of better prices in the immediate future The low price is caused by over production, the last season's crop being estimated at 8,500,000 bales.

-The Charlotte correspondent of with the original printed matter gets there, though, about the time the Dispatch is coming from the press.

ing . The Body to Lie in State. All the arrangements for the funeral services over the body of the late Dr. A. W. Miller have been completed. The funeral will be held from the First Presbyterian church, at Il o'clock tomorrow morning. Rev. Edward Mack, who supplied the pulpit of the First church during Dr. Miller's absence in Europe, several years ago, will conduct the service, and will probably be assisted by Dr. Girardeau, of Columbia. As stated in yesterday's NEWS, the ministers of the city will act as pall bearers. Dr. Miller's body will be carried into the church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning to remain until

ner. The pillars supporting the galleries are shrouded in black and the railing around the gallleries is draped in sombre colors, gracefully looped. The pulpit is almost hidden by a mass of paims, ferns and other accommodate 800 mule at one time. stately plants, and in the centre of the arch behind the pulpit is an exquisite design of a cross, surmounted by a crown. Several ministers from the surrounding towns have announced their intention of being here to pay the last tribute of respect

Meeting of the Magistrates.

The magistrates of Charlotte township held a meeting yesterday afternoon to consider the matter of the disbursement of the township road fund, There had been dissatisfaction in the matter because the trustees had no power to place the fund as they thought necessary. The commissioners gave the trustees sole charge of the stownship road fund, and a more satisfactory condition of affairs is expected in the future. Es quire Hilton was asked several questions in regard to matters connected with his administration of the convict system, all of which were answered satisfactorily and the meeting adjourned in good humor.

Central Hotel Arrivals.

Mill, SC; SC Stovatt, Atlanta, Ga; P Pett, Fayetteville, N C; W A most careful attention. Eliason, W W Allen, N C; H M Fau. Knights of Pythias Banquet. cett, Raleigh, N C; H V Jones, Atat his place of business within a day drick is one of the proprietors. He lanta, Ga; J T Alderman, Wm E stallation of officers of Rathbone Sloan, SC; Jas H Holt, Burlington, agreed that they had never before ter H Neal, Laurenburg, N C; Jno H will be short, sharp and spicy. Cook, Trinity College, N C; H K Sturdivant, Wadesboro, N C; J E Hasell, Charleston, S.C.; S. B. Smith, Rockingham, N C; M W Crawford. Davidson, N C; H C Warlick, Matthews, N C; Jno McFadden, Caldwell, N C; R A Duncan, R H Field, city; J A Higgs. Sherwood Higgs, Baltimore, Md; L L Little, Wadesboro, N C; P P Pease, Chicago, Illithe Richmond Dispatch seems to nois; H A Bowers, Montpelier, Vt; draw inspiration if not life, from the Abe Cohen, Va; F A Ragland, Louiscolumns of THE NEWS. This paper, ville, Ky; L D Handy, H E Jones, Baltimore, Md; S Shelton, Richmond, Va; A W Burnett, N Y; C L Hopkins, N C.

BETTER NEWS

Children and Misses Cloake from 4 to 18 yrs. " Jackets " Sto IS yrs. Now offered at very modest prices to close the lot and make room, for the grandest line of embroideries ever opened in this house, Every tady not yet provided with a Wrap can get a real nice or extremely handsome one at about half price, net many left but we dont want any atall; Come and get the new

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Two freight cars and a caboose car were burned on the Air Line road, near Lowell last night. The last section of No. 40 was coming down grade towards Charlotte, when the cars broke loose. The detected section overtook and crashed into the forward section with such force that a number of cars were detailed. The stove in the catoose was overturned, and the caboose and two box cars were burned. None of the crew was hurt.

No More Dreves of Mules in the Streets The frame work of a very extensive structure is going up near the Richmond & Danville freight depot. It is a feed stable, and it is being erected by Mr. John W Wadsworth, for the especial purpose of taking care of mules that are en route by rail. Instead of bringing the droves from the cars through the streets to Wadsworth's stables, they will be driven direct from the cars to the new stables in the freight yard, and the terror of loose animals in the streets will be done away with. The new structure is two stories high, and will

Following is a synopsis of weather prevailing at 8 a. m., to-day: Stormy conditions still hang around the gulf, but are apt to be replaced to-day by clear and cold-wave weather, which will reach this section by to-morrow to the memory of the beloved pastor. morning. This cold weather promises to be the coldest of the season. Temperatures in Texas are as low as 14 degrees, and snow is falling at Palestine. A high barometer is at Dodge City, Kansas, and temperatures in its vicinity are as low as 26 degrees below zero. Light to heavy r have occurred at nearly every in this section.

Grip in the Soldiers' Home. Grip is prevailing with deadly effect in the Soldier's Home at Raleigh. So far, four deaths have occurred in the past few weeks. The dead are John Prince, G. H. Thomas, J. H. Sandiford and B. M. Coleman. The last-named died yesterday. He was in the Forty-third North Caro-

lina regiment and a native of Cabarrus county. He was buried today in the Confederate cemetery, very near D G Hall, city; W M Francis, At- the Home, and one of the saddest lanta, Ga: Mr and Mrs Oliver H things was that not one of the in-King, Marietta, Ga; H Mack, Fort mates of the Home was able to attend the funeral, which was conduct-E Mack, Goldsboro, N. C; J. W. ed by the Confederate veterans. The Thackston, Raleigh, N (': T F general sitting room of the Home Brown, TH Law, NY; H P John- has been converted into a temporary son, N C; R T White, Louis Bowley, hospital. In this and the regular NY; SA Strauss, Richmond, Va; R | hospital the thirty sick are receiving

The second annual panquet and in-Worth, Wilmington, N C; A E Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will take Biedler, NY: () R Schultz, Wash-place at the Buford hotel, Thursday ington, D C; Z Fitzpatrick, Balto; D night, the 14th. All remember with C Schilling, Phila; S J Woodbridge, much pleasure the last banquet and Columbia, S.C.; N.P. Cannon, Atlan- anticipate a good time at this one. ta, Ga; RB Miller, Shelby, NC; JH The Knights in charge say that no one will be disappointed who at-N C; Chas H Martin, A L Strauss, tends. A brilliant list of speakers Mrs F Taylor, Richmond, Va; Wal- has been engaged, and the toasts

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Supt. Mctier and Judge Schonck Have Close Calt.

A special train on which were Su-

perintendent V. E. McRee and Judge David Schenck, was wrecked six miles from Salisbury, on the West ern North Carolina road, last night The train consisted of an engine, coal car and Supt. McBee's private car The only persons aboard the latter were Judge Schenck, Capt. McHee. the conductor and brakeman. Their train left Statesville for Salisbury a few minutes ahead of the regular passenger train. As a rocky out was approached, six miles from Salisbury, the engineer saw a big rock slide down on the track just ahead of him. The rock had not become settled on the track when his engine struck it. The engine was thrown directly across the track and it fell on its side, and the tender and car were jammed on it. The most wonderful part of the whole thing is that no one was hurt, beyond a few severe bruises. The wreck was not cleared away until 3 o'clock this morning.

Rev. Abernathy's Successor

It is stated that Rev. W. E. Edmundson, a graduate of the State University, but who has lately been stationed in California, has been appointed paster of the Methodist church at Snow Hill, lately in charge of Rev. Abernathy, the kissing par-

Death of Mrs. Barnett.

Mrs. W. M. Barnett died at her home in this city yesterday afternoon. The funeral services will be conducted from the Tryon street Baptist church at 9 30 o'clock tomorrow morning, by Rev. Dr. A. G. McManaway. The deacons of the chusch will act as pall bearers.

Who Has Lost a Trunk?

A few days ago, some one drove up to Dr. George W. Graham's residence, corner of Seventh and Church streets, and left a trunk there. The trunk does not belong to anyone in Dr. Graham's househould and was tion owner can get it by calling at Dr. Rogers & Co. evidently left there by mistake. The

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