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Rev. Clarence J. Harris

The death of the Rev. Clarence J. Harris occurred in his sixty-eighth year in the Presbyterian Hospital, New York City, November 28. He was born in Northbridge Center, Mass., and was graduated from the Bangor Theological School and the Atlanta Theological School. He was ordained in the Congregational Church in 1896, and six years later became a Universalist minister.

His first Universalist pastorate was in Winchester, N.H., where he served two years. Following a two years' pastorate in Atlanta, Ga., he became pastor of the church in Sharpville, Pa. Other pastorates were with the Unitarian churches in San Diego, Calif., and Oklahoma City. His pastorate in the Washington Heights Universalist Church began in 1919 and continued until 1938, when the church disbanded. His efforts centered particularly in boys' work through the Junior Naval Reserves. His work of the past three years was for the Kindness to Animals Crusade.

He was married to Miss Murial Siebel in 1894. He is survived by his widow, two sons and three daughters. The funeral service was held at the Washington Heights Presbyterian Church on November 30.

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