

[Clark, William]

DEATHS.

In Preston, Chenango county, on October 4th, WM. CLARK, aged 86 years and 9 months. He was a Grand parent to Rev. A. G. Clark [the writer]. He was one of the first settlers of Chenango county, having removed from Connecticut soon after the revolutionary war, and lived to see the howling wilderness converted into pleasant and well cultivated fields. He was for many years a believer in the cruel doctrine of endless sin and wo [woe], but after having heard the love of God and his impartial goodness set forth by Br. [Rev. John Solomon] Flagler, he became a firm believer in Universalism. This sustained him in health and sickness, and it was his only hope in the hour of death. The funeral services were attended on the 6th, by Br. Morey, when the consolations of the Bible were boldly declared and ably defended. Text, 1 Cor. xv:56,57.

A. G. C. [Albert G. Clark]

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