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REVEREND CHARLES S. OKE, D.D.

The death of the Rev. Charles S. Oke, D.D., occurred at Brantford, Ontario, on November 20th, 1963. Dr. Oke was born at Sunderland, Ontario, on April 8th, 1883. He graduated from Knox College, Toronto, in 1914. His first ministry was at Chalmer's Church, Toronto. He served as a chaplain overseas in World War I. He received the rank of Major during this service.

He served as minister of Alexandra, Brantford; First Church, Brandon; Knox Church, Stratford; and St. Andrew's, Merriton. During his ministry at Brandon a new church building was erected.

He attended Edinburgh University during 1932. He served on the Board of Administration, as well as in other capacities on General Assembly Committees. He was Clerk of the Niagara Presbytery for four years, and was elected Moderator of the Synod of Hamilton and London in 1944.

He is survived by his wife, the former Alice Patterson, and a sister, Mrs. J. B. (Laura) Eaton, Toronto. To these and other sorrowing loved ones the Presbytery of Paris extends heartfelt sympathy.

The funeral was conducted by the minister of Alexandra Church, Brantford, assisted by Rev. Dr. G. D. Johnston, and Rev. Dr. E. A. Thomson.

Memorial Record (Obituary) for Rev. Charles S. Oke as printed in the Acts and Proceedings of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada (1964).