

Walter Harris

(- 24 Dec 1933)

Harris, Walter. On Sunday, December 24, 1933, at his residence, 1002 11th st. n.w., Walter Harris, aged 28 years, beloved son of the late James and Mary E. Harris. He is survived by three brothers, Wilson T., James W. and Ray Harris. Funeral services on Wednesday, December 27, at 2:30 p.m. at Hysong's parlors, 1300 N st. n.w. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Roomer Turns On Gas, Then Sits Down To Die

Walter Harris, 26, Leaves Note Saying, "My Mother Sent for Me."

After writing a brief note, saying, "My mother sent for me," Walter Harris, 26, a roomer at 1002 K street, turned on the jet of a small gas plate and sat down to die yesterday afternoon.

His body was found by another roomer shortly after 2:30 p.m. Acting Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald issued a certificate of suicide.

Police said Harris had a brother living in Ballston. Funeral arrangements were being made by the Martin W. Hyson funeral establishment at 1300 N street.