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DEATH OF HOMER CRAWFORD

Word was received here Thursday of the death of Homer Crawford, who died suddenly at his home in Cushing, Oklahoma, on Wednesday. The body was brought to Galveston, arriving Friday evening, accompanied by his widow and his secretary, and taken to the home of Harley Walker. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church here on Saturday afternoon in charge of the Masonic order, Rev. C. A. Byrt preaching the sermon. Interment was made in the Galveston cemetery. Taps were sounded by Stanley Steele of the American Legion.

The deceased was well known in Galveston and vicinity, having spent his early life in this vicinity. He was a cousin of Harley and Scott Walker and Mrs. C. M. Harness, and was also a relative of Mrs. Tom Elkins. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and Masonic lodges at this place, and served in the Spanish American War.

OBITUARY

Thomas H. Crawford, son of Jas. H. and Charlotte Crawford, was born in Shelby County, Indiana, March 10th 1869, and departed this life at his home in Cushing, Oklahoma, January 20th, 1926, aged 56 years, 10 months and 10 days.

He was united in marriage to Catherine Bertiaux, May 5th 1906. He with his wife, united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Cushing, Oklahoma, March 16, 1922, and since that time he has been faithful to the church and to his Master.

During the Spanish American War he served his country with Co. M. 160 Indiana Volunteers. The earlier years of his live were spent in and near Galveston. In the year 1915 he moved to Cushing, Oklahoma where he was employed as field superintendent for the Creek Co. Gas Co. until the time of his death. He was a member of Galveston Lodge No. 225 I.O.O.F., Galveston Lodge No. 214 F. & A.M., Muncie Council No. 16 R. & S. M., Oklahoma Consistory, No. 1, Knights Templars, and Indiana Temple of The Mystic Shrine.

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