

Masons Direct Burial

Beside the grave officers of the grand lodge and other high officials in state Masonry conducted a short ceremony. Special ritual of the Knights of Kadosh had been held in Oklahoma City Friday. Active bearers were John Carlock, Arthur Strachley, Perry Maxwell, W. B. Johnson, T. W. Champion and Gil W. Stuart of Ardmore, and W. R. Blake-more and Charles Evans of Oklahoma City.

Six of the eight living governors who paid their respects at the service are Charles N. Haskell, first chief executive, M. E. Trapp, W. J. Holloway, J. C. Walton, J. B. A. Robertson and Robert L. Williams.

Governor Murray was not able to attend, but sent Lieut. Col. Elmo Flynt of the national guard to represent him. Henry S. Johnston was the other chief executive not present.

Body had been escorted from Oklahoma City by troops under command of Colonel Flynt. Capt. John H. Moore had charge of the unit which stood guard by the casket all Saturday night.