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Wirt G. McCarty, Editor of the Tulsa Daily Post is Dead.

From the Tulsa Daily Post, Wednesday.
Wirt G. McCarty, editor of the Tulsa Post, entered the slumber of death shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Tulsa Hospital. He was called away by the Grim Reaper at the age of 31. The passing of life came after an illness of four weeks' duration of typhoid fever.

The death of Mr. McCarty was not unexpected, but yesterday and the day before there had been periodical conditions that denoted a conquering of his ailment. The end suddenly hastened shortly after noon yesterday.

Mrs. McCarty, Judge W. T. McCarty, the father of Emporia, Kan., and Alston McCarty, brother, also of Emporia, were at the bedside of the expiring newspaper man.

The middle of last week Mr. McCarty lapsed into unconsciousness from which he scarcely rallied. A total insensibility of surroundings marked his condition since last Thursday. It was more than a month ago since the first symptoms of the fever asserted themselves. After having felt bad for a week, Mr. McCarty sought his bed. A few days later the symptoms of sickness were diagnosed as those of

typhoid fever. He was then taken to the Tulsa Hospital. Every advance of the ravages of his ailment he gamely disputed. He contested every inch of ground on the battlefield of life or death, and yielded only after a display of unusual vigor. He lost, but the battle that all must lose.

In February of 1910, Wirt G. McCarty came to Tulsa from Denver, Colorado, where he had been working as a newspaper man. The following April he began a similar work in Tulsa continuing in the field of labor until his recent illness.

He was born in Emporia, Kan., on August 28, 1880. Graduating from the city schools of Emporia, he studied for two years in an Emporia college. He did his first newspaper work under William Allen White on the Emporia Gazette, working under that renowned editor for a period of three years. Later at the University of Kansas he studied law. Eight years ago he became the first editor of the University Kansan, a student publication. He was a member of the Phi Delta Theta, 1905 class.

Illness shortly afterward took him to Denver. In Denver he was associated on the staffs of both the Times and the Post in a special service. He remained in Denver until the time of his coming to Tulsa, leaving a work of about four years' time on the Rocky Mountain News.

He married in Cherryville, Kansas, in 1906, Miss Stella McCormick.

Of a family of ten children, Wirt G. McCarty was the first to answer the call of death. The mother survives. Of his brothers, Mason W. Kiehl and Alston live at Emporia, and J. Brook and William C. live in Denver. Evangelina and Olivia, sisters, also live in Emporia. Of the other sisters, Mrs. H. Rankin lives in St. Joseph, Mo.; and Mrs. W. H. McBride lives at Eldon, Wash.

This morning at 8:10 o'clock, over the Santa Fe, the body will be taken to Emporia for burial. The funeral will be held at that place.

Wirt McCarty was a cousin of the Headlight family. He, with two of his sisters, spent Christmas week in Eagle Lake several years ago, and during his stay here made many friends. Our heart goes out in sympathy to the grief-stricken family.

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Done by order of the city council at its regular meeting on the 4th day of July, 1911.

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