

MRS. A. BLOT, PIONEER FOR 40 YEARS, DIES

Mrs. Augustine Blot, 75 years old, a resident of El Paso for the past 40 years, died Sunday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Lockie, 1217 East Yandell boulevard.

She had been ill two months.

Mrs. Blot was the widow of the late Victor Blot, who died here two years ago. Mr. Blot was a pioneer citizen of El Paso. He established and operated for years, on South El Paso street, the first dyeing and cleaning establishment in the city.

Mrs. Blot was a native of Alsace-Lorraine. Her husband was French. He was a member of the old French colony established in El Paso in the pioneer days.

Six daughters, two sons and 12 grandchildren survive. The children are Mrs. Lockie, Mrs. J. H. Flint, Mrs. Frank Hollcheck, Mrs. J. M. Ortiz, Miss Ethel Blot, Victor Blot, Jr., and Arthur Blot, all of El Paso, and Mrs. Thomas Munden, of Los Angeles. Mrs. Munden is here.

Private funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, under direction of J. J. Kaster & Co. Burial will be made in Evergreen cemetery.