

CAPT. OBEDIAH BOUNDS.

Capt. Obediah Bounds, aged 81, died at his home, 807 North Campbell street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was a native of Missouri and was born near Lexington in 1830. He remained at home until the age of 19, when he went out to California during the gold excitement in '49. He stayed there about six years, and in '54 came to Sherman, Tex., in a wagon over the desert, as there were no railroads in those days.

While in Sherman he became a stockman, and made many friends all over the country. In 1860 he was mustered in as a captain in the Confederate army and in several instances distinguished himself upon the field of action.

After the war, he went back to Sherman and lived there until eight years ago when he moved to El Paso, where he has been connected with the cattle raising business more or less, until the time of his sudden death yesterday.

Besides the sorrowing friends, he is survived by two daughters and three sons, Mrs. Z. T. White, of El Paso; Mrs. William Goulsby, of Greenville, Tex.; James Bounds, of Oklahoma, and E. H. and Buck Bounds, stock raisers of El Paso county.

The funeral will take place at the family home, 807 North Campbell, this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.