

R. H. BURLEY IS DEAD

PIONEER TEXAN PASSES AWAY
AT ALAMOGORDO.

Native of Tennessee, Confederate Soldier and the Father of Mrs. W. D. Jolly of El Paso. Eats Hearty Meal and Drops to the Pavement, Dying Instantly.

Special to The Times.

Alamogordo, N. M., Dec. 24.—R. H. Burley, aged 75 years, a prominent citizen of Alamogordo, well known in Texas and the father of Mrs. W. D. Jolly of El Paso, dropped dead on a street in this city last night, a few minutes after eating a hearty meal. He had lived in Alamogordo for four years.

Mr. Burley was a native of Tennessee, being descended from one of the most prominent families of that state. During the Civil war he fought for the Confederacy.

He came to Texas after the war between the states, settling at Kerrville, where he lived for thirty years. He is survived by two brothers, who are engaged in banking at Center Point, Texas. Mr. Burley was an uncle of Judge R. H. Burley of Kerrville and R. I. Burley of the same place. He is survived by a widow and five children in this city. One son, who was for a long time in the Texas Ranger service, is dead.

The funeral of Mr. Burley will be held in this city at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.