

SLAIN OFFICER'S FUNERAL TODAY

H. A. Carnes Dies From Bullet Fired by Smuggler

Brothers customs officers, who gave their blood in a vain effort to save the life of H. A. Carnes, 53, pioneer southwest Texas officer, will bear his casket to the grave today.

Rev. L. L. Evans will officiate at funeral services at Peak-Hagedorn chapel at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Restlawn.

Carnes, a mounted customs inspector, died at Masonic hospital yesterday. He was shot in the abdomen Thursday when he and three other officers stopped two border smugglers near Ysleta. The smugglers escaped.

L. L. Gemoets, Albert Bean and Clay Roberts, brother officers, gave more than a quart of their blood when physicians made transfusions in an effort to save Carnes' life.

These three and J. L. Shoemaker, G. E. Spencer and J. E. Davenport will be pallbearers.

Carnes is survived by his widow, two sons, David and H. A. Carnes Jr.; a daughter, Elizabeth Carnes, all of Ysleta; his father, Joseph Carnes, San Antonio; two brothers, Bert Carnes, Floresville, Tex., and Webb Carnes, San Antonio; three sisters, Mrs. Vivian Robinson, San Antonio; Mrs. H. D. Neal, Dallas, and Mrs. Lola Myers, Los Angeles.