

DEATH CALLS OFF MARRIAGE OF FRANK DEL BUONO, PIONEER, WHO WAS ENGAGED TO MISS SANCHEZ

WHILE arrangements are being made for the funeral services and burial of Frank Del Buono, pioneer El Paso merchant and former El Paso hospital Thursday, at the age of 81 years, Miss Rita Sanchez, 2731 Alameda avenue, who was to have been married to Mr. Del Buono Saturday morning, is silently fighting to control the sorrow which her fiancée's death has caused her.

Their wedding was to have been solemnized at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Ignace's church by Rev. Mr. Robert Libertine. A marriage license was procured by Mr. Del Buono on December 28.

Invitations were out in Spanish and English were sent out several days ago to members of the family of Miss Sanchez in El Paso and Mexico and to a large number of lifelong friends in El Paso of Mr. Del Buono.

Miss Sanchez is the daughter of Mrs. Antonio O. Sanchez, and has been a resident of El Paso for more than 20 years. Luis G. Sanchez, a brother, general foreman for the Mexican Central Railroad at Chihuahua, came to El Paso several days ago to attend the ceremony.

Miss Sanchez was an employe of the Popular for several years, resigning her position only recently to prepare for her wedding. She had spent a great amount of time on her trousseau, and everything was in readiness for the ceremony when Mr. Del Buono took suddenly ill and was taken to the hospital. He underwent an operation Monday. Miss Sanchez being permitted to visit him Tuesday morning, she said.

Miss Sanchez is 35 years old. She is the second eldest of six sisters. Her other sisters are Guadalupe, Beatrice, and Antonio and Guadalupe.

Funeral on Sunday.

Funeral services for Mr. Del Buono will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Rev. Fr. H. C. Roy officiating. Burial will be made in the family plot in Concordia cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Simon-Hartford company's chapel, 108 North Stanton street, until time for the services.