

DEATH TAKES PIONEER WOMAN

Mrs. Mary Caroline Martin
Came to El Paso
In 1887

Mrs. Caroline Martin, widow of W. R. Martin, died at 7:30 a. m. today at her home, 418 Upson Ave. She was 78.

Mrs. Martin was identified with the early days of El Paso. She came here from Canada with her husband, a doctor, in 1887. She has been active in St. Clement's Episcopal Church since that time. She has been well known for her kindness and charity to the needy.

Mrs. Martin was born in O. Fallon, now a part of St. Louis, Mo., March 22, 1861. She was married to Mr. Martin in Canada at the age of 17. Her husband's poor health brought them West. Mr. Martin died Nov. 10, 1934.

Mr. Martin was superintendent of the Southern Pacific lines for 14 years, and was at one time general manager of the El Paso & Northeastern Railroad. In his declining years he was superintendent of the El Paso Union Depot.

Arrangements for funeral services are pending at Peak-Hagedorn Mortuary until word is received from relatives.

Survivors are: two sons, Robert A. Martin of El Paso and Turner W. Martin of Naco, Ariz.; and three daughters, Mmes. R. T. Wilder and Alva Dixon of El Paso and Mrs. W. L. Follett of Torreon, Mex.