

## AUGUST R. MEYERS DIES

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PASO SMELTER.

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City Smelter and Refining Company  
and Regarded as a Benefactor to  
This City.

August R. Meyer, the father of the  
El Paso smelter, died in Kansas City  
yesterday. The news was received  
here in a telegram to D. J. Haff, a  
prominent attorney of Kansas City,  
who is at the Sheldon.

Mr. Meyer organized the Consoli-  
dated Kansas City Smelting and Re-  
fining company, which built the big  
smelter just west of the city, and un-  
til the concern went into the hands  
of the American Smelting company,  
known as the smelting trust, was  
president of the company. He was  
naturally regarded as a benefactor to  
El Paso and the news of his death  
will be received here with genuine  
regret.