

# PIONEER SURVEYOR DIES OF INFLUENZA AT EL PASO HOME

**Mapped Out West Texas Coun-  
try From Pecos to New  
Mexico Border.**

H. M. Patterson, one of the best-known pioneers and business men of the southwest, died Thursday at 2:30, at his home, 1005 Nevada street, of influenza. Mr. Patterson was 52 years old.

Mr. Patterson came to El Paso in 1882. As surveyor he mapped out the west Texas country from Pecos to the New Mexico border. For the past 20 years he has been with the J. H. Nations Meat and Supply company, in the capacity of buyer and salesman for the states north and west of El Paso.

Besides his wife, Mr. Patterson leaves one daughter, Mrs. F. Y. Wadlington, of Ramah, N. M. Mrs. H. E. Mix of El Paso is a sister. Two brothers live in Pennsylvania. A third brother, Lyn Patterson, was one of ten sent to this country to help with the Liberty loan by General Pershing, as a reward for distinguished service at the battle of Chateau-Thierry. He is now in France.

Arrangements are being made for the funeral, which will probably be held Saturday.