Last Survivor Of First Consul To Juarez Dies

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Las Cruces, N. M.—Funeral services will be held at 9 a. m. Monday,
from St. Genevieve's Church, for
Mrs. Clara Caniffe Peacock, 59, last
survivor of Henry J. Caniffe, first
U. S. Consul on El Paso-Juarez
border.

Mrs. Peacock died Friday after a long illness. She had been a resident of Las Cruces for 10 years.

Her father was appointed U. S. consul in 1860. He was a personal friend of Benito Juarez and Cap Anson, pioneer El Pasoan, and helped in the overthrow of Maximilian. He was the first postmaster of Las Cruces, assuming the post in 1870.

Surviving Mrs. Peacock are five sons and a daughter, Carl Peacock, Los Angeles; F. J. Peacock, La: Lima, British Honduras; D. V. Peacock, Oak Fark, Ill.; George Peacock, Anthony, N. M.; O. L. Peacock, El Paso; and Mrs. Charles Dallas. Anthony

Rosary service will be held in St Genevieve's at 7:30 a.m. Sunday. Funeral will be under the direction of Graham Mortuary.

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(Correct spelling of family name is CUNIFFE)