

DIED ON THE TRAIN.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Ben Sweeney—Her Remains Reach El Paso.

Thursday morning Mr. Ben Sweeney received a telegram announcing that his wife had left California for home, and was very low; and yesterday morning a telegram was received from Lordsburg announcing her death. She died on the train fifteen minutes before it reached Lordsburg.

Mr. Sweeney went out to Daming to meet his wife, and found her dead in her berth on the Pullman. The grief-stricken husband brought the remains on to El Paso yesterday afternoon and turned them over to J. C. Ross to be prepared for burial.

Mrs. Sweeney had been in very feeble health for some time, and a few weeks ago her husband took her to Catalina Islands, California, hoping she would recover her health. He spent several weeks there with her, and returned to El Paso the other day. Mrs. Sweeney felt the approach of death and started back home and died before reaching here.

MRS. SWEENEY'S FUNERAL.

It Was Largely Attended Sunday Afternoon—Mr. Young's Delicate Consideration.

The funeral of Mrs. Ben Sweeney Sunday afternoon was largely attended.

The pall bearers were: Phil Young; Frank Carr, Robert Bernauer, Robert Jumboville, William McKoy, Casper Hirt and P. Michero.

Phil Young who employs Mr. Sweeney is such a great admirer of the bereaved man that he closed the Cafe during the funeral, a mark of respect that was deeply appreciated by Mr. Sweeney.

There were about 20 carriages in the funeral procession.

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