

**DEATH OF MRS. J. A.
ZABRISKIE AT TUCSON.**

**She Was Reared in El Paso and Was
the Daughter of Hugh Stephenson,
a Noted Man in the Early Days.**

At Tucson last Thursday Mrs. J. A. Zabriskie died at her home. Her husband and children were all at her bedside when she died except her youngest son, Victor, who was at the time at Canananea. One of her sons, W. A., is a brakeman on the S. P., running passenger between El Paso and Tucson. Col. Zabriskie, the bereaved husband, is a noted politician in Arizona, and is also quite well known in this city, where he has lectured during the past.

Adelaide Stephenson Zabriskie was the daughter of Hugh Stephenson, a cousin of former Governor Stephenson of Kentucky. She was educated at San Antonio, Texas, and married Col. J. A. Zabriskie at El Paso immediately after the close of the civil war. She was about 56 years of age at the time of her death.

Her father was one of the pioneers of El Paso, having come here in 1824. He became a very wealthy man by trapping, mining, and later in merchandising. He was the owner of large interests in the famous Corralitos mine in Chihuahua.

In the ante-bellum days he was a large entertainer and kept open house for the army officers from Fort Bliss, many of whom, during the great war, became historical characters and great commanders and were frequent visitors at the hospitable mansion of Hugh Stephenson. The faces of Longstreet, Magruder, Pickett, Rhett, Brice, Rives, Alexander, and many others of like renown, were familiar in the Stephenson household.