

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Charles Holler, Sr., Killing by a Falling Telephone Pole.

Mr. Charles Holler, Sr., is dead. He died last Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at his home on Sonoita avenue, from the effects of an awful blow on the head by a falling telephone, while he was passing alone Sonoita avenue on his way down town from his home during the heavy thunder storm.

The accident was so sudden and unexpected that it is doubtful if Mr. Holler knew what struck him. The accident occurred about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Medical aid was at once called but nothing could be done to save the grand old gentleman's life and about four hours later he breathed his last and death claimed one of Nogales' most highly respected citizens, a noble woman was made a widow and three children were made orphans.

News of the sudden, sad and untimely passing of Mr. Holler was a shock to the entire community. He was one of Nogales' first pioneers having come here from California many years ago. He was born in Solingen, Prussia, September 8th 1841. He came of a good family and was a gentleman both by birth and education. He loved home, music, flowers and books and was a great student, being master of five languages. Of a kind, gentle and loving disposition he was a model husband and father and all who knew him loved him.

A widow, two grown sons—Charles, Jr., and Edward and one daughter, Mrs. Alfredo Sandoval, are left to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and father, and THE VIDETTE extends to them heartfelt sympathy.

The funeral took place Monday forenoon from the family residence on Sonoita avenue, Rev. William Reed of the Trinity Congregational church officiating, interment being in the Nogales cemetery.

The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Theo. Gebler, Alex. Carpina, Ramon Vasquez, W. Behrendt, A. Suarez, T. Ruiz, M. Escalada and A. Farodi.

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