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Death Summons Nevada Pioneer

Tonopah, Nov. 23, (Special) Mrs. E.E. (Nanah) Seyler, widely known resident of Nye County and central Nevada, died at the Mines Hospital in Tonopah, Friday morning. Mrs. Seyler would have observed her 80th birthday on December 5, and had resided in Nevada since 1870. She had been in ill health for some time.

A native of New Orleans, where she was born December 5, 1862. Mrs. Seyler was brought to Nevada by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P.M. Bowler, while a young girl. The family crossed long stretches of sparsely populated areas by covered wagon, and finally arrived in Austin in 1870.

Mrs. Seyler attended the Austin schools, and later, the family moved to Lone in northern Nye County. She was married to Mr. Seyler in Lone, and the couple had one son, James, who died in childhood.

Shortly before the turn of the present century, Mr. and Mrs. Seyler purchased the Peavine Ranch, north of Tonopah, and had resided there since. The purchase of the ranch, which now furnishes water for the Manhattan Gold Dredging Company in Manhattan, was made by the couple before the discovery of Manhattan or Tonopah. They engaged in the ranching business, and held extensive range lands in this vicinity.

Mrs. Seyler was a member of Tonopah Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, E.E. Seyler; a brother, John Bowler of Fallon; two nieces, Mrs. O.D. Welsch of Tonopah and Mrs. J.B. Humphrey of Reno; two nephews, Justice of Peace Walter Bowler of Tonopah, and Charles Keough, Tonopah rancher. The late Judge Patsy Bowler was a brother of Mrs. Seyler.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and interment was in the family plot at Lone Cemetery, Sunday.