

C. W. Fassett Succumbs In Home

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Charles W. Fassett, 73, county auditor, died at the family residence, 4615 Cumberland street, early last night. He had been in poor health for almost a year, and had been confined to bed since January.

Mr. Fassett, and his bride, Mrs. Emma Kelly Fassett, came to El Paso in 1883 from Clarksville, Texas, for his health. He soon identified himself in business and political circles in El Paso and during the more vigorous years of his life was active in both.

Bought Firm.

Immediately after moving to El Paso, Mr. Fassett went to work for the hardware firm of Beneke and Pierce. Soon afterward he and a brother-in-law, Dan Kelly, bought out the firm and it became known as Fassett & Kelly Hardware company.

In 1890 Mr. Fassett was named city treasurer and held that post for 13 consecutive years. Under the Robinson and Kelly administrations he was city clerk.

Mr. Fassett was appointed county auditor, January 3, 1931.

Funeral Tomorrow.

Besides his widow he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. J. P. Healy, Baltimore, and three sons, C. W., Jr., John E., and Richard H. Fassett, of El Paso.

Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph's church at 9 a. m. tomorrow with the Rev. Fr. A. Gillow officiating. Burial will be in the family plot at Concordia cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be C. E. Kelly, Judges W. D. Howe, Ballard Coldwell, P. R. Price, J. M. Deaver and E. B. McClintock. Active pallbearers will be R. E. Roche, J. L. Andreas, J. S. Cage, Julius Ratermann, R. D. Richey and Tom Armstrong.