

FRED FENCHLER DIES SUDDENLY

Old Age and General Debility the Cause of His Taking Off.

Fred Fenchler, Sr., died at his summer home at Clouderoft last night after an illness of only twenty-four hours.

Mr. Fenchler was 77 years old and was one of the honored, substantial citizens of this community. He was a native of Indiana, having lived most of his time at Evansville. He came here nearly five years ago to make his home with his children who had preceded him here by many years. He had retired from active business life fifteen years ago and has been living in Evansville with his daughter, Mrs. Henry Seymore.

His wife had been dead many years but he had six children living who are as follows: William and Fred Fenchler, Jr. and Mrs. Fred Gutting, El Paso; Louis Fenchler, Juarez; Lave Fenchler, Guadalajara, Mexico; and Mrs. Henry Seymore, Evansville, Ind. All the children are now grown and prominent in their communities. Mrs. Gutting and William Fenchler were the only ones with her at the time of his death as so little warning came. He became ill Sunday night and word was received here yesterday morning when Mrs. Gutting and Mr. Fenchler left immediately for Clouderoft. When they arrived there they saw that he could not last much longer, but the other children did not have time to reach him.

So far as is known here he had no troubles further than old age and general debility, which had been showing on him for several months. About a month ago he went to his summer home at Clouderoft to spend the summer, expecting to return here in the fall.

The remains will arrive in El Paso tomorrow night and will be immediately shipped to Evansville for burial.