

# ATTACK FATAL TO C. C. FEWEL

Had Just Returned Home  
After Spending Summer  
On Coast

Christopher Catron Fewel, son of one of El Paso's oldest families, died at 11:25 p. m. yesterday at his home 2925 Copper St.

He was 62.

Mr. Fewel returned Saturday with Mrs. Fewel from California, where they spent the summer. He was stricken with a heart attack on the coast and suffered another Friday night in Silver City, en route here. He had improved yesterday and was thought to be recovering.

#### Saw Naval Service

Mr. Fewel was born Nov. 14, 1873, in Lafayette, Mo. He was the son of the late Maj. and Mrs. W. J. Fewel, who came here in 1881 from Missouri. He finished the El Paso schools, and was sent to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis in June, 1892. He received his appointment from the late Rep. S. W. T. Lanham, who became Texas governor in 1903.

As Lt.-Com. Fewel, he served as executive officer on the U. S. S. Hornet during the Spanish American War. He commanded the U. S. Cruiser Galveston during the World War. He was retired from the service and came to El Paso with his family in 1921.

#### Married in 1898

Mr. Fewel married Miss Helen Jean Crow of San Diego, in Connecticut, on Dec. 7, 1898. Her uncle was Calista A. Crow, Speaker of the House during the Civil War and for many years senior member of the House.

Mr. Fewel is survived by his widow, a son, Lieut. William Calista Fewel, now serving on the U. S. S. New York with the fleet off the coast of California, a granddaughter, Patricia Fewel, a brother, Edgar D. Fewel, and sister, Mrs. J. Frank Oles, both in El Paso.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Beale Hagedorn, awaiting word from Lieut. Fewel, who is expected to come here for the rites.