

## JAMES KINNE DIES SUDDENLY

Well-Known Pioneer Succumbs to Attack of Heart Failure in Central Fire Station.

James Martin Kinne, one of the few remaining pioneers and long-time residents of El Paso, died from heart trouble at the Central fire station yesterday afternoon about 3:30.

Mr. Kinne had not been in good health for some time and intended to go to California Sunday to see if the change in climate would not benefit him. About 2:45 yesterday he remarked to one of the firemen that he thought one of his attacks of heart trouble was coming on and that he would lie down. He requested that a doctor be summoned, but before medical assistance could be brought he had expired.

The deceased was born in Gasper, Nova Scotia, in 1849, and came to San Francisco in 1872, where he was married. In 1882 he came to El Paso, where he had since resided. When he first came to El Paso he ran the Link restaurant and later the Agua Pura Ice and Soda company, which used to be where the Houck and Dieter company is now located. He served on the police force and was city jailor for a number of years. For the last ten years he had been connected with the fire department, being janitor of the Central station at the time of his death, and he also held the office of steward of the hook and ladder company, of which he was a charter member. He was also a member of the Friends in Need society.

Mr. Kinne is survived by a widow, two sons, Clarence of this city and Frank H. of Monterey, Cal., and one daughter, Mrs. C. R. O'Toole, whose husband is a member of the Central fire department; two brothers, W. H. Kinne of Redwood City, Cal., and Russell Kinne of Glashorough, Nova Scotia; and one sister, Mrs. Sofia Pratt of Roxbury, Mass.

The body will lay in state at the fire station until the burial services, which will probably be held Sunday; interment in Concordia Catholic cemetery.