

Van Dran, Pearl

d. Feb. 3, 1971

**Mrs. Pearl Van Dran**

Services were held at the Cooper Funeral Home, Maxwell, Friday, Feb. 5, for Mrs. Pearl Van Dran.

Born at Rockford, Ill. on Aug. 25, 1885, she was the youngest of ten children, five brothers and four sisters.

In young womanhood, Pearl Meranville was in the millinery business in Chicago.

She was married to Louis Van Dran at Hammond, Ind. on Oct. 15, 1907. After their marriage, the Van Drans lived in Chicago for ten years.

In 1917, they moved to Collins where they made their home until they became unable to care for themselves.

They had been in the Borton Rest Home since early fall.

Mrs. Van Dran died in the Story County Hospital on Feb. 3, 1971.

Mrs. Van Dran was baptized in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Nevada on Dec. 21, 1958.

She was a faithful member until her death. She was a member of the Rebecca Lodge in Collins for many years.

Surviving are her husband; one sister in Rockford, Ill., and another sister in California, California.

She was a faithful wife and a good neighbor, always having a smile for all who knew her.

## Pearl Van Dran is dead at 85; rites on Friday

Mrs. Pearl Van Dran of Collins died yesterday afternoon at the Story County Hospital in Nevada. Mrs. Van Dran, 85, was a long time Collins resident and the wife of the former mayor, Louis Van Dran.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday in Cooper's Funeral Home in Maxwell. Elder Charles Lehman will officiate.

Burial will be in the Collins Evergreen Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Louis Van Dran, who is at Borton's Nursing home in Nevada, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Lawson of Rockford, Ill. and Mrs. George Smith of California.

Friends may call at the Cooper Funeral Home in Maxwell.