

# **Venora Jones**

## **Services Slated**

### **For Tomorrow**

Mrs. Venora Jones, a 95-year old resident of the Antelope Valley who first came to the area in March of 1913, passed away Thursday, Nov. 30, at Valley Haven Convalescent Hospital where she had been a patient since May 1.

Funeral services for Mrs. Jones will be held Monday, Dec. 4, at 2 p.m. at Chapel of the Valley Mortuary. Burial will be at Palmdale District Cemetery.

When Mrs. Jones came to the Valley with her husband, Albert, there was nothing more in the desert than two hotels, Pearland and Cottage; two houses, and a school. Her husband and two sons, Earl and Howard Jones, constructed their first home.

'Dad' Jones passed away in 1931. The couple were married in Muscatine, Iowa in 1888. Albert Jones loved to move around, and they continually traveled in a covered wagon throughout the States.

Mrs. Jones is survived by sons, Earl and Howard Jones, both of Palmdale, and a daughter Bertha Ready of Surrey Center, British Columbia.

She also leaves 12 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren, and 12 great great grandchildren.

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