

Well Known Norwood Ranchman Succumbs

NORWOOD, Colo., Feb. 26— (Special)—Louie Jensen, 50-year-resident of Colorado and well-known Norwood rancher and stockman, succumbed about 4:00 p.m. Thursday. He was 75 years of age.

Born on Jan. 14, 1879, in Denmark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, both deceased, he came to the United States with his parents when he was 14 years old. He lived in Chicago until 1900 when he came to Colorado to work as a miner at Telluride. He followed this occupation for more than two decades and about 1930 actively entered the ranching business at Telluride.

He was married at Montrose on Jan. 25, 1929, to Miss Alice Souther of Norwood. Mrs. Jensen and three children, Ethel, a business college student in Denver; Charles and Edward, who were engaged in ranching with their father, survive. He also is survived by a granddaughter and possibly a brother, whose whereabouts are not known to members of the family.

Mr. Jensen was a member of the Danish Lutheran church.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p. m. Sunday from the Norwood Community church, direction of Ormsbee mortuary.

Graveside committal rites in Norwood cemetery will be in charge of the Norwood A F & A M lodge.

MINNIE ALICE JENSEN

Funeral Services for Minnie Alice Jensen, 97, a lifelong resident of the Disappointment Valley area, Norwood, and Redvale, who died on Tuesday, March 2, 1993, in Tina's Guest Home at Montrose, were officiated by the Rev. Grant Brown on Saturday, March 6, at 1 p.m. in the San Miguel Basin Christian Fellowship at the Redvale Community Church.

Pianist was Faye Hunt. Martha Hunt and Faye Hunt sang the hymns, "Gather Flowers For The Master's Bouquet" and "In The Garden," with the congregation singing the hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross."

Mrs. Jensen felt that people should try to live their lives by the words of "An Indian Prayer" by Rev. A. Purnell Bailey, which was printed on her memory folder as follows:

A Sioux Indian, Edwin Laughing Fox, who was assisting the government to understand his people, suggested to the government authorities this prayer:

"Oh Great Spirit, help me never to judge another until I have walked two weeks in his moccasins."

Consider what this would mean if we would take another's place before we criticized their work.

Pallbearers were Jim Jensen, Tom Jensen, Mike Jensen, Stan Reiva, Jay Jensen, and Peter Gotezinger.

Interment followed the service in the Norwood Cemetery, with arrangements handled under the direction of the Hale and Gerken Funeral Home of Naturita.

Mrs. Jensen was a past president of the Sunset Chapter No. 138, Order of Eastern Star.

Memorial contributions, in memory of Mrs. Jensen, may be made to the Norwood Ambulance Fund, c/o Hale and Gerken Funeral Home, P.O. Box 86, Naturita, Colo: 81422.