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Pioneer Matron Of Nye County Is Dead

"Hawthorne - Iva Wilson, a resident of southern Nevada for more than thirty years who had made her home in Hawthorne the past few months, died suddenly yesterday at her home here. She had been in poor health for several days and last night suffered a heart attack, necessitating attention of a physician. Her daughter, Mrs. William Wiley Wolfe (Irene) and Mr. Wolfe, who lived in the adjoining cottage remained with her during the night.

Widely known throughout southern Nevada, Mrs. Wilson settled in Tonopah in 1906 and later moved to Warm Springs in Nye County, making her home there until moving to Hawthorne this past Summer. Her husband, the late Fred Wilson, was a prominent Nye County rancher for many years. He died in Tonopah two years ago. The only surviving relative besides Mrs. Wilson's daughter, is a brother, E. W. Davis, who lives in Jelm, Wyoming.

Funeral services will be held in Tonopah at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon under direction of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary of which Mrs. Wilson was an active member for many years. Burial will be in the Tonopah Cemetery near the grave of her husband."