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## DR. LINKLATER HIT BY ELECTRIC TRAIN

Receives Injuries From Which He Passed Away Sunday Afternoon  
FATALITY HAPPENS AT ELMONICA

Chief Physician and Surgeon of Hillsboro, Here Since 1883



Dr. S. T. Linklater was struck by an electric train at Elmonica station, about six miles east of Hillsboro, Sunday morning, between twelve and one o'clock, daughter of the late E. H. Warren and wife, in 1866, Mrs. Linklater and the following children surviving: Francis, Ruth, Dorothy, Edwin, Kenneth and Ethel.

Dr. Linklater always had an open hand for charity, and it is well known that he gave of his professional services without charge to many who were unable to pay. He ranked high in consultation and diagnosis, and was frequently called to Portland for this class of practice.

He was a 32nd degree Mason, belonged to El Kader Temple, Mystic Shriners of Portland; was a member of the Knights of Pythias for nearly a quarter of a century, and was the Surgeon, with rank of Major, for Oregon's Regiment of the Uniform Rank,

and as a result of the injuries passed away shortly after the noon hour, the same date. He had been to the R. H. Walker home and had been conveyed to the station, which is flag, so as to return home on the midnight train. The cars passed the station a hundred feet or so, when the brakeman said he believed he saw some one wanting to board the train. He went back, but seeing no one, the car proceeded on to the Grove. A few minutes later a party of young people found the physician unconscious, laying a few feet from the station house. Dr. Elmer Smith was notified and he went to the scene of the fatality in his auto. He examined the condition of the doctor, and said there was no hope, although life was not extinct. Dr. Smith cared for the stricken man, and had Orville Wilkes telephone to the Oregon Electric dispatcher for a special to take the physician to Portland, to the hospital. Dr. Rockey and other eminent surgeons were called in attendance, but they pronounced the case hopeless.

The base of the skull was fractured and one arm was broken. He never regained consciousness.

Dr. Smith drays his machine straight down the Baseline road through the mud, and with his powerful engines made record time.

Mrs. Linklater was taken to Portland to be at the bedside of her husband, and remained with him until the end came.

Dr. Samuel Towers Linklater was born in the Orkney Islands, north of Scotland, April 8, 1853. He was educated in the schools at Stromness, north of Scotland, and in 1878 entered the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, where in 1882 he was given his degree in medicine and surgery. In 1883 he started for Australia via the United States, and, stopping in Oregon, concluded to practice here, settling at Hillsboro. Aside from a year of practice at Leith, Scotland, and two years abroad, in continental Europe, at the leading medical centers, his entire professional life was centered in Hillsboro and Washington County, although his skill often brought him calls from outside counties and Portland.

He developed an extensive practice here, and accumulated a considerable amount of property. He was married to Elizabeth Sinclair in 1886, the wife dying in 1889. He was married to Miss Zula Harriet Warren,

Knights of Pythias. He also belonged to the Eastern Star, and was also a member of the Pythian Sisters. As a man he was highly esteemed for his generous qualities of heart. Under his bluff exterior he possessed one of the most kindly of hearts, and on his lips there was always hovering a smile of cheer. Versed in the Scriptures he ever had a ready quotation to cover every incident of life. A lover of Bobby Burns, the Scotch poet, one of his last social events was attendance, with his wife, to the annual dinner given in the great poet's honor, by the St. Andrews' Society of Portland, a few weeks prior to his death.

Funeral services were held on

**DR. LINKLATER**

He was a man of sterling worth—  
Nae guile was on his lip;  
But mair a word sae guile and kind  
Frae tongue was heard to slip.

For a' the poor and wretched folk,  
His skill was'er sae free,  
And mair a mile thro' storm and wind  
He rook the sick to see.

Nae mair we'll see him o' the street,  
Wi' smile sae fu' o' cheer—  
Aye, Man, he's missed by a' the town  
Where a' folk loved him dear.

Nae sic a man we ever saw,  
Nor wif' we'er again—  
For aye, in his a' guilely wight,  
A man among a' men.

And aye, when setting his last score  
At Peter's gate sae grand—  
He'll pass his' wight, with mair a praise,  
Wi' aye in the land.

**SOUTHERN PACIFIC—P. E. & E.**

The Southern Pacific and P. E. & E. schedule, as now running, is as follows:

To Portland  
McMinnville Electric, a. m. 6:50  
Willamina, Steam E. 8:38  
P. R. & N., Steam E. p. m. 1:37  
Forest Grove Electric 1:47  
Eugene Electric 5:05

From Portland  
Eugene train, steam, a. m. 8:15  
Forest Grove Electric 10:05  
P. R. & N., steam, via Oswego 10:22  
Willamina, steam, via Oswego, p. m. 5:05  
McMinnville Electric 6:41

For sale: Bronze turkeys, poulsters and hens for breeding purposes.—Mrs. N. H. Jones, Banks, R. 3; North Plains Telephone, 4F 11. 45-7

## CHAS. E. WELLS BUYS INTO TELEPHONE CO.

Has Controlling Interest in Hillsboro and Outlying System  
THINKS LOCALITY IDEAL FOR HOME

Purchaser Has Had Years of Experience in the Telephone Business

Chas. E. Wells, late of Kingsville, Texas, has bought a controlling interest in the Washington County Telephone Co.'s system, Hillsboro and adjacent lines, and expects to make his home here. Mr. Wells has had years of experience as a telephone promoter, and thinks the present system will make a good investment, with a few changes here and there. He is an electrical engineer of 28 years experience, and 20 years of that time was given exclusively to telephone business in Iowa, Kansas and Texas. He still owns several telephone systems in Texas, but came West on account of poor health. He chose Hillsboro, because of its evident prosperity and its good schools, as well as proximity to Forest Grove, where his children can have a University education.

Mr. Wells says: "I made my visit here at this season, just to see your 'Winter wet weather,' in its worst. After three weeks here I have concluded it is better than 110 in the shade, and sand storms. I know your Summers are delightful. As to the telephone business, it is my judgment that you have had an excellent service—much above the average in other states, particularly in towns of this size, and considering the rates. It shall be my aim to furnish the people of Hillsboro and vicinity a service that will more than compare favorably with any city in the state, and to that end expect to expend several thousand dollars in improving the plant. We will make our home here, and in a few months the people will be in a position to judge our service. I am returning to Los Angeles, where my family is spending the Winter, and we will at once prepare to move to Hillsboro, where we hope to be found worthy of citizenship."

**UNION STOCK YARDS**

Receipts for the week have been cattle, 1276; calves, 3; hogs, 3403; sheep, 6102.

Cattle liquidation liberal on Monday, but very light the remainder of the week, and outlet somewhat improved for limited quantities of choice light grain and hay fed steers and two loads at 7.80 Monday featured. Bulk for six days sold 7.25 at 7.50. Butcher stuff slow. All prices steady at the close.

Swine trade had sensational rise this week. Prices jump from 8.10 to 8.40 and 8.50. Bulk of light hogs sold 8.15 and 8.35, but several sales at the higher figures were made.

Sheep house activity was in its first power Monday and Tuesday. Grain fed wether sales offered at 5.75 and ewes at 4.65 featured. Lamb top was 6.50 with a considerable quantity offering.

I represent Spirella corsets—not sold in stores. Will call at homes on request, and do the fitting, and teach how to adjust and wear the corset. Our tailored made-to-measure corsets, including the latest front lace, with an experienced corsetier service, cost no more than high class corsets purchased in stores.—Mrs. M. E. Caudle, Hillsboro, Fifth and Jackson Streets, Phone No. 584.

Chas. F. Barrett, of Lyons, Linn County, where he now owns a ranch, was down to Hillsboro, the last of the week, enroute to Greenville, his old home, where he cut willows to transport on his Linn county place. C. F. says he likes his new home, but, from the personal standpoint, from the old trails, by paths and groves of Washington County, are the best on earth.

For sale—Span mares, 2400 lbs; harness, nearly new; 14-hoe Tiger drill; 14-inch walking plow; Winona wagon, nearly new; 3-horse section steel harrow; 2-horse rake; mowing machine; Deering rake, new; new milk cart, 2-inch wheels.—Roy Hays, Hillsboro, Ore., one mile south, on Jackson Bottom, between bridges, at Condenner pumping plant, on left hand side, going south. 42tf

Jasper Keffer, of West Union, was in town Saturday.

Sam Paisley, of Buxton, was a city visitor Thursday evening.

John W. Bernards, of Roy, was in town Saturday.

H. M. Vanderzanden, of near Roy, was in town Saturday.

W. J. Gregg, of Lelsyville, was in town Monday.

J. J. VanKleek, of near Linton, was in town Monday, paying taxes.

Miss Mary Rasmussen, of Aloha, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Wm. Ridgely, of Forest Grove, was greeting friends here the last of the week.

John Winters, of Middleton, was a city visitor Saturday afternoon.

Hon. Hubert Bernards, of McMinnville, was greeting oldtime friends in the city Saturday.

Carl Pfahl and Gerhardt Goetze, of above Blooming, were city callers Saturday.

For sale: Indian Runner ducks, Fawn and White.—Phone North Plains, 17F11. 46-8

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bockmann, of Aloha, were in town Monday, on business at the court house.

John Koehnke, John Koch and Fred Goetze, of above Blooming, were in the city Saturday morning.

Do not forget to ask for a Schiller when you want a good 10 cent smoke—no "cough dust" in the Schiller. 12tf

John Oppenlander and Mr. Weichbrodt, of Cornelius, were county seat visitors the last of the week.

Mrs. Leah Bouland, of Portland, was a Sunday visitor at the home of her brother, L. A. Long, and family.

Spencer and other varieties of sweet peas—and all kinds of tested garden seeds and fertilizers, at Morton's Greenhouse, Hillsboro. 44-7

A. W. Walker, of South Tualatin, was over town the last of the week. His road district will do considerable permanent road work this year.

For sale—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, O. A. C. Stock.—Mrs. C. W. Redmond, Washington Street, between Fourth and Fifth, Hillsboro. 45-7

J. A. Thornburgh, of the Forest Grove National, and J. W. Hughes, of near Forest Grove, were in town Saturday, attending the road lecture.

John Kamma, of Farmington, was in town the last of the week. John is patiently awaiting for good roads to get that car out and in action.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ryan have moved to their new home in Portland. Mrs. Ryan soon leaves for an extended visit with relatives in California.

Mrs. Henry Nelson and Mrs. J. D. Foll, of Portland, were guests of Mesdames Leonard and Lloyd Brown, Sunday.

For the best values in hardware of all kinds, call on Dave Corwin, who can sell you the best at the lowest figures. Plumbing given prompt attention, Second Street, south of Main.

Louis Hamig, a Portland business man, was out Monday, and bid in the North Plains Quinn property, for a little over \$1,600 at sheriff's sale.

The North Side Dairy will deliver you milk on city route. Pure milk and cream. Try us. Our product is first hand—we milk and then deliver. Tel. Farmer 436.—D. M. Gillenwater. 41-0

H. Taylor Hill, the former democratic warhorse of Crook County, when the horse and cattle business were the leading industries of the great bunchgrass section, was out from Portland, Saturday afternoon, a visitor at the tax counter.

If you want a range that beats the world for the money, call on David Corwin, Bank Annex Building, and see his Quality Ranges, all the way from \$25 to \$55. These are the best ranges ever placed on the market in Hillsboro. Call in and see them.

Contractor Lorusng & Sons have dismantled the big wooden reservoirs on Second Street, on the water company's property, and will soon have the steel tower torn down. This will greatly improve the appearance of that part of town, and it will not look rough when the new Carnegie library is built just across the street, on the corner of Second and Lincoln.

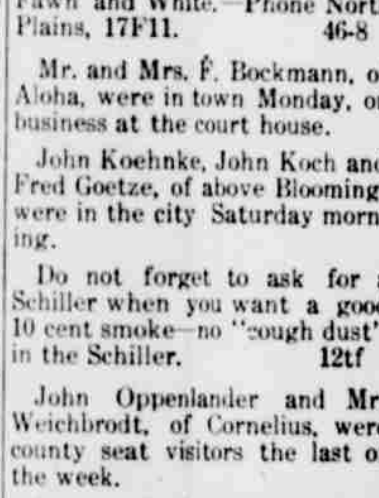
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Myers started across the plains to California, driving an oxteam. From San Francisco he came to Oregon by vessel. Reaching Oregon he first settled at Sauviess Island. For several years he taught school in this county, being in charge of one of the first schools in the Reedville section.

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After the close of the war Mr. Myers was authorized by the governor to organize the Rangers and patrol the East of the Mountains district. After all was quiet he returned to Washington County, and settled down to teaching school. In 1863 he was united in marriage to Mary Jane Stott, daughter of the late Samuel Stott, and sister of Sam Stott, the Portland attorney. Mrs. Myers died in 1887.

In 1885 the Myers family moved to Forest Grove, where the home has always been open house to their many friends.

Mr. Myers was a democrat in politics, and throughout his life he worked with that party. Had he been a floater in politics he might have gained any office within the gift of the republicans, for he was exceptionally clever, had a good intellect, and was a good talker.

He leaves to mourn his loss the following children:  
F. S. Myers, postmaster at Portland; Dr. Catherine Myers, Portland; Frances B. Myers, a teacher in the Portland schools; Mary Jane Myers, Forest Grove, and Mrs. Neil Sorenson, Mexico. The funeral took place Sunday, from the Forest Grove home, and interment was in the Gaston cemetery.

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C. O. Roe, the Forest Grove furniture man, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

For lunch—pickled pigs feet, home made sausages and bolognas.—H. R. Emmott.

R. R. Clark, with the Cowlitz Bridge Co., of Portland, was in town Saturday.

Geo. S. Campbell, near Laurel, and A. C. Mulloy, of Laurel, were in town Saturday afternoon.

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and thereby creates an accurate record of all expenditures. Many, both men and women, through the absence of such a guiding record, permit small, unnecessary outlays to drive away the joys and independence which increasing dollars provide. A checking account affords the safest, most convenient and satisfactory way of handling your money, besides adding to your prestige. We solicit personnel, as well as business, accounts and the opening deposit need not be large.

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**4 Per Cent. Paid on Savings Deposits.**

**A HINT**

Yesterday seventeen young ladies by actual count, just raved over a new assortment of beautiful rings. St Valentine suggests that here's the young man's chance; for his girl was likely one of these seventeen. Give her one, and see her eyes dance. You may date the real beginning of your life from the day of giving of this little present.

**LAUREL M. HOYT**  
Hillsboro, Oregon