

DOUBLE ROUTE TO END OLD MAN'S LIFE

Plunged Butcher Knife Into His
Throat and Gave Blade Twist

THEN TRIED ROPE ROUTE

Cut Down by Gideon Hickey;
Taken to Hospital; Died Tuesday

Henry Abli, aged about 80 years, tried the suicide route last Saturday evening, shortly after six o'clock, at his home in North Hillsboro, dying Tuesday morning. Abli has been acting very queerly for some time, having been in ill health. Mrs. Lunow, a neighbor, saw the body hanging in the back yard of the Abli home and called Ellis Miller. Miller thought the old man was dead and telephoned the coroner, Gideon Hickey, a neighbor, arrived before Coroner Limber reached the place, and cut the aged man down. Dr. Robb was soon at the scene, and in a short time Abli was conscious and was talking a "blue streak." He was taken to the hospital, where he lapsed into a state of coma Sunday morning.

Abli figured in circuit court last Summer and Fall, having sued his wife, Judith, for a divorce decree. Judith fought the case and there were charges and counter charges. Judith claimed Henry was abusive, and Henry claimed that Judith had struck him with her fist; with a hoe, and that she generally made his life miserable. After the evidence was in Judge Bagley found that Judith was entitled to the decree. Their property, consisting of two houses, was settled out of court.

Abli and his wife came here from the Roseburg country some years ago. Both had tempers and displays kept the neighborhood entertained from time to time. Dr. Robb at the first had misgivings as to Abli's recovery, because of his greatly enfeebled condition.

HOLSTEIN BREEDERS

The Washington County Holstein Breeders' Association has arranged to hold a meeting in Hillsboro, Friday, April 30, at 2 p. m. At this time Prof. E. L. Westover, of Corvallis, will be present to speak to the breeders about the breeding of some of the more important Holstein families. S. B. Hall, Secretary of the State Holstein Association, has also been invited to be present. Frank Connell, President of the County Association, hopes to have a good meeting at this time, and expects every Holstein breeder to be present.

County Agent.

An accurate law stenographer wishes typing to do at home. Mail work to Mrs. W. W. Scott, Route 1, Gaston. 8-11

B. G. Leedy, one time Master of the State Grange, and who has represented Oregon in the Grange National Convention, was in the city Saturday.

Ethel May Wise sues Earl Wise for divorce, alleging cruel treatment. They were married in 1912, and Mrs. Wise says that the conduct of her husband became so unbearable in 1918 that she left him. She received the custody of the six year old daughter.

Roscoe Hurst, Portland attorney, was a city caller Monday. Mr. Hurst is one of the hustlers of the Rose City, and is well known in court circles here, having defended Bennett Thompson when he was tried for the Jennings slaying.

M. S. and Alex Weir, of Cooper Mountain, were Hillsboro visitors Saturday, on a timber deal. The brothers are selling timber to John Davis, of Beaverton, who will put in a sawmill in a short time.

Mrs. Hugh Rogers returned the first of the week from a visit with her father, Jacob Mauss, at Mt. Angel, and while enroute home visited with her mother, who is ill at St. Vincent's Hospital.

If you have milk cows, beef cattle, hogs or sheep for sale, drop me a post card. Highest prices paid.—Albert Losli, Beaverton, Ore., R. 2; Tel. Hillsboro, 2RX1. 29-39

Chas. B. Taylor, of near Roy, was an Argus caller Monday. Mr. Taylor has received the official paper for over 25 years, and is taking another chance at it.

For Sale—17x22 Sandwich hay press and 16 h. p. 6x9x10 Russell engine, complete with belts, tanks and pumps.—Fred Peterson, R. 2, Portland, Ore. 8-10

The Auxiliary to the American Legion will meet in Veteran Hall, Wednesday evening, May 5, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Fred Peterson, of near Cedar Mill, was a city caller Tuesday morning. The Peterson family has been on the Argus list ever since its initial year.

For Sale, cheap—One covered wagon in good order; one toy buggy, nearly new; also one feed grinder, almost new.—B. Leis, Beaverton. 8-10

Eugene Humphreys, a brother of J. H. Humphreys, writes from the Alberta that on April 4 there was still two feet of snow up there.

For Sale—Lot of small seed potatoes. Inquire of R. D. Soper, on Hawthorne ranch, one mile northeast of Sewell station. Telephone 2022. 6-8

John Engledinger has been busy for a couple of weeks making improvements around the Fred Engledinger home, Baseline St.

Austin Sims, of Farmington, reports that Winter wheat is doing nicely in his vicinity, but that a little warm weather wouldn't hurt it.

Perkins has everything for your car. Try him once. 31f

BALL PLAYERS LINED UP FOR LEGION NINE

Opening Game of Season at Local
Grounds, Sunday, May 2

MAYOR WALL WILL PITCH

First Ball Across (?) Plate—E. L. Moore to Receive, Hare to Talk

The American Legion baseball team has been signed up; O. Phelps, who is the Hillsboro Club's godfather for the boys, has had the ground put into shape, and has seen that the players are attired in suits befitting champions; Manager Bill Sexton has picked the boys—and the opening game will take place on the local ground, Sunday, May 2, when the Kirkpatrick All Stars will visit the city. Game will be called at 3 o'clock. Mayor Wall will pitch the first ball, and E. L. Moore, through whose efforts the ball park came into existence, himself an old catcher, will receive the sphere as it floats close to, near by, or somewhere in the proximity of the vicinity of the home plate. And then the boys will be "off" for their initial game of the 1920 season.

Incidentally, Wm. Harris will umpire the game, and if he survives, all other games here.

Portland's parade for the 1920 season, in the same league, had 750 ball players in line—and the local boys here are going to have a parade from up-town to the park. Wm. G. Hare will make a short talk—Hare is one of the best fans in fandom. The band will be out to stimulate things.

The H. A. L's. will be started right, and we shall see some fine ball. Judging from what the boys do we will be able to see league ball as compared to that article but a few moons back. The price for admission to the bleachers will be 35 cents, and 50 cents will see you to the grandstand. All the oldtime players are making a "run" for the grandstand Sunday, to help swell the receipts.

The H. A. L's. are one of 39 snappy teams in the league, and oldtime players are getting out to see the youngsters perform. Bill Schulmerich, Ed. Schulmerich, Jack Bailey, Charles Buchanan, and numerous other "has-beens" in days of yore, are figuring to crowd the grandstand, and you must get in early if you are to get a seat away from the sun.

Manager Sexton has signed up the following boys—

Catchers—Roy Schulmerich, B. D. Foster and Marvin Robinson.

Pitchers—Eugene Gray, Lawrence Taggart, Edgar Kinnis and Jack Sohler.

First base—Paul Fitch, Edwin Burkhalter, S. F. Aiers.

Second base—Martin Jansen. Shortstop—Duke McCurdy, Dick Brames.

Third base—Harvey Batchelar.

Field—Ivor Irwin, Carl Dessinger and Chet Henderson.

With this bunch of boys, with the band out, with a nice day, and with Roy and Harry Cook, Tom Hermens and possibly John Carstens down to see the lads do things—Hillsboro should certainly see some ball game on Champeog Day, May 2.

POULTRY RECORD

Corvallis, April 26.—O. A. C. biddies again lead the All Northwest Egg Laying Contest at the state college, Washington. The report just received states that the high pen to date—November 5 to March 31—is the Barred Rock pen owned by the Oregon Agricultural College with a total of 440 eggs.

The same pen made the highest record for the month of March with a total of 113 eggs. While the Oregon hens did not start the contest at first place they have been gaining rapidly. In February the pen was first for the entire period. By the end of March they had reached first place for the full period, which led them to hold.

There are 120 entries in the contest, representing some of the most prominent breeders of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, British Columbia and Texas. Another pen of O. A. C. hens was leading the contest at the Western Washington Station contest for the same period.

—W. J. D.

See me for a good buy in used cars and a Ford truck.—D. Corwin.

O. P. Matson, of near North Plains, was a city caller Tuesday.

Collections—Knight Adjustment Co., McMinnville, Ore. 6-4f

Nels Hansen, of Bethany, transacted business in the city Friday.

J. H. Dorland, of beyond North Plains, was in town Saturday evening.

Perkins is now located in his new quarters—give him a call. Free air and water. 21f

Editor A. E. Scott, of the News Times, Forest Grove, was a caller Friday.

A. B. Garrigus, of above Banks, was an Argus caller the last of the week.

For sale: Rhode Island Red eggs, for hatching; \$1.00 for 15. Phone 4RX. 5-8

J. J. Nusbaumer, of near Phillips, was a city caller the last of the week.

H. H. Hall, of Shady Brook, was down town Tuesday, meeting oldtime friends.

Ray Emmott came down from Yamhill, Thursday evening, and remained until Monday.

A. Simmons, of above the Arcade district, was in the city Monday morning, getting some repairs for his gas engine.

For Sale—Seventy-five White Leghorn laying hens; 65 five-weeks old chicks; baby's crib bed.—H. Handron, No. 339 Seventh St. 7-9

First Baptist Church, Third and Fir Sts.—Bible School at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.; prayer meeting at 7:30 Thursday evening.

For Sale, reasonable—Several head of high grade Holstein cows and two high grade Jerseys, all in milk, heavy flow. Also a pure bred Holstein bull, 2 years old.—Henry Duyck, Roy, Ore. 7-9

Leo Schwander, of above Mountandale, was greeting his friends in town Tuesday. Leo has been having a siege of influenza, and says it is some slow in leaving.

Try our mail order department. We have a most complete line of general merchandise. Prices are right. Will pay parcel post anywhere in county or state.—W. L. Stevens, Laurel, Ore. 441f

E. D. Kerr, who for six weeks has been nursing a knee, was in Monday from his North Hillsboro place, getting very expert on a pair of crutches. He will soon be able to cast them aside.

Can give man who has two or three lively boys work on farm. Use man on farm and boys in onions at weeding time. House for family.—Ole Oleson, Hillsdale, Ore., R. 2. 6-7

T. E. Nesbit, commercial traveling visits here many years, now engaged in business for himself in an auto accessory, made the rounds here Tuesday and greeted his oldtime friends.

Several registered bull calves, heifer calves, and registered bull yearling; also some registered Holstein cows, in milk, for sale. John A. Lindow, Farmington; address, Hillsboro, Oregon, R. 5; Box 65. 6-8

Congregational Church, Fifth and Main Sts.—Bible School at 10 a. m.; worship and sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Topics, "The Man Who had to be Shown" and "In the Wrong Place." Special music.—H. A. Deck, minister.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cowley, who recently sold the Liberty Restaurant, will store their household goods in Portland for the present, being unable to get a house in Hillsboro. Mrs. Cowley will visit her home in the Okanogan country.

We have clients who are wanting to buy farms of all sizes, from 5 to 10 acre tracts up to 300 acres or larger, well improved, close in to rail and highway, or out farther. We get prompt action for we have a big list of buyers in constant touch with us. If you want to sell, write to Edwin Jacobson, 716-18 Spaulding Bldg., Portland, Ore. 6-8

Mrs. H. Schulmerich entertained the Farmington Community Club ladies on April 22. Mrs. G. Schulmerich was a guest. Mrs. Butler was elected secretary. The members of the club have decided to limit the number of the organization to 25 and take in new members from nearby communities, especially those who would be interested in our community and school. The next meeting will be held May 13 at the home of Mrs. R. L. Robinson.—Contributed.

BUSINESS ACTIVITY ALL OVER STATE

State Taxes Have Increased Seven Millions

NEW MILLS ARE GOING UP

Berry Production Stimulated by Good Prices

Total State taxes for 1920, \$52,596,695, increase of \$7,000,000 over 1919.

Hops have reached the dollar mark, highest price paid in 38 years.

Salem—A new source of state revenue is derived from collecting ten cents a load from gravel taken from Willamette river. If this rule were applied to all streams in the state it would raise a large sum annually for the state treasury. A state license tax on dances that are now supervised by counties would also produce large revenues.

Gervais—Three peppermint distilling plants to be built near here.

Springfield to have a \$25,000 meat packing plant. Portland plans new armory costing \$300,000 to seat 40,000 people.

Coos county will vote on \$1,000,000 road bond issue.

Leland—30,000 capacity sawmill to go up on Brimstone creek.

Albany to have model 10-acre berry farm to stimulate small fruit growing for cannery purposes.

Lane county will vote on \$2,000,000 road bond issue.

Haines—Farmers to build \$30,000 co-operative grain elevator here.

Madras to have new high school building.

The Dalles—Plans for airplane landing are being made.

Astoria—\$30,737.50 to be spent on paving of Dike road.

Florence Shingle Company enlarging mill.

Portland—\$45,000 warehouse to be built here.

Portland to have several new school buildings.

Klamath Falls—Large new hotel almost completed.

Portland company building 15 new bungalows.

Salem—500 acres to be planted to strawberries.

New company incorporated at Myrtle Point.

Roseburg hatchery to be enlarged.

Milton to have 20 more blocks paved.

Freewater will pave 25 blocks this spring.

Willard Service Station

One of the changes of note along Automobile Row is at the Willard Storage Battery Service Station. Mr. Cady, who has been the local representative, is succeeded by Mr. Eames, who will have charge of the management, is an experienced Automobile Storage Battery man, having been in charge of the Willard substation in Portland for the past two years.

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The present location is 1050 Second Street, Hillsboro, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mapes, of near Laurel, were city callers on Monday.

Henry Boge, of South Tualatin, was in town Monday, greeting friends.

James Mahon, of O. A. C., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mahon.

I have two extra good deals in used cars—a Buick Six and an Overland 85-4. Terms if desired.—D. Corwin.

J. B. Phillips, who recently purchased a place near Blooming, was in the city Wednesday. He takes possession the last of the week.

Mrs. J. G. Palmateer and daughter, Mrs. F. G. Mitchell, departed the first of the week for Ashland, where they will make an extended visit with Mrs. Palmateer's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Spencer.

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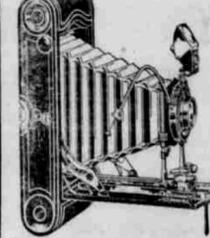
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U. S. Bonds 185,802.56	Surplus 61,031.22
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