

Mr. Huggins: Hired Man

Thomas B. Huggins

Born: 1825 Ohio
Father's Birth Place: New York
Mother's Birth Place: North Carolina

Lodicia Huggins

Born: 1838 Ohio
Father's Birth Place: New York/Nova Scotia
Mother's Birth Place: Ohio

1880 Census. Loami Precinct, Sangamon Co., IL

Thomas B. Huggins	Self	OH	1825	55 yrs
Lodica Huggins	Wife	OH	1838	42 yrs
O. [Osce] V. Huggins	Dau	IL	1864	16 yrs
Valaria Huggins	Dau	IL	1873	7 yrs
Thomas Huggins	Self	OH	1851	39 yrs
Susan Huggins	Wife	IL	1856	36 yrs
Dallas Huggins	Son	IL	1874	6 yrs
Louis Huggins	Son	IL	1876	4 yrs

Thomas and Lodica were farmers. There were four other children listed in the family.

1900 Census. Mechanicsburg, Sangamon Co., IL

Wm Jacobs	Head	IL	1869	31 yrs
Vallera Jacobs	Wife	OH	1873	27 yrs
Lela Glydas Jacobs	Dau	IL	1900	5 yrs
Lodica Huggins	Mother-in-law	OH	1838	62 yrs
Jacob Andrews Boarder	Ger.		1855	45 yrs

William's occupation was farmer.

1910 Three Pines Fruit Tracts In 1910 the Three Pines Fruit Tracts Subdivision was designed in conjunction with the platting of the Town of Three Pines, Oregon which occurred in 1911.

Mr. Huggins, Early Hugo Settler: ca., 1900s - 1920??

1912 Three Pines was recently developed and a going concern in 1912 with over a hundred citizens; a brand new one-year old school, Three Pines Elementary; two stores; the Corliss Hotel; a post office; a planning mill that was connected by a 11.5 mile flume to the upper reaches of Jump-off Joe Creek and the lumber town of Mountain; and a railroad siding and small depot. The town was platted and there was the Three Pines Fruit Tracts just to the east.

Huggins Lane "Huggins' Lane was Dean's Lane before it was Huggins' Lane. Huggins was an old scruffy bearded guy. He lived in the first house on the lane and the Deans lived in the second house."¹

1910 Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Martin and Mrs. Martin's mother, *Mrs. Higgins*, of Hugo, were in the city Thursday visiting friends. *Rogue River Courier*, April 8, 1910 Personal And Local.

1910 Mrs. A. T. Martin and daughter, Alberta, returned Sunday from Portland. They accompanied *Mrs. Huggins*, *Mrs. Martin's* mother, that far on her way to her home in Springfield, Ill. And attended the rose festival. *Rogue River Courier*, June 17, 1910. Hugo Items.

1910 Census. Merlin Precinct, Josephine Co., OR

A. T. Martin	Head	IL	1857	53 yrs
Osce Martin	Wife	IL	1864	46 yrs
Leonard Martin	Son	IL	1895	15 yrs
Alberta Martin	Daughter	IL	1900	10 yrs
Lodicia Huggins	Mother-in-law	OH	1838	72 yrs

Three Pines Fruit Tracts & Huggins Lane

1920 Census Our Mr. Huggins is not Thomas B. Huggins. Ruth Barton has memories of a Huggins in the 1920s. Thomas, Dallas, or Louis Huggins?

1920s Ruth Born Ruth (Barton) Davis lived at the Top of The World Ranch in the 1920s. It was located at the north end of Dean's Lane. She attended Three Pines School from the first grade in 1925 to the middle of the third grade in 1927. She had the following memories of Mr Huggins.²

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The Barton children walked to school together by way of the drive that went by the packing house to a metal gate at the south-east corner of the back vineyard. Through the gate the drive joined the road that went past the Dean's house and the little red and white stripped house of Mr. Huggins, the hired man. From there they took the path to the right that led to a foot bridge with a cattle guard. The creek bank was high and the tall ferns grew around the water's edge; a few willows grew along the sides above.

Want more information? Contact an officer of the *Hugo Neighborhood* on how you can become involved in your community's history and land use.

1. Hugo Neighborhood. 2007. *Verlin Clare Grimes' Three Pines & Hugo Memories: 1913 - 2002*. Hugo, OR.

2. Hugo Neighborhood. 2000. *Ruth I. Barton's Memories Of Hugo & Three Pines, Oregon: 1920 - 2000*. Hugo, OR.

Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society's Mission

This information brochure is one of a series of documents published by the Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society (*Hugo Neighborhood*). It is designed to be shared with neighbors for the purpose of helping protect our rural quality of life by promoting an informed citizenry in decision-making. The *Hugo Neighborhood* is an informal nonprofit charitable and educational organization with a land use and history mission of promoting the social welfare of its neighbors.

Land Use & History

The *Hugo Neighborhood's* land use mission is to promote Oregon Statewide Goal 1 — Citizen Involvement, and to preserve, protect, and enhance the livability and economic viability of its farms, forests, and rural neighbors. It will act, if requested, as a technical resource assisting neighbors to represent themselves.

Its history mission is to educate, collect, preserve, interpret, and research its local history and to encourage public interest in the history of the Hugo area.

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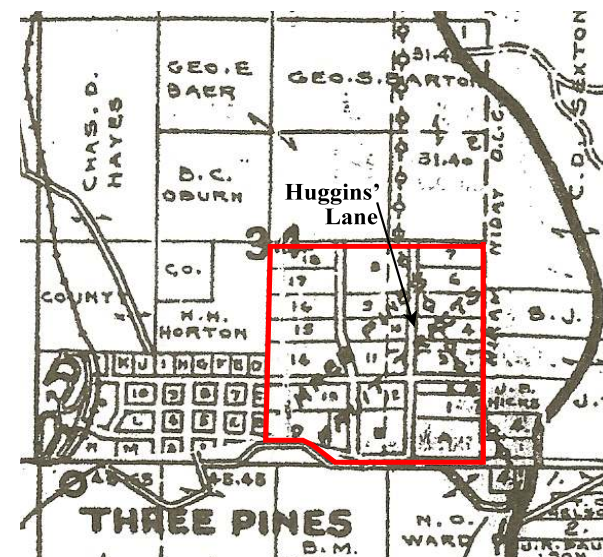
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