
Rowe, Hugo's Early Settler

For purposes of the Hugo's Settler brochure series, an early Hugo settler includes anyone who lived there before WW I.

Theophilus M. Rowe

Born: December 16 1849 England
Died: November 9 1900 Oregon
Father & Mother's Birth Place: England

Medissa (Trimble) (Vickers) Rowe

Born: June 2 1859 Oregon
Died: May 18 1887 Oregon
Father's Birth Place: PA
Mother's Birth Place: Ohio

1880 Census. Jump Off Joe Precinct, Josephine County, Oregon

Clement Trimble	Mother	OH	1828	52 yrs
<u>Medesse Vickers</u>	<u>Dau</u>	<u>OR</u>	<u>1855</u>	<u>25 yrs</u>
McKenzie Trimble	Son	OR	1859	21 yrs
John M. Trimble	Son	OR	1862	18 yrs
Charles Trimble	Son	OR	1865	15 yrs
Mary E. Trimble	Dau	OR	1868	12 yrs
Robert Trimble	G-son	OR	1874	6 yrs
Mary E. Trimble	G-dau	OR	1876	4 yrs
Joshire Trimble	G-son	OR	1877	3 yrs
Ellonora Vickers	G-dau	OR	1875	5 yrs
Landora Vickers	G-dau	OR	1877	3 yrs
John G. Williams	Boarder	OR	1864	16 yrs

The Rowes, Early Settler Family -

1883 Medissa (Malissa) Trimble (Vickers) married Theophilus M. Rowe on December 2, 1883. This is the same month and year that Tunnel No. 9 was built the first official passenger trail arrived in Grants Pass, Oregon.

1887 Twenty-eight year old Medissia Rowe passed.

1900 Census. Merlin Precinct, Josephine Co., OR

Theophilus Rowe	Head	England	1850	50 yrs
Ruth E. Rowe	Wife	OR	1858	42 yrs
Mattie Mann	Boarder	ID	1891	9 yrs

Hammond and Rowe, both of Hugo, were married at Grants Pass Nov. 20. They went to Klamath Falls on a wedding trip. We expect them home soon. By Dick *Rogue River Courier*. December 15, 1901. [Hugo Items](#)

More Information

Pleasant Valley Cemetery

Hammond, Alva M.	b. 5/3/1863	d. 5/21/1940
Hammond, O. R.	b. 10/17/1836	d. 12/15/1910
Hammond, Ruth	b. 9/26/1867	d. 7/11/1930

Alva Hammond	Husband
Ruth Hammond	Wife
O. R. Hammond	Father

Pleasant Valley Cemetery

Rowe, Medissia	b. 6/2/1859	d. 5/18/1887
Rowe, T. M.	b. 12/16/1849	d. 11/9/1900

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

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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.

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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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