

Theodore & Elizabeth Renshaw

Theodore Milton Renshaw

Born: 1848 Missouri
 Father's Birth Place: Tennessee
 Mother's Birth Place: Georgia

Elizabeth Renshaw

Born: 1858 Oregon
 Died: November 30, 1916 Josephine Co., OR
 Father's Birth Place: New Jersey
 Mother's Birth Place: Illinois

1900 Census. Eugene, Lane County, Oregon

Theodore Renshaw	Head	MO	1848	52 yrs
Elizabeth Renshaw	Wife	OR	1858	42 yrs
Maude Renshaw	Dau	OR	1880	20 yrs
Myrtle Renshaw	Dau	OR	1883	17 yrs
Ellis Renshaw	Son	OR	1892	8 yrs

In 1900 Theodore Renshaw as a day laborer. Maude and Myrtle were teachers.

1910 Census. Grants Pass Ward 2, Josephine County, Oregon

Theodore Renshaw	Head	MO	1848	62 yrs
Elizabeth Renshaw	Wife	OR	1858	52 yrs
Maude H. Miller	Dau	OR	1880	30 yrs
Ellis Renshaw	Son	OR	1892	18 yrs
Anna McCalister	Servant	OR	1890	20 yrs
George Buck	Boarder	OR	1888	22 yrs
Alanson D. Knight	Roomer	CA	1861	49 yrs

In 1910 Theodore Renshaw was a prospector. Maude was a nurse for private families. Ellis was a labor in a box factor. Anna was a waitress in a hotel. George was a laborer in a factory. Alanson was a general delivery driver.

The Theodore Renshaw Family, Hugo Settlers: ca., 1900s - 1920s

Maude (Renshaw) Miller was married and living in her parents household. A Jacob W. Miller had an 80 acre cash entry tract adjacent and north of Theodore Renshaw's 40 acre homestead. Relationship of Maude Miller to Jacob Miller is unknown.



1914 Renshaw Homestead On September 2, 1914 Theodore Milton Renshaw was issued a 40 acre homestead patent in Hugo, Oregon (Patent No. 06672).¹⁻³ Theodore, and other claimants, had to prove they lived on the land for a minimum of five years, and made the required improvements before they were eligible to be issued a certificate. For a variety of reasons, the "proving up" period was five to 10 years and longer.

The Applegate Trail may have went through this homestead.³ The Pleasant Valley Cemetery is approximately ¼ mile to the northeast.

1916 Elizabeth Ann Renshaw passed November 30, 1916 in Josephine County, Oregon.

1920 Census. Grants Pass, Josephine Co., OR

T. M. Renshaw	Head	MO	1848	72 yrs
Maude Miller	Dau	OR	1880	40 yrs

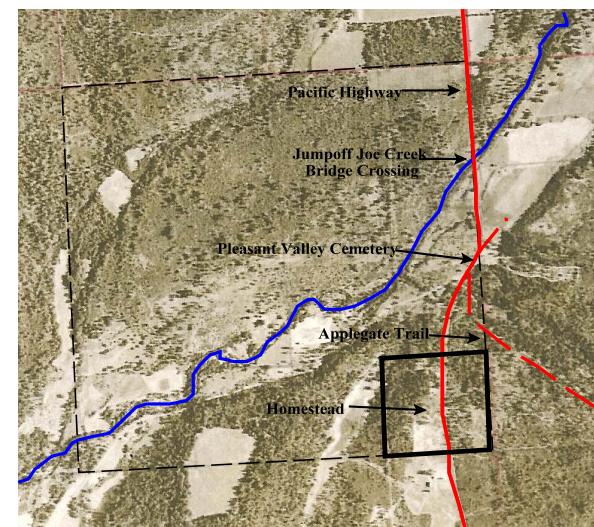
In 1920 Maude (Renshaw) Miller was a nurse.

1. Bureau of Land Management (BLM), General Land Office (GLO) Records. 2007. Official Federal Land Records Site (<http://www.glorerecords.blm.gov/>). Internet.

2. Hugo Neighborhood. 2007. *Hugo Pioneers*. Map Of Federal Land Transfer in Hugo, Oregon. Hugo, OR.

Homesteaders

1940 In old Renshaw homestead is astride the new Pacific Highway/Highway 99 in 1940.



Theodore Renshaw's 1914 Homestead On 1940 Aerial Photograph

Pleasant Valley Cemetery^{4 & 6}
 Elizabeth Renshaw d. 1916

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

3. Hugo Neighborhood. 2007. *Pioneers For Hugo Tombstone Quarry Section Of Applegate Trail: 1856 - 1927*. Map of Federal Land Transfers for 1.5 miles of Applegate Trail. Hugo, OR.

4. Oregon Death Index, 1903-98. Internet.

5. USDA, Forest Service, North Pacific Region, National Forest Rogue River & Siskiyou. 1939 - 1940. *Project F.S. 6-66*. Designating Symbol GIZ.

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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.

Volunteer membership dues are \$10.00 annually per family and normally used for paper, ink, envelopes, publications and mailings. Send us your e-mail address if you want to know what we are doing.

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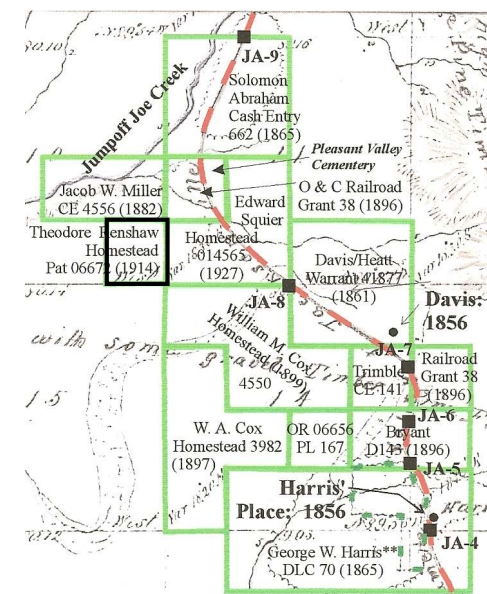
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RENSHAW FAMILY: HUGO SETTLERS



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*1.5 mile Applegate Trail nomination to Federal
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Quarry Section Of Applegate Trail: 1856

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