

## Edward Gregory Horrocks 1841-1884 Suicide

**Suicide at Ogden.** — On Saturday morning a shocking affair was brought to light in Ogden, when E. G. Horrocks, of that place was found dead, hanging to an apple tree in his orchard. From evidence adduced at the inquest, it seems that on Friday, the deceased, who for a few years past has been addicted to the free use of intoxicants, had remained in bed all day, and about 10 p. m. arose and dressed himself. He bade his wife and family an affectionate good night, saying he was going over to his other house. This was the last seen of him until he was discovered next morning. The coroner's jury returned the following verdict:

We the jurors in the above entitled case of E. G. Horrocks, now lying dead before us, do find that the deceased came to his death by taking a small ladder and climbing up into an apple tree, and then fastening a leather strap to a limb and attaching it to his neck, then pushing the ladder from under him, leaving his body swinging in the air.

MORONI BROWN,  
JOSEPH CLARK,  
JAS. M. BROWN,  
Jurors.

MARK HALL, Coroner.

The deceased was nearly 50 years of age, and had resided in Ogden about 27 years. His funeral took place yesterday.

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