

GARLOCK, HENRY C.
November 27, 1875-April 26, 1932

Harry C. Garlock, 66, prominent stockman and long-time resident of the Bluegrass country, died by his own hand here early Tuesday morning from the effects of a dose of poison thought to have been strychnine.

The tragic end came about three o'clock in the morning. Mr. Garlock had been sleeping with one of his sons at their room here in town and arose at an early hour, the exact time is not known, but it was only a short time before death overtook him that his son discovered his father in convulsions. Mrs. Garlock immediately phoned a physician who hastened to the home, but her husband had already passed away.

Financial worries are thought to be the cause of his rash deed and the following note was found in one of his vest pockets: "To whom it may concern: Don't blame anyone but me, I can't stand this any longer. H.C.G."

Tuesday afternoon, an inquest conducted by Bert Richards, coroner, was held. Arthur Rugg, R.E. Dunn, and A.E. Mead composed the jury and they brought in the following verdict: "That the deceased came to his death by his own hand by the taking of poison".

Harry C. Garlock was born at Howell, Michigan, November 27, 1875. He came to Wyoming with his parents when he was 17 years of age and they settled in the Antelope Basin country, 45 miles northwest of Wheatland. A little later he moved to the ranch on the Bluegrass and for the past 35 years has resided there.

Eighteen years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Grace Pence. To this union two children were born. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Niel L., 15, and Dale F., 13; his father, W.J. Garlock; one sister, Mrs. Forest Pence, both of Los Angeles, Calif.; two brothers, Forest Garlock of Pomona, Calif. and Stanley Garlock of Laramie, Wyo.

Funeral services were held from the Congregational church this afternoon, Thursday, with Rev. R.E. Morgan, performing the final rites. Burial took place in the Wheatland cemetery. The Lyla Watson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.