[Whipple, Marsh]

Fruit Grower Is Suicide

Rochester, June 13—Marsh Whipple, 73, of Irondequoit, one of the best known fruit growers in that section, ended his life by shooting himself with a shotgun this morning at his home. It was said that Mr. Whipple had been despondent for several weeks.

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MR. MARSH WHIPPLE

As Our Outlook goes to press, word comes of the sudden death of Mr. Marsh Whipple at his home in Irondequoit. Services will be conducted Thursday afternoon. Mr. Whipple was a sturdy and beloved man, young in spite of his years. We shall miss his kindly face and his warm heart. He goes to join the beloved wife [Susan J. Whipple] from whose death a few years ago he never recovered. We loved this fine and good man. His smile and handclasp at the close of service was a benediction for the minister.

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