

CFR 0218

Mrs. Lena McFarland

1958

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CENTURY FARM REGISTRATION

OREGON STATE FAIR -- SEPTEMBER 8, 1959

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1. Name: Mrs. Lena McFarland
2. Postoffice Address: 39 N. D. St. Cottage Grove
3. County in which your farm is located: Linn
4. How old is your farm? 103. How old are you? 81.
5. Who founded your Century Farm? _____
6. How many miles did you travel to come today? about 40
7. Did you receive a Century Farm award at last year's State Fair? Yes
8. Do you have Century Farm land on both husband and wife sides of the family? No
9. How many generations of your family live on the farm today? —
10. How many exhibits do you have at the 1959 Oregon State Fair? —
- What are they? _____
- _____
- _____
11. How many years have you belonged to the Oregon Historical Society or your county Historical Society? Lane Co. 2 yrs.

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Cottage Grove Ore.
July 12-1958.

County Judge of
Lin Co.

Albany, Ore.

Dear Sir:

I would like to say that I own
a small farm (200 acres) in Lin Co. located
four miles South & E. of Halsey on the "Twin Butte" Rd.
This land was purchased in 1856 - by my
maternal Grandfather, Ira Hawley - and was
deeded to me when I was about twelve yrs. old.
I have had it all thru the years, and I now
rent it to Miriam Bierly who lives 2 mi. South of
said place. I am now past 80 yrs. and prefer to
live where I do not see so much work needing to
be done - In looking thru the deeds of the land in Lin
Co. I find one recorded Sept. 13-1856 (1856) in Deed Book No. 1.
Pages 159-160 & 161 - by John H. Lines Recorder of Deeds.
This deed was made by Albert Long & wife Elizabeth to Ira Hawley.

And marked Deed No. 104 -
Then there was more land purchased a few yrs. later and
added to the place ~~from~~ that recorded in 1856 - which would not
come in on this. Our deeds at present, under name of Lena S. Veatch
in Vol 5 - page 94 line 12 - (according to tax receipt). I am the said
Lena S. Veatch but was remarried in 1948 & am now Lena S. McFarland.
(See Over) 39 No. 2 St. Cottage Grove Ore.

July 19, 1958

Lena S. McFarland appeared before me at Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon on the 19th. day of July, 1958 and signed as indicated.

Signed Lena S. McFarland
Lena S. McFarland

[Signature]
Notary Public for the State
of Oregon
My Commission Expires Jan. 9, 1962

July 19-1958
Accepted this date
E. E. Arnold Co Judge
Lin Co Oregon

April 14, 1960

Mr. John L. McFarland
Route 1
Tangent, Oregon

Dear Mr. McFarland:

Under separate cover is your certificate for qualifying
as a Century Farmer in the 1959 program.

We regret the delay in sending these to you.

Very truly yours,

Robert C. Scott
Public Services Representative

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