

CFR 0248

Mrs. S. R. Barr



*Duplicate*

CENTURY FARM REGISTRATION

OREGON STATE FAIR -- SEPTEMBER 8, 1959

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- 1. Name: Mrs. S.V. Barr
- 2. Postoffice Address: RT. 1 Box 2862 Sweet Home
- 3. County in which your farm is located: Linn
- 4. How old is your farm? 104. How old are you? 85.
- 5. Who founded your Century Farm? Jessie & Anna Barr
- 6. How many miles did you travel to come today? 55
- 7. Did you receive a Century Farm award at last year's State Fair? no
- 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? 4
- 10. How many exhibits do you have at the 1959 Oregon State Fair? none  
  
What are they? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 11. How many years have you belonged to the Oregon Historical Society or your county Historical Society? none



REGISTRATION CENTURY FARM CELEBRATION

OREGON STATE FAIR, September 6, 1960

ok

1. Check which year you received Century Farm Award:

1958 \_\_\_\_\_  
1959 X \_\_\_\_\_  
1960 \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: Mrs L. V. Barr

3. Postoffice Address: R#1 Box 2862 Sweet Home, Ore

4. What county is your Century Farm in? Linn

5. How old is your farm? 1852. How old are you? 86

6. Who founded your Century Farm? Jesse Barr

7. How many miles did you travel to come today? 55

8. How many years have you belonged to the Oregon Historical Society or your County Historical Society? \_\_\_\_\_

9. How many generations of your family live on the farm today? 4 (ok)

10. How many exhibits do you have at the 1960 Oregon State Fair? 78

What are they? \_\_\_\_\_

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# Local Woman Is Century Farmer

Mrs. S. V. Barr, Rt. 1, is the owner of one of the additional 44 Century farms which have come to light this year in the program sponsored by the Oregon Historical society and the state department of agriculture.

Thomas Vaughn, of the Historical society, and Frank McKennon, director of agriculture, said these will be added to the 354 discovered in this unique program, initiated last year.

Linn county, runner up last year  
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# Local Woman . .

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in farm numbers, tops the 1959 list with 10 Century farms, including one owned jointly by sisters. Yamhill county is one behind Linn and Marion county, which produced 67 last year, is represented by 6 this year.

The new group of Century farm owners—descendents who have stayed continuously with the agricultural pursuits of the farm founder—will be honored in a grand finale at the Oregon state fair on Tuesday, Sept. 8. At that time Governor Mark O. Hatfield will present a handsome parchment enrolling the farms in the archives of the Oregon Historical society.

Other Linn county Century farm owners are Yates Sherer, Tangent; Mrs. Elsie Davis Bond, Eugene; Mrs. Mabel Reagan, Eugene, and Mrs. Vivian Forster, Albany; Loren J. Bond, Albany; Bertha Lena Watson, Rt. 1, Shedd; John Lester McFarland, Rt. 1, Tangent; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Alvin, Lebanon; Mrs. Florence N. Harrison, Brownsville; and Mrs. Stacy L. Neeley, Rt. 2, Albany.